

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: Thursday by 3:30 p.m.

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 I forou are maxing.

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 July 4th TO July 10th

Monday, 7/4	8:30 a.m.	Lea Charron (L)
Tuesday, 7/5	8:30 a.m.	John Cradic (D)
Wednesday, 7/6	8:30 a.m.	
Thursday, 7/7	8:30 a.m.	Francis Kenneth Ormand (D)
Friday, 7/8	8:30 a.m.	
Saturday, 7/9	8:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	
Sunday, 7/10	8:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. (Livestream) 5:00 p.m.	Intentions of Parishioners Debbie Thompson (D) Francis Kenneth Ormand (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.

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 \$150 but other options include cut flowers and plants.



Please keep our **sick & homebound parishioners** in your prayers. If you know someone in need, please contact our office.



Liturgical Ministers for July 9 th & 10 th					
	Saturday, 7/9	Sunday, July 10 th			
	5:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM	5:00 PM	
Altar Serv. 1	J. Litkowski	O. Okobi	H. Gonzalez	E. Luettel	
Altar Serv. 2	x	G. McIntyre-Stevens	x	R. Vicente	
Altar Serv. 3	x	x	x	x	
Child. Lit. 1	x	x	C. Richey	х	
Child. Lit. 2	x	x	D. Fogle	х	
Eucharistic	x	x	х	х	
Reader 1			C. George	E. Hunley	
Reader 2				S. Killian	
Usher 1	C. Rannigan	T. Duncan	P. Daugherty	K. Brink	
Usher 2	J. Fellowes	G. Duncan	E. Webb	P. Brink	
Livestream	х	x	J. Ficca	х	

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time July 10th, 2022

Deuteronomy 30:10 – 14 Psalm 69:14, 17, 30 – 31, 36, 37 Colossians 1:15 – 20 Luke 10:25 – 37

Scriptures are # 1136 in Hymnal.

Vocations Awareness

"What must I do to inherit eternal life?"
Faithfulness to one's vocation is essential to holiness. Is yours to be a priest?
Call the Vocations Office, (804) 359-5661, to speak with Fr. Brian Capuano; or write to vocations@richmonddiocese.org

Altar Flowers for July 4th

The flowers on the altar for the weekend of July 3rd were donated in celebration of Janet Ficca's mom, Lea Charron, on her 79th birthday!

Chairs in the Church Commons

Please leave the chairs in the Commons for parents with small children who need to step out of Mass.

Everyone is encouraged to join us inside the sanctuary for Mass so you can fully participate.

If you arrive late, our ushers will be happy to help you find a seat during an appropriate moment during the Mass.

THIS WEEK AT CTK

Independence Day Mass	7/4	8:30 AM	Church	
Independence Day – Office Closed	7/4	All Day		
Cleaning Team #2	7/5	9:00 AM	Church	
International Choir Practice	7/6	6:45 PM	Church	
Cantor / Choir Practice	7/7	6:30 / 7:00 PM	Church	
Virtual Rosary	7/7	7:00 PM	via phone (757-551-6414)	
Spirit of God Prayer Group	7/7	7:00 PM	Church Commons	
Circulo d'Oracione	7/8	7:00 PM	Church Commons	
Legion of Mary	7/9	2:00 PM	Ashland House	
Baptism Preparation Class (Must have registered by July 1 to attend))	7/10	1:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Church	
Youth Mass / Youth Group	7/10	5:00 PM / 6:15 PM	Church / Ashland House	



Reserve your Tickets by July 10th for Our Annual Faith & Family Night @ The Tides

^r Tuesday, August 2nd @ 6 PM

Mrs. Ficca will be at all Masses this weekend and next to take orders. Tickets are \$11 each for reserve seats. Make checks payable to Christ the King.

St. Columba Ecumenical Ministries

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

During the Month of July, we will be collecting: Bottled Water

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

July Special Collections:

Budget Deficit & Capital Improvements All Online Giving (including special collections) can be done directly at: <u>https://osvhub.com/christthekingnorfolk/giving/funds</u>

the U.S. Supreme Court Ruling on Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization

Click here to read

Bishop Knestout's statement following

Annual Diocesan Appeal Update

Only 55 families have donated to the Appeal this year. We need just \$185 to make our goal of \$18,050!

To donate, go to: <u>https://richmondcatholicfoundation.org/appeal-2/</u>



Стк's *Legíon of Mary*

meets Saturdays at 2:00 PM in the Ashland House.

For more details, contact Tess Rozelle <u>theroze0305@aol.com</u> New members are always welcome!



It's Time to Renew or Sign-Up!

If you are interested in renewing or starting a subscription to **Magnificat or MagnifiKid!**, please email Mrs. Ficca (<u>faith@christthekingnorfolk.org</u>) by **July 24th.** Payment is due by August 21st.

1 Year Magnificat Subscriptions are: \$36 for English / \$40 for Spanish

1 Year MagnifiKid Subscriptions are: \$25 – 5 to 9 subscriptions



July 3, 2022 | Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 66:10-14c | Gal 6:14-18 | Lk 10:1-12, 17-20

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

So what comes to mind when you imagine your dream road trip? A well-planned route with scenic stops, nice hotels, good restaurants and quirky sights along the way? Jesus may be my copilot, but given his words in today's Gospel I'm not sure I'd want him to be my travel agent! As he sends the 72 ahead of him, he gives them no illusions about the mission that lies ahead: "Go on your way; behold, I am sending you like lambs among wolves. Carry no money bag, no sack, no sandals." Settle for the first house that welcomes you, regardless of the amenities. Eat and drink whatever they offer. Give those you encounter a greeting of peace and remind them the kingdom of God is at hand. As always, Jesus gives these travelers all they will need to share the Good News with others. They return rejoicing! The early disciples refute my "travel agent" doubts, as they show us by example to place our trust in God and take nothing for the journey except our faith and the guidance of the Holy Spirit. In doing so, we can rest assured that our "names are written in heaven."

GO EVANGELIZE PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

I'm a planner. When we went to Disney World, my sons split off from me after I unveiled an app that would show us exactly which ride or attraction to hit based on crowd numbers, time of day and other variables. I loved that app! So had I been one of the 72 we read about today appointed by Jesus to spread the Gospel in pairs, hopefully my companion would not have abandoned me because of my insistence on planning. Ultimately, our journey of faith – as we share it with others and walk toward the kingdom ourselves – is not something we can choreograph. The more we plan and the more baggage we carry, the less likely we are to hear God's voice cutting through the noise. By stripping away the nonessentials, we can place our trust in the Lord, who will show us the right path. When we place our lives in the service of the Lord, the harvest will be abundant.

PRAY Many U.S. dioceses will be welcoming newly ordained priests this month. Pray for them as they begin their ministry, and pray for more vocations.

Greetings Parents and Parishioners,

Summer camp has already been jam-packed with fun activities this summer! From arts and crafts to cooking with Miss Linda to camp field trips. Our campers also can't wait to start swimming with Katie's Kickers!

The school will be closed the week of July 4-8 to give our camper staff and administration some muchdeserved time off, but the school office will be open from 9 AM - 3 PM on Tuesday – Friday of that week. Please feel free to call or stop by during these times if there is anything you may need.

As always, please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. Stay safe, well, and cool!

Kim V. Callahan Principal Christ the King Catholic School



It's BINGO time here at CTK camp! Our campers are having great time!



Register by July 31st to save \$500!



Register today for World Youth Day! https://evangelizerichmond.org/events/world-youth-day-2023 July 24-August 7, 2023





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:

July 10th - Get Ready for VBS Game Night July 18th-22nd - Vacation Bible School July 21st-24th - Quo Vadis Young Men's Camp July 24th - Movie Night / Post VBS Party August 2nd - Faith & Family Night @ The Tides August 3rd-5th - Discipleship Week August 6th - EPIC August 14th - Ashland House Service Project



Quo Vadis is a two-night camping experience for rising **10th graders through graduated seniors** that involves the celebration of Mass, adoration, other prayer opportunities, fellowship, and outdoor recreation to include: swimming, boating, and some surprise activities.

If you are a young man who would like to embrace your faith and spend a little time with other young men, seminarians, priests and the Lord, please speak to Fr. Joe or Mrs. Ficca as soon as possible.

https://ofe.regfox.com/2022-quo-vadis



All adults (including volunteers) who work with our children and / or vulnerable adults must be VIRTUS certified.

Classes are offered both in-person and virtually. Contact Janet Ficca or Cindy Nettleton for more information or register online at: https://richmonddiocese.org/child_protection_virtus/



Catechists Needed for ALL levels!

Next year we would like to go back to having Faith Formation **every Sunday from 9:40 to 10:45 AM** for ALL ages – PreK to Grade 12 & Adults (RCIA)! In order to make this work, we need everyone's help! Please prayerfully consider if God is calling you to share your faith with others. Training will be provided!



11 AM Mass Ages 3 to 6

- Virtus trained adult volunteers are needed.
- Please contact Patty Brink (757) 627-0152 or Janet Ficca to volunteer.

More Oportunities to Serve

Livestreaming – Please consider helping with livestreaming our 11:00 AM Mass. If we can get a 4-5 people, it would only be once a month. Training and step-by-step directions will be provided.

Parish Council – Please prayerfully consider becoming a part of Parish Council. Anyone interested should contact the church office to speak to Fr. Joe.

Grounds Ministry – Our Grounds Ministry Team could use some extra hands with both lawn maintenance and gardening. If you can't help on Saturday mornings, you can come anytime during the week.

Maintenance – We are in need of a few handymen with carpentery and basic repair skills to help us maintain our buildings, especially Ashland House.

Children's Liturgy – Ministers are needed to share the Gospel with our little ones during the 11 AM Sunday Mass. Training and materials are provided.

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

