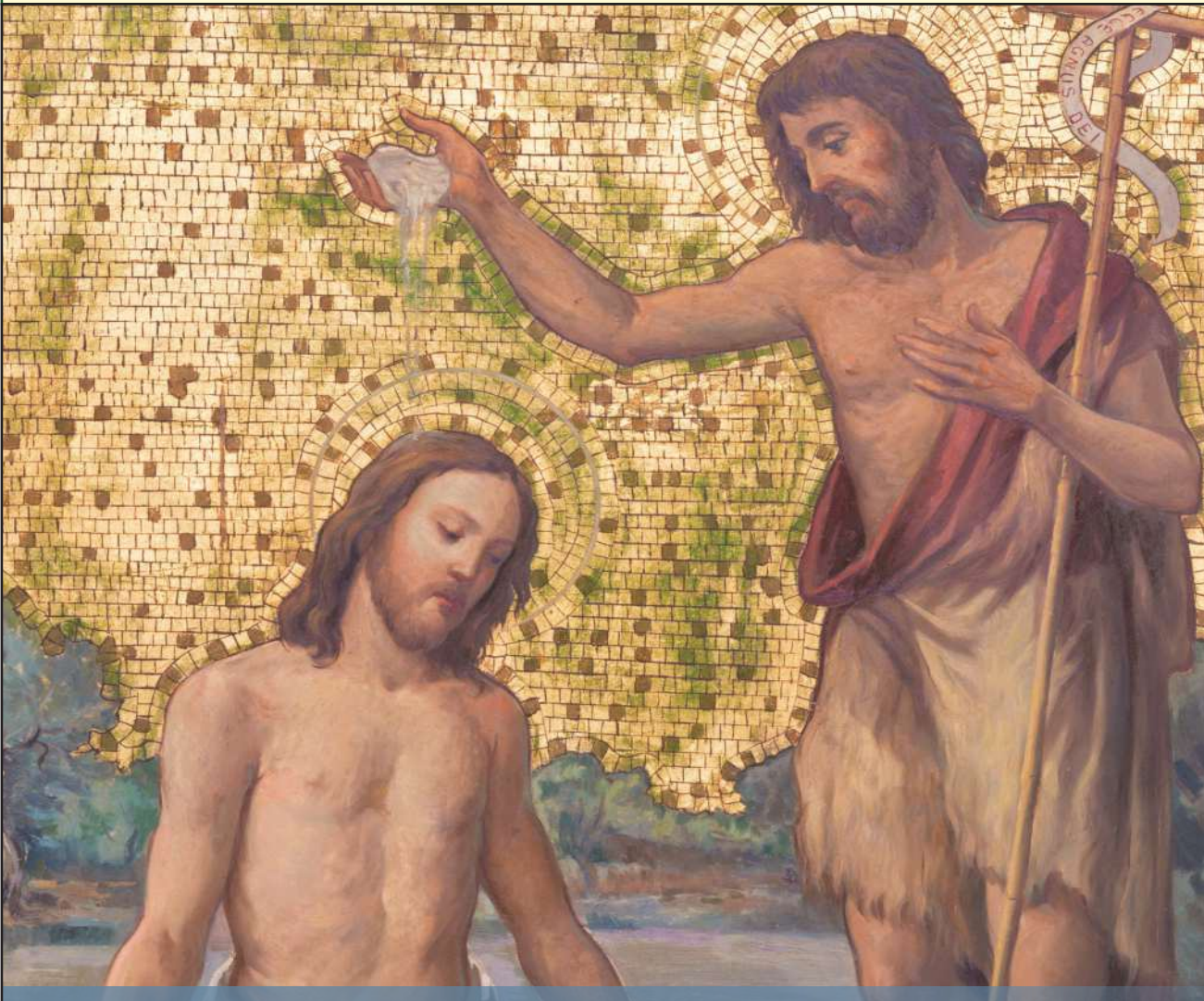




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THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

“Behold, the heavens were opened for him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming upon him.” —Matthew 3:16—

January 11, 2026

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD—WORSHIP AID

COME TO THE RIVER

Mass of Glory
Bob Hurd

Refrain

Come, O come, come to the riv - er
flow - ing from the bod - y of Christ.
We'll go down, deep in the wa - ter,
* but in the Lord we shall a - rise.

Verses

1. Washed in wa - ters of re-birth,
2. Priest - ly peo - ple are ___ we,
3. Blest are those ___ who ___ thirst
4. Let us walk ___ in the light
5. Those who sow ___ in ___ tears

to Refrain

1. we have put on Christ Je - sus.
2. sealed and sent by the Spir - it.
3. for the reign of God's jus - tice.
4. of God's ho - ly prom - ise.
5. reap the har - vest re - joic - ing.

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LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7

Thus says the LORD: Here is my servant whom I uphold, my chosen one with whom I am pleased, upon whom I have put my spirit; he shall bring forth justice to the nations, not crying out, not shouting, not making his voice heard in the street. a bruised reed he shall not break, and a smoldering wick he shall not quench, until he establishes justice on the earth; the coastlands will wait for his teaching.

I, the LORD, have called you for the victory of justice, I have grasped you by the hand; I formed you, and set you as a covenant of the people, a light for the nations, to open the eyes of the blind, to bring out prisoners from confinement, and from the dungeon, those who live in darkness.

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

Responsorial Psalm 29:

R. The Lord will bless his peo - ple with peace.

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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.



Second Reading: Acts 10:34-38

Peter proceeded to speak to those gathered in the house of Cornelius, saying: "In truth, I see that God shows no partiality. Rather, in every nation whoever fears him and acts uprightly is acceptable to him. You know the word that he sent to the Israelites as he proclaimed peace through Jesus Christ, who is Lord of all, what has happened all over Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John preached, how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power. He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him."

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

Gospel: Matthew 3:13-17

Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan to be baptized by him. John tried to prevent him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and yet you are coming to me?" Jesus said to him in reply, "Allow it now, for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness." Then he allowed him. After Jesus was baptized, he came up from the water and behold, the heavens were opened for him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming upon him. And a voice came from the heavens, saying, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased."

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.

I HAVE LOVED YOU

Michael Joncas



1. long for him: he will bring you his light and his peace.
2. long for him: he will bring you his joy and his hope.
3. long for him: he will bring you his care and his love.



WE PROCLAIM YOUR DEATH

Mass of Renewal
Curtis Stephan

We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your
Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

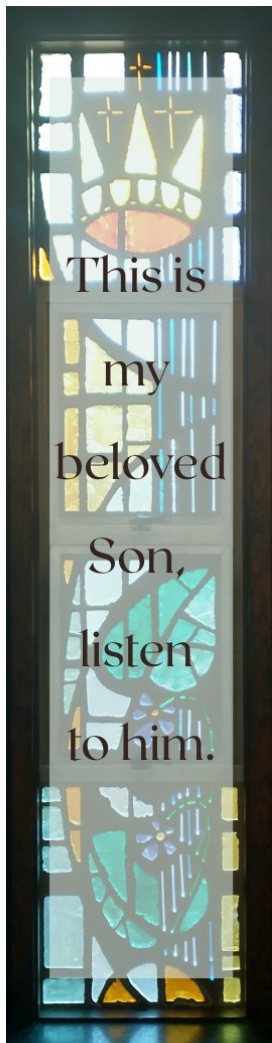
LAMB OF GOD

Mass of Renewal
Curtis Stephan

Lamb of God you take a - way the sins of the
world, have mer - cy have mer - cy on us. world, grant us, grant us peace.

BEHOLD THE LAMB

Martin Willett



Verses

1. Those who were in the dark are thank - ful for the
2. Peace - ful now, those whose hearts are blessed with un - der -
3. Gen - tle one, Child of God, join with us at this
4. Lord of all, give us light. De - liv - er us from

1. sun - light; we who live, we who die are grate - ful for his
2. stand - ing of the wheat, of the wine u - nit - ed with his
3. ta - ble. Bless our lives; nour - ish all who hun - ger for this
4. e - vil. Make us one; be our shield. Make still the winds that

Refrain

1. gift, thank - ful for his love. Be - hold, be - hold the Lamb of
2. word and the love we share.
3. feast; shel - ter them with peace.
4. blow; cra - dle us with love.

God. All who eat, all who drink shall live; and all,
all who dwell in God shall come to know his glo - ry.

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I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE

Steve Angrisano and Tom Booth

(Come and Follow Me)

Refrain 1



I am the Bread of Life, I am the hope in night, I am the door wide
o - pen, I am the shep - herd's might, I am the truth and light, I
am the way and life, I Am Who Am and I am for you: Come and fol - low me.

Refrain 2



I am bread for the world, hope for the hope - less. Come to me, and know that I'll al -
- ways be there with my arms o - pen wide. I
Am Who Am and I am for you: Come and fol - low me.

Bridge: I give my heart to those in sorrow, I come to those who are in need; Hope for today and for tomorrow, Light for all who want to see.

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Baptized in Water



1. Bap - tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Cleansed by the
2. Bap - tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Dead in the
3. Bap - tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Marked with the
blood of Christ our King: Heirs of sal - va - tion, Trust - ing his
tomb with Christ our King: One with his ris - ing, Freed and for -
sighn of Christ our King: Born of one Fa - ther, We are his
prom - ise, Faith - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.
giv - en, Thank - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.
chil - dren, Joy - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.



Let us
be a
light
for the
nations

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LITURGICAL LIFE

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH

SATURDAY **January 10—The Baptism of the Lord**
2:00 pm Wedding of Marian Ruiz & Adam D'Angelo
4:00 pm † Elenmarie B. Dunn (Karen & Joe Kelley)

SUNDAY **January 11—The Baptism of the Lord**
9:00 am † Loretta Montemurro & Joseph Cynkar (Mike & Judy)
11:00 am † George Choorapuzha (Family)

MONDAY **January 12—Weekday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 am † Monica Ribar (Family)

WEDNESDAY **January 14—Weekday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 am † Pete LaCava (Jim & Craig)

FRIDAY **January 16—Weekday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 am † Andrew Browne (Thomas Family)

SATURDAY **January 17—2ND Sunday in Ordinary Time**
4:00 pm The people of Christ the King Parish

SUNDAY **January 18—2ND Sunday in Ordinary Time**
9:00 am † Jean Mannarino (Ronald & Debbie Mannarino)
11:00 am † Carol Zurawka (Doris Zurawka)

SAINT MARY CHURCH

SUNDAY **January 11—The Baptism of the Lord**
11:30 am The people of Christ the King Parish

SUNDAY **January 18—2ND Sunday in Ordinary Time**
11:30 am † Deceased of Zuza-Cullins Families (Jack & Cathy Zuza)

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday—January 11
Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7 Acts 10:34-38 Matthew 3:13-17

Monday—January 12
1 Samuel 1:1-8 Mark 1:14-20

Tuesday—January 13
1 Samuel 1:9-20 Mark 1:21-28

Wednesday—January 14
1 Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20 Mark 1:29-39

Thursday—January 15
1 Samuel 4:1-11 Mark 1:40-45

Friday—January 16
1 Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22a Mark 2:1-12

Saturday—January 17
1 Samuel 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a Mark 2:13-17

Sunday—January 18
Isaiah 49:3, 5-6 1 Corinthians 1:1-3 John 1:29-34

SAINT SCHOLASTICA CHURCH

SATURDAY **January 10—The Baptism of the Lord**
5:00 pm † Dana Greco (Wehrle Family)

SUNDAY **January 11—The Baptism of the Lord**
9:30 am † Marion McDonough Feeney (Jeryl & Troy Benson)

TUESDAY **January 13—Weekday in Ordinary Time**
10:00 am † Tom & Jane Ferguson (Ian & Jane Ferguson)

WEDNESDAY **January 14—Weekday in Ordinary Time**
10:00 am No Intention

THURSDAY **January 15—Weekday in Ordinary Time**
10:00 am No Intention

SATURDAY **January 17—2ND Sunday in Ordinary Time**
5:00 pm † William & Shirley Kotchey-wedding anniversary (Family)

SUNDAY **January 18—2ND Sunday in Ordinary Time**
9:30 am † Mary & Anthony Zyczynski (Halina Zyczynski)

SAINT EDWARD CHURCH

SUNDAY **January 11—The Baptism of the Lord**
8:00 am † Paul Rice (Rice Family)

FRIDAY **January 16—Weekday in Ordinary Time**
9:00 am † Joe Wachter (Wachter Girls)

SUNDAY **January 18—2ND Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 am † Frederick R. & Maureen D. Favo (Favo-Zatawski Family)

MADONNA OF JERUSALEM CHURCH

TUESDAY **January 13—Weekday in Ordinary Time**
9:00 am No Intention

THURSDAY **January 15—Weekday in Ordinary Time**
9:00 am † Katherine Trozzo (Daughter, Jennifer)

REST IN PEACE

Alan Celo • December 22, 2025
Sylvia Abramovic • December 27, 2025
Betty A. Jonnet • December 31, 2025
Lucille P. Tortorea • January 2, 2026
Ronald Hopkinson • January 5, 2026

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Adeline Jeanne Black • January 4, 2026

TABERNACLE VIGIL CANDLE

Week of January 11
St. Joseph Church: † Tangie Gatto (Wierzbowski Family)

A LETTER FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

As readily as we know the date of our birth, there are probably relatively few who could name the date of their baptism. It was a sacramental event that happened for most people early on in life, often as an infant. Brought to church by parents and godparents, surrounded by family and friends, the child, dressed in a white garment is greeted by the priest or deacon and through the ritual of prayer, pouring of water over the head accompanied by the words: *“I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit”*, then anointed with sacred oil, and presented with a lighted candle, is welcomed into the family of God. Named as a son or daughter, the newly baptized is now a follower of Jesus Christ. The sacred ceremony is often followed by a family party to celebrate this rebirth of new life into the Catholic faith.

Baptism initiates the beginning of a life-long journey immersed in the grace of God enabling one to meet the challenge of Christian discipleship. That is to say, baptism is NOT a once-and-for-all event on a particular date in time but begins a dynamic of movement always forward to meet God in glory.

Born in Bethlehem and raised in Nazareth, Jesus leaves home as an adult, appears at the Jordan River, and asks John to baptize him. In this humble request, marking the beginning of his public ministry, **a voice came from the heavens, saying, “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased”** (Matthew 3: 17).

It is noteworthy to speak of who Jesus is as the Son of God and the pleasure that the Almighty finds in Jesus’ cooperation with the Divine Plan. As adopted sons and daughters of God in baptism, we spend our earthly journey striving to live in faith, hope, and love the same Divine Plan.

United in the waters of baptism as brothers and sisters to one another, we are invited to walk in the Light of Christ. Let us pray that the grace of the sacrament will enable us to be faithful to the work of discipleship and never stop yearning for the fulfillment of God’s promise of a place in heaven.

Father Dale DeMinno

P.S.

For your information, in 2025 Christ the King Parish welcomed 57 new members through the sacramental waters of Baptism.

Reason for Giving Thanks: The parishioners of Christ the King Parish were so thoughtful, kind, and generous in the many ways in which they remembered Fr. Dale DeNinno and Fr. Bill Siple during the Christmas season. Both of your parish priests are humbled by God’s call to the priesthood, grateful for their ministry among the good people of this faith community, and especially thankful for the ways in which you reached out to them with the variety of your gifts. Please continue to pray for your parish priests and all priests who serve the people of God. May the Lord keep them healthy and dedicated, ever zealous in the exercise of their priesthood.

Support for Those Challenged: The Saint Anthony School Program in the Diocese of Pittsburgh and the DePaul School for Hearing & Speech provide inestimable help to those young people with special needs. The Saint Anthony Program provides educational support for students 5-21 years old with Down syndrome, Autism Spectrum Disorder and other special needs. The DePaul School offers a comprehensive education for students who experience deafness, hearing loss, significant speech delays, and language delays.

A second collection to help support both of these programs will be taken next weekend, January 17-18, in all of the parishes throughout the diocese. Please be as generous as your means will allow.

Get Ready to Dance: Christ the King Parish will hold a Valentine’s Day Dance in the social hall of Saint Joseph Church on Saturday, February 7, from 8:00 to 11:00 pm. D.J. Dave will be glad to take requests for your favorite songs. If you don’t dance, still, bring your friends, grab a table, and mingle. Ticket price is \$20 per person and includes great music, beer, wine, soft drinks, and snacks. You are also welcome to BYO snacks for your table. Tickets can be purchased at the parish offices of Saint Joseph and Saint Scholastica or online at ChristtheKingpgh.org/dance. Age 21 and up only.



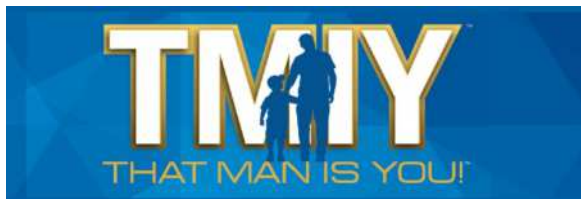
NEWS and ANNOUNCEMENTS

A Day of Lenten Prayer and Recollection will be held for the women of Christ the King Parish on Saturday, February 28, 2026 at Saint Joseph Church. Dr. Maureen Crossen, a retired professor of theology at Carlow University, will lead the day. She has chosen as her theme the words of Mary to the waiters at the Wedding of Cana in reference to her Son: *“Do whatever He tells you.”*

Mothers and grandmothers . . . Widowed, married, and single . . . Daughters, sisters, and friends—all are welcome to attend.

Registration for the day along with the schedule will soon follow in the bulletin. For inquiries, you may contact Christ the King parishioner, Nancy Bianculli at 412-818-1719.

Christ the King Respect Life: It is very important that you contact your state senator telling them to vote “NO” on a very harmful package of bills which enshrine abortion in our state constitution with NO LIMITS! For more information go to pcuc.org and search newsletter archives especially November and January. *The National March for Life* will be on Friday, January 23. There will be a bus from St Scholastica Church. For information contact Cathy at 412-551-3204 or email respectlife@christthekingpgh.org. Why do we continue to March? Even though Roe v. Wade was overturned the number of abortions annually is still over 900,000. We must change the culture to make it unthinkable. *Our next meeting* will be on Thursday, January 15, 7:30 pm in the Saint Scholastica social hall. All, including teens, are encouraged to participate.



Calling all Men of Christ the King Parish! The early Church’s model of forming disciples and transforming the world was simple yet powerfully effective. It consisted of forming small groups of ordinary and flawed individuals who had a desire to seek God. Now more than ever our families and communities need strong Catholic men standing shoulder to shoulder. Come and join us Friday mornings at Saint Scholastica starting January 16 for the thirteen-week spring semester of “Thy Kingdom Come,” which includes a special Lenten journey. Scan the QR code to register and please contact John Kolonich, jgkolonich@gmail.com, or 412-848-6549 with any questions.



The parishioners, friends, neighbors, and visitors to the churches of Christ the King Parish have shown extraordinary generosity to the support of our parish. Thank you for sharing your treasure.

Parish Support

Advent Giving Tree: \$23,800

Christmas Collection: \$62,320

Christmas Youth Charities: \$8,371

Collection for December 27 & 28

In-person donations: \$44,885

Online donations: \$2,316

Total: \$47,201

Solemnity of Mary: \$6,674

Collection for January 3 & 4:

In-person donations: \$29,303

Online donations: \$3,957

Total: \$33,260

*Please make checks payable to “Christ the King Parish”
Thank you for your generosity!*



Creation Care Corner

As you begin your New Year’s resolutions, consider revamping your self-care routine. Consider replacing your lotions that come in plastic containers with lotion bars, and your facial creams with jojoba oil or argon oil. Items such as lip balm and deodorant can now be purchased in metal or paper containers. If you are feeling adventurous, try out an apple cider vinegar rinse instead of conditioner; many have added essential oils to cut the scent, and come in glass containers. Lotions made with castile oil are also good alternatives.

You can find these in many places locally including The Refillery in Oakmont (www.therefillerypgh.com), Simple Sugars (www.simplesugarsskincare.com), or the East End Food Coop (eastendfood.coop). Learn more about toxic chemicals at nyhealthfoundation.org/resource/fact-sheet-potentially-toxic-chemicals-in-personal-care-products.

NEWS and ANNOUNCEMENTS



Teens, start off the New Year by joining your friends at our Youth Ministry's fun and faith-filled events!

January 14, 6:00 pm—High School Youth Ministry: 9-12TH graders, join us for fun spiritual activities.

January 17, 5:00 pm—Social Saturday: Wear your PJs and bring your favorite cereal to share.

January 21, 5:00 pm—Service Wednesday: Help cook dinner for the homeless and complete other service projects.

January 28, 6:00 pm—Middle School EDGE: 6-8TH graders, join us to deepen your faith and grow your relationship with God.



We are happy to welcome our Faith Formation families back for the new year! For our *Finding God* families, the focus will be on the Church and Catholic Identity. Through the Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist—we are welcomed into God's family, the Church, and given the help of the Holy Spirit to advance Christ's mission of spreading the Good News throughout the world. Following the example of Christ, we are also called to care for the physical and spiritual needs of others. As members of the Church we are *one*—a united community of believers; *holy*—imitators of Christ; *catholic*—universally open to all humanity; *apostolic*—preserving the teachings and authority that come to us from the Apostles.

Our *Faith Stories* families will be reading about the promised land and God's call to Moses and to Ruth. Through these stories, they will learn about how the Church provides us a home where we feel safe and accepted. They will also learn to recognize how we are called to use our individual gifts for our communities and to recognize the importance of trust in our relationship with God and with others.

Families on Mission January Project

Making Blankets and Toys for Local Dog Shelters

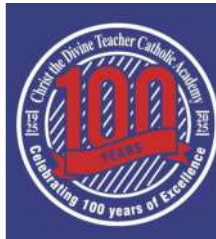
Help us make blankets and toys for dogs in local shelters. Donate supplies or attend a session where we will be making the blankets and toys.

January 11 at 7:30 PM
Saint Joseph Church



Amazon List Signup

Questions? fom@christthekingpgh.org



CDTCA's 2026 annual Lottery Calendars are now available for purchase! Calendars are \$25 each, and give you the chance to win for the entire year of 2026 based on the evening Pick 3 lottery drawing. Calendars can be purchased in the school office or the Saint Scholastica office.

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PARISH INFORMATION



DAILY MASSES—WEEK OF JANUARY 12

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

SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES—JANUARY 17

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

SUNDAY MASSES—JANUARY 18

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

Every Friday

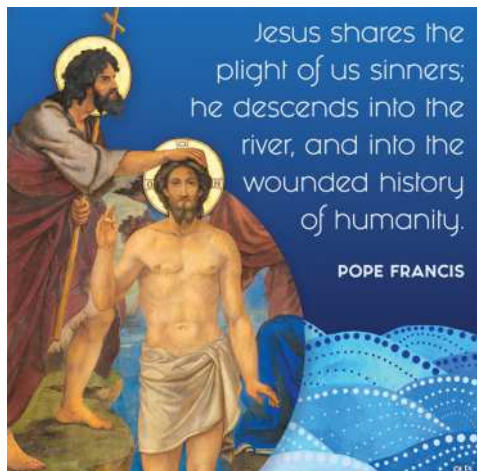
9:30-10:00 am Saint Edward Church

Every Saturday

11:30-Noon Saint Joseph Church

HOLY HOUR AND BENEDICTION

Thursday, February 5, 6:30 pm Saint Scholastica 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.

PARISH INFORMATION

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
Tuesday, January 13	1:00pm	Women's Bible Study	Saint Scholastica Social Hall
Wednesday, January 14	6:00pm	High School Youth Ministry	Saint Joseph Church, St. Cecilia Hall
Thursday, January 15	7:30pm	Respect Life Meeting	Saint Scholastica Social Hall
Friday, January 16	6:00am	TMIY Men's Group	Saint Scholastica Social Hall
Saturday, January 17	5:00pm	Youth Ministry Social Saturday	Saint Joseph Church
Sunday, January 18	11:00am	Family Faith Formation-Faith Stories, Sunday C Session	Saint Joseph Church



January 18: St. Anthony & DePaul Schools
February 1: Annual Parish Appeal



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Catholic Charities Free Health Care Center is urgently seeking **licensed medical and dental professionals, nurses, and administrative support volunteers** to help deliver essential care to the community's most vulnerable.

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Around the Diocese . . .

Please join us at WINGS (Women in God's Spirit) on Saturday, January 17, from 10:00 am - 11:30 am. The Holy Name Society will speak on what the Holy Name of Jesus means, the history behind the devotion, and the importance of it in our lives today. Gathering is at Sts. John & Paul Catholic Church, 2586 Wexford Bayne Road, Sewickley, PA 15143 in the LOWER CDC ROOMS 8 & 9. Coffee/tea and light refreshments will be offered. Please courtesy RSVP at: <https://saintluke.net/wings-events>.

Join us for Essential Dynamics of Faith Deepening, a year-long Zoom Series featuring chapters from the new book *Fertile Fields for Faith Deepening*, written by Dr. Susan Muto. Throughout 2026 we will meet on Zoom once each month to reflect together on passages selected by Susan. Tuition for these 12 sessions is \$120.00 plus the cost of the book. For questions and registration, call Gerrie at 412-341-7494 or email gerrie.epiphany@gmail.com.

The prayer vigil in support of our migrant neighbors continues each Friday from 8:30 am to about 9:30 am at the ICE office, 3000 Sidney St. (corner of Sarah St.) on Pittsburgh's South Side. The event is sponsored by Pax Christi of Pittsburgh, the Sisters of Saint Joseph, and Casa San José. Questions? Contact Andrew Bechman at akbechman@gmail.com.

SOCIAL OUTREACH



CTK's Saint Vincent de Paul Society offers financial assistance (rent, utility payments, furniture, etc.) to neighbors in need. Volunteers are always welcome to help us complete financial assessments. Contact 412-254-4446 or svdp@ChristtheKingpgh.org for further information.

Our St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry has seen a significant increase in the number of neighbors needing our services. In September and October, over 115 families per month received food during our two distributions and through deliveries to those who cannot come to the Pantry. Donations of non-perishable food, toiletries, and paper products are accepted year round in the designated collection areas in the entrances of Saint Joseph, Saint Scholastica, and Saint Edward Churches, or at the lower level of Saint Mary Church on Tuesdays from 8:30 to 10:30am. We need to restock our shelves after the holidays. Monetary donations can be made in the monthly SVdP envelope or online at ChristtheKingpgh.org/parish-ministry. Our team of amazing volunteers ensures that we are ready to serve and enjoys a wonderful sense of community. New volunteers are always welcome. You can find more information by following us on Facebook at Sharpsburg Food Pantry or on our website www.sharpsburgfoodpantry.org. You can also call 412-781-2866 for further information on the Pantry.

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 bin 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.

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Mark your calendars! Addiction Recovery Ministry is kicking off 2026 with the following events:

On Saturday, January 17, starting at 9:00 am, A.R.M. is sponsoring a life skill budgeting/banking class with Chris from Huntington Bank in Fox Chapel.

Join us for BINGO on Sunday, January 18, starting at 2:00 pm. \$25 for six cards for each game. Free drinks and snacks.

On Sunday, February 8, A.R.M. will host a Super Bowl Party starting at 5:30 pm. Soft drinks, coffee, and snacks will be provided, but everyone is asked to bring an appetizer or dessert. We will also open up the game room and library that evening.

All events will take place at the John Paul I Center, 201 9th Street, Sharpsburg. For more information or to reserve a spot, please contact Rosemarie at 412-378-9290 or rhaasarm@gmail.com.

Year-End Giving

With the new year, now is a great time to reassess your giving options!

- If you give your donations by mail through your bank account, please make sure checks are made out to Christ the King Parish and mailed to 342 Dorseyville Rd, Pittsburgh, PA 15215. It is extremely helpful to include your envelope number in the memo.
- If you've been considering donating online through our secure site, now is the perfect time to make the change. Go to www.ChristtheKingpgh.org/giving to set up your donation with a bank account or credit card. You can make one-time or recurring donations, and you can use your account to manage your recurring donations.

Please contact the Parish office at **724-473-9024** or email DVandemark@ChristtheKingpgh.org with any questions or to request a 2025 year-end statement (available after January 15).

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