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19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



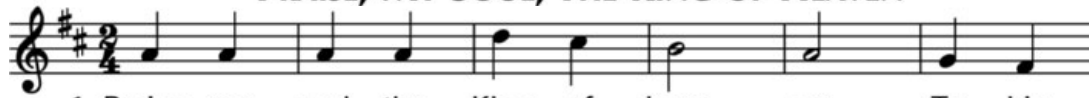
"Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour when the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come." - Lk 12:39-40

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August 10, 2025

19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—WORSHIP AID

PRAISE, MY SOUL, THE KING OF HEAVEN LAUDA ANIMA



1. Praise, my soul, the King of heav - en; To his
2. Praise him for his grace and fa - vor To his
3. Fa - ther - like he tends and spares us; Well our
4. An - gels, help us to a - dore him; You be -



1. feet thy trib - ute bring; Ran-somed, healed, re - stored, for -
2. chil - dren in dis - tress; Praise him still the same as
3. fee - ble frame he knows; In his hands he gen - tly
4. hold him face to face; Sun and moon, bow down be -



1. giv - en, Ev - er - more his prais - es sing: Al - le - lu - ia!
2. ev - er, Slow to chide and swift to bless: Al - le - lu - ia!
3. bears us, Res - cues us from all our foes. Al - le - lu - ia!
4. fore him, In his ho - ly dwell - ing place. Al - le - lu - ia!



1. Al - le - lu - ia! Praise the ev - er - last - ing King.
2. Al - le - lu - ia! Glo - rious in his faith - ful - ness.
3. Al - le - lu - ia! Wide - ly yet his mer - cy flows.
4. Al - le - lu - ia! Praise with us the God of grace.



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: Wisdom 18:6-9

The night of the passover was known beforehand to our fathers, that, with sure knowledge of the oaths in which they put their faith, they might have courage. Your people awaited the salvation of the just and the destruction of their foes. For when you punished our adversaries, in this you glorified us whom you had summoned. For in secret the holy children of the good were offering sacrifice and putting into effect with one accord the divine institution.

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

Responsorial Psalm:

PSALM 33: 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C



R. Bless - ed the peo - ple the Lord has[cho - sen,]cho - sen to be his own.

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Second Reading: Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19

Brothers and sisters: Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and evidence of things not seen. Because of it the ancients were well attested.

By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to go out to a place that he was to receive as an inheritance; he went out, not knowing where he was to go. By faith he sojourned in the promised land as in a foreign country, dwelling in tents with Isaac and Jacob, heirs of the same promise; for he was looking forward to the city with foundations, whose architect and maker is God. By faith he received power to generate, even though he was past the normal age—and Sarah herself was sterile—for he thought that the one who had made the promise was trustworthy. So it was that there came forth from one man, himself as good as dead, descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky and as countless as the sands on the seashore.

All these died in faith. They did not receive what had been promised but saw it and greeted it from afar and acknowledged themselves to be strangers and aliens on earth, for those who speak thus show that they are seeking a homeland. If they had been thinking of the land from which they had come, they would have had opportunity to return. But now they desire a better homeland, a heavenly one. Therefore, God is not ashamed to be called their God, for he has prepared a city for them.

By faith Abraham, when put to the test, offered up Isaac, and he who had received the promises was ready to offer his only son, of whom it was said, “Through Isaac descendants shall bear your name.” He reasoned that God was able to raise even from the dead, and he received Isaac back as a symbol.

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

Gospel: Luke 12:32-48

Jesus said to his disciples: “Do not be afraid any longer, little flock, for your Father is pleased to give you the kingdom. Sell your belongings and give alms. Provide money bags for yourselves that do not wear out, an inexhaustible treasure in heaven that no thief can reach nor moth destroy. For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be.

“Gird your loins and light your lamps and be like servants who await their master’s return from a wedding, ready to open immediately when he comes and knocks. Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival. Amen, I say to you, he will gird himself, have them recline at table, and proceed to wait on them. And should he come in the second or third watch and find them prepared in this way, blessed are those servants. Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour when the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come.”

Then Peter said, “Lord, is this parable meant for us or for everyone?” And the Lord replied, “Who, then, is the faithful and prudent steward whom the master will put in charge of his servants to distribute the food allowance at the proper time? Blessed is that servant whom his master on arrival finds doing so. Truly, I say to you, the master will put the servant in charge of all his property. But if that servant says to himself, ‘My master is delayed in coming,’ and begins to beat the menservants and the maidservants, to eat and drink and get drunk, then that servant’s master will come on an unexpected day and at an unknown hour and will punish the servant severely and assign him a place with the unfaithful. That servant who knew his master’s will but did not make preparations nor act in accord with his will shall be beaten severely; and the servant who was ignorant of his master’s will but acted in a way deserving of a severe beating shall be beaten only lightly. Much will be required of the person entrusted with much, and still more will be demanded of the person entrusted with more.”

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.

FOR YOU ARE MY GOD

John Foley, S.J.

Refrain

For you are my God; you a-lone are my joy. De-

Verses

fend me, O Lord.

1. You give mar-vel-ous
2. — You are my
3. — Glad are my
4. ‡ You show me the

1. com-rades to me; the faith-ful who dwell in your

2. por-tion and cup; it is you that I claim for my

3. heart and my soul; se-cure-ly my bod-y shall

4. path for my life; in your pres-ence the full-ness of

1. land. Those who choose a-li-en gods

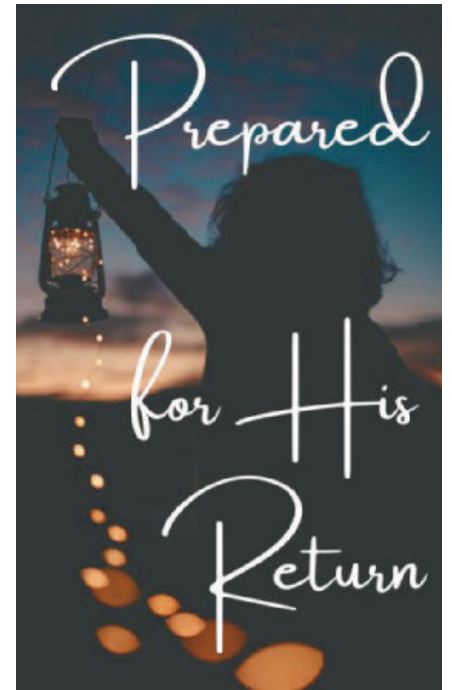
2. prize. Your her-i-tage is my de-light,

3. rest. For you will not leave me for dead,

4. joy. To be at your right hand for-ev-er

to Refrain

1. have cho-sen an a-li-en band.
2. the lot you have giv-en to me.
3. nor lead your be-lov-ed a-stray.
4. for me would be hap-pi-ness al-ways.



TASTE AND SEE

Psalm 34

Steve Angrisano

Taste and see the good-ness of the Lord, the good-ness of the Lord.

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1. I will bless the Lord at all times.
Praise will be on my lips.
My soul will glory in the Lord.
The poor will hear and be glad.

2. I sought the Lord who answered me,
delivered me from my fear.
Look to God that you might shine
with the radiance of God's joy.

3. The Lord has eyes for justice,
ears to hear your cry.
God knows your broken heart.
The Lord redeems a loyal servant.
Take refuge in your God.

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You Are Near

Dan Schutte

Refrain

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

Verses

Lord, you have searched my heart, and you know when I sit and when I stand. Your
Where can I run from your love? If I climb to the heav-ens you are there; If I
You know my heart and its ways, you who formed me be - fore I was born, in the
Mar - vel - ous to me are your works; how pro - found are your thoughts, my Lord. E - ven

to Refrain

hand is up - on me, pro - tect ing me from death, keep-ing me from harm.
fly to the sun-rise or sail be - yond the sea, still I'd find you there.
se - cret of dark-ness be - fore I saw the sun, in my moth - er's womb.
if I could count them, they num - ber as the stars, you would still be there.

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Let All Things Now Living

ASH GROVE

1. Let all things now liv - ing A song of thanks-giv - ing To God our Cre - a - tor tri - umphant-ly
2. His law he en - forc-es, The stars in their cours-es, The sun in its or - bit o - be-dient-ly

raise; Who fashioned and made us, Pro - tect - ed and stayed us, By guid - ing us on to the
shine. The hills and the mountains, The riv - ers and foun-tains, The depths of the o - cean pro -

end of our days. God's ban - ners are o'er us, Pure light goes be - fore us, A
claim God di - vine. We, too, should be voic - ing Our love and re - joic - ing With

pil - lar of fire shin - ing forth in the night: Till shad - ows have van - ished And
glad ad - o - ra - tion, a song let us raise: Till all things now liv - ing U -

dark - ness is ban - ished, As for - ward we trav - el from light in - to Light.
nite in thanks - giv - ing, To God in the high - est, ho - san - na and praise.

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LITURGICAL LIFE

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH

SATURDAY 4:00 pm	August 9—19TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † Dan Pawlikowski (Debbie & Jamie Bryan)
SUNDAY 9:00 am	August 10—19TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † David Gallagher (Rich Pietroski & Susan Stuart)
11:00 am	The people of Christ the King Parish
MONDAY 8:00 am	August 11—Saint Clare † Lorraine Murphey (Linda Suggs, Sister)
WEDNESDAY 8:00 am	August 13—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Edward Wierzbowski (Family)
THURSDAY 4:00 pm	August 14—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary † Catherine Galore (Family)
FRIDAY 8:00 am	August 15—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Special Intentions for James E. Sullivan (Mom & Dad)
SATURDAY 4:00 pm	August 16—20TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † Inez Pilarski (Southern Allegheny Valley Emergency Services)
SUNDAY 9:00 am	August 17—20TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † John Alappattu (AJI)
11:00 am	† Alice Stuart (Susan Stuart & Rich Pietroski)

SAINT MARY CHURCH

SUNDAY 11:30 am	August 10—19TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † Leo Rudzki, Sr. (Carmella & Family)
FRIDAY 11:30 am	August 15—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary † Francis, Sr. Peitz & Harry Peitz (Janice Peitz)
SUNDAY 11:30 am	August 17—20TH Sunday in Ordinary Time The people of Christ the King Parish

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday—August 10	
Wisdom 18:6-9	Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 Luke 12:32-48
Monday—August 11	
Deuteronomy 10:12-22	Matthew 17:22-27
Tuesday—August 12	
Deuteronomy 31:1-8	Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday—August 13	
Deuteronomy 34:1-12	Matthew 18:15-20
Thursday—August 14	
Numbers 20:1-13	Matthew 16:13-23
Friday—August 8	
Deuteronomy 4:32-40	Matthew 16:24-28
Saturday—August 9	
Deuteronomy 6:4-13	Matthew 17:14-20
Sunday—August 10	
Wisdom 18:6-9	Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 Luke 12:32-48

SAINT SCHOLASTICA CHURCH

SATURDAY 5:00 pm	August 9—19TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † George “Bud” Eckert (Brother, Bill Eckert)
SUNDAY 9:30 am	August 10—19TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † Bob Allen (Harriet Edmonds)
TUESDAY 10:00 am	August 12—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Ed & Elaine Eckert (Bill Eckert & Family)
WEDNESDAY 10:00 am	August 13—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Dr. Salvatore & Patricia Certo (Jo Certo)
THURSDAY 10:00 am	August 14—Saint Maximilian Kolbe † Edith McGough (Mary Leffler)
FRIDAY 10:00 am	August 15—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary † Mary Fuller (Traci Giuffre)
SATURDAY 5:00 pm	August 16—20TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † Fred Crock (Kathleen Crock & Family)
SUNDAY 9:30 am	August 17—20TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † Scott Neely (John & Lisa Kolonich)

SAINT EDWARD CHURCH

SUNDAY 8:00 am	August 10—19TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † Audrey Friel (Jack & Children)
FRIDAY 6:00 pm	August 15—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary † Rose Tedesco (Ginnie Desak)
SUNDAY 8:00 am	August 17—20TH Sunday in Ordinary Time † Bart & Orsola DeLuca (Family)

MADONNA OF JERUSALEM CHURCH

TUESDAY 9:00 am	August 12—Weekday in Ordinary Time † Msgr. Anthony Marcaccio (Flick Family)
THURSDAY 9:00 am	August 14—Saint Maximilian Kolbe † Timothy & Donna Donovan (Philip Family & Friends)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Watson Theodore Kwiatkowski • August 2, 2025

REST IN PEACE

William J. Tiegel • August 4, 2025

A LETTER FROM OUR PASTOR

Prayers for Enemies and Me (A Diptych in Three Parts)

good God and Father
there are these foes
 not enemies of mine
 nor do I hate them
should they need forgiveness
 I forgive them
bless them
if they want forgiveness
 make them more forgivable
if they need enlightenment
 enlighten them
 improvement, help them to it
what is good in them
 make better
 help me to see it too
fill their needs
draw them close to You
and save them

help me understand the other cheek
 about the seemingly less likeable
enlighten me on them
broaden my view
develop me with
 different, newer, better tastes
give me more good will
and ability to love
 more genuinely
 more inclusively

more selflessly
more generously too
help me to discover You
 wherever You may seem to hide
draw close to You
and love You there
 as Friend

Editor's Note: This "poem-prayer" was written by Father Pascal Schaller (1924-2005), a Capuchin Franciscan priest who had a clever genius in the manner in which he used words to convey a message. Our pastor knew and lived with Father Pascal while he was in studies and formation for the priesthood, living in Herman, PA, and Washington, DC.

Feast of The Assumption: At the completion of her earthly life, we believe that Mary, the Mother of God, was taken into heaven body and soul. According to the tradition of our Catholic faith, her Assumption was defined and proclaimed in 1950 by Pope Pius XII as a dogma which must be believed.

We honor this feast of the Blessed Mother as a holy day of obligation when all Catholics are to attend Mass. The schedule of Masses in the churches of Christ the King Parish is:

Thursday, August 14

4:00 pm Saint Joseph Church

Friday, August 15

8:00 am Saint Joseph Church

10:00 am Saint Scholastica Church

11:30 am Saint Mary Church

6:00 pm Saint Edward Church

Please note that the usual 9:00 o' clock Mass on Friday morning in Saint Edward Church will not be offered.

Missionary Co-op Visit: Father John Callan, a member of the religious congregation known as the Pierist Fathers, will visit Christ the King Parish the weekend of August 16-17. He will speak at all the Masses and ask for our financial support to assist the ministry of the Pierist Fathers in their outreach to the education of youth and the very poor. The Order of Pious Schools, known as the Pierists, was founded in the 16TH century in Spain by Saint Joseph Calasantz (1557-1648).



Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC: Interested parishioners are invited to share in this one-day trip on Saturday, September 13, 2025. The day will include a tour of the basilica, Holy Hour, opportunity for Confession, and Mass with Bishop Emeritus David Zubik.

The cost for the day is \$100 per person and includes a boxed dinner for the ride home. For lunch, the cafeteria will be open for pilgrims to purchase simple meals like soup, sandwiches, fruits, muffins, coffee, etc.

Chartered buses to and from the shrine will be available at four different locations, leaving at 6:00 am and returning by 10:00 pm. Saint Alphonsus Church (221 Church Road in Wexford); Saint Angela Merici Church (2701 Kelly Street in White Oak); Holy Trinity Church (5720 Steubenville Pike in Robinson Township); and the Pittsburgh Diocesan Pastoral Center (2900 Noblestown Road in Crafton).

Space is limited. To register online, go to:
diopitt.org/national-shrine-pilgrimage.

NEWS and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Catholic Men's Fellowship of Western PA will host the 17TH Annual Gathering on Saturday, September 13, 2025 from 12:00 o'clock Noon until 5:30 pm at the Duquesne University Power Center Ballroom. The conference is being held to celebrate the Jubilee Year of Hope and will include interesting and dynamic speakers, Eucharistic Adoration, opportunity for Confession, and Mass with Auxiliary Bishop William Waltersheid.

All men of Christ the King Parish are urged to attend. It promises to be a faith-filled day. You may find more information and register online at www.cmfwpa.org.

Vehicle Parking for Mass: Recently it was brought to our attention by the O'Hara and Blawnox Police Department that people coming to Mass on the weekend at Saint Joseph Church are parking in places where they shouldn't. Care and attention must be paid to avoid any potential problem that may arise if emergency vehicles need to respond to an urgent call. Please park in spaces properly designated, not only on the grounds of Saint Joseph Church but at our other churches of Christ the King Parish as well.

Recruiting New Altar Servers: Young people in grades 5 through high school are needed to assist the priest at the altar during Mass. If you are interested and with parental support, please contact Father Dale DeNinno at the parish office or at his email address.

Help us make this Sunday's Parish Picnic a delicious event! Bring your handheld, single-serve desserts, fruit, and snacks to the social hall the day of the picnic for everyone to enjoy. *(Nothing that requires silverware please)*

Suggested donations:

Baked goods - Last name A to M

Fruit - Last name N to U

Single-serving packaged snacks (Chips, pretzels, etc) -
Last name V to Z.



Basket Raffle Presale: Check out the many fantastic theme baskets and other items in our 2025 Parish Picnic Basket Raffle! Tickets can be purchased at the picnic or at our presale at Saint Joseph Church:

Saturday August 9—3:30 to 6 pm

Sunday August 10—8:30am to 1 pm

You do not need to be present to win.

Have you ever wondered about the ministries and organizations offered through Christ the King Parish? Take some time to learn more at the parish picnic this Sunday. Stop by the Creation Care Team's table to share your

thoughts about topics and activities or to refill your water bottle. Learn about strengthening your faith through our different Bible Study programs and Retreats. Find ways you can support our local community through parish outreaches such as the Food Pantry, Respect Life, and Shelter Meals program.



Attention Men of Christ the King Parish!

Are you

looking to deepen your relationship with God? Be a better husband? Become a more loving father? Build friendships with like-minded men? And seek to be the best man you can be? Then come join That Man Is You! Friday mornings 6:00-7:30 am in Saint Scholastica Church Hall starting on September 12. Scan the QR code to register and contact John Kolonich for more info at jgkolonich@gmail.com or 412-848-6549.



"As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another."
Proverbs 27:17

Saint Joseph Preschool is hiring a teachers assistant. Hours are Monday & Wednesday, 8:45-11:15 am. To apply, email MLarussa@ChristtheKingpgh.org.

The Parish's Women's Bible Group has selected the Book of Psalms as their study focus for the fall semester. The first session will be held on Tuesday, September 9, and will run for 10 weeks. This year's study is published by Ascension Press and the authors are Jeff Cavins, Sarah Christmyer and Tim Gray. Each week's lesson includes prayer, discussion, extended commentary on the chapter as well as a video analysis. Cost of the workbook is \$30. To insure you receive your workbook before the start of class, please register by August 31. All are welcome and no prior participation is necessary as each study's information is self-contained. The group meets on Tuesdays from 1:00 to 3:00 pm in the Saint Scholastica social hall. For additional information or for new participants to register, please call 412-721-1160.

Christ the King Respect Life: Our prayer service for children buried at St. Mary's Cemetery has been rescheduled for Sunday, September 7, at 3:30 pm. If you did not get to put your child's name on the list, no matter how long ago, it will be available at our table at the picnic. Mark your calendar for the Annual PA March for Life in Harrisburg on Monday, September 22. A bus will be leaving from Saint Scholastica Church. Details later. All ages welcome and encouraged to come! Our next meeting will be on Thursday, August 21, at 7:30 pm, at Saint Scholastica. You are welcome!

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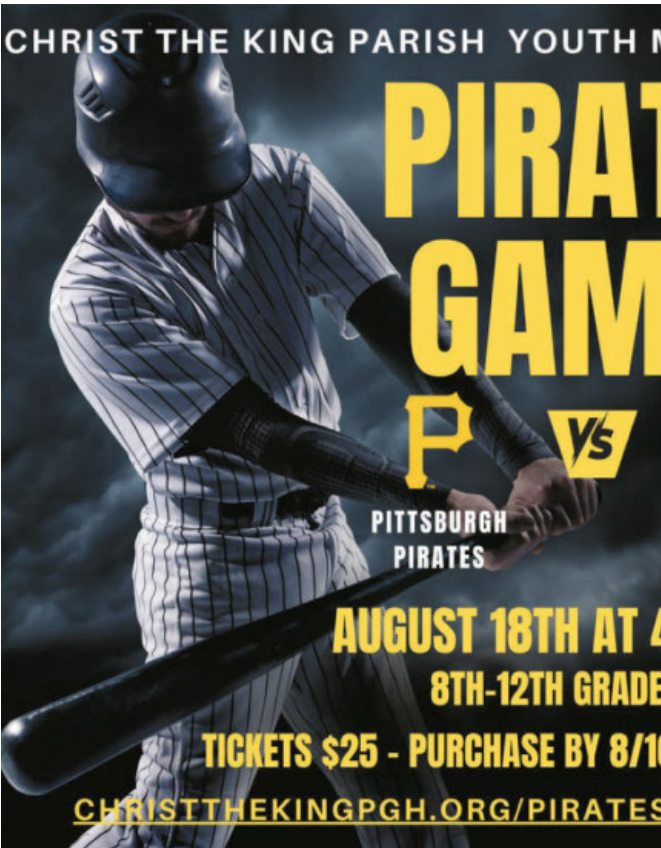
CHRIST THE KING PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY

PIRATE GAME

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PITTSBURGH PIRATES TORONTO BLUEJAYS

AUGUST 18TH AT 4.00 PM
8TH-12TH GRADE
TICKETS \$25 - PURCHASE BY 8/10
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Family Faith Formation registration for 2025-26 is open!

We are offering TWO Options for Family Faith Formation Sessions this year: one where the students break into separate classrooms by grade, and one where the whole family stays together to learn the lesson. You can find descriptions and dates for these two options as well as registration information on our website at ChristtheKingpgh.org/faith-formation.



Parents of children who will be receiving First Communion or Confirmation this year, please be sure to sign up for the additional sacramental preparation program at ChristtheKingpgh.org/sacramental-preparation.



Our 2025-2026 year will begin on Catechetical Sunday, September 21, 2025. All families are invited to join us for Mass at 11:00 am in Saint Joseph Church. After Mass, families will join in fellowship and pick up materials downstairs in the social hall.

CHRIST THE KING PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY

BACK TO SCHOOL PICNIC

AUGUST 16TH

Join us for Yard Games, Fellowship, and Food
Middle School and High School

Middle School bring a side dish
High School bring a dessert
Burgers and Hot Dogs provided

5-8pm Saint Joseph Church  342 Dorseyville Road



Christ the Divine Teacher Catholic Academy

205 Brilliant Ave, Aspinwall
PA 15215

412-781-7927

Email: office@cdtca.org

Website: www.cdtca.org
Mark Grgurich, Principal

CDTCA will be celebrating our Centennial on Saturday, September 6. Plan on joining us at 5 pm Mass at Saint Scholastica Church and meet up with former classmates and community supporters at 6 pm.

CDTCA is seeking certified substitute teachers to support

our K-8 classrooms on an as-needed basis. Grade levels and dates may vary. If you're interested in joining our dedicated team, please contact the school office at 412-781-7927 or email mark.grgurich@cdtca.org. Join us in making a difference in students' lives!

SOCIAL OUTREACH



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

Our St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry welcomes recurring donations of non-perishable food items along with toiletries and paper products, which may be placed in the bins found in our church vestibules or brought in-person Tuesday mornings to Saint Mary Church in Sharpsburg (6th St. and Altmayer Way). Particular items needed include peanut butter, jelly, cereal, pasta sauce, and paper products. Volunteers are always needed and most welcome. You are invited to join us as we improve our community—come see how we sustain more than 100 families with food every month. We are also looking for volunteers to do home visits to assess need. Training will be provided. Call 412-781-2866 for details. Please follow us on Facebook at Sharpsburg Food Pantry and on the web at sharpsburgfoodpantry.org.

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. We are always looking for new volunteers to help by donating a portion of the meal. For details on how you can participate in this ministry, go to ChristtheKingpgh.org/shelter-meals.

The Aspinwall Homeless Ministry supports numerous homeless individuals and needy families throughout our region and they are always happy to accept donations of non-perishable food. They are particularly in need of cookies, canned vegetables, pudding cups, large bags of chips and other snacks, macaroni and cheese, Ritz crackers, Spam, canned red or black beans, tuna and chicken (foil packets or cans with pull tabs), and powdered or shelf-stable milk.

Please leave donations in plastic bags in the gray bins at the Saint Scholastica Church entrance. Donations of Giant Eagle gift cards are also welcome. They can be brought to the Saint Scholastica Church office.

ADDICTION RECOVERY MINISTRY

John Paul I Center • 201 9th Street, Sharpsburg, PA 15215
412-378-9290 • rhaasarm@gmail.com
addictionrecoveryministrypittsburgh.org
Facebook & YouTube: Addiction Recovery Ministry Pittsburgh

A.R.M. is sponsoring a Resource Fair on Saturday, September 20, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm which will feature speakers, recovery resources, and food. All are welcome.

In collaboration with the Diocese of Pittsburgh, A.R.M. is hosting a session of iThirst, a program that focuses on spirituality in the prevention, treatment, and aftercare of those suffering from substance use disorders and their families. This certification training will begin on Monday, September 15. For more information, please go to <https://www.addictionrecoveryministrypittsburgh.org>.

A.R.M. helps those suffering from addiction and homelessness monthly with 150 brown-bag lunches. If you wish to donate food, please contact Rosemarie at 412-378-9290 for more information.

Around the Diocese . . .

Adults of all ages are invited to the Young Catholic Professionals August Networking Happy Hour on Thursday, August 14, from 7:00-9:00 pm at McFadden's Restaurant & Saloon, North Shore. Details and RSVPs at www.youngcatholicprofessionals.org/chapter/pittsburgh.

Help Thy Neighbor Walk: On September 7, the St. Vincent de Paul Society Council of Pittsburgh will hold fundraising walks in three locations to raise awareness and support for our neighbors who need food, shelter, transportation, utilities, medical assistance and more. The Help Thy Neighbor Walk is a family-friendly, non-competitive walk that brings together individuals, families, and groups of all backgrounds to join in solidarity with the less fortunate in our community. The funds raised during this event will directly benefit St. Vincent de Paul programs and services. Go to <https://svdpitt.org/news-and-events/help-thy-neighbor/> for details.

Help Heal Our Community: Catholic Charities Free Health Care Center is seeking medical and dental volunteers to serve individuals without access to health care in our region. We offer a welcoming, compassionate environment where just a few hours of your time each month can provide someone with the care they've been praying for. Ready to answer the call? Please phone us at 412-456-6911 or email kemro@ccpgh.org.

Villa Maria Education & Spirituality Center will sponsor a special weekend retreat with Eric A. Clayton on September 26-28. The retreat is entitled "Cultivating a Spirituality of Storytelling: How Ignatian Spirituality Helps Us Uncover our Deepest Selves." For more information or to register, go to: <https://vmesc.org/programs-retreats/all-events?id=1024>

PARISH INFORMATION

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
Saturday, August 9	3:30-6:00pm	Picnic Basket Raffle presale	Saint Joseph Social Hall
Sunday, August 10	8:30am-1:00pm	Picnic Basket Raffle presale	Saint Joseph Social Hall
Sunday, August 10	2-7pm	Parish Picnic	Saint Joseph Church
Tuesday, August 12	7:30pm	Creation Care Team Meeting	Saint Scholastica Social Hall or ABechman@Christthekingpgh.org for link
Saturday, August 16	5:00pm	YM Back to School Picnic	Saint Joseph Church
Monday, August 18	4:00pm	YM Pirate Game Fieldtrip	Meet at Saint Joseph



August 17: Missionary Co-op Appeal
August 24: Catholic Communication & Catholic University
September 7: Annual Parish Appeal



Christ the King
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Sunday, August 10, 2025
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PARISH INFORMATION



DAILY MASSES—WEEK OF AUGUST 11

8:00 am Saint Joseph Church Fr. Dale DeNinno

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

9:00 am Madonna Church Fr. Bill Siple

Tuesday and Thursday

9:00 am Saint Edward Church Fr. Bill Siple

Friday

10:00 am Saint Scholastica Church Fr. Dale DeNinno

Tuesday and Thursday

10:00 am Saint Scholastica Church Fr. Bill Siple

Wednesday

SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES—AUGUST 16

4:00 pm Saint Joseph Church Fr. Bill Siple

5:00 pm Saint Scholastica Church Fr. Dale DeNinno

SUNDAY MASSES—AUGUST 17

8:00 am Saint Edward Church Fr. Dale DeNinno

9:00 am Saint Joseph Church Fr. Bill Siple

9:30 am Saint Scholastica Church Fr. Dale DeNinno

11:00 am Saint Joseph Church Fr. Bill Siple

11:30 am Saint Mary Church Fr. Dale DeNinno

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every Thursday

6:30-7:00 pm Saint Scholastica Church

Every Friday

9:30-10:00 am Saint Edward Church

Every Saturday

11:30-Noon Saint Joseph Church

HOLY HOUR AND BENEDICTION

Thursday, September 4, 6:30 pm Saint Joseph Church



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.

SACRAMENTS & PASTORAL SERVICES

For information on **baptisms, weddings, funerals, Anointing of the Sick, and Christian Initiation**, please call the parish office at 412-963-8885 or go to christthekingpgh.org/sacraments.

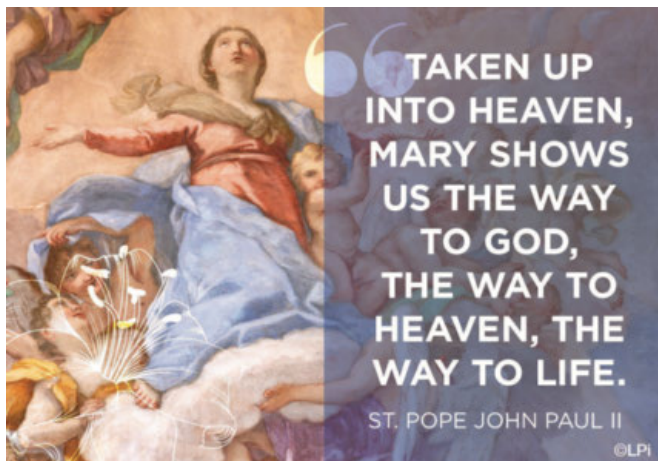
To **register as a member** of Christ the King Parish, please call the parish office or go to ChristtheKingpgh.org/join-our-parish.

To **update your contact information** or let us know if you or a family member is homebound or has moved to a nursing home, please call the parish office or go to ChristtheKingpgh.org/contact-us.

To schedule a **Mass Intention or Tabernacle candle**, please call the parish office or download the form at ChristtheKingpgh.org/mass-intentions.

We believe that **faith formation** is a lifelong journey. Go to ChristtheKingpgh.org/grow for information on family and adult faith formation as well as our youth ministry program.

Get involved in parish life! Go to Christthekingpgh.org/share to find out about liturgical ministries, parish organizations, and 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.



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Office Hours: Friday 8:30am-12:30pm

Madonna of Jerusalem Church

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Saint Mary Church

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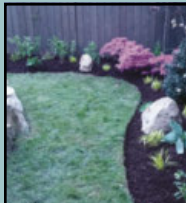
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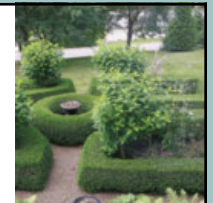
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