First Sunday of Advent
November 29, 2015

Today's Readings:
- John 33:14-16
- Psalm 25:4, 5-8, 10, 14
- 1Thes 3:12-4:2
- Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

11/30 St. Andrew, Apostle
12/03 St. Francis Xavier, Priest
12/04 St. John Damascene, Priest, Doctor of the Church; First Friday
12/05 First Saturday

Order of the Mass #140
Gloria #146
Profession of Faith #148

Welcome to Our Sacred Heart Church!

Welcome to Our Sacred Heart Church! To all who celebrate with us, whether longtime residents or newly arrived in the Parish, we thank God for you. To register, please visit or call our office at 257-3230 between 9:00 am and 1:00 pm, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, or e-mail us at sacredheartssv@yahoo.com

Mass Intentions for Week of Nov. 28 – Dec. 6

First Sunday of Advent

Herlong:
Saturday, 11/28 3:00 pm All Souls

Susanville:
Saturday, 11/28 5:30 pm All Souls
Sunday, 11/29 8:00 am All Souls
11:00 am All Souls
5:00 pm All Souls

Monday, 11/30 8:00 am All Souls
Tuesday, 12/01 8:00 am +Vickie Savage By Bea Price
Thursday, 12/03 6:00 pm +Jacob Pitt By Joni Pitt
Friday, 12/04 8:00 am +Luccia & John Ferrari By John Zenith
Exposition and Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament
8:00 pm Benediction

Second Sunday of Advent

Herlong:
Saturday, 12/05 3:00 pm S.I. Caroline Garland

Susanville:
Saturday, 12/05 5:30 pm +Bob Giacomelli By John & Rita Wilczynski
Sunday, 12/06 8:00 am Parishioners of Sacred Heart
11:00 am +Rufina Aguirre By The Urrutia Family
5:00 pm +Wallace G. Smith By Marlene Darling

Pray for the sick & homebound in our parish especially:
Johnny & Norma Garate
William McDowell
Trenton Ignacio Urrutia-Dixon
Lorraine Wavrick
Rita Wilczynski
Kenneth Hamilton
Al Garcia
Juanita Binkley
Kris Woodruff
Jerry & Dolie Douglass
C. T. Neely
Ron Morrissey
Richard & Adelaide Garoppo
Jeanne Haycraft
Laura Geoia
Rodney Patterson
Ray Berrettini
Ricardo Palatones
David Stirbling
Kelli Brawley
George Hansen
Rose Nunez
Lois Welch
Susan Baston
Francisco Aquino
Mark Wheeler
Patricia Bowen
Rita Retterath
Edwin Hart
Vonda Emmert
Manuela Delgado
Mary Murphy
Maryann Baker
Samuel Stagno
Gino Surian
Paul Hemp
Dwight Weatherford
Joseph Mulhiv
Gregory Lovelady
Michael Schmidt
Bill Neely
Edna Koziol
Ernie Kuan
Gilbert Azvedo
Ron & Elvira Harrison
Cheryl McDonald
Richard & Marette Wakeman

Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory.
Luke 21:27

Please notify the office when a name may be added or taken off the prayer list
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**November**
- 29 1st Sunday of Advent
- Second Collection for Building and Maintenance
- 30 Youth Group Meeting – 6 pm to 7:30 pm – MM Hall

**December**
- 1 Choir Practice – 5:30 pm in the Church
- 4 First Friday Adoration & Benediction
- 7 Youth Group Meeting – 6 pm to 7:30 pm – MM Hall
- 8 Feast of the Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation)
- 11 Religious Ed. Teacher’s Meeting – 5:30 pm @ Hall

**Religious Education News**

NO RCIA this Sunday in observance of Thanksgiving!

RCIA is for you if:
- You are interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church
- You know of someone who is interested in becoming Catholic
- You are an adult needing either Baptism, First Communion or Confirmation
- You are an adult desiring Adult Faith Formation to learn more about your faith

Please call the Church office at 257-3230 or any member of the RCIA team listed on the front of the bulletin.

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**Religious Education Classes**

*Kindergarten through High School*

November 29 – CCD Classes Advent Crafts
December 6 – CCD Classes

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**Catholic Campaign for Human Development**

Thank you for your contributions in the amount of $652.00 to the collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD)! Your generous gifts will help CCHD end poverty in the United States through better education, improved housing, and economic development. Through CCHD and its beneficiaries, we demonstrate Catholic social teaching and carry out Jesus’ mission to “bring glad tidings to the poor…to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free” (Lk 4:18).

**Annual Catholic Appeal 2015 “Report of Gratitude”**

Bishop Soto invites all parishioners to view the 2015 Annual Catholic Appeal “Report of Gratitude” by visiting [www.tcfsac.org](http://www.tcfsac.org). “Every time a family has a breakthrough, a child finds safety and hope, a marginalized individual finds the strength to rebuild a life of dignity, a seminarian moves closer to ordination, or a student is able to stay in Catholic School, we think of you, our donors. Thank you for your support this year. Please take a moment to see the difference you’ve made in 2015.”

The 2015 Appeal has raised more than $3.2 million from more than 20,000 Catholics in our diocese. The Appeal Office is still accepting donations for 2015. Please donate online by visiting [www.tcfsac.org](http://www.tcfsac.org). 25% comes back to our parish for our own outreach to people who need our help.

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**Sacred Heart Auxiliary Christmas Gift Cards Program**

Are you aware of someone at Sacred Heart Parish who is in need of a helping hand this holiday season? During this season of peace and good will, the Sacred Heart Auxiliary would like to be of help. Please contact Clare at the Sacred Heart Church office at 257-3230 to add a family’s name or a person to our list to be a possible recipient.

Please call by **December 10, 2015**.

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**Sacred Heart Parish as Pilgrimage Center**

Our Parish has been designated by Bishop Soto as a pilgrimage site during the Year of Mercy which will run from December 8, 2015 to November 20, 2016.

Like our cathedral, this Parish has a “Holy Door” which was sealed after our Thanksgiving Mass. It will be opened on December 13 to mark the beginning of the Year of Mercy for anybody who would like to come in to pray.

Please read the insert in the bulletin about the Holy Door of Mercy.

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**The Jubilee Year of Mercy Calendar 2015-2016**

- **December 13, 2015**: Opening of the Holy Door
- **January 22, 2016**: Day of Prayer and Reparation for the Protection of Unborn Children
- **January 23, 2016**: Walk for Life - West Coast
- **February 2, 2016**: Jubilee Day for Consecrated Life
- **February 13, 2016**: World Marriage Day
- **March 3, 2016**: Ecuemical/Interfaith Luncheon
- **March 4-5, 2016**: 24 Hours for the Lord
- **March 26, 2016**: Annual Holy Saturday Pilgrimage with Bishop Soto
- **April 3, 2016**: Divine Mercy Sunday
- **April 24, 2016**: Jubilee Day for Children aged 13-16
- **May 5, 2016**: Interfaith Year of Mercy Prayer Service
- **May 28-29, 2016**: Jubilee Day for Deacons
- **June 4-5, 2016**: Jubilee Day for Priests
- **June 10-12, 2016**: Virtual World Youth Day
- **September 23-25, 2016**: Expanded Ministry Days
  - Jubilee Day for Lay Ministers
  - Jubilee Day for Catechists
  - Jubilee Day for Workers and Volunteers of Mercy
  - “5th” Anniversary of Radio Santisimo
  - “St. Vincent de Paul Annual Walk for the Poor
- **October 8, 2016**: Divine Mercy Conference
- **November 20, 2016**: Closing of the Holy Door