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SIXTH SUNDAY OF
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MISSION STATEMENT

Christ the King Parish is called together by God as a faith sharing community to radiate, celebrate and proclaim Jesus Christ through prayer, word, worship and service as we seek to build up His one body, adapting to the diverse needs of the people in whose midst we live and witness.

Welcome!

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass

9:00am

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Weekend Mass

Saturday | 4:00pm

Sunday | 8:00am, 11:00am

Livestreamed & interpreted at 11am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday | 3:00pm

Other | By Appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday | 9:30am - 8:00pm

Rosary

Wednesday | 6:15pm

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Bulletin announcements need to be in by noon on the Friday of the week prior, 9 days before the weekend you'd like it to appear.

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SACRAMENT INFORMATION

Care of the Sick

Our Visitation Ministry Team would like to bring Communion to our homebound parishioners as well as visit those in a hospital or a nursing facility. Please call the Parish Office to let us know of those who wish to be visited.

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated twice a month. Baptisms may also be celebrated at weekend Liturgies. A Baptismal preparation program is expected prior to celebrating the Sacrament. Please call the Parish Office to arrange for your baby's Baptism or for further information.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please call the Parish Office to arrange a meeting with one of the priests at least 6 months prior to the planned wedding. A Marriage Preparation program and interviews are required.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

RCIA is the process available for those wishing to explore becoming a member of our Catholic Christian Community. For more information please contact Lisanne Jensen in the Faith Formation Office.

STEWARDSHIP FOR MAY 6-7

Offertory.....	\$9,626.00
Building Maintenance	\$1,380.00
Miscellaneous	\$85.00
E-Giving Faith Direct	\$4,741.00

Collection Total	\$15,832.00
Budgeted Total Needed for Each Week	\$12,782.00

Special Collection Next Week for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe

This collection supports the Church in more than 25 countries that still struggle to recover from former communist rule. It supports pastoral care, catechesis, renovations and seminary formation. Your support restores the Church and builds the future in this region. More info can be found at usccb.org/ccee

PRAYER AND READINGS



MASS INTENTIONS

In order to appear in the bulletin, please schedule Mass intentions with the parish office one month prior.

Tuesday, May 16 | 9 am

Marissa Relya
*The Rogers Family
Sandra Kinisky
*Family

Wednesday, May 17 | 9 am

Dorothy Donovan
*Tina Pietrosanto
Charles Sangaline
*Tina Pietrosanto

Thursday, May 18

Ascension of the Lord

9:00 am James R. Kinisky
*Family

7:00 pm Mass for Parishioners

Saturday, May 20 | 4 pm

Josef Simon
*The Simon Family
Dominick Mango (Anniversary)
*Michele Mango & Family

Saturday, May 20 | 4 pm Continued

Constance McKeough
*Matilda Duncan
Jeannette & Landon Davis (62nd Wedding Anniversary Memorial)
*Brenda Fish & Family
Dick Doney
*Fran & Maureen
Pam Van de Car (1st Anniversary)
*her Loving Family

Next Sunday, May 21 | 8 am

Mass for Parishioners

Next Sunday, May 21 | 11 am

Jeanne Walsh (Birthday Memorial)
*John & Children
David Shaughnessy
*The Zelig Family
Shirley Murdick
*LouAnn Cleary
In Thanksgiving for Answered Prayers
*NG Akubuo

Altar Bread & Wine

Our altar bread and wine for the month of May 2023 has been donated in loving memory of

Frank & Lillian Pindiak

requested by the Pindiak Family

Pray for...

Our Sick

Liz Stewart, Patricia Bruno, David Birkun, Rick Rodino, Mary Kehn, Betty Canape, Betty Low, Joseph Esposito, Luke Danker, Roman Hunt, Marylou Flanagan, Lillian Dorato, Nicholas Smith, Kayla Rziha, Ken Fitzpatrick, Mary Elaine, Norman Swanson, Sue Patterson, Robert K., Donna Johnson, Sr. Karyl Fredricks, Christine Slattery, Dana Hesch, Michael Tebaldi, Lynda Teehan, Teresa Burke, Philip D'Amico, If you or someone you know are in need of our prayers, or if you had asked for prayer and your prayers were answered, please call the parish office. Names will be removed from the list periodically.

Our Beloved Deceased

Lawrence Tegiacchi
Joseph Esposito (April 27)
Shirley Murdick (April 25)
Martha Cabrera (April 21)
James DeSacia (April 14)

First Year Anniversary May 2022

Joseph Spenziero (May 1)
Carol Thomson (May 3)
Patrick Coffey (May 14)
Dominick Mango (May 20)
Theresa Girzone (May 26)

WEEKLY READINGS & OBSERVANCES

Sunday, May 14 ○

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20
(1)/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21

Monday, May 15 ○

Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Jn 15:26—16:4a

Tuesday, May 16 ○

Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday, May 17 ○

Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15

Thursday, May 18 ○

Ascension of the Lord

Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

Friday, May 19 ○

Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23

Saturday, May 20 ○

Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10/Jn 16:23b-28

Next Sunday, May 21 ○

Acts 1:12-14/Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8 (13)/1 Pt 4:13-16/Jn 17:1-11a

Reflection for the Week

Today's Gospel contains a powerful statement from Jesus, "He who obeys my commandments is the one who loves me and my Father and I will love him." And to help us with that behavior, He promises to send someone to walk the journey with us - the Holy Spirit.

How aware am I of the constant presence of the Holy Spirit in my life?

COMMUNITY



Congratulations to Deacon Daniel Vallejo who graduated from St. Mary of the Lake Seminary, Mundelein, IL. Dcn. Dan will be at our parish this year.

GUILDERLAND FOOD PANTRY

Many shelves at the Guilderland Food Pantry are empty. Any help you can give is appreciated. Diced Tomatoes, tomato paste, canned chicken, hash and baked beans, mayonnaise, mustard, and salad dressings will help people in our area.

VOLUNTEERS FOR BIRTHRIGHT'S OFFICE

In support of Respect Life, Volunteers are needed for Birthright's office. No experience is necessary, only the ability to offer compassion and support for the women and their families who Birthright serves. Training will be provided. Please

Parish Masses of our Local Catholic Community

Altamont: St. Lucy's/St. Bernadette's 518-861-8770
Sunday - 9:30 am

Delmar: St. Thomas the Apostle 518-439-4951
Saturday - 5 pm | Sunday - 10 am & 5 pm

Voorheesville: St. Matthew's 518-765-2805
Saturday - 5pm | Sunday - 9 am

join us May 18 from 1-1:30 pm at 12 Jay Street, Schenectady, to meet other volunteers and learn about Birthright. For more information call, 518-370-1532.

MARY'S CORNER IN NEED

Mary's Corner, a division of the Albany Ladies of Charity, serves young children from birth to age 4. They are in need of baby wash, baby lotion, diaper cream, formula, baby bottles, baby drinking cups and crib sheets. Please leave your donations in the bin at the end of the Last Supper table in the Gathering Space. Questions, please contact Fran Schmidt jschmidt12@verizon.net

FREE ALZHEIMERS CAREGIVER CONFERENCE

Hosted by the Alzheimer's Association Northeastern New York chapter on June 7 from 10 - 3 pm at the Crowne Plaza Albany - The Desmond Hotel, 660 Albany Shaker Rd. There will be presentations and discussions around topics such as

preparing for disease progression and transition between stages, legal and financial planning, and advances in research. You'll have an opportunity to ask questions and connect with other caregivers in your community. Lunch will be provided. Register at bit.ly/albanymini-conference or call 518-675-7214

THE CHOSEN: SEASON 3

St. Matthew's Church in Voorheesville will be showing The Chosen: Season 3 each Thursday evening in June. Bring your dinner and join us at 5:30 pm. The movie series will begin at 6 pm. Meaningful discussions after the Episodes.
June 1st Episodes 1 & 2 (2hrs 15 min)
June 8th Episodes 3 & 4 (2hrs)
June 15th Episodes 5 & 6 (2hrs)
June 22nd Episode 7 (1hr 5mins)
June 29th Episode 8 (1hr 40mins)
Please feel free to invite your family and friends.

Parish Calendar

May 14

8 am Mass
11 am Mass (Interpreted and Livestreamed)

May 15

6 pm Confirmation

May 16

9 am Mass / The Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet will follow Mass
9:45 am Adoration
10:30 am CTK Pre-K Graduation Rehearsal | Church
6:30 pm Grief and Loss Support Group | Rectory
7 pm Pastoral Council Nomination Committee | Knights Chapel

May 17

8:30 am Ignatian Volunteer Group | Church and Knights Chapel
9 am Mass
6 pm Coffee & Conversation | Knights Chapel
6:15 pm Rosary | Church
7 pm Choir Rehearsal

May 18 (A Holy Day of Obligation)

9 am Mass
10:30 am CTK Pre-K Graduation Rehearsal | Church
1 pm Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group
6 pm AA Meeting | Music Room

May 18 Continued

7 pm *Ascension Thursday Mass*
7:45 pm Pastoral Council Meeting | Rectory

May 20

8:30 am Zumba | Parish Center Gym
4 pm Mass including First Communion

May 21

8 am Mass
10 am Youth Choir Rehearsal
11 am Mass (Interpreted and Livestreamed) including First Communion
12:30 pm Baptism

PARISH NEWS

OFFERTORY ENVELOPE UPDATE

For parishioners who use offertory envelopes expect a new look beginning with your June/July envelopes. Everything else will remain the same on your end. Your envelopes will be generated the first week in May and the non-profit ship time is 2-3 weeks to be received. Please contact the parish office if you do not receive your envelopes by the end of May.

DO YOU LOVE FLOWERS, DECORATING AND CHRIST THE KING CHURCH?

We are looking for a few people to beautify our sanctuary and gathering space when needed. New Ideas are welcome! Sign up in the gathering space or contact the parish office at 518-456-1644.

MOTHER'S DAY BABY SHOWER

Beginning April 29 through May 21, Family Life Ministry will be collecting baby items for the Christ Child Society, whose ministry focuses on children and families in need. Please choose a tag from one of the drying racks in the Gathering Space with a suggested baby item to purchase, bring it back unwrapped with the tag attached and place your gift in one of the bassinets. For "legal-wiggle" reasons, items must be new. Thank you in advance for your kindness and generous support! Questions? Call Vicky Myers 518-400-0778

Date Change COFFEE & CONVERSATION PRESENTS

Parousia: The Real Presence & Second Coming on **Wednesday May 17 at 6 pm** in the Knights Chapel. The Real Presence is heaven on earth each time we celebrate the Eucharist.

MINISTRY FAIR ON JUNE 3-4

Please think about how you can best serve our parish family by joining one of our many ministries. Ministry coordinators will be in the gathering space with all the information you need!



Visit our Facebook page for more photos from First Communion!

THANKS FOR SUPPORTING OUR BLOOD DRIVE

Because of your generous support, the April 28th drive was able to send 29 units of blood to the Red Cross! It's never too early to plan for your next donation. We have drives scheduled for June 24, August 19 & October 14. Please consider registering today for an upcoming drive by visiting redcrossblood.org and use sponsor code churchchristking. The need for blood is constant & only volunteer donors can fulfill that need for patients in our community. If you have any questions, please contact John Risler at jrisler61@gmail.com

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FAMILIES OF...

Emmett Michael Murphy, Mallory Margaret Stipe, Nora Marie Stipe, and Spencer Truman Stipe who were recently Baptized at Christ the King. May God continue to bless them and their families.

PRAYER SHAWLS

If you are in need of a prayer shawl, they are free and available in the parish office during office hours. They are lovingly made by our Prayer Shawl Ministry and represent a way to share God's love and compassion to those in need of comfort and solace.

FAITH FORMATION & YOUTH MINISTRY

CONGRATULATIONS AND GOD'S BLESSINGS

to Christ the King's Confirmation candidates who will receive the sacrament of Confirmation on Monday, May 15th:

Leah Ann Abbruzzese (Leah)
Gianna Isabel Carsillo (Gianna)
David F. Danker (Michael)
Jarvin Robert Rencio Dulay DeJesus (Jarvin)
Sherin Francis (Francis)
Jack Bruce Gregory (John)
Evan Joseph Hickey (Evan)
Casey Elle Holstein (Casey)
Elca Sophia Hubbard (Elizabeth)
Seamus McPhee Kelty (Seamus)
Carly Arlene King (Felicity)
Rebecca Elizabeth Kleiber (Rebecca)
Lauren Guantic Lamme (Anastasia)
Brendan Tully Laster (Mark)
Aubrey Kate Miller (Zoe)
Clara Rose Myers (Angelina)
James Dennis North (John)
Evan Nicholas Ragone (Bruno)
Sophia Dyann Serravillo (Madeleine)
Brooke Ainsley Snyder (Elizabeth)
Amelia Candida Torres (Cristina)
Chloe Jacquelynn Trodden (Clare)
Maria Grace Vieni (Isidora)
Emma Rose Wajszczuk (Veronica)
Haley Marie Waldron (Catherine)
Anya Elizabeth Wendling (Anastasia)
Adrian Mikolaj Zieba (Paul)
Gianna Josephine Zobel (Gianna)

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