DAY	FEAST	READINGS	TIME
Mon 23	**34th Week of Ordinary Time Psalter Week II St Clement I St Columban**	Rev 14: 1-5; Lk 21: 1-4.	5:30 PM
Tues 24	**34th Week of Ordinary Time Psalter Week II SS. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions**	Rev 14: 14-19; Lk 21: 5-11.	5:30 PM
Wed 25	**34th Week of Ordinary Time Psalter Week II St Catherine of Alexandria**	Rev 15: 1-4; Lk 21: 12-19.	5:30 PM
Thu 26	**34th Week of Ordinary Time Psalter Week II**	Rev 18: 1-2, 21-23; 19: 1-3, 9; Lk 21: 20-28.	5:30 PM
Fri 27	**34th Week of Ordinary Time Psalter Week II**	Rev 20: 1-4, 11—21: 2; Lk 21: 29-33.	12:15 PM
Sat 28	**34th Week of Ordinary Time Psalter Week II**	Rev 22: 1-7; Lk 21: 34-36.	5:30 PM
Sun 29	**1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT YEAR B Psalter Week 1**	Is 63: 16-17, 19; 64: 1, 3-8; 1 Cor 1: 3-9; Mk 13: 33-37	8:00 AM 5:30 PM

Food for the Needy

Our food pantry is running low of daily essentials and we need your help to restock the food for those we assist every month. Please bring your donations of non-perishable food items to the church so we can continue to be a refuge for families in need. Thank you for your contributions.

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OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



Reading I: Ezekiel 34: 11-12, 15-17;
Responsorial Psalm: 22: 1-6;
Reading II: 1 Corinthians 15: 20-26, 28;
Gospel: Matthew 25: 31-46.

Revised Roman Missal: 594 (Bahasa 1688)

REFLECTION: You Did It To Me

In today's Gospel, both groups encounter people in need, the hungry who need food, the thirsty who need a drink, the stranger who needs a welcome, the person without clothing who needs dignity, the sick who need companionship, and the prisoner who needs compassion and acceptance. The difference is in how they respond. The righteous notice these people and recognize their needs. They offer what they can, not because they expect praise or reward, but because their hearts are turned toward God and their neighbours. The others are so focused on themselves that they fail to see or respond to the needs around them.

Jesus invites us to welcome Him as King of our hearts and let His love shape the way we live. We may not be able to solve every hardship, but we can offer a meal, listen with patience, visit someone who feels alone, welcome a newcomer, or treat every person with dignity. In these everyday acts of care, we serve Christ.

Reflective question:

What is one concrete way I can show Christ's love to someone in my life today?

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Second Collection
Today's second collection is for the Seminarian Fund. Thank you for your generous support.

SJC CULTURAL FOOD FESTIVAL (22nd November)
St. John's Church will hold its Cultural Food Festival today, starting at 10:30AM. Parishioners who have purchased coupons are invited to attend and enjoy the festival.

OCIA Rehearsal (23rd November)
All OCIA candidates preparing for the Rite of Acceptance into the Order of Catechumens are reminded to attend the rehearsal on Monday, 23rd Nov at 7:30PM in the church.

JOINT CHURCHES CAROL SERVICE (3rd Dec)
St. James' Church, KB, will host this year's Carol Service on 3rd Dec at 7:30PM. Donation envelopes for charitable causes are available at the church foyer. Parishioners are encouraged to give generously and return their envelopes to the Parish Office before 3rd Dec. Thank you for your support.

Gift Donations for the Annual Christmas Party
Parishioners are invited to contribute wrapped gifts for our Annual Christmas Party. Kindly drop off your gifts at the Parish Admin Office before 24th Dec. Your generosity will help make this celebration even more joyful.

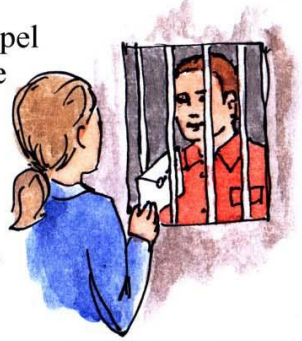
Triduum for the Feast of Immaculate Conception (4th, 5th and 7th Dec)
In preparation for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, all are invited to join the Triduum of Holy Hours, held immediately after Mass on the following dates:

- Friday, 4th Dec: Mass at 12:15 PM
- Saturday, 5th Dec: Mass at 5:30 PM
- Monday, 7th Dec: Mass at 5:30 PM

Gotong Royong (6th December)
Our final Gotong Royong for the year will be held on 6th Dec starting at 10:30AM. Everyone is encouraged to lend a helping hand in cleaning and preparing our church and its surroundings for our upcoming parish feast day.

COOL 71st Anniversary Mass (8th December)
Join us as we celebrate the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception and COOL's 71st Anniversary.
5:30 PM – Holy Rosary, 6:00 PM – Holy Mass
After Mass – Procession to the Parish Hall, followed by fellowship.
All parishioners are warmly invited to join us in thanksgiving for 71 blessed years.

Whatever you do to others...



Jesus is a fair king. In today's Gospel reading, He tells us how He will judge people at the end of time. Those who were good to God will be saved, and those who were not good to Him will be condemned. Whoever is good to others is good to God, and whoever is unkind to others is unkind to God.



Our Lord cares so much about His people that He will judge us according to how we treat each other. Jesus is the Good Shepherd and the King, and He cares about every one of us specially. Imagine a king who came to see every one of his subjects to make sure that they were doing okay. Well, Jesus does more than that- He died for us on the cross! He looks after us all the time, and He says that anyone who is unkind to us will be judged as being unkind to Him.

Christ the King is the just judge. How do you think you will be judged when you die, or at the end of time? Are you kind to others? Do you ever think about how you would treat Jesus if He were here? Do you treat other people the way you would treat Jesus?



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