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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 - Thursday: 9am - 12pm
Closed Friday

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— August 8 - Memorial of St. Dominic
4:00 p.m. — Joe Spoto

SUNDAY— August 9 - **19th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 a.m. — Florencio and Jasmine Dourado
11:00 a.m. — Paul Hart

MONDAY— August 10 - **St. Lawrence, Martyr**
8:30 a.m. — Lawrence Beyer

TUESDAY— August 11 - St. Clare
8:30 a.m. — The Parish of Christ the King

WEDNESDAY— August 12 - St. Jane Frances de Chantal
8:30 a.m. — For priests & deacons Diocese of Joliet

THURSDAY— August 13 - **St. Pontian, St. Hippolytus**
8:30 a.m. — Sixto Cardenas

FRIDAY— August 14 - St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe
8:30 a.m. — Louise Biegalski

SATURDAY— August 15 - **Assumption of BVM**
4:00 p.m. — John and Ruth Schram

SUNDAY— August 16 - **20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 a.m. — Louise Biegalski
11:00 a.m. — Laura Shutock

The 2026 Mass book for Christ the King is open through December 2026.

Please contact Loretta at the rectory at (630) 629-1717 ext. 2 or at loretta@ctklombard.org

Readings for the Week of August 9, 2026

Monday: 2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9/Jn 12:24-26
Tuesday: Ez 2:8-3:4/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131/Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday: Ez 9:1-7; 10:18-22/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 18:15-20
Thursday: Ez 12:1-12/Ps 78:56-57, 58-59, 61-62/Mt 18:21-19:1
Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Mt 19:3-12
Saturday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/
1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28 Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/
Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56
Next Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/
Mt 15:21-28

From the Pastor's desk....

Last week I was down in southern Indiana at St. Meinrad Archabbey and Seminary. I attended the college seminary there for 2 ½ years in the mid 1980's. Where did all the time go? That is the question that so many who were at the Alumni Reunion were asking. There were different class years highlighted, mine from 1986 being one of them. There were priests, lay men and lay women there; all had gone through and graduated from either the high school from years ago, the college, now defunct, or the school of theology. St. Meinrad has adapted to the changing times, and many lay people have attended school there. They also train most of the deacons in the Tri-State area down there. They have survived, because they have worked with the changing times, but keeping their traditions and roots. They have expanded their work in the summer with the youth. Year round, they have increased their Hispanic ministry.

There were a few things that the Rector spoke about in that week—
1. Know your sins. 2. Know your blessings. 3. Keep your eye on the mountain you need to climb. You cannot climb a mountain by looking back over your shoulder. In these words, he reminded us that the Eucharist helps us to overcome many things that might seem unsurmountable. Being honest with ourselves is key to letting God work within us and use us. I hope that you are taking time to be honest in your prayer life. Know that God is there to help you. The Church with the sacraments and especially the Eucharist, will help with the important task of focus and priorities.

Peace.....Fr. Jeff



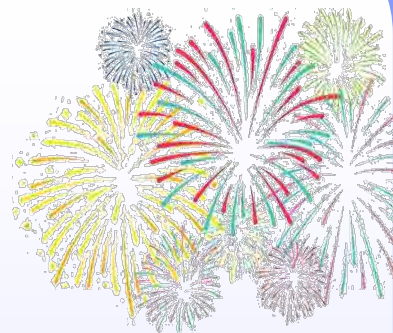
CCW'S BLAST!!!!

CCW is starting its new year off with a blast – a **Bingo Blast**. Everyone is welcome to join us for this fun meeting. So, grab your good luck charm and come to the PLC on

Monday, August 17, at 6:30 p.m.

A donation to Christ the King's food pantry will be appreciated.

See ya there!



CCW's next happening will be our ever-popular Salad Supper on **Monday, September 21 in the PLC at 6:30 p.m.** Our membership drive will be held the weekend before the Salad Supper – September 19 and 20 before and after all Masses in the church Narthex.

Coffee with Christ on Thursday Mornings

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

TIME: 9:30AM -
11:00AM

DOORS OPEN
9:00AM

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CONTACT MICHELLE DALPINO

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Christ the King Weekly Offering for 7/18 - 7/19/26

Sunday Offertory (Including Electronic)	\$ 10,978.04
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Ascension of Our Lord Parish invites you to attend The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mass

Join us on Saturday, August 15, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. Mass
(this is not a holy day of obligation this year)

Join us for this beautiful and holy Mass as we honor our Blessed Mother and give thanks for her faithful witness to Christ.

Taking a Vacation or Traveling? Don't Take a Vacation from Church

While traveling, parishioners may log on to www.masstimes.org or call 858-207-6277 for the location and schedule of Masses throughout the USA and other countries.



Bishop Dennis Spies
Diocesan Administrator

Are You Being Called to the Permanent Diaconate?

The Diocese of Joliet is in the process of inviting men to discern the call to the next diaconate class of formation.

If the thought of becoming a deacon has whispered to your soul, I encourage you to contact the diaconate office for more information.



Office for the Diaconate
815-221-6174
vocations.diojoliet.org/start-a-conversation

In August,
we *celebrate*
two Marian
feast days.

The Assumption of Mary, August 15
The Queenship of Mary, August 22

TASTE of CHRIST THE KING



Do you have a friend or family member who loves to eat . . . but going to church??? Not. So. Much!

Here's your chance! Invite them to A Taste of Christ the King!

Saturday, September 19 after the 4 p.m. Mass

Seriously! No pressure. Just lots of good food. Ok, there will be a Mass, but everyone goes to a wedding or a baptism sooner or later.

And this will have an abundance of all sorts of super great food. In fact, maybe you could even have a favorite food you make that this person loves.

Make it for this "tasting"!

Pick up a form at any table in the Narthex and let us know what you plan on bringing for the event.

Kill 2 birds with 1 stone – bring that special soul to Mass and tell them you have their favorite dish as a special treat for them after Mass, because just as Saint John said:

"Come and dine" (John 21:12)

Music Notes from Ascension of our Lord

Seeking Contemporary Choir Member



Ascension of Our Lord is looking to expand our Contemporary Choir. Anyone interested in joining us we minister at the 4 p.m. Masses the 3rd Saturday of the month. We rehearse at 3 p.m. before the mass and music is provided a month in advance.

All are invited from High School through Seniors.

Are there any instrumentalists out there? Contact me if interested in adding to our "contemporary sound."

If you have questions relating to our Music Ministry Contemporary or Adult Choir Contact me:

Jonell Stetz at the Church Office 630-953-4414

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Join us for Adoration at Christ the King on Wednesdays following the 8:30 a.m. Mass until 12 Noon.

BEHOLD Adoration

Adoration with candlelight, music, and silence every **Fourth Wednesday** of the month 7 p.m.-8 p.m. The next Behold Adoration is **August 26**. Please Join Us!



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DATE: Wednesday, Nov. 18, 2026

TIME: 7 - 9:30 PM

AUDIENCE: Adults and teens aged 12 and up

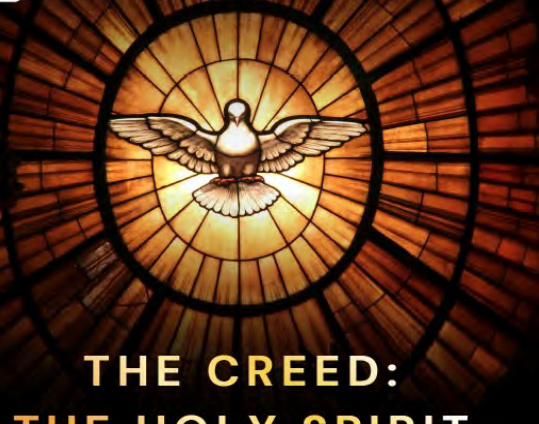
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Deadline to register: August 10, 2026

Questions? Contact Deacon Doug McIlvaine:
815-221-6136
dmcilvaine@dioceseofjoliet.org



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 **The Blanchette Center** in Crest Hill for Year 1 on Tuesdays 7-9 p.m. OR at **St. Michael Catholic Church** in Wheaton for Year 2 on Thursdays 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 August:

- **The Blanchette Center** (Crest Hill) **August 18 (Tuesday) 7-8:30 p.m.**
- **St. Michael Catholic Church** (Wheaton) **August 20 (Thursday) 7-8:30 p.m.**
- **St. Andrew Parish** (Romeoville) **August 15 & 16 at Masses**
- **St. Carlo Acutis Parish** (Crest Hill) **August 25 (Tuesday) 7-8:30 p.m.**
- **St. John The Baptist Parish** (Winfield) **August 27 (Thursday) 7-8:30 p.m.**

In Person Preview Events in September:

- **The Blanchette Center** (Crest Hill) **September 1 (Tuesday) 7-8:30 p.m.**
- **St. Michael Catholic Church** (Wheaton) **September 3 (Thursday) 7-8:30 p.m.**

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



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