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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 3:00 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

## ANOIDING 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 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 JUNE 19 TO JUNE 25**

Monday, 6/19		No Mass
Tuesday, 6/20	8:30 a.m.	No Mass
Wednesday, 6/21	8:30 a.m.	No Mass
Thursday, 6/22	8:30 a.m.	Francesca & Mary (D)
Friday, 6/23	8:30 a.m.	Kenneth Fowler (D)
Saturday, 6/24	8:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	No Mass Intentions of Parishioners
Sunday, 6/25	8:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. (Livestream)	Ceazar Malonzo (D) Michael Hervey (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 \$100 to \$150 but other options include cut flowers and plants.

## Next Sunday's Readings

### 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

**June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

Jeremiah 20:10 – 13  
Psalm 69:8 – 10, 14, 17, 33 – 35  
Romans 5:12 – 15  
Matthew 10:26 – 33

**Scriptures are # 1125 in Hymnal.**

## Vocations Awareness

“The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few.”

Are you ready to labor for the harvest?

Call Father Brian Capuano at  
804-359-5661 or email him at

[vocations@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:vocations@richmonddiocese.org)

## *Birthright Baby Bottle Drive*

Many thanks to all who donated to our Annual Bottle Drive. We've raised over \$1500 to date! Your generosity will be a blessing to many.

Rebecca Hryniewicz, Director

## *St. Columba Ecumenical Ministries*

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Bottled Water                      Coffee (large canisters)  
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or visit their website: [www.stcolumbaministries.com](http://www.stcolumbaministries.com)



**Save the Date!**

**Tues, July 25<sup>th</sup>**

**@ 6:35 PM**

Contact Janet Ficca by  
**July 10<sup>th</sup>**

to reserve your seats!  
Tickets are \$12 each.

## Liturgical Ministers for June 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>

	Saturday, 6/24	Sunday, June 25 <sup>th</sup>	
	5:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
<b>Altar Serv. 1</b>	Eva Luettel	S. Stevens	P. Onwubunta
<b>Altar Serv. 2</b>	I. Clark	K. Okobi	J. Satchivi
<b>Altar Serv. 3</b>	x	x	x
<b>Child. Lit. 1</b>	x	x	K. Rivera
<b>Child. Lit. 2</b>	x	x	A. Webb
<b>Eucharistic</b>	M. Agnese	G. Duncan	A. Vitug
<b>Reader 1</b>	J. Ficca	Reader Needed	C. Goodwyn
<b>Reader 2</b>	Reader Needed	Reader Needed	V. Satchivi
<b>Usher 1</b>	C. Rannigan	T. Duncan	P. Daugherty
<b>Usher 2</b>	J. Fellowes	G. Duncan	E. Webb
<b>Livestream</b>	x	x	E. Hunley

## Children's Liturgy of the **Word**

- **1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays** of each month at the **8:30 AM Mass**
- **11 AM Mass** will continue to have Children's Liturgy at every Mass through **June 25<sup>th</sup>**.
- In **July & August**, both Masses will have it on the **1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays** only.

**We still need more volunteers at both Masses!**

- Please contact Janet Ficca at (757) 646-2684 or through the office for more info and / or to volunteer.



## THIS WEEK AT CTK

Confirmation 2024 Meeting	6/18	12:15 PM	Church
Vacation Bible School Planning Meeting	6/19	6:00 PM	Ashland House
Boy Scouts	6/19	7:00 PM	School
Cleaning Team #2	6/20	9:00 AM	Church
Finance Committee Meeting	6/20	7:00 PM	Conference Room
Legion of Mary	6/20	7:15 PM	Ashland House
Becoming Catholic (OCIA)	6/21	7:00 PM	Ashland House
Walking in Faith	6/22	7:00 PM	Ashland House
Virtual Rosary	6/22	7:00 PM	via phone (57-551-6414)
Spirit of God Prayer Group	6/22	7:00 PM	Church Commons
Circulo d'Oracione	6/23	7:00 PM	Church



### Youth Group Family Cookout

All middle and high school youth and their families are invited to our **1<sup>st</sup> Family Cookout** immediately following the **Youth Mass** on **Sunday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>**.

Please sign-up at:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0549a9ac2da3fc>

[1-youth](#)

by Friday, June 30<sup>th</sup>.

### Annual Diocesan Appeal Update

Many thanks to all who have donated to the annual appeal already! We are getting very close to our goal. If you haven't donated yet, it's not too late! Everyone's participation is needed. No amount is too small.

Thank you in advance for the steps you will take to help our Annual Appeal.

Donate today by scanning the QR code to the right or go to:



<https://richmondatholicfoundation.org/appeal-2/>



### CTK's Legion of Mary

Meets on **Tuesdays @ 7:15 PM**

In Ashland House

For info, contact Tess Rozelle - [theroze0305@aol.com](mailto:theroze0305@aol.com)

New members are always welcome!

### Save the Date!

Our next **Welcome Weekend for New Families** will be **July 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>**.

### YOUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH

Number of families contributing to operating income during the month of May: **140 out of 331**

#### Month of May 2023

Monthly Budget Needed	\$	28,416.15
Actual Receipts Received		<u>22,411.49</u>
Monthly Budget Deficit	\$	<u>(6,004.66)</u>
Year-To-Date Budget Needed	\$	340,993.85
YTD Actual Receipts Received		<u>249,800.77</u>
YTD Budget Deficit	\$	<u>(91,193.08)</u>
Capital Improvement Collection for May - \$878.00		



#### June Special Collections:

Vacation Bible School  
Holy Father (Peter's Pence)  
Budget Deficit  
Capital Improvements

**All Online Giving** (including special collections) can be done by scanning the **QR code** above or by going directly to:

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





June 18, 2023 | Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ex 19:2-6a | Rom 5:6-11 | Mt 9:36-10:8

Written by  
THE  
FAITHFUL  
DISCIPLE

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

As a teenager, I was someone you might call “Suzy high school.” I played sports, was president of my class, had many friends, etc. But there were times I made some bad choices and ended up having to face my parents with the truth. I remember being afraid of what they would think, even wondering if my actions would make them love me less. Thankfully, I was blessed with incredible parents whose loving lessons throughout my life pointed me toward our Father’s love. St. Paul gives us a glimpse of how deep the love of our Father is in the second reading: “But God proves his love for us in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us.” God loves us so completely that even before we approach him to ask for forgiveness, his arms are open wide. Look up at the cross and let that abundant, unending love wash over you. Reflect on what is said in the first reading from the Book of Exodus: “Therefore, if you hearken to my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my special possession, dearer to me than all other people, though all the earth is mine.”

**ACTION** One of the ministries I enjoy contributing to in my area is a Foster Closet. It stocks blankets, clothing, backpacks, toys, and many other products to allow foster children to have quality shopping experiences. If there is one near you, you might find that supporting these vulnerable children is a simple way to let them know they are infinitely worthy of God’s love.

## GO EVANGELIZE

### PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

How can we respond to this great love we have been shown by our heavenly Father? Jesus is pretty clear on this topic, isn’t he? “Love one another as I have loved you.” Not a lot of ambiguity or nuance there. Daunting? Doesn’t need to be. The words of today’s responsorial psalm proclaim: “Know that the Lord is God; he made us, his we are; his people, the flock he tends.” His flock is all of us – including the poor, the depressed, the lonely. Perhaps we can challenge ourselves this summer to step out in service to God’s flock by calling on someone in our own lives who may feel marginalized, frightened, or anxious, and be the hands and feet of our Father to them. Perhaps they do not know the depth of our Father’s love and we can reassure them of this. In today’s Gospel Jesus says: “Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give.” We have been blessed by the sacrifice of the Lamb, and it is our responsibility to share that blessing with others.



**Discipleship Week for 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Graders**  
**August 16<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup>**



**EPIC for Rising 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Graders**  
**Saturday, August 19<sup>th</sup>**

Contact Mrs. Ficca by **July 10<sup>th</sup>** to register!



**Curious about the Catholic Faith?**  
**Want to make your Confirmation?**

**Becoming Catholic** (Adult Formation) is a program for adults and older children who are thinking about becoming Catholic and for adults who never received the Sacraments of Confirmation and Holy Eucharist.

Join us **Wednesdays @ 7 PM in Ashland House**

Contact Mrs. Ficca for more info at  
[faith@christthekingnorfolk.org](mailto:faith@christthekingnorfolk.org)



**Youth Group: 12:15 to 2:30 PM** (lunch provided)

June 18<sup>th</sup> – **Confirmation Meeting @ 12:15 PM**

June 29<sup>th</sup> to July 2<sup>nd</sup> – Quo Vadis Young Men’s Camp

July 2<sup>nd</sup> – Youth Mass @ 11 AM

– **Youth Group Family Cookout @ 12:15 PM**

July 6<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> – Steubenville Atlanta

**Adults (OCIA):** in Ashland House

- **Becoming Catholic** – Wednesdays @ 7 PM  
6/14, 6/21, 6/28, 7/19, 8/2, 8/23, 8/30

- **Walking in Faith** – Thursdays @ 7 PM  
6/15, 6/22, 6/29



## It's time to Register for our annual Vacation Bible School!

**Monday, Aug 7<sup>th</sup> to Friday, Aug 11<sup>th</sup>  
5 to 8:00 PM – ALL Ages**

**Register at: [vbspro.events/p/ctkvbs2023](https://vbspro.events/p/ctkvbs2023)**

Our next planning meeting will be  
**Monday, June 19<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM**

Join us as we go back to Jerusalem this Summer to  
learn about the miracles Jesus did!

### *Retreat Opportunities for Young Adults from the Office for Evangelization*



#### **Ridge: Recent Graduate Retreat**

College graduates in the classes of 2022 and 2023 are  
invited to join us **July 28-29, 2023** at Saint Michael's  
Catholic Church, Richmond.



Young married couples (7 years or less) from  
throughout the Diocese of Richmond are invited to  
participate in our Young Married Couples Retreat at  
Wintergreen Resort on **August 25-26, 2023**.



All single and married young adults ages 18-39 (must  
be post high school) are invited to participate in our  
Annual Young Adult Retreat. The retreat will take place  
**October 27-29, 2023** at the [Ramada Plaza Nags Head](#)  
[Oceanfront](#) on the beach in Kill Devil Hills, NC.

For more info on all of these retreats, go to:  
<https://evangelizerichmond.org/ofe-events>

## **CONFIRMATION 2024 MEETING**

All rising 10<sup>th</sup> graders and up are invited to a **brief**  
meeting **this Sunday, June 18<sup>th</sup>** immediately following  
the 11 AM Mass.

Mrs. Ficca will explain the requirements and  
components of our Confirmation preparation program.

Please RSVP to Mrs. Ficca **by 6/15** if you plan to  
prepare for Confirmation this year.

## **Youth Group @ Adventure Park**

**Day Climb – Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup> – 10 AM to 1 PM**

Leave CTK @ 9 a.m. – Return @ 2:00 p.m.

Cost \$35 – Transportation is available



**Night Climb – Thursday, July 20<sup>th</sup> – 6 PM to 9 PM**

Leave CTK @ 5 p.m. – Return @ 10 PM

Cost \$35 – Transportation is available

**R.S.V.P. by July 10<sup>th</sup> to Mrs. Ficca**



**Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate  
Conception, Washington, D.C.  
Saturday, October 21, 2023**

Join Bishop Knestout and faithful from across the  
Commonwealth for a pilgrimage focused on the source  
and summit of our faith, the Eucharist. Pilgrims will be  
invited to talks, tours, Eucharistic Procession,  
Adoration, Music and Mass with Bishop Knestout.

**Registration for this free event is now open and  
transportation will be offered from each vicariate.**

The Eucharistic focus of this pilgrimage supports the  
ongoing, nationwide [Eucharistic Revival](#). This  
pilgrimage will offer resources in multiple languages.

For more information and to sign-up, go to:

<https://evangelizerichmond.org/events/diocesan-pilgrimage/>



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