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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.

EUCCHARIST 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 24th TO JANUARY 30th

Monday, 1/24		No Mass
Tuesday, 1/25		No Mass
Wednesday, 1/26 (School Only)	8:30 a.m.	
Thursday, 1/27	8:30 a.m.	Francesca Wamala (D)
Friday, 1/28		No Mass
Saturday, 1/29	5:30 p.m.	
Sunday, 1/30	8:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. (Livestream) 5:00 p.m.	Aurelia Lomogda (D) Intentions of Parishioners Janet Ficca (L)

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 29 th & 30 th				
	Saturday, 1/29	Sunday, January 30 th		
	5:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM	5:00 PM
Altar Serv. 1	K. Killian	O. Okobi	D. Satchivi	R. Vicente
Altar Serv. 2	J. Litkowski	K. Okobi	J. Satchivi	M. Everett
Child. Lit. 1	x	x	P. Brink	x
Child. Lit. 2	x	x	B. Stamps	x
Eucharistic	M. Agnese	J. Radford	A. Vitug	X
Reader 1			C. George	O. Okobi
Reader 2			V. Satchivi	E. Hunley
Usher 1	C. Rannigan	T. Duncan	P. Daugherty	K. Brink
Usher 2	J. Fellowes	G. Duncan	E. Webb	P. Brink
Usher 3		x	T. Womack	x

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time January 30th, 2022

Jeremiah 1:4 – 5, 17 – 19

Psalm 71:1 – 6, 15 – 17

1 Corinthians 12:31—13:13 or 13:4 - 13

Luke 4:21 – 30

Scriptures are #1103 in the Hymnal.

Vocations

“Before you were born, I consecrated you.” Do you think that you may be called by the Lord to serve Him as 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!



Cleaning Team #1	1/24	6:30 PM	Church
Cub Scouts	1/24	6:30 PM	Ashland House
Parish Council	1/25	7:00 PM	Conference Room
Family Faith Night	1/26	5:00 PM	Ashland House
Divorce Care	1/26	6:30 PM	Conference Room & Zoom
Novena for Life – Day 9	1/27	7:00 PM	Blessed Sacrament
Cantor / Choir Rehearsal	1/27	6:30 / 7:00 PM	Church
Spirit of God Prayer Group	1/27	7:00 PM	Church Commons
Virtual Rosary	1/27	7:00 PM	via phone (757-551-6414)
Circulo d'Orazione Prayer Group	1/28	7:00 PM	Church Commons
Legion of Mary	1/29	2:00 PM	Ashland House
Catholic Schools Week Youth Mass	1/30	5:00 PM	Church



On Saturday, 2/5 and Sunday, 2/6 we will celebrate **Candlemas Day** at all Masses. All are invited to bring candles to church that they would like to have blessed.

You can read more at Candlemas and the Presentation of the Lord at:

<https://www.gospelherald.com/articles/69512/20170202/feast-feb-2-presentation-of-child-jesus-on-candlemas.htm>



Novena for Life
January 19th – 27th

The last day of the **Novena for Life** will be celebrated at

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church
on **January 27th at 7:00 P.M.**

Please remember to bring your Rosary.

A copy of the Novena can be found at:

<https://www.usccb.org/resources/9-days-life-novena>



Our parish has a subscription to FORMED, a premier online platform filled with over 4,000 Catholic studies, and even cartoons for our children. To access:

1. Go to <https://signup.formed.org/>
2. Enter our parish's zip code
3. Enter your name and your email address



Join us every **Thursday** at **7 p.m.** in praying the **Rosary** virtually. Stephanie Brown will lead us. Please dial 757-551-6414. No PIN number required.

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



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

Do you ever find yourself feeling like you are at the cusp of something remarkable? Like you are witnessing an incredible, historic, athletic, or aeronautical feat? I wonder if that's what it was like for the followers of Jesus when he began his public ministry: "News of him spread throughout the whole region. He taught in their synagogues and was praised by all." In today's Gospel, Jesus reads the words of the prophet Isaiah that are effectively a "job description" of his mission: glad tidings to the poor, liberty of captives, sight to the blind, freedom for the oppressed. What Isaiah prophesied, Jesus claims to fulfill. He thus inaugurates his public ministry with a claim that is straightforward, bold, true, and of great consequence. Today, by virtue of our baptism, we are part of the body of Christ and share in that mission. Whatever our backgrounds, abilities, or talents, we each have something to contribute to building up one another and the Church. And with the help of the Holy Spirit, we, too, can be bold in our own proclamation of Jesus Christ as Lord.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

We've heard the phrase "Don't sell yourself short." Social media aside, many of us tend to focus on our shortcomings: We may wish we could run faster, be better at our jobs, have a cleaner home, in general, "get it together!" Truth is, we're all works in progress. That's what I love about Paul's Letter to the Corinthians. He reminds us that each one of us - whatever our strengths or weaknesses - is part of the body of Christ. God loves us with our imperfections, not in spite of them. As such, each of us has indispensable value and much to contribute to the mission of the Church. As we move into the week ahead, today's readings invite us to place ourselves at the service of the Church and one another. Beyond that, we can invite others to join us by recognizing that God values the talents - and foibles - that each of us brings to his service.

PRAY Yesterday on the liturgical calendar was the Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. As members of the body of Christ, let us join our voices with the universal Church and pray a Pro-Life Rosary each night this week. The USCCB Prayers and Devotions page is a good resource.

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 quickly 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 30th – February 5th



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

Please complete Interactive Reviews for Lessons 1 to 15 by January 23rd – [Finding God 2021](#)

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

December 19th

January 23rd

February 20th

March 20th

April 24th

May 15th



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



Youth Mass @ 5 PM
Youth Group 6 to 8 PM
Grades 6 to 12

All middle & high school students are invited to participate in Youth Group on the 2nd & 4th Sundays (usually) of the month:

January 30th - Catholic Schools Week Mass followed by Game Night

February 27th - Mardi Gras Party



DIVORCED? SEPARATED? WE CAN HELP!

Our 13-week program meets every **Wednesday evening**, 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.

Confirmation Classes for Teens (Grade 10+) & Adults

Please pray for our catechumen and candidates:



Natalie Gardea
Somtochukwu Okobi
Ange Satchivi
Jacqueline Womack
Stefano Escoto (catechumen)



Our next class is February 13th.

Confirmation is April 1st.

Sponsors are encouraged to attend with their candidate.

Steubenville Atlanta – July 7th to July 10th



All current 8th through 12th graders are invited.

Contact Mrs. Ficca by **Sunday, January 30th** to be guaranteed a spot!

Save the Date - Theme to be announced soon!

CTK's Annual Vacation Bible School

Monday, July 18th to Friday, July 22nd

9:15 a.m. to 12 noon - Ages 4 to 11

Our 1st planning meeting will be held on **Thursday, February 27th at 7 p.m.** in Ashland House.

Everyone's help is needed!

St. Columba Ecumenical Ministries

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

Current Needs:

Bottle Water (highly needed),
laundry detergent, bleach, beef jerky, disposable masks, coffee, granola bars, scarfs and gloves

On-going: canned goods and non-perishable foods;
New or gently used men's jeans and belts.

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