

“Have no anxiety at all, but in everything,
by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving,
make your requests known to God.

Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding
will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.” *Philippians 4:4-9*

This is from the first reading of the optional memorial Mass for today. How appropriate it is for our time, with the uncertainty of the election, the perpetuated fear of the coronavirus, and the unrest in our country. It is a reminder of what is ultimately important. If we live our lives doing the will of Christ, which we can know only through prayer and petition, we have no need for worry because we are assured of our eternal reward.

First Communion will be Sunday, November 22, 2020 at St Ann during 9:00am Mass.
First Reconciliation will be Sunday November 15, 2020 after 9:00 Mass at St Ann.

The tentative **schedule for Advent** will be posted online separately. Please plan to attend **our parish mission**, December 12-16, with Dominican Fr Hayes. It can help your personal growth in holiness but we also want to show the Diocese that we are a viable parish worthy of a pastor.

Turkey dinner was a great success. Sold out 631 dinners before 12:30pm. Thanks to Debbie Lovensheimer, Susie Daniels and the 94 volunteers that made it possible.

I strongly encourage everyone to **return to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass**. Do not turn your back on the Eucharist out of fear of a cold virus. Use appropriate precautions if you are at risk, but come back to God’s House and give Him the homage and adoration that He is due. He has promised to pour graces upon us if we do.

Viva Cristo Rey!!!!

