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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. 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 and 11:00 a.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 OCTOBER 17th to 23rd

Monday, 10/17		No Mass	
Tuesday, 10/18	8:30 a.m.	Francesca & Mary (D)	
Wednesday, 10/19	8:30 a.m.	Evie Standle (L)	
Thursday, 10/20	8:30 a.m.	Tony Ficca (L)	
Friday, 10/21	8:30 a.m.	Francesca & Mary (D)	
Saturday, 10/22	8:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	No Mass Intentions of Parishioners	
Sunday,10/23	8:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. (Livestream)	David Fautua (L) Francesca & Mary (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.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time October 23rd, 2022

Sirach 35:12 – 14, 16 – 18 Psalm 34:2 – 3, 17 – 19, 23 2 Timothy 4:6 – 8, 16 – 18 Luke 18:9 – 14

Scriptures are # 1181 in Hymnal.

Vocations Awareness

"Beloved: Remain faithful to what you have learned and believed."

Are you being called to teach the word of God as a priest?

Call the Vocations Office, (804) 359-5661, to speak with Fr. Brian Capuano; or write to vocations@richmonddiocese.org

CTK's Legion of Mary

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

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



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.

Liturgical Ministers for October 22 nd & 23 rd					
	Saturday 10/22	Sunday, October 23 rd			
	5:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM		
Altar Serv. 1	A. Litkowski	R. Vicente	T. Satchivi		
Altar Serv. 2	E & E Luettel	K. Okobi			
Child. Lit. 1	x	х	Kathy Rivera		
Child. Lit. 2	x	х	A. Webb		
Eucharistic	M. Agnese	A. Okobi	J. Womack		
Reader 1	C. Goodwyn	E. Hunley	S. Brown		
Reader 2		B. Okobi	V. Satchivi		
Usher 1	C. Rannigan	T. Duncan	P. Daugherty		
Usher 2	J. Fellowes	G. Duncan	E. Webb		
Livestream 1	х	х	H. Luettel		
Livestream 2	х	х	J. Ficca		

All Saints' Day is Tuesday, November 1st

We will have Mass @ 8:30 AM and at 7:00 PM (livestreamed).

All Souls' Day is Wednesday, November 2nd

We will have Mass @ 8:30 AM (livestreamed) and a prayer service with Vespers at the Columbarium at 7:00 PM.

Thanksgiving is Thursday, November 24th

We will have Mass @ 8:30 AM and it will be livestreamed.



THIS WEEK AT CTK

Cub Scouts / Boy Scouts	10/17	6:30 PM / 7:00 PM	Ashland House / School
Cleaning Team #2	10/18	9:00 AM	Church
Finance Committee Meeting	10/18	7:00 PM	via Zoom
International Choir Practice	10/19	6:45 PM	Church
What Catholics Believe (RCIA)	10/19	7:00 PM	Ashland House
Virtual Rosary	10/20	7:00 PM	via phone (757-551-6414)
Spirit of God Prayer Group	10/20	7:00 PM	Church Commons
Circulo d'Oracione	10/21	7:00 PM	Church Commons
TMIY (That Man is You)	10/22	6:00 AM	Church Commons
EMHC Training	10/22	9:30 AM	Church Commons
Legion of Mary	10/22	2:00 PM	Ashland House
Faith Formation – PK3 to Grade 5	10/23	9:45 AM	Ashland House
Faith Formation – Grs. 6 to 12	10/23	12:15 PM	Ashland House

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

If you are interested in becoming or continuing as an EMHC, please contact Deacon Brown at Michael.brown@christthekingnorfolk.org.

The next training will be held on Saturday, October 22nd @ 9:30 AM.

All young adults in the Tidewater area are invited to



October 27th - Trivia Night

November 17th

Guest Speaker: Fr. Joe Wamala

7 to 9 PM

Vibrant Shores Brewing Company 505 18th Street Virginia Beach, VA 23451



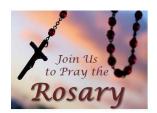
St. Columba Ecumenical Ministries

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

During the **Month of October**, we will be collecting:

coffee

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



Rosary Before Mass

The Knights of Columbus will lead the Rosary 30 minutes before all weekend Masses during the month of October. All are welcome to join them.

YOUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH

Number of families contributing to operating income during the month of September: 133 out of 330

Month of September 2022

Year-To-Date Budget Needed \$ 92,352.50 YTD Actual Receipts Received 66,139.52 YTD Budget Deficit \$ (26,212.98)

October Special Collections:

Budget Deficit & Capital Improvements
World Missions

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

https://osvhub.com/christthekingnorfolk/giving/funds

Capital Improvement Collection for September - \$1,392.00



October 16, 2022 | Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ex 17:8-13 | 2 Tm 3:14-4:2 | Lk 18:1-8

Written by THE FAITHFUL DISCIPLE

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

We're all familiar with the refrain to pray without ceasing. It starts with Moses, who keeps his hands raised with the staff of God while war waged against Israel. It carries over to the Apostles, and St. Paul gives Timothy the exhortation to "be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient." Jesus affirms in the parable of the persistent widow how important it is "to pray always without becoming weary." As Christians, we understand the importance of prayer, but to pray always and constantly? Especially in today's world filled with distractions, this seems like an impossible task. Even Moses grew weary! But persistence is the name of the game in prayer. When prayer becomes difficult and no longer flows, we, like Moses receiving support to keep his hands steady until the battle was won, can receive support from the Holy Spirit. We simply must push forward and ask for help because Christ assures us God will "secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night."

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Prayer does not only consist of mental or vocal pleas to God; rather, it includes praise and thanksgiving and petition, all of which can be offered through simply living. We can consecrate our daily actions and offer them up to God as a living prayer: dropping the kids off at school with a special blessing in Christ's name to conquer the day; biting our tongue and inviting the Holy Spirit into a situation when dealing with a difficult person; or sitting at the dinner table filled with thanksgiving for our food and family. Prayer then isn't something we simply do, it is something we *live*.

PRAY Choose an action that will serve as a trigger to encourage you to pray. Do you hear sirens as you're heading to work? Say a "Hail Mary" for those who may be in harm's way. Are you scrolling through social media and find a friend sharing their struggle? Offer a quick prayer for their need. Train yourself to pray – something as simple as, "Lord Jesus have mercy on (N.)" or "Lord look graciously upon their need" – and you'll find yourself praying without even thinking about it.

Greetings, parishioners, families, and friends!

I feel like we are falling into a nice rhythm with our daily routines and student expectations, and I hope this momentum continues as we move toward the end of the first nine weeks. We had our first round of conferences last week and will continue these the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month. Please reach out to Ms. Leeth by Monday at noon to schedule for Wednesday. If you have questions or concerns about any of your student's classes, don't hesitate to contact the teacher and schedule a time to talk.

Thank you to our school nurse, Ms. Canty, for keeping our students healthy and ready for learning with our flu shot clinic and vision and hearing screenings for students.

In the coming weeks, we will have a schedule for basketball games. We invite you to attend and cheer on CTK!

We still have our always fun and exciting Trunk or Treat celebration. There will be a DJ and a contest for the best-decorated trunk. For more information, to sign up for your car or make a treat donation, please e-mail CTK's PTO at pto@ctkparish.org. It will surely be a spooky time! Until next week!

Kim V. Callahan, Principal Christ the King Catholic School

October Events

- 20 End of 1st Quarter
- 21 Student / Teacher Holiday No School / Daycare open
- 20 Girls Volleyball Game 4:30 p.m. @ St. Matthews
- 25 Girls Volleyball Game 6:00 p.m. Home
- 28 1st Quarter Report cards issued
- 28 Trunk or Treat 6:30 8:00 p.m. CTK parking lot





During the month of November, the Church especially remembers all those who have died. She commends the souls to God who gave witness to their faith and their belief in the future resurrection with Jesus Christ.

During the month of November, the BOOK OF THE NAMES OF THE DEAD will be on the long table in the Commons. All are invited to write the names of any family member or friend who has died on the pages of the book.

During the Universal Prayer/Prayer of the Faithful, we will pray each week for all those whose names are inscribed in the book. We hope that seeing the names will help us to recall the lives of our faithful departed and so add their individual prayers to those who have lost a loved one. May God grant all the faithful departed Eternal Life in Heaven with the Trinity and the Communion of the Saints.

On **Wednesday**, **November 2nd – All Souls Day** – we especially remember all parish members who have died during the past year: **Roger Barnes**, **Rita Buck**, **Patricia Cupp**, **Bill Elings**, **Nancy Inman**, **Samuel Johnson**, and **Stephen Wheeler**

Upcoming Youth Group Events

ALL public and Catholic school students in middle & high school (Grades 6 to 12) are welcome.

- Sun, Oct 16th Confirmation Class @ 1:30 PM
- Sun, Oct 23rd Youth Mass @ 8:30 AM
- Mon, Oct 31st All Saints Party @ 6 PM
- Sun, Nov 6th Confirmation Class @ 1:30 PM
- Sun, Nov 13th Youth Mass @ 11 AM
 - Youth Group @ 12:15 PM



Classes meet as follows:

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

October 2, 9, 16 & 23 November 6, 13 & 20 December 4, 11

Grades 6 to 12: Sundays, 12:15 to 1:30 PM

(bring a lunch) October 2, 16, & 23 November 6 & 20 December 4

Youth Group: 2nd Sunday of the Month 12:15 to 2:30 PM (lunch provided) October 9th

November 13th December 11th

Confirmation Classes: 1st Sunday of the Month

1:30 to 3:00 PM

October 16th - Make-Up Class

November 6th December 4th

What We Believe

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All are welcome to join us on **Wednesday** nights for **What Catholics Believe** (formerly RCIA) from **7 to 8:30 PM** in Ashland House.

All Saints Party

Monday, October 31st - 6 to 7:30 PM



Looking for an alternative to Trick or Treating on Halloween?

Then join us for our 1st All Saints Party. We will have food, games, crafts and plenty of candy!

Please come dressed as your favorite saint.

RSVP to Mrs. Ficca by **Thursday, October 27**th.



Fiat Days Retreat Roslyn Retreat Center December 2nd – 4th

A Retreat for Girls to Flourish!

The goal of Fiat Days is to bring high school aged women together who desire to grow in faithful discipleship and personal holiness to be better able to discover their own vocation from the Lord, with a special focus on the call to religious life.

Fiat Days is open to all **9th-12th grade girls**. Registration for Fiat closes **Sunday**, **November 6**. Go to: https://evangelizerichmond.org/events/fiat-days/

to learn more or contact Mrs. Ficca

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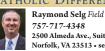
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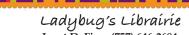
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