

# **CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Thursday, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Friday, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Bulletin deadline: Friday by 12:00 noon





#### PARISH REGISTRATION

Welcome to Christ the King Parish. We register new parishioners after every Sunday Mass in the Commons. Registering in the parish is the primary way we have of communicating with you, and is required for Sacramental purposes and for your children's participation in Christian Formation Programs. Please contact the Parish Office for more information. If you are moving, notify the Parish Office.

BAPTISM

Baptism of children under the age of 8 takes place at regular weekend Masses throughout the year except during Lent. Please contact our Faith Formation Office at least three months prior to the desired date. All parents must attend a three-hour class.

#### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

For Confirmation preparation of teenagers, please contact our Youth Minister. For Baptism of older children and adults, all First Communion preparation and Confirmation of adults, please contact our director of Faith Formation. Adults who are considering becoming Catholic are invited to participate in our RCIA program.

#### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please call the office at least six months in advance to set dates, make arrangements for instruction and for planning the ceremony. Marriage Preparation for the couple is a requirement.



#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Scheduled on Saturdays, 3:30-5:00 p.m. in the church or by appointment

#### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

This sacrament is administered on request to those who are ill at home, undergoing surgery, are in the hospital, or in a nursing home.

Please consider your Parish Family and/or School in your last will and testament.

### **EUCHARIST IS CELEBRATED**

#### WEEKENDS

Saturday – 5:30 p.m. Sunday – 8:30, 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

**WEEKDAYS** According to Mass Schedule inside.

**CTK VISION:** To be a vibrant and growing family of God that welcomes and gives an opportunity to everyone to pray and to serve.

**CTK MISSION:** To seek to be disciples of Jesus Christ by faithfully celebrating the Liturgy, witnessing and proclaiming the gospel, nurturing family life and making the teachings of Jesus Christ central to our lives

**CTK GOAL:** Our goal as a parish community is to bring the saving grace of Jesus Christ into all our environments.

### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 10th TO JANUARY 17th

Monday, 1/10		No Mass
Tuesday,1/11		No Mass
Wednesday, 1/12 (School Only)	8:30 a.m.	Andrea Danson (L)
Thursday, 1/13	8:30 a.m.	Joseph P. Fernandez (D)
Friday, 1/14		No Mass
Saturday, 1/15	5:30 p.m.	Maria L. Asban(D)
	8:30 a.m.	Intentions of Parishioners
Sunday, 1/16	11:00 a.m. (Livestream)	Gerald Sewell (D)
	5:00 p.m.	Theresa & Tony Butt (D)

#### Mass Intentions:

Please contact the office if you wish to have a Mass said for yourself, a loved one or a special intention. The suggested stipend is \$10 for a daily Mass & \$20 for a Sunday Mass. Stipend should be paid at the time of request.

#### Flowers:

If you would like to have flowers placed in the church in memory of a loved one, please contact Cassandra Goodwyn (757) 544-8915. Full arrangements range from \$75 to \$125 but other options include cut flowers and plants.

#### **Readers Needed**

Would you like to proclaim the Word of God at Mass? All baptized adults and youth in Grade 7 and up are invited to be a reader or commentator.

Please contact our parish office for information on training and scheduling.

Liturgical Ministers for January 15 <sup>th</sup> & 16 <sup>th</sup>						
	Saturday, 1/15	Sunday, January 16 <sup>th</sup>				
	5:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM	5:00 PM		
Altar Serv. 1	K. Killian	S. Okobi	D. Satchivi	L. Sama		
Altar Serv. 2		K. Okobi	T. Satchivi	R. Vicente		
Child. Lit. 1	х	х	P. Brink	х		
Child. Lit. 2	x	х	C. Richey	х		
Eucharistic	х	х	х	х		
Reader 1	C. Goodwyn	E. Marasco	V. Satchivi	S. Bousquet		
Reader 2		L. Francis		J. Bousquet		
Usher 1	C. Rannigan	T. Duncan	P. Daugherty	K. Brink		
Usher 2	J. Fellowes	G. Duncan	E. Webb	P. Brink		
Usher 3		х	T. Womack	х		

#### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Isaiah 62:1 - 5 Psalm 96:1 – 3.7 – 10 1 Corinthians 12:4 - 11 John 2: 1 – 11

#### Scriptures are #1097 in the Hymnal.

#### **Vocations**

"There are different forms of service but the same Lord."

Is your form of service to become a priest? Call the Vocations Office, (804) 359-5661, to speak with Fr. Brian Capuano; or write to vocations@richmonddiocese.org

### **Register with CTK Parish:**

Please remember that it is necessary to register with the parish for the pastor to recommend you or a dear one for Sacraments or Scholarships. Otherwise, the Pastor will have no authority to recommend you. Also, the use of your offertory envelopes or online giving indicates to the Parish that you may be eligible for reduced tuition at CTK School.

#### ALTAR SERVER MINISTRY LEADER NEEDED

Candidates should have Altar Server experience and be familiar with seasonal liturgical requirements related to this ministry. Must be comfortable working with children and teens, be over the age of 18 and have completed VIRTUS training. Experience in scheduling and long-range planning is a plus but not a requirement.

Please contact the office if you would like more information.

#### **Altar Servers Needed**

Do you have a child in the third grade or higher who have made their First Holy Communion? Please contact Kay Killian at kay747@cox.net to sign-up!

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Cub Scouts	1/10	6:30 PM	Ashland House
Cleaning Team #2	1/11	9:00 AM	Church
Senior Luncheon	1/11	12:00 Noon	Olive Garden @ J.A.N.A.F.
Make-up Class for Reconciliation Preparation	1/11	6:30 PM	Church
Family Faith Night	1/12	5:00 PM	Ashland House
Divorce Care Resumes	1/12	6:30 PM	Conference Room & Zoom
Cantor / Choir Rehearsal	1/13	6:30 / 7:00 PM	Church
Spirit of God Prayer Group	1/13	7:00 PM	Church Commons
Virtual Rosary	1/13	7:00 PM	via phone (757-551-6414)
Circulo d'Oracione Prayer Group	1/14	7:00 PM	Church Commons
Legion of Mary	1/15	2:00 PM	Ashland House
NO RCIA due to Confirmation Retreat	1/16		
Confirmation Retreat	1/16	8:30 AM	Blessed Sacrament

Dear Parish Family,

#### You are amazing!

We want to thank you for your astonishingly generous support of our Angel Tree by providing \$1,450 in gift cards plus over \$400 in books and toys to those in need at Christmas!

Even more, Christ the King's commitment to supporting the Bishop's Annual Appeal led directly to an increased grant for our Fuel & Hunger fund. This grant supports our non-stop mission to help each other, enabling us to provide direct assistance for both our parish family and neighbors. If you know of a household needing help with rent, utilities, or food, please direct them to the parish office for Fuel & Hunger assistance.

~ CTK's Justice & Peace Committee



# DIVORCED? SEPARATED? WE CAN HELP!

Our next 13-week program begins this **Wednesday**, **January 12<sup>th</sup>** in-person & via Zoom.

Please contact Tess Rozelle at theroze0305@aol.com if you are interested in volunteering with this wonderful ministry or would like to sign-up as a participant.

## First Reconciliation Make-up Class

Tuesday, January 12th @ 6:30 PM in the church

If you missed either or both of our meetings, this is you last chance to prepare for the sacrament this year. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated on Wednesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Parents & Children are expected to attend together.

# YOUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH

Number of families contributing to operating income during the month of December: 149 out of 316

### Month of December 2021

Monthly Budget Needed Actual Receipts Received Monthly Budget Surplus	\$ \$	25,650.54 28,083.40 2,432.86
Year-To-Date Budget Needed YTD Actual Receipts Received YTD Budget Deficit	\$ \$	166,728.50 151,070.16 (15,658.34)

Capital Improvement Collection for December \$552.90

School Roof Campaign as of December 31, 2021: \$43,538.86

## January Special Collections:

Budget Deficit & Capital Improvements Feast of the Solemnity of Mary CTK School Roof Respect Life

All Online Giving (including special collections) can be done directly at www.osvhub.com/christthekingnorfolk/funds



# January 9, 2022 | The Baptism of the Lord

Written by THE Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11 | Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7 | Lk 3:15-16, 21-22 FAITHFUL DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

For cradle Catholics, baptism may be the most important step on the Christian journey that none of us actually remembers. Which is too bad! After all, the Catechism of the Catholic Church instructs us that baptism is "the basis of the whole Christian life, the gateway to life in the Spirit." (#1213) Yes, baptism cleanses us of original sin, but it's much more than that! We need only look to Jesus to see that. Though without sin, Jesus' baptism is a turning point in his life all the same. The Holy Spirit descends upon him and a voice from heaven cries out, "You are my beloved Son." So begins the public ministry, in which Jesus would carry out his Father's saving mission. Through our baptism, at any age, we, too, become God's beloved sons and daughters. Through word and sacrament, Jesus invites us to share in his mission by turning our lives over to our Father as we embrace our Christian journey.

# **GO** EVANGELIZE

#### PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Baptism is often referred to as "the doorway to the Church" because through this sacrament, our sins are forgiven and we are united to Christ and his Church. It is the door which gives access to all the other sacraments. (Cf., CCC 1213) At the conclusion, the celebrant asks God to continue to pour out his blessing upon those being baptized, and send his peace to all who are gathered. As baptized Christians, we are now adopted children of God: we are disciples who are empowered, through the wisdom and strength of the Holy Spirit, to share the Good News and help build the kingdom of God on earth. Sound intimidating? It shouldn't. Each day that we "put on Christ" and do his work, God is re-creating us and making us into something far better than we could ever be on our own. Embrace this faith you have been given and go out and share your gifts and talents with others, confident in the Spirit that guides you.

SERVE) Think of something you have been told you are very good at by friends or coworkers - something for which you have been "anointed," in a sense. In what way can you do something specific to lead others with care in this area, or perhaps do a very particular good yourself?

# January News from our School

As we ring in the New Year it is an exciting time to reflect on our accomplishments and review goals for what we have left to do in this school year. It is so hard to believe that winter break is over and 2022 is upon us! This school year is going by so guickly and Spring Break will be here before we know it.

Catholic Schools Week is at the end of January 2022. This is a week to celebrate our school, the students, teachers, and the family community that makes CTK such a wonderful place. This also starts our enrollment for the 2022- 2023 school year! If you or someone you know is interested in taking a tour or getting some more information, please give us a call at 757-625-4951 or info@ctkparish.org.

We are excited for a new year and the sense of excitement and renewal brought with it. Once again, we are so grateful for all the students' parents, and staff that bring joy to us daily. We truly hope that everyone had a safe and relaxing winter vacation!



Be safe, be well, Kim V. Callahan, Principal

**Catholic Schools Week** January 30<sup>th</sup> – February 5<sup>th</sup>

# January Calendar of Events

- January 3 Students return to CTK
- January 14 End of the second marking period
- January 17 MLK Day / No School / No Daycare
- January 21 Peacemaker Awards •
- January 21 Second Quarter Report Cards
- January 30 Catholic Schools Week begins •

Catholic Schools: Faith. Excellence. Service.

# St. Columba Ecumenical Ministries

is a nonprofit organization dedicated to helping those who are homeless and low-income.

#### **Current Needs:**

Can goods & non-perishable foods Travel size toiletries

Please bring donations to the church. The collection box is inside the TV cabinet in the Church Commons.

For more information, please contact Alicia at 757-627-6748 or visit their website: www.stcolumbaministries.com



# PreK to Grade 5: Sundays, 9:30 to 10:45 AM

Please complete Interactive Reviews for Lessons 1 to 15 by January 23<sup>rd</sup> – <u>Finding God 2021</u>

### Grades 6 to 12: Sundays, 6:00 to 7:30 PM

December 19<sup>th</sup> January 23<sup>rd</sup> February 20<sup>th</sup> March 20<sup>th</sup> April 24<sup>th</sup> May 15<sup>th</sup>



### **Curious about the Catholic Faith?**

**RCIA** is a program for adults and older children who are thinking about becoming Catholic.

#### Join us on Sundays in the church after the 8:30 AM Mass.

Email Mrs. Ficca to register: faith@christthekingnorfolk.org

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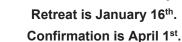
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Enter our parish zip code (23509) to select our parish
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# Confirmation Classes for Teens (Grade 10+) & Adults

Classes will be held on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month from **6:15 to 8 PM** in person and via Zoom.



Our next class is January 9<sup>th</sup>.





Sponsors are highly encouraged to attend with their candidate.

# Family Faith Night

Wednesdays - 5 to 8 PM



All ages are welcome to participate in all activities; however, parents must stay with their children – no drop offs. Contact Mrs. Ficca for full details at <u>faith@christthekingnorfolk.org</u>.



<u>Mr. Robert Baker</u> In Memory of: Alice Baker Ralph P. Baker Bernard Baker Robert J. Powell, Jr. Margaret Powell

Mr. & Mrs. Narcisse Satchivi

Dr. & Mrs. Joseph Toland

### Seniors Age 55 & Better Luncheon

Seniors age 55 & better are invited to meet for lunch on the **2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday** of the month at **12:00 noon**.

Please join us **Tuesday, January 11<sup>th</sup>**, at the Olive Garden at J.A.N.A.F in Norfolk.

Please contact Miss Evie at 757-853-2206 to RSVP

