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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 FEBRUARY 14TH TO FEBRUARY 20TH

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| Monday, 2/14 | | No Mass |
| Tuesday, 2/15 | 8:30 a.m. | Josephine Hageman (D) |
| Wednesday, 2/16 (School Only) | 8:30 a.m. | Francesca Wamala (D) |
| Thursday, 2/17 | 8:30 a.m. | Geanne McLeef (D) |
| Friday, 2/18 | 8:30 a.m. | Mary Jo Shapley (D) |
| Saturday, 2/19 | 8:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m. | Fionntan McGarvey (D) |
| Sunday, 2/20 | 8:30 a.m. | Bennie Spasaro (L) |
| | 11:00 a.m. (Livestream) | Intentions of Parishioners |
| | 5:00 p.m. | Michael Walker (L) |

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time February 20th, 2022

1 Samuel 26:7 – 9, 12 – 13, 22 – 23
Psalm 103:1 – 4, 8, 10, 12 – 13
1 Corinthians 15:45 – 49
Luke 6:27 – 38

Scriptures are #1112 in the Hymnal.

Vocations

“Love one another as I have loved you.”
Are you discerning a call to follow the Lord?
Call the Vocations Office, (804) 359-5661,
to speak with Fr. Brian Capuano; or write to
vocations@richmonddiocese.org

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.

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!

Liturgical Ministers for February 19th & 20th

| | Saturday, 2/19 | Sunday, February 20 th | | |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|------------|
| | 5:30 PM | 8:30 AM | 11:00 AM | 5:00 PM |
| Altar Serv. 1 | S. Killian | O. Okobi | J. Satchivi | K. Killian |
| Altar Serv. 2 | H. Luettel | K. Okobi | H. Gonzalez | x |
| Child. Lit. 1 | x | x | J. Ficca | x |
| Child. Lit. 2 | x | x | C. Connor | x |
| Eucharistic | C. Knight | J. Radford | A. Webb | x |
| Reader 1 | C. Goodwyn | L. Francis | L. Courtenay | J. Ficca |
| Reader 2 | | | | |
| 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 |



THIS WEEK AT CTK

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| Confirmation Class | 2/13 | 6:15 PM | Ashland House |
| Cleaning Team #1 | 2/14 | 6:30 PM | Church |
| Cub Scouts | 2/14 | 6:30 PM | Ashland House |
| First Communion Meeting | 2/15 | 6:30 PM | Church Commons |
| Finance Committee Meeting | 2/15 | 7:00 PM | Conference Room |
| Holy Hour | 2/15 | 7:00 PM | Church |
| Justice & Peace Meeting | 2/16 | 7:00 PM | Ashland House |
| Vacation Bible School Planning Meeting | 2/17 | 7:00 PM | Ashland House |
| Spirit of God Prayer Group | 2/17 | 7:00 PM | Church Commons |
| Virtual Rosary | 2/17 | 7:00 PM | via phone (757-551-6414) |
| Circulo d'Oracione Prayer Group | 2/18 | 7:00 PM | Church Commons |
| Legion of Mary | 2/19 | 2:00 PM | Ashland House |
| Faith Formation Gr. K – 5 / Gr. 6 – 12 | 2/20 | 9:30 AM / 6:15 PM | Ashland House |

Knights of Columbus Membership Invitation

"The Knights of Columbus is an international Order of Catholic men who are called to lead with faith, protect our families, serve others and defend values in a busy changing world."

Council 367 will be holding a **membership drive at all Masses the weekend of February 19th and 20th.**

Whether you become an individual member or a member of our council, you will find that Knights of Columbus membership brings Catholic men together in a powerful way. If you would like to join today, simply go to www.KofC.org/joinus and enter our Council #367 for local information."

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When God is alive in our hearts the simplest of things are often our most precious gifts. Your gift to our Annual Diocesan Appeal is making an impact on our parish and we are so grateful.



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 January: 131 out of 318

Month of January 2022

| | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Monthly Budget Needed | \$ 32,063.17 |
| Actual Receipts Received | <u>18,683.98</u> |
| Monthly Budget Surplus | \$ <u>(13,379.19)</u> |
| Year-To-Date Budget Needed | 198,791.67 |
| YTD Actual Receipts Received | <u>169,754.14</u> |
| YTD Budget Deficit | \$ <u>(29,037.53)</u> |

Capital Improvement Collection for January \$396.00

School Roof Campaign as of
January 31, 2021: \$44,280.31

February Special Collections:
Budget Deficit & Capital Improvements
School Roof

All Online Giving (including special collections)
can be done directly at

www.osvhub.com/christthekingnorfolk/funds



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

Luke's account of the Beatitudes pulls no punches. Blessed are you ... who are poor, hungry, weeping, when people hate you. These admonitions bear little resemblance to the pursuit of happiness as most of us know it: Striving for wealth (or at least stability), enjoying a good meal, sharing a laugh with friends, and being well-liked. These are things of this world, and Jesus tells us that pursuing them alone will not make us truly happy. I don't think that means we need to wear sackcloth and ashes, or refuse to enjoy the great gifts with which God has endowed his Creation. However, Jesus' words remind us that we won't find lasting happiness even in the finest meal or the most lavish vacation, but rather in placing our lives in God's hands. For the desire for happiness "is of divine origin: God has placed it in the human heart in order to draw us to the One who alone can fulfill it." (CCC 1718)

STUDY Read the Beatitudes and the Sermon on the Mount and reflect on how Jesus' teachings draw us ever more to himself and highlight our baptismal vocation: holiness. What one thing can you bring to prayer and the sacrament of reconciliation this week to purify your heart?

Message from Our Principal

Greetings all,

It is hard to believe that we have passed the halfway point of our school year! Our focus remains on cultivating a positive climate and creating the best learning environment possible. High-quality instruction and student learning are our highest priorities. Everything that we do at CTK is designed to help students learn in all areas and be successful well beyond their time in middle school. Once again, that partnership between school and home is a crucial ingredient for student success. With that said, we hope that your students are feeling safe and supported. If you have questions or concerns, we want to hear from you.

We will host Parent-Teacher conferences for our families in the next two weeks. Any questions or concerns parents or teachers may have can be addressed over those two days. Parents will be receiving information on conferences via e-mail.

We are excited to continue enrolling students for the 2022-2023 school year. Again, if your family or anyone you may know would be interested in learning more about our school, please call us at 757-625-4951 or send an e-mail to our Enrollment Coordinator, Katy Rock, at krock@ctkparish.org. We have several different options for financial aid available for those in need.

We're fortunate to work with your students every day. Thank you for allowing us to play a role in their development.

Be safe, Be well,
Kim V. Callahan
Principal



GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

It's a little ironic that I am writing a reflection entitled "GROW and GO." Few plants have survived my black thumb. That's why I love the image of the tree in the reading from Jeremiah. One who trusts in the Lord "is like a tree planted beside the waters that stretches out its roots to the stream; it fears not the heat when it comes; its leaves stay green; in the year of drought it shows no distress, but still bears fruit." These words from Jeremiah are a prophecy of hope, and hope allows us to accompany one another through the hills and valleys (and occasional dead plants) of our lives. We can become a source of hope to others by praying for and with one another and encouraging them on their own journeys of faith. In doing so, we help one another tap into the ultimate source of hope - the God who loves us.

Holy Hour

The Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a Holy Hour in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus on **Tuesday, February 15th at 7:00 P.M.** in the church. All are invited to attend.

Feast of St. Blaise



February Calendar of Events

- February 16: Peacemaker awards for "Honesty"
- February 17: Evening Parent/Teacher Conferences
More details to follow
- February 18: Parent/ Teacher Conferences
No School / Daycare Open - More details to follow
- February 21: President's Day
No School / No Daycare



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

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|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| December 19th | March 20 th |
| January 30th | April 24 th |
| February 20 th | May 15 th |



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

First Communion Classes

Tues, Feb. 15th & Tues, March 15th

6:30 PM in the Church



First Reconciliation

Wednesday, February 23rd @ 6:30 PM

Parents: Don't forget to schedule your child's interview:
February 14th – 21st

FORMED

Our parish has a subscription to FORMED, a premier online platform filled with over 4,000 Catholic studies, and even cartoons for our children. You have easy access to all of the material on FORMED to support your own faith journey and that of your family members. To gain access to all of FORMED's content, follow these simple steps:

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

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.

CTK's Annual Vacation Bible School

Monday, July 18th to Friday, July 22nd

9:15 a.m. to 12 noon – Ages 4 to 11



VBS Planning Meeting

Thursday, February 17th @ 7 PM

Our 1st planning meeting will be held on Thursday, February 17th at 7 p.m. in Ashland House. The theme will be decided on at the meeting and roles assigned.

Adult and teen volunteers are needed.



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:

February 13th – Confirmation Class / No Youth Group

February 27th – Scout Mass & Mardi Gras Party

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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For more information, please contact Alicia at

757-627-6748 or visit their website:

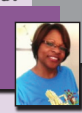
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