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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

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 14th TO 20th

Monday, 10/14		No Mass		
Tuesday, 10/15	8:30 a.m.	Elaine & Lloyd Held (D)		
Wednesday,10/16	8:30 a.m.	Gloria Aguila (D)		
Thursday, 10/17	8:30 a.m.	Linda & Clyde Enmon (D)		
Friday, 10/18	8:30 a.m.	June & Kevin Champlain (D)		
Saturday, 10/19	8:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	Kaosi Okobi (L) Libio & Patricia Macatagnay (L)		
Sunday, 10/20	8:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. (Livestream)	Intentions of Parishioners Evelyn Standle (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.

Flowers:

If you would like to have flowers placed in the church in memory of a loved one, please contact Cassandra Goodwyn at (757) 544-8915. Full arrangements range from \$100 to \$175.



CTK's Legion of Mary

Meets on **Tuesdays at 7:15 PM** in Ashland House. For more details, contact Tess Rozelle at theroze0305@aol.com.

New members are always welcome!

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 20th, 2024

Isaiah 53:10 – 11 Psalm 33:4 – 5, 18 – 20, 22 Hebrews 4:14 – 16

Mark 10:35 - 45

Scriptures are #1177 in the Hymnal.

Vocations Awareness

Deacon Sunday

"What must I do to inherit eternal life?" Pray for those men who serve us as deacons.

By answering a call to the diaconate, a man seeks to follow Jesus' path by serving and enriching the lives of others.

If you are called to the serve as a deacon, speak with your pastor or contact the Office of the Diaconate.



ALL adult volunteers must now be VIRTUS certified and background checks are done yearly. If you need help updating your account, contact Janet Ficca. New volunteers can register online at:

https://richmonddiocese.org/child protection virtus/

Liturgical	Parish Mission		Weekend Liturgies		
Ministers	Tuesday, 10/15	Wednesday, 10/16	Saturday, 10/19	turday, 10/19 Sunday, Oct	
	5:30 p.m.	5:30 p.m.	5:30 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Altar Serv.1	S. Stevens	M. Everett	J. Litkowski	G. Stevens	R. Adenka
Altar Serv. 2	x	х	x	x	x
Altar Serv. 3	x	x	x	x	x
Child. Lit. 1	x	х	Х	x	O. Hryniewich
Child. Lit. 2	x	x	x	x	C. Richey
EMHC-Bread	x	х	C. Burch	x	x
EMHC-Cup 1	x	x	M. Agnese	A. Okobi	M. Lopez (ASC)
EMHC-Cup 2	x	x		T. Wright	A. Vitug
Reader 1	Reader needed	S. Brown	C. Burch	C. Okobi	S. Brown
Reader 2	x	х	Reader needed	S. Okobi	F. Sama
Usher 1	K. Brink	T. Duncan	C. Rannigan	T. Duncan	T. Womack
Usher 2	P. Brink	G. Duncan	J. Fellowes	G. Duncan	S. Matrosky
Livestream	x	х	х	x	J. Ficca



THIS WEEK AT CTK

Children's Choir Practice	10/13	12:15 PM	Church
Regional Youth Event	10/13	6:00 PM	St. Mark's
Cub Scouts / Boy Scouts	10/14	6:30 PM / 7:00 PM	Ashland House / School
Cleaning Team #2	10/15	9:00 AM	Church
Parish Mission – Confessions, Mass & Talk	10/15	4:30 PM - 8:00 PM	Church
Parish Mission – Confessions, Mass & Talk	10/16	4:30 PM - 8:00 PM	Church
Virtual Rosary	10/17	7:00 PM	via Phone (757)551-6414
Scout Committee Meeting	10/17	7:30 PM	Ashland House
Wedding Rehearsal	10/18	5:00 PM	Church
That Man Is You (TMIY)	10/19	6:00 AM	Church Commons
Wedding	10/19	2:00 PM	Church
Faith Formation PreK – Gr. 5	10/20	9:45 AM	Ashland House
Children's Choir Practice	10/20	12:15 PM	Church
Faith Formation Gr. 6 – 12	10/20	12:30 PM	Ashland House

MUSIC MINISTRY

Singers and instrumentalists are always welcome to "get your notes on" for weekend masses.

With our **75th Anniversary Jubilee** coming up, this is a great time to get involved with the CTK music program!

- Adult rehearsals are every Wednesday at 7 PM (except October 16).
- Children's Choir meets right after 11:00 Mass on Sundays.

Join us and make music joyfully to God. "He who sings prays twice." Contact BJ Atkinson for full details.

We would like to thank everyone that helped with Doug in anyway after the 8:30 Mass last Sunday! Thank you also for all of your prayers.

- Germaine Wilson

SAVE THE DATE!

Our 75th Anniversary Mass & Dinner will be held on Sunday, November 24th at 3 PM.

Tickets will go on sale next week.

Holy Communion - Part 2

Role of Priest and Extraordinary Ministers

The reception of Holy Communion at Mass is "the source and summit of the Christian Life" (CCC 1324).

This is part 2 of a three-part series on Holy Communion. This week we will focus on how to receive this most precious sacrament. Next week we will discuss how to prepare for the sacrament and who can receive it.

As active, participating Catholics in the Mass, we have several choices that we can make as we go up to receive Holy Communion. The choices you make are personal and do not have to be justified to anyone. All are equally correct per Church teachings and documents.

We can choose whether to receive the sacrament in our hands or on the tongue. The most common form, since Vatican II, is in the hands. You also have the option of receiving the Precious Blood from a shared chalice.

Most choose to remain standing when receiving the sacrament, but you do have the option of kneeling. Please be mindful not to trip the person behind you if you choose to kneel.

And lastly, there are some who prefer to receive the Precious Body from the priest or deacon rather than an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion. If that is your preference, exit your pew and walk to the back of the church and join the line leading to one of these two ministers.

And remember, "That more perfect form of participation in the Mass whereby the faithful, after the priest's communion, receive the Lord's Body from the same sacrifice, is warmly recommended" (CCC 1288).



October 13, 2024 | Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 7:7-11 | Heb 4:12-13 | Mk 10:17-30

Written by THE FAITHFUL DISCIPLE

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

All this talk about wisdom in today's readings ... why should we care? Born of a familiarity with the heart of God, wisdom is a virtue that grants us discernment to know right from wrong and to follow God's plan. It is so important to the life of the disciple that it is a gift given to us by the Holy Spirit. In our first reading from – notice – the Book of Wisdom, the author, likely expressing the sentiments of King Solomon, praises and esteems wisdom above everything else. Prized over money, health, or beauty, wisdom brings together "all good things." If wisdom is so valuable, we must follow Solomon's lead and seek it. Where do we find wisdom? In the second reading from Hebrews, we learn that we can seek wisdom in the word of God. God's word penetrates "between soul and spirit" and is "able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart." Therefore, immersing ourselves in God's word allows us to discern between right and wrong and choose the path most pleasing to God.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

We become familiar with God's word by reading Scripture and by turning to him in prayer. Prayer, Scripture, and the sacraments are living encounters with Jesus through which we get to know the wisdom of his heart. Still, we are faced with many distractions along the way. What distracts us? Like the rich man in our Gospel, are we distracted by wealth? Or does our desire for health or beauty keep us from the wisdom of God? Although countless temptations in our world can draw us away from pursuing God's wisdom, if we remain close to God, we invite him to help us in our weakness. As Jesus assures his disciples in the Gospel, we can be confident in God's help: "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." If we seek him and place our trust in him, our lives will begin to reflect his wisdom and communicate it to the world.

ACT Like Solomon, we, too, can pray for wisdom. Read Scripture prayerfully, asking God to help you understand his Word and grant you the gift of wisdom. When you come across Scripture verses that are especially meaningful to you, write them out and put them in prominent places in your home. This will help you keep God's word ever before you.

St. Columba Ecumenical Ministries

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

In October, we will be collecting: coffee.

For more information, please contact

Alicia at

757-627-6748 or visit their website: www.stcolumbaministries.com



Congratulations to Tony & Ginny Duncan – the Knights of Columbus August 2024 Family of the Month!

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YOUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH

Number of families contributing to the operating income during the month of September: 133 out of 323

Month of September 2024

Monthly Budget Needed \$ 38,140.48
Actual Receipts Received 29,539.24
Monthly Budget Deficit \$ (8,601.24)

Year-To-Date Budget Needed \$ 99,165.25

Capital Improvement Collection for September - \$812



October Special Collections:

World Mission Sunday, Hurricane Relief, Budget Deficit and Capital Improvement

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





Were Not Our Hearts Burning?
The Road to Emmaus and the Liturgy of the Word

Wednesday, October 16, 2024

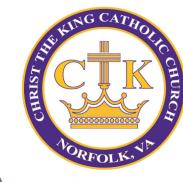
I Have Desired to Eat This Passover: The Last Supper and the Liturgy of the Eucharist

> 4:30 PM - Confessions 5:30 PM - Mass 7:00 PM - Mission Talk

All parishioners are asked to bring finger foods to share.



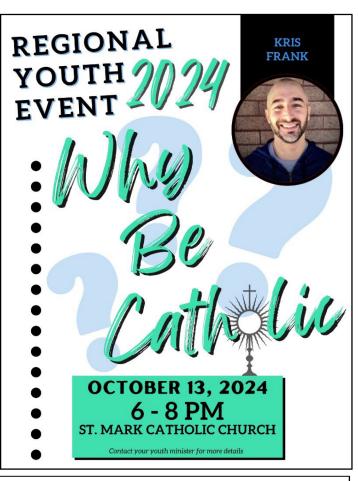
Fr. Innocent Smith, O.P., is Visiting Assistant Professor of Dogmatic Theology and Pastoral Studies at the Dominican House of Studies, Washington, DC. After undergraduate studies in music and philosophy at the University of Notre Dame, he entered the Order of Preachers in 2008 and was ordained priest in 2015. Fr. Innocent served in parish ministry for several years before completing a doctorate in liturgical studies at the University of Regensburg in 2021. In Washington, Fr. Innocent teaches courses on liturgy, preaching, and pastoral ministry in addition to travelling widely to give lectures, retreats, and workshops on liturgy and sacred music.



During the month of October, all are encouraged to make an extra effort to pray the rosary. Please color this page when you do and return it to church so we can add your intentions this month.

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2025 Jubilee: The Holy Year

A Pilgrimage to Rome & Assisi July 23-31, 2025

Become "Pilgrims of Hope" during the Holy Year 2025.
Join a pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi, experiencing some of the most fascinating religious sites and relics in the world. Take part in the Jubilee, a tradition with biblical roots and re-established in AD 1300. Renew your Faith and join the multitudes of pilgrims who have been traveling to Rome for centuries for the chance to receive the plenary indulgence.

Discover why Italy is a bastion of Catholicism as you visit Rome's Seven Pilgrim Churches and the Catacombs. Attend the weekly Papal audience and receive the blessing given by the Pope. Spend time at the Basilica of St. Francis in Assisi, the beloved saint's hometown.

To learn more about this trip, contact Janet Ficca at faith@christthekingnorfolk.org





- ➤ Oct 13th No morning classes
 - Youth Mass @ 11 AM
 - Regional Youth Event @ 6:00 PM

All Middle & High School Faith Formation students & Confirmation Candidates are expected to attend!

- Oct 15th & 16th Parish Mission
- ➤ Oct 20th PreK to Grade 5 @ 9:45 AM
 - Grades 6 to 12 @ 12:30 PM
- ➤ Oct 23rd Opening the Word @ 6:30 PM
- Oct 24th Symbolon Session 5 @ 6:30 PM
- > Oct 26th CTK School Trunk or Treat @ 6:30 PM
- Oct 27th PreK to Grade 5 @ 9:45 AM
- > Oct 30th Opening the Word @ 6:30 PM
- Nov 3rd − PreK to Grade 5 @ 9:45 AM
 - Grades 6 to 12 @ 12:30 PM
- Nov 10th PreK to Grade 5 @ 9:45 AM
 - Youth Mass @ 11:00 AM
 - Confirmation Class @ 12:30 PM

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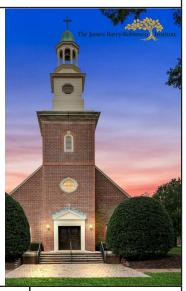
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