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Christ the King Parish



Weekend Mass

Saturday – 4 p.m.

Sunday – 8 a.m., 10 a.m., and 12 Noon

Weekday Mass

Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m.

Confession

Saturdays at 3 p.m. and by appointment

Office Hours

Monday - Friday: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

We welcome you all to be part of our
community!

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Christ the King Mission Statement

*"A Roman Catholic Community of believers: To know God, love Him
and serve Him in this life, modeling his Son, Jesus Christ,
and to be with Him in the next life."*

Mass Intentions for the Week**SATURDAY — August 31 - Blessed Virgin Mary**

4:00 p.m. — Deb Drager

SUNDAY— September 1 - 22nd Sunday Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. — Christ the King Church

10:00 a.m. — John Jaloway

12:00 p.m. — Dorothy and Jerry Solch

MONDAY—September 2 - Labor Day

8:30 a.m. — The Aquila Family

TUESDAY — September 3 - St. Gregory the Great

8:30 a.m. — Bernard Maresh

WEDNESDAY— September 4 - Weekday

8:30 a.m. — Jimmy and Margaret Aranda

THURSDAY— September 5 - Weekday

8:30 a.m. — William Dovalovsky Jr.

FRIDAY — September 6 - Weekday

8:30 a.m.— Liberato Gonzalo

SATURDAY — September 7 - First Saturday

4:00 p.m. — John Wick Sr.

SUNDAY— September 8 - 23rd Sunday Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. — Joseph and Floria Imbrogno

10:00 a.m. — Dorothy Peters

12:00 p.m. — Avelina Villanueva

**THE 2025 MASS BOOK IS NOW OPEN
FROM JANUARY 1 to JUNE 30**

From the Pastor's desk....

This weekend we transition from August to September. Our seasons are moving along, as we know September is considered an Autumn month for us here in the Midwest. With Monday being September 2, it is also the last of the Summer Holidays— Labor Day. We are reminded of the importance of our work. We all have work to do every day. May this work always give greater glory and honor to God. May we also remember to pray for all those who are looking for good work.

Again, please consider coming to celebrate your Catholic Faith on the occasion of our 75th anniversary of our Diocese. Coming up, our special mass with Bishop Hicks will be held in the field house at Montini Catholic High School. This location is actually within our parish boundaries. Do plan on attending Saturday, September 14, at 4:00.

Also, as you have been hearing, and as we have been promoting, we have 2 meetings coming up for the Diocesan Restructuring Process. Mark Saturday, September 28 and Saturday, November 2 on your calendar. We will meet in church with representatives from the Diocese from 9:00-11:00. Information they give us at the first meeting will not be repeated at the second meeting. You are encouraged to attend both meetings.

Peace.....Fr. Jeff

Readings for the Week of September 1, 2024

Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5/Ps 119:97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102/Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14/Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 14-15, 20-21/Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 5:1-11

Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 27-28, 39-40/Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15/Ps 145:17-18, 19-20, 21/Lk 6:1-5

Next Sunday: Is 35:4-7a/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 (1B)/Jas 2:1-5/Mk 7:31-37



**The Parish Office will
be Closed Monday,
September 2, for the
Labor Day Holiday.**



Religious Education

Registration for RE is ongoing. We welcome new students in all grades, first through eighth. Faith formation is an essential ministry of the Church and open to all those who are baptized or wish to be baptized. It doesn't end with the reception of a sacrament but continues just as our faith-life continues. Each year, the children learn more about

the beauty of our faith as they deepen their relationship with God. Parents are the primary educators in matters of faith but our catechists can extend and develop what happens in our homes, the domestic church.

Registration forms can also be found on the parish website under "Formation". You can also email Loretta Crotty at loretta@ctklombard.org to receive one.

Our classes are for students in grades 1 through 8. Grades 1-6 meet on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 7:45 p.m. or on Sundays from 8:45 to 9:45 a.m. Seventh and eighth grade meet only during the Sunday sessions. Classes will begin on Sunday, September 8 and Wednesday, September 11.

Our catechists are devoted to sharing their faith with their students and committed to the ongoing formation of the future of our Church.

Children receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion in second grade but the expectation is that they will attend class for two years; both first and second grade. Confirmation is conferred in eighth grade but the preparation process begins in seventh grade as a two year program.

If your children are not attending a Catholic school or a RE program elsewhere, please consider enrolling them here. If you have questions, please email me at loretta@ctklombard.org or text me at 708-307-9031.

Peace-

Loretta Crotty,
Director of Children's Religious Formation

You are Invited to Our Parish Listening Sessions

As part of Phase 3 of the targeted restructuring process for the Diocese of Joliet, each parish will be hosting two Parish Listening Sessions during which important information will be shared, including the presentation of potential future scenarios, and feedback from parishioners will be solicited as well. Please attend both of our parish sessions in order to hear first-hand how the targeted restructuring process will impact our parish and grow the presence of the Church throughout the Diocese of Joliet and to provide your feedback to the Diocesan Targeted Restructuring Committee.

Our parish sessions will be held in the church on the following dates:

Session 1 Saturday, September 28 from 9 to 11 a.m.

Session 2 Saturday, November 2 from 9 to 11 a.m.

These are two separate sessions and you should attend both, as different information is provided at each. If you have any questions, please contact our Parish Point of Contact for the targeted restructuring process: Joe Maderak.

Dear CTK Parishioners,

As you know, the Knights of Columbus at Christ the King church in Lombard holds their annual **“Tootsie Roll Drive”** to raise money for the Intellectually Disabled organizations in our area each September. Each year for the past 10 years, we have raised funds (last year \$14,000) to distribute to organizations that support the Intellectually Disabled. Some of those groups have been NEDSRA (Northeast Dupage Special Recreation Association), Ray Graham, NAMI, Thumbuddy Special, Catholic Charities, Marklund Children’s Home, Special Camps for Special Citizens, Special Olympics Illinois, and Western Dupage Special Recreation to name a few. All of these do remarkable work supporting families and individuals with intellectual disabilities. They have been most appreciative of our donations and thankful to people like you who have aided us in this cause.

We again look forward to your support this year. Look for us at the following locations this month:

**September 6 & 7 - Butterfield and Finley Street Corner and Jewel Food Store
(Main Street)**

September 6 - Montini Football game

September 13 & 14 - Roosevelt and Main Street Corner and Frankie’s Deli

September 14 & 15 - Christ the King Church



Donate to Knights of Columbus 11207
2024 Intellectual Disabilities Drive!

You may also easily donate online using the QR Code above, send cash or make out a check to Knights of Columbus Council #11027 and return it to the rectory at 1501 S. Main Street, Lombard, IL 60148 C/O Knights of Columbus.

Thank you for helping the intellectually disabled and the Knights of Columbus through our annual drive.



**Time to Register for Mission
here at
Christ the King
Saturday, October 5**

On Saturday, October 5 by simply coming to the PLC and enjoying fellowship you can make a difference.

It will be Mission Day in our parish.

Parishioners will be reaching out by phone to fellow parishioners who have recently had children baptized, are newly registered, and others who we hope are well, and we hope to encourage their engagement to the Church.

To register for this half day commitment to be a missionary for your church go to this link:

<https://forms.gle/sRhedVj69UHcjh8J7>

Questions? Contact Michelle Dal Pino 630-396-6090 at
Or email Sue Delvaux at sue.delvaux@gmail.com

The Marriage Course



Have you seen events, programs, and ideas in this bulletin shared by the Diocese's Marriage Ministry team? Would you like to sit in on a meeting and see if this might be something that you'd like to be a part of? All are welcome!

The team is in the midst of planning a Friday evening date night workshop, more Alpha "The Marriage Course" Zoom sessions, and the ever popular February dinner dance!

Come and enjoy a meeting and fellowship with the team on Tuesday, September 3, at 6:30 p.m. here at Christ the King in the PLC.

Questions?! Contact Sue Delvaux at 630-785-0256 or sue.delvaux@gmail.com



CCW News
Council of Catholic Women

Looking forward to fall, CCW's first General meeting will be held on **Monday, September 23, 2024 at 6:00 in the PLC**. We will start off with our salad supper followed by a speaker to round out the evening. Membership dues of \$10.00 can be paid this night too! Membership forms can also be found on our website.

There will be a Living Rosary on October 12. Undy Sunday will be held the same weekend, October 12 and 13.

Look for more details as we get closer to the dates!

All women of the parish are invited!!

Coffee with Christ

Coffee with Christ will meet in the Faith Formation Center, Room 8. Door will be open at 9:00 a.m. and we will start our discussion at 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Also, I will be doing the Zoom Session on Thursday evenings at 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Please see link below and share with everyone/ anyone you think would like to join via Zoom.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/78692392040?pwd=HvVeUCMy3OhN7hsgQ17aiV2WqQObE0.1>

Blessings,
Michelle Dal Pino,
Director of Adult Faith Formation

PRACTICE WHAT YOU PREACH

Preach always; if necessary, use words.
— Attributed to St. Francis of Assisi

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE for August 24-25

Account	Amount
Sunday Offering	\$6,455.70
Weekly Budget	\$11,346
Building Maintenance	\$115.28

Thank You!

PREVIEW THE BIBLE SCHOOL IN OUR DIOCESE!

The acclaimed **Biblical Institute in the Diocese of Joliet** is registering students for Years 1 and 2 this Fall: Attend in person classes at **Ascension of Our Lord Catholic Church** in Oakbrook Terrace for Year 1 on Saturdays 9-11 a.m. Year 2 in person classes will be held at **Visitation Parish** in Elmhurst on Mondays 7-9 p.m. OR **Zoom Live Online** classes for Year 2 on Wednesdays 7-9 p.m. If you want to learn the Bible from a Catholic perspective, come and see if this program is for you.

In Person Preview Events in September:

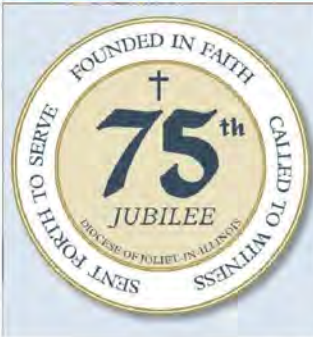
- **Ascension** (Oakbrook Terrace) **September 7 (Saturday) 9-10:30 a.m.**
- **Visitation** (Elmhurst) **September 9 (Monday) 7-8:30 p.m.**

Meet an instructor, talk to current students, see the books, get a feel for a typical class!



For more information contact **Dr. Joan Gorski** 630-852-9000 OR 630-698-8961
jgorski@mayslakeministries.org Website: mayslakeministries.org

Diocese of Joliet 75th Anniversary Regional Masses



***All are invited to join us in celebration of the
Diocese of Joliet 75th Anniversary! Please join us!***

September 14, 2024 4pm

[Montini Catholic High School](#)

Lombard (DuPage County)

Presider: The Most Reverend Ronald A. Hicks

Gathering after mass for fellowship. Food will be available for purchase.

September 28, 2024 4pm

[Lewis University](#)

Romeoville (Will and Kendall Counties)

Presider: The Most Reverend Ronald A. Hicks

Gathering after mass for fellowship. Food will be available for purchase.

Liturgies will be celebrated in various parts of the diocese to bring people together in celebration of our anniversary. Priests from the local areas will join Bishop Hicks. Receptions will follow each of the liturgies, featuring entertainment and food for purchase. The first Mass took place in June at Bishop McNamara High School in Kankakee.

In order to encourage attendance at the September 14th Regional Liturgy, the following parishes in the Eastern DuPage Deanery have canceled their Saturday Masses:

Holy Ghost, Wood Dale

Immaculate Conception, Elmhurst

St. Andrew Kim, Itasca

St. Alexander, Villa Park

St. John, Villa Park,

St. Joseph, Addison

St. Pius X, Lombard

In order to accommodate parishioners in the deanery who are unable to participate in the regional liturgy, Masses will be celebrated at the following:

Ascension, Oakbrook Terrace 4pm

Christ the King, Lombard 4pm

Mary Queen of Heaven, Elmhurst 4:30pm

Sacred Heart, Lombard 5pm

St. Alexis, Bensenville 4pm English 6pm Spanish

St. Peter, Itasca 5pm

St. Philip, Addison 5pm

Visitation, Elmhurst 4pm

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