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22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous." - Lk 14:13-14

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22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—WORSHIP AID

A PLACE AT THE TABLE

Verses

1. For ev - 'ry - one born, a place at the ta - ble, for
 2. For wom - an and man, a place at the ta - ble, re -
 ev - 'ry - one born, clean wa - ter and bread, a
 vis - ing the roles, de - cid - ing the share, with
 shel - ter, a space, a safe place for grow - ing, for
 wis - dom and grace, di - vid - ing the pow - er, for
 ev - 'ry - one born, a star o - ver - head.
 wom - an and man, a sys - tem that's fair.

Refrain

God will de - light when we are cre - a - tors of
 jus - tice and joy, yes, God will de - light
 when we are cre - a - tors of jus - tice,
 jus - tice and joy!

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 Tune: Lori True, b.1961, © 2001, GIA Publications, Inc.

The Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only-begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29

My child, conduct your affairs with humility, and you will be loved more than a giver of gifts. Humble yourself the more, the greater you are, and you will find favor with God. What is too sublime for you, seek not, into things beyond your strength search not. The mind of a sage appreciates proverbs, and an attentive ear is the joy of the wise. Water quenches a flaming fire, and alms atone for sins.

The word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*

Psalm 34

THE CRY OF THE POOR

John Foley, S.J.

Refrain
 The Lord hears the cry of the poor. Bless-ed be the Lord.

Text: Based on Psalm 34:2-3, 18-19a, 19b-20, 4.
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Second Reading: Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a

Brothers and sisters: You have not approached that which could be touched and a blazing fire and gloomy darkness and storm and a trumpet blast and a voice speaking words such that those who heard begged that no message be further addressed to them. No, you have approached Mount Zion and the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and countless angels in festal gathering, and the assembly of the firstborn enrolled in heaven, and God the judge of all, and the spirits of the just made perfect, and Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and the sprinkled blood that speaks more eloquently than that of Abel.

The word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*

Gospel: Luke 14:1, 7-14

On a sabbath Jesus went to dine at the home of one of the leading Pharisees, and the people there were observing him carefully. He told a parable to those who had been invited, noticing how they were choosing the places of honor at the table. "When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not recline at table in the place of honor. A more distinguished guest than you may have been invited by him, and the host who invited both of you may approach you and say, 'Give your place to this man,' and then you would proceed with embarrassment to take the lowest place. Rather, when you are invited, go and take the lowest place so that when the host comes to you he may say, 'My friend, move up to a higher position.' Then you will enjoy the esteem of your companions at the table. For every one who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted." Then he said to the host who invited him, "When you hold a lunch or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or your wealthy neighbors, in case they may invite you back and you have repayment. Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

The Gospel of the Lord. *Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.*

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, [Bow] and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

O GOD, YOU SEARCH ME

Bernadette Farrell

1. O God, you search me and you know me.
 2. You know my rest - ing and my ris - ing.
 3. Be - fore a word is on my tongue, Lord,
 4. Al - though your Spir - it is up - on me,
 5. For you cre - at - ed me and shaped me,

1. All my thoughts lie o - pen to your gaze.
 2. You dis - cern my pur - pose from a - far,
 3. You have known its mean - ing through and through.
 4. Still I search for shel - ter from your light.
 5. Gave me life with - in my moth - er's womb.

1. When I walk or lie down you are be - fore me:
 2. And with love ev - er - last - ing you be - siege me:
 3. You are with me be - yond my un - der - stand - ing:
 4. There is no - where on earth I can es - cape you:
 5. For the won - der of who I am, I praise you:

1. Ev - er the mak - er and keep - er of my days.
 2. In ev - 'ry mo - ment of life or death, you are.
 3. God of my pres - ent, my past and fu - ture, too.
 4. E - ven the dark - ness is ra - diant in your sight.
 5. Safe in your hands, all cre - a - tion is made new.

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YOU ARE NEAR

Dan Schutte

Refrain

O Lord, I know you are near, stand-ing al-ways at my side. You guard me from the foe, and you lead me in ways ev-er - last-ing.

Verses

1. Lord, you have searched my heart, and you know when I
2. Where can I run from your love? If I climb to the
3. You know my heart and its ways, you who formed me be-
4. Mar-vel-ous to me are your works; how pro-found are your

1. sit and when I stand. Your hand is up-on me, pro-
2. heav-ens you are there; if I fly to the sun-rise or
3. fore I was born, in the se-cret of dark-ness be-
4. thoughts, my Lord. E-ven if I could count them, they

to Refrain

1. tect-ing me from death, keep-ing me from harm.
2. sail be-yond the sea, still I'd find you there.
3. fore I saw the sun, in my moth-er's womb.
4. num-ber as the stars, you would still be there.

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LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING

1. Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heav'n, to earth come down!
Fix in us your humble dwelling; all your faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, source of all compassion, love unbounded, love all pure;
Visit us with your salvation, let your love in us endure.
2. Finish then your new creation, pure and spotless, gracious Lord;
Let us see your great salvation, perfectly in you restored.
Changed from glory into glory, till in heav'n we take our place,
Till we sing before the almighty, lost in wonder, love and praise!

Music HYFRYDOL. Text: 87 87 D; Charles Wesley, 1707–1788, alt. Music: Rowland H. Prichard, 1811–1887.

Spotlight On

Dan Schutte, Composer

“You Are Near,” “Here I am, Lord,”—Dan Schutte's music 50 years. Dan's music and writings flow from his Ignatian spirituality and his years of ministry. Most retreats, workshops and parish missions are all loves them and calls them by name. Dan is currently



has been part of the heartbeat for the Church for more than 50 years. Dan's music and writings flow from his Ignatian spirituality and his years of ministry. Most weekends, he can be found on the road. For Dan, concerts, opportunities to help people connect with the God who loves them and calls them by name. Dan is currently composer-in-residence at the Jesuit University of San Francisco. Some of [his] most celebrated songs, such as “City of God” and “Sing a New Song,” are from his years of collaboration with the St. Louis Jesuits. In 2015, OCP released the 40th-anniversary edition of *Earthen Vessels*, the group's best-selling second album. Dan's popular Mass setting—Mass of Christ the Savior—demonstrates an enduring ability to reach into people's hearts, young and old, and draw them into prayer. —Article Credit: OCP Publications, <https://www.ocp.org/en-us/artists/352/dan-schutte>



Our Prayer for Christ the King Parish

Heavenly Father,
our hearts are open to you
as we discover the mystery of your love
at work in our lives.
Help us to **rediscover** each day
the power of that same love
through the sacred gift of our Catholic faith.

Jesus our Lord,
in baptism we connect our lives with you
as disciples.
Help us to **reconnect** each day
and allow our faith life
to be nourished by your Word and Sacrament
through the prayer
of our weekly attendance at Mass.

Holy Spirit,
breathe into us faith, hope and love
as we commit ourselves
to a new and bold Pentecost.
Help us to **recommit** each day
through our energy and resources
to the life of our parish community.

Give us the grace
to **rediscover,**
to **reconnect**
and to **recommit**
to all that is good and holy.
You are God forever and ever.
Amen.



DAILY MASSES WEEK OF AUGUST 29

8:00 am	Saint Joseph Church <i>Monday, Wednesday, Friday</i>	Fr. Bill Siple
9:00 am	Saint Edward Church <i>Tuesday, Thursday, Friday</i>	Fr. Dale DeNinno
10:00 am	Saint Scholastica Church <i>Tuesday and Thursday</i>	Fr. Bill Siple
10:00 am	Saint Scholastica Church <i>Wednesday</i>	Fr. Dale DeNinno

SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES—SEPTEMBER 3

4:00 pm	Saint Joseph Church	Fr. Dale DeNinno
5:00 pm	Saint Scholastica Church	Fr. Bill Siple

SUNDAY MASSES—SEPTEMBER 4

8:00 am	Saint Edward Church	Fr. Bill Siple
9:00 am	Saint Joseph Church	Fr. Dale DeNinno
9:30 am	Saint Scholastica Church	Fr. Bill Siple
11:00 am	Saint Joseph Church	Fr. Dale DeNinno
11:30 am	Saint Mary Church	Fr. Bill Siple

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every Thursday

6:30-7:00 pm	Saint Scholastica Church
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Every Friday

9:30-10:00 am	Saint Edward Church
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Every Saturday

11:30-Noon	Saint Joseph Church
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SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday—August 28

Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29	Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a
Luke 14:1, 7-14	

Monday—August 29

1 Corinthians 2:1-5	Mark 6:17-29
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Tuesday—August 30

1 Corinthians 2:10b-16	Luke 4:31-37
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Wednesday—August 31

1 Corinthians 3:1-9	Luke 4:38-44
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Thursday—September 1

1 Corinthians 3:18-23	Luke 5:1-11
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Friday—September 2

1 Corinthians 4:1-5	Luke 5:33-39
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Saturday—September 3

1 Corinthians 4:6b-15	Luke 6:1-5
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Sunday—September 4

Wisdom 9:13-18b	Philemon 9-10, 12-17
Luke 14:25-33	

MASS INTENTIONS

SAINT EDWARD CHURCH

SUNDAY 8:00 am	August 28—22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time † Donald & Cheryl Burkhart (Family) † Flo Vitari (The Salego Family)
TUESDAY 9:00 am	August 30—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Joe Wachter (The Wachter Girls)
THURSDAY 9:00 am	September 1—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Mary Louise Szelong (Trudy Swab)
FRIDAY 9:00 am	September 2—Weekday in Ordinary Time A Special Intention (M.B.)
SUNDAY 8:00 am	September 4—23RD Sunday in Ordinary Time † Donald & Cheryl Burkhart (Family) † Charles Welsh (Family)

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH

SATURDAY 4:00 pm	August 27—22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time † The Montemurro & Cresta Families (Judy Cresta & Family)
SUNDAY 9:00 am 11:00 am	August 28—22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time The people of Christ the King Parish Carol Shock (Sandy Shock)
MONDAY 8:00 am	August 29—The Passion of Saint John the Baptist † Brad Huwar (Katie Flaherty) † Salvatore Panza & Son, John (Gerri Panza)
WEDNESDAY 8:00 am	August 31—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Laura Montemuro (Aunt Judy)
FRIDAY 8:00 am	September 2—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Louis & Agnes Miketic (Joyce Miketic) † Florence Fischer (Family)
SATURDAY 4:00 pm	September 3—23RD Sunday in Ordinary Time † Edward Kopala (Wife, Anna)
SUNDAY 9:00 am 11:00 am	September 4—23RD Sunday in Ordinary Time † Tangie Gatto (The Gatto Family) † Annamae Ubinger (Elaine & Gene Saus)



SAINT MARY CHURCH

SUNDAY 11:30 am	August 28—22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time † John & Virginia Sacco (The Sacco Family) † Judy Heim (Husband, Bob)
SUNDAY 11:30 am	September 4—23RD Sunday in Ordinary Time † John Fabrick (Wife & Children) † August Ferraro (Franco & Aunt Maria)

SAINT SCHOLASTICA CHURCH

SATURDAY 5:00 pm	August 27—22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time † Barbara Helwick (Valerie & David Hawkins)
SUNDAY 9:30 am	August 28—22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time † Mary Helen Fuhrer (Children & Grandchildren)
TUESDAY 10:00 am	August 30—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Henry & Josephine Lenard (The Allen Family)
WEDNESDAY 10:00 am	August 31—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Camille Roth (George & Bernadette Gillotti)
THURSDAY 10:00 am	September 1—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Fr. Paul Merkovsky (Tish Marsico) † Gordon Griffith (M. Griffith)
SATURDAY 5:00 pm	September 3—23RD Sunday in Ordinary Time † Jonathan Marsico, birthday (Tish Marsico) † William Saunders, anniversary (Dad, Mom, Margaret & John)
SUNDAY 9:30 am	September 4—23RD Sunday in Ordinary Time The people of Christ the King Parish



A LETTER FROM OUR PASTOR

Editor's Note: This article was written by Sister Mary McGlone, a Sister of Saint Joseph who serves on her congregation's leadership team in Los Angeles.

OUR STYLE OF LIFE

Jesus loved banquets. We never hear that he refused the offer of a good meal. Once there, he would transform the table into a space for evangelizing repartee. In today's scene, we can imagine him wryly observing as people vied to position themselves for the best seat in the house. If he wasn't actually chuckling into his beard, his eyes were surely laughing as each guest preened in the attempt to appear more distinguished than the rest.

Aware of the capacity of his audience, Jesus first offered advice about how to avoid humiliation: "Choose the lowliest place and nobody else can put you down." He directed this pragmatic counsel to folks highly concerned about appearances—a few of them might have been astute enough to grasp his wisdom.

But Jesus didn't stop with that wee bit of commentary. Although people had gathered for an ordinary Sabbath meal, Jesus wove a tale about a wedding banquet. That's a sure sign that he was talking about a lot more than the evening's dinner. Wedding banquets were one of his favorite symbols for the reign of God. A wedding celebrates something new and full of potential. It sacramentalizes the bonds of love and new relationships that can transform an entire community.

In that context, Jesus addressed his fellow guests as the probable hosts of dinners to come: "When it's your turn, break free of this old mold of a guest list written in stone. Get out of the rut of having everyone in the same position, repeating well-worn conversations, with nothing more than a change of venue. Repeating the same old, same old is hardly different from serving leftovers week after week. What about a new guest list instead of new clothes and fancy foods?"

Having gotten their attention, even if they assumed he was joking, Jesus suggested that they plan a collective escape from the routine by hosting the most unlikely characters in the area. He wanted to startle the self-impressed diners into imaginative creativity. What if everybody at that table decided to take him up on the suggestion? Instead of inviting one another, each could seek out an eclectic group of well-known and far less prestigious people. One might invite the butcher and his apprentice,

another the milkmaid. Someone would bring in the town beggar (offering a bath as a foot washing before reclining at table). Another patriarch could send out a couple of sturdy sons to carry in the paraplegic lying near the town square while his daughter escorted the widow next door. Each of those guests could be invited to bring a "plus-one" to round out the company. Imagine the unexpected table conversation.

What would happen at such a dinner? The entire tenor of the gathering would change as the guests entered into the sacrament of the table where eating together can be a living expression of shared humanity. The common enjoyment of the fruits of the earth could become a celebration of the gifts of smell and taste and beauty and a sign of their common dependence. The variety of people and perspective around the table would remind them that God's creation brims with luxuriant diversity all there for an enjoyment that increases exponentially to the degree that it is shared.

When the original group would regather a few weeks later, instead of worrying about procuring the best places, they might burst into tales about the experience, about ideas and perspectives they had never before imagined. It's not hard to imagine Jesus saying about such groups: "This is what it is like in the reign of God and the resurrection of the righteous."

Pope Francis follows Jesus' lead in his letter **Fratelli Tutti**. Critiquing entertainments like the dinner where the place of honor grabbed everyone's attention, Francis laments that we can feed ourselves "*on dreams of splendor and grandeur and ended up consuming distraction, insularity and solitude.*" He goes on to remind us that "*Human beings are so made that they cannot live, develop and find fulfillment except in the sincere gift of self to others.*" He wants us to constantly enlarge our table of encounter.

Following the advice Jesus and Pope Francis offer would be an adventure - a step into the unknown. They are inviting us not just to eat and drink in the presence of others, but enter into mutually nourishing and transforming interchange. As Pope Francis says, "*Life, for all its confrontations, is the art of encounter. We, as a people, should be passionate about meeting others, seeking points of contact, building bridges, planning a project that includes everyone.*" Francis says this can be our aspiration and style of life. Jesus calls it the resurrection of the righteous.

NEWS and ANNOUNCEMENTS

THAT MAN IS YOU: Men of Christ the King Parish are invited to participate in a program combining the best research from science with the teachings of the Church faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop a vision of man fully and spiritually alive. A thirteen week program will begin on Friday, September 9TH in the social hall of Saint Scholastica Church. Each session will be from 6:00 to 7:30 in the morning. See the detailed information on page 11 of this bulletin.

FACILITIES MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR

Christ the King Parish is looking to hire a full-time person to oversee the upkeep of our many parish buildings. The minimum qualifications would include these:

Education: High school degree or its equivalent; building trades and general maintenance certificate.

Experience: 5 to 7 years' experience in related field.

Knowledge/Skills: Experience in the operation of building systems such as electrical, plumbing, heating, air conditioning, HVAC controls, hardware, and roofing. Working knowledge and operation of power tools, routine construction and repair techniques; ability to work well under minimal supervision; capacity to take direction; strong attention to detail; physically capable of lifting and moving objects up to 50 lbs. as necessary.

Summary of Job: Supervises the maintenance, renovation, restoration, and upkeep of the parish buildings, including mechanical, plumbing, and electrical systems. Conducts preventative maintenance, safety and energy conservation audits. Works with full and part-time custodial staff and may also supervise outside contractors.

Interested individuals should contact the Pastor, Father Dale DeNinno, at 412-963-8885 x103 or Lori McKinniss, the parish Business Manager, at 412-963-8885 x104.

THE DOORS OF SAINT MARY IN SHARPSBURG: For anyone who has passed in front of the main entrance to Saint Mary Church, you will have noticed the deplorable condition of the doors. Work will soon begin on enhancing their beauty. Professional painters will scrape and paint them, as well as the handrails on the steps. It is a job long overdue.

CHRIST THE KING RESPECT LIFE: Keep in mind the PA March for Life on September 19 in Harrisburg. We need to let our lawmakers know that we support respecting and protecting all human life from conception to natural death. There will be some buses. More details to follow. Keep praying, fasting and working for life. You can find an August prayer guide from USCCB at prolife@usccb.org

THE WOMAN'S CATHOLIC BIBLE GROUP will hold an information session at 1:00 pm on Tuesday, September 6, for newcomers interested in reviewing the study material and meeting current participants. Returning students who have pre-ordered will be able to pick up their workbooks at that time. The group is studying the First Book of Samuel and the 9 week fall session will begin the following Tuesday, September 13, from 1:00 to 3:00 pm in St. Scholastica Hall. For additional information or to register, call 412-963-0198

NEW WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

4:00	Saint Joseph
5:00	Saint Scholastica
8:00	Saint Edward
9:00	Saint Joseph
9:30	Saint Scholastica
11:00	Saint Joseph
11:30	Saint Mary

NEW DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

8:00	Saint Joseph <i>Mon, Wed, Fri</i>
*9:00	Saint Edward <i>Tues, Thurs, Fri</i>
10:00	Saint Scholastica <i>Tues, Wed, Thurs</i>

*The 9:00 o'clock Mass on Tuesday and Thursday will move to Madonna of Jerusalem Church on 9th Street in Sharpsburg when the exterior repair work is completed on the church.

WEEKLY CONFESSION SCHEDULE

6:30-7:00 pm	Saint Scholastica <i>Every Thursday night</i>
9:30-10:00 am	Saint Edward <i>Every Friday morning</i>
11:30-Noon	Saint Joseph <i>Every Saturday morning</i>



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Collection for:

August 13 & 14 — \$21,330
August 20 & 21 — \$20,497

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NEWS and ANNOUNCEMENTS



Registration for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation for 2022-23 is now open!

ALL families who wish for their children to receive Sacrament(s) at Christ the King Parish MUST complete the registration form by scanning the code below, or by visiting <https://christthekingpgh.org/sacramental-preparation>.

First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion Registration (Second Grade*) **Confirmation Registration (Eighth Grade*)**

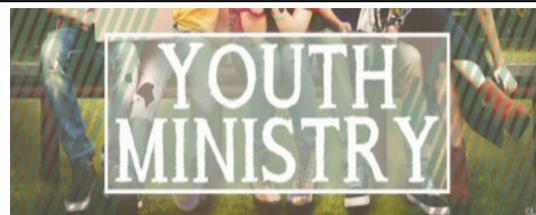


All students NOT enrolled in Catholic School must also be enrolled in and attend Family Faith Formation sessions in addition to the Sacramental Preparation Session each month.

Children who ARE enrolled at CDTCA or another Catholic School wishing to receive the Sacraments at Christ the King Parish must complete the Sacramental Registration form but are NOT required to register for and attend Family Faith Formation sessions. In order to build a sense of community among everyone preparing to celebrate the Sacraments, we ask that our students enrolled in a Catholic School join us for retreats, but they are not required to attend the monthly preparations sessions.

If your child needs to prepare for First Reconciliation and First Communion and is NOT in the second grade, or your child needs to prepare for Confirmation and is NOT in eighth grade, please contact Sara Octave as soon as possible to discuss preparation options.

For more information regarding Sacraments at Christ the King Parish, visit our website or contact Sara Octave at soclave@christthekingpgh.org/412-676-7211.



High school and Middle school students, are you ready to start a new year? The CTK Youth Ministry program has plenty of fun activities planned! We will kick off the school year on Saturday, **September 10**, with a Youth Mass at Saint Joseph Church at 4:00pm followed by fun, games and food at the Saint Joseph Pavilion. If you are interested in participating in the Youth Mass as a musician, reader or usher contact Meredith Troyan at MTroyan@ChristtheKingpgh.org. To sign up for Youth Ministry notifications via Flocknote, go to <https://christthekingpgh.org/flocknote>. Stay tuned for more activities and events!



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CDTCA opened its doors last week to over 170 students in Pre-School through 8th grade. We pray that this is a blessed school year for our students, staff and families. May the Lord

give strength and grace to our growing bodies, wisdom and knowledge to our minds, and peace to our hearts as grow in our faith.



Christ the King parents, the new year of Faith Formation is fast approaching! We will kick off on Catechetical Sunday, September 18, at the 11:00 am Mass at Saint Joseph Church. To register for 2022-2023 Family Faith Formation, go to <https://christthekingpgh.org/faith-formation> or scan the QR code. We hope your family can join us for a faith-filled journey!



Our Faith Formation program is in need of volunteers.

We are looking for faith-filled people who enjoy working with children to help our Catechists in their classroom sessions as Catechist Aides, as well as people who can help with session hospitality and preparation of materials. All volunteers over the age of 18 must have current clearances on file. Visit <https://christthekingpgh.org/support-faith-formation-at-christ-the-king-parish> or scan the QR code to sign up today!



SOCIAL OUTREACH



Members of our community who are in need of short-term assistance can contact the CTK Saint Vincent de Paul Society at svdp@ChristtheKingpgh.org or 412-254-4446.

The St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry serves local families in need every month. We are always in need of non-perishable food items. We are also in need of: paper towels, Kleenex, and single-serve packages of cookies and crackers. Please use the bins in the churches or drop off at the pantry on Tuesday morning from 8:30-11:00 am at Saint Mary Church, Almayer Way, Sharpsburg.

The Aspinwall Homeless Ministry is not currently accepting donations of clothing. *However, they are very much in need of 4-packs of pudding, jello or fruit cups, foil packs of tuna or chicken, canned soup, and large bags of chips or salty snacks.* Please leave donations in plastic bags in the gray bins at the Saint Scholastica church entrance. Donations of Giant Eagle gift cards are always gratefully accepted. They can be brought to the Saint Scholastica church office.

Christ the King Parish provides a hot meal for the women's shelter at Bethlehem Haven on the first Sunday of each month and the men's shelter at Community House on the fourth Saturday of each month. For details on how you can participate in this ministry, go to ChristtheKingpgh.org/shelter-meals.



Do you have extra pairs of tennis shoes hanging around the house? The Fox Chapel Garden Club will be collecting tennis shoes for recycling the weekends of September 4, 11, and

18. Look for collection bins in Saint Joseph, Saint Scholastica, Saint Mary, and Saint Edward Churches. All brands of athletic shoes are accepted—no cleats. Once collected the shoes will be sorted into usable and not usable groups. The usable shoes will be given to local charities. The unusable, worn-out shoes will be packed and shipped to Nike's Reuse-A-Shoe program where they will be ground and reused in playground mats, running tracks, carpet underlayment, basketball courts and more.

ADDICTION RECOVERY MINISTRY NEWS

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Father Michael Decewicz is an internet sensation! He has recorded a podcast and you can see the current snippets from the conversation on our Facebook page, Addiction Recovery Ministry Pittsburgh. Special thanks to Corey Ochai, host of The 1028 Podcast, who invited Father Michael onto his podcast. Father is deeply grateful.

Recovery is to be celebrated! September is Recovery Celebration Month. Come join us on Sunday, September 18, from 7-9 pm at Atithi Studios, 1020 North Canal Street in Sharpsburg, for a celebration of recovery—a promise of hope and healing. The evening will feature speakers, music, art, and food. All are welcome!

Don't forget about the food needed for our Light of Life Brown Bag lunch initiative. We need raisins, granola bars, drink pouches or powders, small bags of chips, individually-wrapped cookies, chewing gum, fruit cups, and lunches-in-a-box (tuna or chicken salad with crackers.) Thank you for your generosity!



Listening to the Voice of Creation: The Season of Creation is an ecumenical Christian celebration of prayer and action for our common home. It begins this week on September 1 and concludes on October 4, the feast day of St. Francis of Assisi. The theme this year is: "Listen to the Voice of Creation,"

and its symbol is the burning bush from the story of Moses in Exodus, chapter 3. As wildfires stoked by climate change burn across our world, we recall the flame of the burning bush, which did not destroy, but revealed the loving presence of God.

This week, go outside and take time to listen to the voice of creation. As you begin, ask the Spirit of God to open your senses and mind and heart. Look for some creature—a bird, a tree, a rock or some natural thing—that attracts your attention. When you have found it, stop and spend some time. Use your senses to explore this creature and appreciate its uniqueness. Ask yourself: What is it about this creature that attracted me? What in my mind or heart or memory did it touch? Does it have something to tell me? Then share what you find in your reflection with God in prayer. If you are doing this with children, see how they answer the question: "What do you think this [tree, rock, flower, cloud] would say to us if it could talk?" If you get a striking answer, email the Creation Care Team c/o Andy Bechman at abechman@christthekingpgh.org!

PARISH INFORMATION

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
Thursday, September 1	6:30pm	Holy Hour of Prayer and Benediction	Saint Edward Church
Thursday, September 1	7:00pm	Listening Friends: Survivors of a Suicide Loss Support Group	Saint Joseph, John Paul II Hall
Sunday, September 4	3:00pm	Women's Shelter Meal	Saint Joseph upper parking lot
Monday, September 5		Parish Offices Closed for Labor Day	
Tuesday, September 6	1:00pm	Women's Bible Study Information Session	Saint Scholastica Hall



September 4: Parish Share
September 11: Bishop's Education Fund



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- The three main obstacles to living as authentic men and the means for overcoming them.
- The wonderful renewal God is offering to men and their families through the Church.

PROGRAM DEVELOPER:

Steve Bollman

Developer, That Man is You! Founder & President, Paradisus Dei

During the Great Jubilee, Steve Bollman experienced a personal call to found a ministry dedicated to the renewal of marriage and family life. In 2002, he set aside his professional interests as an energy derivatives trader in Houston, Texas, to found Paradisus Dei. In 2004, Steve developed the That Man is You! Men's program, which quickly moved across the country transforming men, marriages, and families. Independent research by a Faith Advisor to The Gallup Poll identified it as one of the most life transforming programs ever studied.

PROGRAM INFORMATION:

Christ the King Parish
St. Scholastica Social Hall
13 Week Program
Starting Friday morning,
September 9th, 6-7:30am

SCHEDULE:

6:00am—Breakfast
6:30am—Presentation
7:00am—Small Group Discussion
7:30am—Dismissal

REGISTRATION:

For more information or to register, please contact John Kolonich at jgkolonich@gmail.com or 412-484-6549

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Mass Request Form for 2022

1. The \$10 stipend for each Mass must be attached to this form. Please bring or mail the form to one of our church offices.
2. Masses are scheduled on a first-come, first-served basis. If your first or second choice of date and time is not available, you will be given the closest day.

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Requested by _____

Date and Time of Mass

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SECOND MASS INTENTION

Name _____ Deceased? (Y /N)

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Date and Time of Mass

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SACRAMENTS and MORE

BAPTISMS: Celebrated **during** any of the weekend liturgies or immediately **after** the following liturgies: 4:00pm or 11:00am at Saint Joseph, 11:30am at Saint Mary, 5:00pm at Saint Scholastica. First-time parents must complete a baptism preparation class. Contact the parish office for details.

WEDDINGS: Celebrated at 2:00pm on Saturdays. Contact the parish office to set up a meeting with a priest at least six months before the desired date.

FUNERALS: Offered at 10:00 or 10:30am, Monday through Saturday. The funeral home will contact the parish office.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Available to those who are chronically ill. Please contact the parish office to request an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: See the bulletin schedule for times and locations.

MASS INTENTIONS: Offered at each Mass for deceased loved ones or for other special intentions. Please call the parish office to schedule or visit our website at ChristtheKingpgh.org/forms-and-downloads.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION: Offered for grades K-8 on Sunday afternoons and Wednesday evenings at Saint Joseph Church, September through April. Contact the Faith Formation Office at 412-963-8885 for details or to register.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES: All parishioners are encouraged to contribute their time and talents to the church. We have opportunities to serve at Mass as lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, ushers, music ministers and altar servers. Please contact the parish office for information on all our volunteer opportunities. All staff and volunteers in the Diocese of Pittsburgh are required to obtain clearances and training to comply with the Safe Environment Policy. See diopitt.org/compliance or contact the parish office for details.

MEMBERSHIP: To register at Christ the King Parish, update your contact information, or let us know if you or a family member is homebound or has moved to a nursing home, please use the form below, contact the parish office, or visit our website at: ChristtheKingpgh.org/join-our-parish.

Christ the King Parish Membership Form

Name: _____

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Check One:

- New Registration
- Change of Address
- Moving out of Parish
- Requesting Envelopes

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