

# 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— June 7 - *The Blessed Virgin Mary*

4:00 p.m. — For the Souls in Purgatory

SUNDAY— June 8 - *Pentecost Sunday*

8:00 a.m. — For the Priests and Deacons of the  
Diocese of Joliet

10:00 a.m. — Armando and Mina Dias

12:00 p.m. — Deacon Peter Robinson

MONDAY— June 9 - *Blessed Virgin Mary,  
Mother of the Church*

8:30 a.m. — Larry Beyer

TUESDAY— June 10 - *Tenth Week in Ordinary Time*

8:30 a.m. — Art and Pearl McGovern

WEDNESDAY— June 11 - *St. Barnabas*

8:30 a.m. — William Fedorek Sr.

THURSDAY— June 12 - *Tenth Week in Ordinary Time*

8:30 a.m. — Ann Klein

FRIDAY— June 13 - *St. Anthony of Padua*

8:30 a.m. — Kay and Everett Lovell

SATURDAY— June 14 - *The Blessed Virgin Mary*

4:00 p.m. — William Tarnow and  
Alexander Flemington Sr.

SUNDAY— June 15 - *Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity*

8:00 a.m. — Flora Bogacki

10:00 a.m. — All Fathers Living and Deceased

12:00 p.m. — Anne Smith

### Please Note

By the middle of June this year, the Mass book will be open for Masses from July 2025 until the end of December 2025. Please check the bulletin in June for more information.

### Readings for the Week of June 8, 2025

**Monday:** Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34

**Tuesday:** 2 Cor 1:18-22/Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135/Mt 5:13-16

**Wednesday:** Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 (580)/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9/Mt 5:17-19

**Thursday:** 2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 5:20-26

**Friday:** 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 116:10-11, 15-16, 17-18/Mt 5:27-32

**Saturday:** 2 Cor 5:14-21/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Mt 5:33-37

**Next Sunday:** Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (2a)/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

### From the Pastor's desk....

*June is busting out all over! June is here, and so is Summer. May God bless you with many good Memories of Summer '25. We are blessed to live in a part of the world where we have all 4 seasons. May you see the presence of God in all of the natural cycles we experience. Many of these also flow with our liturgical calendar.*

*This weekend is a most special time for all of us. It is Pentecost Sunday. The conclusion to the 50 days of Easter, and Jesus does something important, good, and holy; he gives us the Holy Spirit. Imagine the apostles in that upper room who are afraid of all the commotion going on about Jesus. Did he die? Did he actually rise from the dead? These, and other questions are what the talk of the town is all about. They are afraid. Jesus appears to them, and calms them down, letting them know the Holy Spirit is with them always. May we keep the Holy Spirit before us. This is a gift not only to the apostles, but for each one of us.*

*Next weekend we are looking at the Trinity, and then Corpus Christi following that. We are truly blessed with the tools our church gives to us.*

*Peace.....Fr. Jeff*

### 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



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June 7, 2025

Dear Parishioners of Christ the King and Ascension of Our Lord,

As we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, I am pleased to share with you the Holy Spirit's guidance regarding the Mass schedule for both parishes beginning July 1. After much prayer, and consultation with parish transition team members, I have discerned the following schedule starting Tuesday, July 1, 2025:

Weekday Masses:

- . 8:30 a.m. Monday through Friday at Christ the King
- . Noon Monday through Friday at Ascension

Weekend Masses:

- . Saturday at 4 p.m. at Christ the King
- . Saturday at 4 p.m. at Ascension
- . Sunday at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. at Christ the King
- . Sunday at 9:30 a.m. at Ascension of Our Lord

Through the generosity of retired priests this schedule is possible, maintaining weekday, Saturday Vigil, and Sunday Mass times at both Christ the King and Ascension, even though I will be the only priest formally assigned to both parishes. It will be a time of adjustment, as each location's current Mass times for Sunday are going to be different, but with change comes opportunities for growth and new possibilities. I encourage parishioners from both communities to try a Mass at the other location. For example, if the 8 a.m. is too early for some members of Christ the King, feel free to join Ascension for the 9:30 a.m. Mass. Or, if a member of Ascension would like an earlier start to their Sunday, please join the 8 a.m. Mass at Christ the King. As I mentioned in my last letter, we are all part of "one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all," – Eph. 4:5-6 (NABRE) invited to the Eucharistic table together.

I look forward to this new chapter, as the shepherd of both communities. May the Holy Spirit continue to guide us as we venture forward on a shared mission of faith.

May God bless you and yours today and always,

Fr. Jeff Stoneberg



Dear Parish Family,

I want to share with you that, after 19 years of serving the parish, I will be retiring at the end of June as your parish secretary.

It has been my unique privilege to support and assist you in the many ways parish secretaries are called to serve. I will truly miss you in this ministry. I leave with a heart filled with love and gratitude, and I wish you all the peace and joy that only Christ can give.

God bless you,  
Carol Clissem



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**Coffee with Christ**  
Scripture Study

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

## A RESPECT LIFE EVENT

3 SPEAKERS  
3 AREAS OF INTEREST

**SATURDAY**  
**JUNE 21, 2025**

**11:30 AM - 3:00 PM**  
**LUNCH INCLUDED**

St. Ambrose Parish  
1705 Burry Circle Drive  
Crest Hill IL 60403

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| 11:30 am | Registration and Lunch   |
| 12:00 pm | Jacqueline Sanders from Reclaim 13: An organization that specializes in helping those who are victims of human trafficking.                                |
| 1:00 pm  | Steve Karlen from 40 days for life: He is the Campaign Director and Co-Author of "What to say When". He will be speaking on Pro-Life Catholic apologetics. |
| 2:00 pm  | Heidi Miller from Rachel's Vineyard: An organization that assists women in healing from previous abortion.   |



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# WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS



August 17, 2025

2:00 p.m.

Cathedral of St. Raymond  
604 N Raynor Ave., Joliet, IL  
Registration Required

Couples celebrating anniversaries of 25 years, 50 years, and more than 50 years, are welcome to attend. Bishop Ronald A. Hicks will celebrate the Mass and will lead all couples in a special renewal of wedding commitment.

Pre-registration is required by August 8, 2025. Scan the QR code or website link:  
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## 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.

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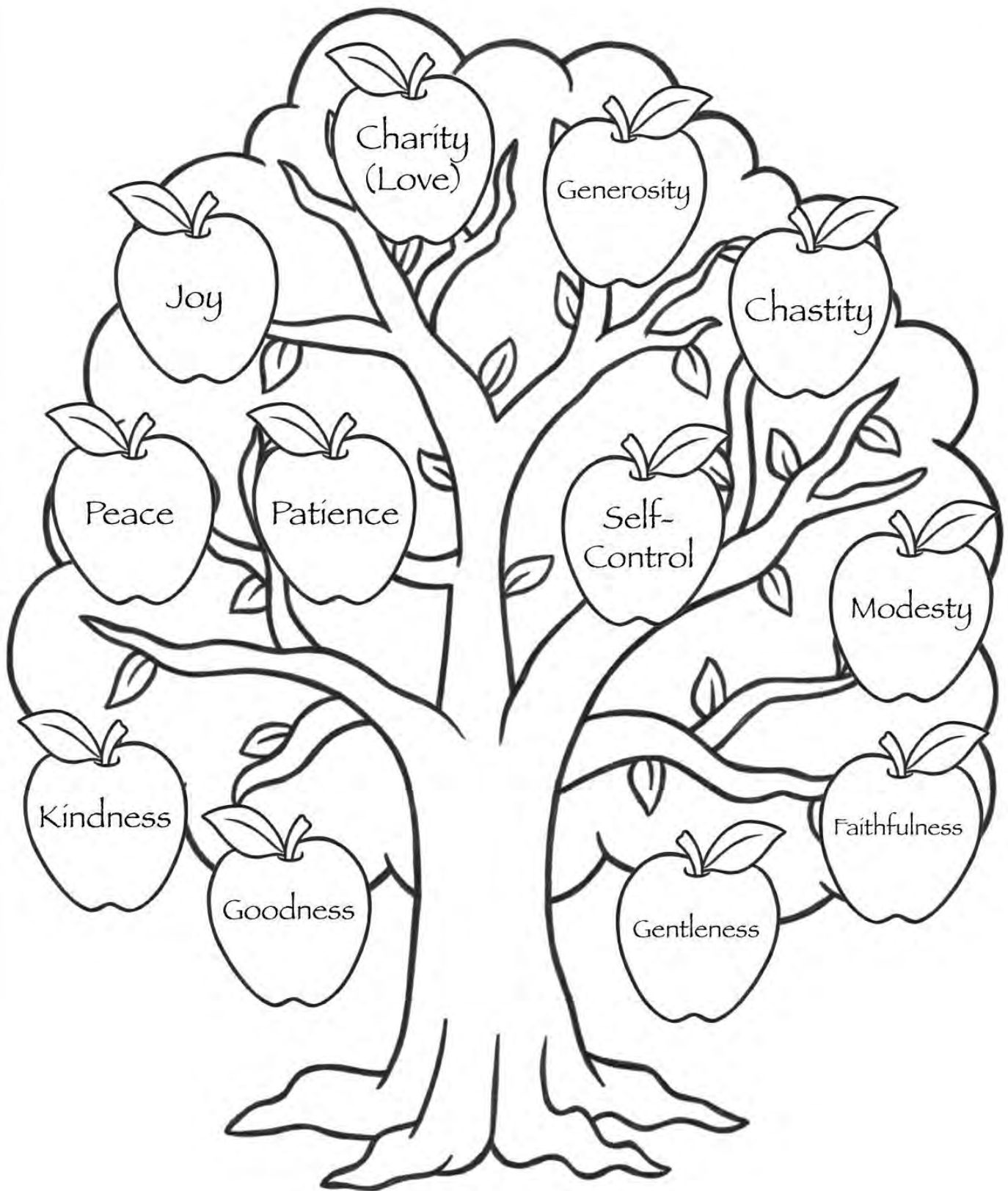




**Thanks to everyone who attended Fr. Jeff's 35<sup>th</sup>  
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