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PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK: Notify the priest regarding those who are ill, hospitalized or homebound.

MASSES:

Saturday Sunday

Weekdays

Holy Days

Crockett...... 4:30 pm (vigil) Crockett.....9:00 am Port Costa.......11:00 am

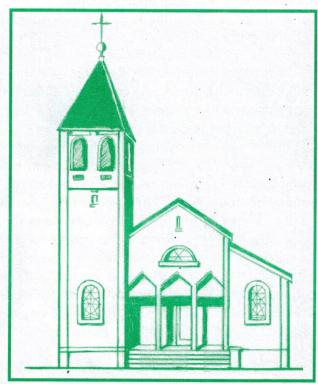
Crockett

Tues. - Fri......12:00 noon Crockett......12:00 noon

& 7:00 pm

Saturday

3:30 to 4:00 pm



St. Patrick Mission, Port Costa

newly arrived in the parish. V	ome to all who celebrate with us, whether longtime resident e thank God for you! If you are not on our parish list—please in the collection basket or mail to the office.	or fill
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From the Desk of Fr. Leo

If the names Rodgers and Oscar Hammerstein appear on a musical presentation, it's a sure guarantee that it will have class and quality. One of their most popular musicals is The King and I, Hammerstein as usual, wrote the beautiful lyrics which Rodgers set to bouncy and exciting music. It was on Broadway for over three years and then made into a hit movie starring Yul Brynner and Deborah Kerr.

It's the story of a widowed English school teacher who goes to Bangkok to tutor the children of the King of Siam (now Thailand). She represents the western culture and he the east. They are in constant conflict because of their differences, yet there exists between them a tender love and deep understanding.

On the Feast of Christ the King, we give attention to our relationship with Him (the real King). The Lord has reminded us of our differences when He said: "Your ways are not my ways; My thoughts are not your thoughts." Although there is a world of difference between God and His people, yet there is present a deep and mysterious understanding.

One of the well-known songs in The King and I is "Getting to Know You." Those same lyrics can have particular meaning for us in reference to our King.

We keep getting to know Him, all the time learning of His true, loving nature. Each day we try to probe a bit deeper into His ways. We are also getting to know all about Him in His works of creation - especially in people, where we see His image. If we truly like the King, then we will trust His words and try to live by them. WE know that He likes us, too. Since he does, we can and should like ourselves. Everyone needs a good self-image and a sense of dignity.

Jesus came to make us feel free and easy by taking away our sins by His death. Sometimes we become our own worst enemies, and with our guilty feelings only see Him as our Punisher and Judge. It's a good sign of familiarity when we can pray to God spontaneously, simply saying what comes to our minds and meaning each word. The result is that we become bright and breezy because of all the beautiful new things we learn about Him day by day. This bespeaks a happy relationship, full of life and excitement. There is nothing found here which is heavy, depressing or repelling.

Although each of us relates to God in our own particular way, these lyrics can provide some food for

thought on what a truly beautiful experience life can be, in spite of all its pain and mystery. Each of us should think over this question: How strong is the bond of friendship which exists between the King and I?

. Fr. Leo Alban Asuncion

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tues.	Nov 26	Noon
Harold Dockery †		Bambi
Wed.	Nov 27	Noon
Living Memorial Happy		
Thur. Thanksgivin	Nov 28	9:00am
Gloria†		Lucy
Fri.	Nov 29	Noon
Pete Villanueva †		Mariano Family
Sat.	Nov 30	4:30pm
Sid Jensen Sr. †		Jensen Family
Sun.	Dec 1	9am
John & Mary Osborn†		Wanda
Speroni Family †		
Port Costa		11:00am
People of the Parish		ATTENDED ATT.

Monday, December 9th, there will be a special 9:00AM Mass to celebrate The Immaculate Conception!

Sunday Collection - November 17

St. Rose, Crockett/Regular Sunday

St. Patrick Mission, Port Costa \$241

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Prayers for the Deceased

In your prayers, please remember in a special way, David Botta. The Memorial Mass will be held Wednesday, December 4th at 11:00am here at St. Rose, reception to follow at the Crockett Community Center

Welcome Committee, Lectors and Ministers

Nov 30: Franca Ponti, John Valentini, Teresa Walker

Lector: John Paradela Welcome: Teresa Walker

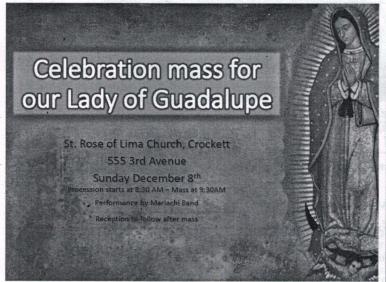
Dec 1: Renee Ratterree, Jesus Hernandez, Bernardina de la Pena, Angela Reese, Evelyn Balico,

Dixie Peralta

Lector: Jenny Sebastian, Danny Ajero

Welcome: Cookie Maricich

If you cannot fulfill your assignment, please find your own replacement.



NO MASS AT ST. PATRICK, DECEMBER 8TH!



Special Second Collection

Our Lady of Guadalupe committee has been working hard to put on a wonderful celebration in honor of the Virgin Mary. The tamale sales are helping them attain their goals, but we are having a special second collection next week to help with some of the decorations and especially with flowers.

The committee is also encouraging parishioners to please bring fresh, cut flowers the day of the celebration, **December 8**th, especially roses, that will be used for the 8:30am procession and placed on the altar during Mass. This is a wonderful way to be part of the celebration.

BAKE SALE!

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PLEASE SIGN UP ON THE SHEET IN THE VESTIBULE OR CALL THE OFFICE IF YOU ARE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE OR IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, 510-787-2052.



THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HAS BEEN MOVED TO TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3RD DUE TO THANKSGIVING!



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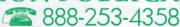
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