

# CHRIST THE KING PARISH

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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!**

**DIocese of JOLIET**



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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— March 22 - **Sat. of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Week of Lent**  
4:00 p.m. — Frank and Lillian Henkel

SUNDAY— March 23 - **Third Sunday of Lent**  
8:00 a.m. — Christ the King Parish

10:00 a.m. — Larry Smotrys

12:00 p.m. — Deacon Peter Robinson

MONDAY— March 24 - **Mon. of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Lent**  
8:30 a.m. — Deceased members of the  
Gonzalo Family

TUESDAY— March 25 - **Annunciation of the Lord**  
8:30 a.m. — Herman Schroeder

WEDNESDAY— March 26 - **Wed. the 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Lent**  
8:30 a.m. — Matt Joswick

THURSDAY— March 27 - **Thurs. of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Lent**  
8:30 a.m. — Darlene Fedorek

FRIDAY— March 28 - **Friday of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Lent**  
8:30 a.m. — Clare Wolf

SATURDAY— March 29 - **Sat. of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Lent**  
4:00 p.m. — Christ the King Parish

SUNDAY— March 30 - **Fourth Sunday of Lent**  
8:00 a.m. — Al and Dee Deatherage

10:00 a.m. — Deacon Peter Robinson

12:00 p.m. — Christine Montgomery

*From the Pastor's desk....*

*This coming week I will be away on retreat in southern Indiana at St. Meinrad. I will have your prayer intentions with me; they will be prayed for as part of my retreat time. I started St. Meinrad seminary college in January of 1984 and was there for 2 ½ years before attending Mundelein Seminary. The 2 seminaries were alike, yet different. St. Meinrad is in a very rural setting and is run by Benedictine monks. Mundelein is in a more suburban area and is run by Chicago diocesan priests. Both schools offered much in way of education and formation.*

*In only 3 weeks we will be entering Holy Week with Palm Sunday. I hope your Lenten Season is going well for you this year. It should be a time of peace and calm for you as you look at how you might come closer to Christ. He is always there for us—he has his eye on the sparrow; and he has his eye on each of us as well!*

*We also need to remember to pray for a good, holy, and constructive merger of our parishes of Ascension of Our Lord and Christ the King. Soon, much will be happening, as July 1 will be getting closer; that is the date when all things are to go into full affect. It will take more time for adjustments to be internalized by each of us with this historic change.*

*Peace.....Fr. Jeff*

## Readings for the Week of March 23, 2025

**Monday:** 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4/Lk 4:24-30

**Tuesday:** Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

**Wednesday:** Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/Mt 5:17-19

**Thursday:** Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 11:14-23

**Friday:** Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17/Mk 12:28-34

**Saturday:** Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab/Lk 18:9-14

**Next Sunday:** Jos 5:9a, 10-12/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 (9a)/2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32, Scrutiny: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

**A Note from the Parish Office**

Has Your Address or  
Phone Number Changed?

If your address or phone number has changed since you registered at Christ the King Parish and you have not yet notified the office, please email Carol at [carol@ctklombard.org](mailto:carol@ctklombard.org) or call 630-629-1717 x 2

Thank you!  
Carol Clishem, Parish Office

## Pledge your gift to the CMAA



If you have already pledged your support to the Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA), we sincerely thank you!

Let's join together to meet our parish's goal of \$58,600. Each and every gift, regardless of size, truly makes a difference.

If you still plan on making your gift, please prayerfully reflect on how best you can Open your heart to God's goodness in support of those in need throughout our diocese. Pledge envelopes are still available in the church, or you can use the envelope you received in the mail from the diocese. We also welcome online gifts at [jolietdioceseappeal.org](http://jolietdioceseappeal.org). Remember, if we raise more than our goal, the diocese will return 70% of the amount over our goal to us to reinvest in our own parish. This is an incredible opportunity and blessing!

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE for March 15-16

Account	Amount
Weekly Offering	\$8,143.46
Weekly Budget	\$11,346
Building Repair & Maintenance	\$384.28
Thank You!	

## 2024 DONATION STATEMENTS

The 2024 Year End Donation Statements will be mailed to all households on January 31. Statements below \$250.00 will not be mailed. You do not need to fill out a request.

Thank You,  
The business office

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

During this year of Eucharist Revival, join Christ the King on Wednesdays following the 8:30 a.m. Mass anytime until 12 Noon for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Learn more at: [www.eucharisticrevival.org](http://www.eucharisticrevival.org)

## Eastern DuPage Deanery of the Joliet Diocese Liturgical Enrichment Day

### Eucharistic Revival in our Deanery The Eucharist in the Early Church and Today

All those who participate in liturgical ministries, including Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors, Musicians, Greeters, and Ushers are invited.

Please register at

[easterndupagedeanery.org](http://easterndupagedeanery.org)

Saturday, March 29

Ascension of Our Lord Parish

15314 Summit Avenue, Oakbrook Terrace

Mass will be celebrated from 8:00 – 9:00 a.m.

9:00 – 9:50 Check-in will continue with

Continental Breakfast

Mass Presider and presentation by  
Rev. Brendan Lupton, S.T.D

Associate Professor of Dogmatic Theology,  
President Pontifical Faculty of Theology

Department of Dogmatic Theology  
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**Coffee with Christ**  
Scripture Study

Wednesdays on Zoom at 6:45pm  
Thursdays at 9:30am  
Faith Formation Center  
(Old school building)

Contact Michelle Dal Pino  
Director of Adult Faith Formation  
630-396-6090  
[michelle@ctklombard.org](mailto:michelle@ctklombard.org)



## Stations of the Cross Fridays of Lent at 5 p.m.



### 40 CANS FOR LENT Is Back

Thanks for starting your Lenten journey by giving to our St. Vincent DePaul food pantry here at Christ the King. We hope you will continue donating to the food pantry throughout Lent. We have many clients who can use a variety of items. Please drop them off at masses anytime, weekday or weekend, in the bins by the elevator. You can donate any items you wish, but these are a few popular items the pantry is asking for if you need help deciding. All items are welcome though:

Pasta sauce, barbecue sauce, salsa, cooking oil, condiments, macaroni and cheese, chicken noodle soup, pancake mix and syrup, non-sweetened cereals, white 13 gallon trash bags, zip-lock bags (storage or sandwich), dish soap, laundry detergent, paper towels, and toilet paper.

We could also use brown grocery bags.

Thank you for your generosity and may God bless you on your Lenten journey 2025.

CTK Knights and SVDP Food Pantry

### **CCW Woman of the Year**

**Congratulations to the 2025 CCW Woman of the Year, Michele Pitello! Michele has been an active member of CCW and Christ the King Parish for many years. The last three years she has served as the CCW Vice President.**

**Besides her many duties as Vice President, Michele also is a lector at Sunday Masses.**

**We are excited to award this well-deserved title to Michele!**

### **2025 Bishop Blanchette Scholarship Applications**

Applications for The Joliet Diocesan Council of Catholic Women Bishop Blanchette Scholarship are now available to any student in Grade 8-11, with a financial need, wishing to attend a Joliet Diocesan Catholic High School for the 2025-2026 school years.

Any interested family should contact Mary Maderak, CCW President, by e-mail at: [marymaderak@yahoo.com](mailto:marymaderak@yahoo.com) or by phone at: 630-432-4723 to obtain the application.



## Christ the King Knights of Columbus

# Fish Fry

**Fridays, March 28 & April 11**

**5:00 – 7:30PM in the PLC**

***Dine-in or Carry-out available***



## Menu

### **Battered Cod**

**\$17.00**

*Served with French fries, green beans, Cole slaw*

### **Baked Tilapia Dinner**

**\$17.00**

*Served with rice pilaf, green beans, Cole slaw*

### **Jumbo Shrimp Dinner (6 pcs.)**

**\$19.00**

*Served with French fries, green beans, Cole slaw*

### **Vegetable Lasagna**

**\$14.00**

*Served with green beans, Cole slaw*

## CHILDREN'S MENU

### **Grilled Cheese Sandwich or Chicken Tenders**

**\$ 8.00**

*Served with French fries, green beans, roll & butter*

***All meals include rolls & butter, mac & cheese,  
dessert, coffee and soft drinks***

*Beer and wine are available for a donation of \$2.00 each*

***Proceeds from this year's fish fries will be donated to:***



*Christ the  
King Parish*

***Hope to see everyone at this Lenten Tradition Thanks for your support!***



## Christ The King Knights of Columbus #11027 Invitation to Join

Hi, I am Rick Cosenza, Grand Knight of our Christ the King Knights of Columbus Council 11027 and inviting the men and their families of our church to learn more about our group. Most of you know a little bit about us and I know your first thoughts are I don't have time and what would the Knights offer me? Time is your choice; it can be as little as 5 minutes yearly or more to fit your schedule. The benefits of our group will allow you to increase your faith, participate in charitable opportunities and strengthen your relationship with our parish.

**Please stop by after the weekend masses on March 29 and 30** for 5 minutes to meet some of our members and learn more about what we do. **Hospitality will be provided after the Sunday Masses. We will also raffle a \$25 Jewel gift card** for anyone that signs a prospect card. Spouses and family members are also invited.

For Further information

CTK Website: <https://www.ctlombard.org/knights>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/CTKKnights11027>

Sign up online for free with promo code BLESSEDMCGIVNEY

[www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-kofc.html](http://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-kofc.html)

We are Catholic Men of Faith



**Knights are men who:**

- Want to who support of their Parish
- Lead and Inspire our Families
- Assist our Pastor and priests
- Assist those in need
- Build a future for our Catholic Faith

We are Knights of Columbus  
(Scan for video Intro Trailer)

**Free membership – sign up online!**



**Sign up online today!**

Council Number: 11027

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**Scan to Join**



**LENTEN DISCIPLINES OF FASTING & ABSTINENCE**

Catholics in good health ages 18 to 59 are required to fast and to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Fasting consists of eating only one meal, with the possibility of two smaller snacks that do not add up to a single full meal.

Catholics age 14 and older are to abstain from meat on all Fridays in Lent.



**PRAYER  
FASTING  
ALMSGIVING**

## Are you a Roman Catholic? 7 Hours of Confession

**When was the last time you received Reconciliation?**

**Was it recently? In the past year?**  
The priests of Eastern DuPage County will be available to celebrate the Sacrament of Forgiveness of Sins!

**Saturday, April 5, from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m.**

There will be select times when the Sacrament will be offered in Polish and Spanish.

**All are invited to receive God's grace**  
Immaculate Conception Church  
132 Arthur St. Elmhurst, IL 630-530-8515

## Operation Support Our Troops will be held the weekend of April 5-6, 2025



**COMFORT & CARE PACKAGE  
PROGRAM COLLECTION  
DRIVE ITEMS**



Help CCW thank our wonderful men and women for their service to our country by providing them with the items they need and ask for! Save the date above. We are working on the list of items the troops are requesting and will share with you as soon as possible. Remember, monetary contributions are always accepted. Checks can be made out to: Operation Support Our Troops.

### PRODUCTS NEEDED

- Anti-itch cream
- Laundry Pods or Laundry sheets (fragrance free)
- Bandages and Moleskin
- Shoe/Boot Odor Eaters or inserts/insoles
- Men's 3-in-1 Shampoo, Conditioner, Body Wash (16 oz. or less)
- Men's Shaving cream / gel (non-aerosol only)
- Foot Powder
- Flat Room Air Freshener (cardboard only, no liquid)
- Women's Shaving cream (non-aerosol only)
- Multi-Vitamins
- Nasal Spray (no glass)
- Snack Size Zipper Bags
- Sandwich Size Zipper Bags
- Women's Athletic Socks
- Men's unscented deodorant
- Women's Razors
- Women's unscented deodorant
- Black Permanent Sharpie Markers
- Small Puzzle Books
- Small Notebooks/Notepads (5.5" x 8")
- Individual packets of Carnation Instant Breakfast
- Emergen-C Drink Mix Packets
- Individual packets of hot sauce
- Peanut Butter (16 oz or less-no glass,
- peanut butter packets or Jif To Go 1.5 oz cups, Nutella)
- Dehydrated, baked or freeze dried fruit

*List Updated 3.5.25*



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