

# CHRIST THE KING PARISH

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Christ the King Parish



## Weekend Masses at Christ the King

*Saturday – 4pm*

*Sunday – 8am, 11am*

## Weekday Masses at Christ the King

*Monday through Friday – 8:30am*

### Confession

*Saturdays at 3pm and by appointment*

### Office Hours

*Monday - Friday: 9am - 12pm*

## Weekend Masses at Ascension

*Saturday – 4pm*

*Sunday – 9:30am*

## Weekday Masses at Ascension

*Monday through Friday – Noon*

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— November 8 - [First Saturday of the BVM](#)  
4:00 p.m. — Richard and Donna Ray Gasiorowski  
50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

SUNDAY— November 9 - Feast of the Dedication of  
the Lateran Basilica in Rome  
8:00 a.m. — Joshua and Christina Gasiorowski  
12<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

11:00 a.m. — Steven Smotrys

MONDAY— November 10 - St. Leo the Great, Pope  
8:30 a.m. — Edwin and Bernie Michalik

TUESDAY— November 11 - St. Martin of Tours  
8:30 a.m. — For Our Veterans

WEDNESDAY— November 12 - St. Josaphat  
8:30 a.m. — Florence Kaminiski

THURSDAY— November 13 - St. Frances Xavier Cabrini  
8:30 a.m. — Jospheh Doran

FRIDAY— November 14 - [32<sup>nd</sup> Week in Ordinary Time](#)  
8:30 a.m. — Christ the King Parish

SATURDAY— November 15 - [Saturday of the BVM](#)  
4:00 p.m. — Roger Lavrin

SUNDAY— November 16 - [33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time](#)  
8:00 a.m. — Christ the King Parish

11:00 a.m. — Barb Giebel

**Please Note**

The Mass book is now open until the end of  
December 2025.

The new Mass schedule is

**Saturday 4:00 p.m., Sunday 8:00 a.m. and  
11:00 a.m.**

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

*Here we are in November. The mild October weather has surprised us, and we now realize it is later than we think. In the month of November we remember those who have died. We give thanks to God for the blessings He has given to our loved ones in this life. We remember our relationship with them, and now we pray that they rest in eternal peace. I hope that your faith gives you comfort at difficult times, especially at the time of a tremendous loss. Between our 2 parishes, we have many funerals every year. May God grant them all eternal healing, rest and peace.*

*Some people have been asking if there is an update on the merger between our 2 parishes of Christ the King and Ascension. So far, the only update received was a letter dated September 2. It was basically an acknowledgement that all the paperwork to change the merger has been received. When more information becomes available, I will let you know. In the meantime, I encourage you to pray that we may do God's will, and that we do it well.*

*Thank you for your prayers and support. They have made a good difference. At this time of waiting, we know that God is present. He gives each of us grace and guidance.*

*Peace.....Fr. Jeff*

## Readings for the Week of November 9, 2025

**Monday:** Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10/Lk 17:1-6

**Tuesday:** Wis 2:23-3:9/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19/Lk 17:7-10

**Wednesday:** Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7/Lk 17:11-19

**Thursday:** Wis 7:22b-8:1/Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175/Lk 17:20-25

**Friday:** Wis 13:1-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18/Lk 17:26-37

**Saturday:** Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43/Lk 18:1-8

**Next Sunday:** Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 (see 9)/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

**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 Loretta at [loretta@ctklombard.org](mailto:loretta@ctklombard.org) or call 630-629-1717 x 2

Thank you! Parish Office

# Food Pantry Thank You!

First thing that needs to be said is that we at the pantry thank you, CHRIST THE KING parishioners, for the tremendous outpouring of your support of our mission.

We had 96 families through our drive thru last week. We'll most likely see 100 sooner than later!

The governments shut down coupled with the closing of SNAP program will insure higher numbers of people in need. It's affecting our suppliers with up to 5 times the inquires than normal and deliveries slower than normal.

We appreciate our parish and its composition of loving and caring people making it more like a family environment. It's all good!

Thanks again and God bless us all!

For those able to share with the pantry we are looking for the below items on a weekly basis if possible.

### PANTRY NEEDED ITEMS



- . Canned fruits & vegetables
- . Soup
- . Canned chicken
- . Boxed meals
- . Canned beans
- . Condiments
- . Boxed side dishes: potato, rice, noodle
- . Pasta sauce & noodles
- . Cereal
- . Paper towels

If you can bring a can or two to church each week and drop off at the boxes in the church narthex across from the elevator it would help make a difference for a lot of people in need.



### *Music Notes:* Hello from Ascension of Our Lord

I would like to reach out to the Christ the King Singers and Community at large, I would like to extend an open invitation to anyone interested in sitting in with our choir(s) at Ascension of Our Lord The Ascension Adult Choir ministers for **every Sunday 9:30 a.m.** Mass. We do rehearsal on **Wednesday evenings at 6 p.m.** in the Church, as well as a short warm up approximately 20 minutes before Mass.

We also have a Contemporary Choir that ministers the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month at the 4 p.m. Mass. We rehearse one hour prior to Mass.

If you have questions relating to our Music Ministry or would like to join - - We could really use more Voices for both of our Choirs, or if you play an instrument and are interested in giving of your time/ talent, contact me: Jonell Stetz at the Church Office 630-953-4414. Leave me a message, I would be glad to get back to you. Remember, Those who sing pray twice!

**CCW NEEDS YOUR CULINARY TALENT**

FOR THEIR **ONCE UPON A HOLIDAY FAIR BAKE SALE** NOVEMBER 15 AND 16

The Council of Catholic Women needs bakers for their November 15 and 16 **ONCE UPON A HOLIDAY BAKE SALE**. If you would like to share your culinary talents, please drop your contribution off in **throw-away containers** in the Parish Life Center after 2 p.m. on Friday, November 14 or before all Masses November 15 and 16. Whole cakes, pies, and breads are great sellers!



Your very generous donations make the **ONCE UPON A HOLIDAY FAIR BAKE SALE** a success each year, and we thank you for your contributions.

The Board of the Council of Catholic Women

**KID'S CLUB**  
**Second Saturday of the Month**  
 9:00am - 10:30am  
 Infant to 5 years old

Come make new friends!  
 Enjoy adult conversation!  
 Breakfast Bites and activities provided

Faith Formation Building  
 across the lower parking lot in the Faith Formation Building  
 Room 8

RSVP to Michelle Dal Pino  
 michelle@ctklombard.org

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**2025 ANNUAL RAFFLE 2025**  
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**\$10,000 Grand Prize**  
 20 total cash prizes

Our annual "vocation raffle" benefits priesthood vocations in Illinois. This includes both financial and fellowship support. The KOC state council provides each seminarian with a monetary gift for birthdays, Christmas and ordination. And each seminarian receives a copy of the "Ordo" (Order of prayer in the Liturgy) and a special Daily Missal.

**RAFFLE TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AFTER MASSES:**

**Saturday - November 15**  
**Sunday - November 16**

- Tickets are \$5.00 each - Book of 5 tickets for \$20.00
- Make checks payable to: Knights of Columbus 11027
- No slips to fill out – we will do that for you

**This could be your year to win!**

In addition, tickets may also be purchased online simply by scanning the QR Code shown below and following the on-screen prompts.



Please enter Council #11027 at the bottom of the check-out screen.



# Christ the King Knights of Columbus



**Saturday, November 8 from 5:00 – 6:30PM  
in the Christ the King Parish Life Center  
1501 S. Main St., Lombard, IL**

Dinner includes: Pasta with Meat Sauce, Salad,  
Bread, Garlic Bread, Desserts, Coffee, and Soft Drinks

Beer and Wine is available, for a \$2.00 donation

2 Meatballs or an Italian Sausage are available for  
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- Adults: \$14.00
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- Families: \$37.00  
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Proceeds from this dinner will  
help support Lombard's  
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***Come out and enjoy a great dinner and some conversation with friends and fellow parishioners. Best part is you don't have to do the dishes.***

# CCW'S HOLIDAY FAIR AND BAKE SALE is coming

## NOVEMBER 15 AND 16

The Council of Catholic Women will celebrate  
its annual

### ONCE UPON A HOLIDAY FAIR

**Saturday, November 15, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

and after 4 p.m. Mass, and on

**Sunday, November 16, from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.**



The event will take place in the Parish Life Center. Crafts, homemade baked goods, a light lunch on Saturday, and tickets for raffle baskets will be available for purchase.



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# MAKE

A Pastoral Letter for the People  
of the Diocese of Joliet



*"Hope Does Not Disappoint"*  
Romans 5:5

## "Walk the Talk" 30th Annual Great Lakes Catholic Men's Conference

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**Coffee with Chirst on Thursday Mornings**

INTERESTED IN JOINING OTHER PARISHIONERS AND DISCUSSING THE UPCOMING SUNDAY READINGS?

TIME: 9:30AM - 11:00AM

DOORS OPEN 9:00AM

FAITH FORMATION BUILDING ROOM 8 BUILDING ACROSS THE LOWER LEVEL PARKING LOT

INTERESTED IN JOINING?  
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Weekly Sunday Offering	\$9,132.25
Weekly Budget	\$11,346
Building Repair & Maintenance	\$730.28
All Saints	\$929
All Souls	\$1009
Military Service	\$602

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT HAS RESUMED**

Adoration has once again resumed at Christ the King on Wednesdays following the 8:30 a.m. Mass until 12 Noon. Read about the Eucharist Revival at: [www.eucharisticrevival.org](http://www.eucharisticrevival.org)

Join us at Ascension of Our Lord parish as we watch, discuss, and reflect on the Bible-inspired drama, **The Chosen, Season 5**

**November 9**

2:00PM- 4:30PM

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