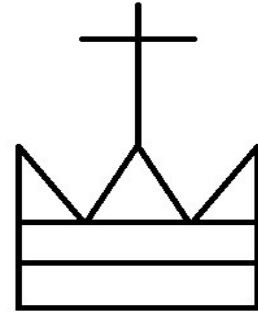


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CATHOLIC CHURCH



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Current Mass Schedule:

Sunday Mass: 9:00 a.m.
Weekday Mass: Wednesday: 6:00 p.m.; Thursday: 8:00 a.m.; Friday: 12:10 p.m.

Praying of the Rosary:

Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

Reconciliation:

30 minutes prior to all Weekday Masses; Thursday 6-7 p.m.; Sunday 8-8:45 a.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Follows 8:00 a.m. Thursday Mass until 9:00 p.m.

Our Mission Statement:

The parish of Christ the King Catholic Church continues the mission Jesus began of serving humanity.
Inspired by Word and Sacrament, we share our God-given talents and gifts, faith and discipleship.
In this, we enrich and share our Catholic faith.

"For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them." Matthew 18:20

August 04, 2024
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

DO YOU KNOW FR. CHRIS RECORDS HIS HOMILIES?

You can listen and subscribe to Fr. Chris' homilies on our website or on your favorite podcast app. Search for *'Sunday Homilies with Fr. Chris Masla.'*

Peter's Pence supports the neediest communities!
Please donate online or make checks payable to CTK
with 'Peter's Pence' on the memo line.



YOU'RE INVITED! *Knights of Columbus will have a putt putt get together on Saturday morning, August 17, at 10 a.m. at the Putt Putt on Stone Drive in Kingsport. \$25 per player, \$100 for 4-person teams. Open to all ages. Price includes goodie bag, lunch, 36 holes of putt putt & pictures. Prizes will be awarded to winning teams and special recognition for all children under 15. Sponsorships are also available. Contact Nicky Zuber @ (276) 920-4288 or nickyzuber@comcast.net or contact any Knight. PLEASE PRAY FOR GOOD WEATHER!*

Drive Out Hunger Car Show/Fundraiser for Faith in Action -
Saturday, October 5th, 1-4 p.m. @ 798 Hillman Hwy, Abingdon.
Registration opens at 12 p.m. \$20 per entry. Free entry for
spectators! Door prizes & 50/50 tickets! All Makes & Models.
Classes for Cars, Trucks and Motorcycles! All proceeds go
towards blessing local families for Thanksgiving!

MASS INTENTIONS: PLEASE CONTACT THE CTK OFFICE

August 2: For the repose of the soul of Antonio Valle
August 4: For the repose of the soul of Kathy Monyak
August 8: For the repose of the soul of Wilda Berry
August 9: For the repose of the soul of Lon Berry
August 11: For the repose of the soul of Lesley O'Grady
August 18: For the repose of the soul of Kathy Monyak
August 25: For the repose of the soul of W. L. Conley



Attendance July 28, 2024

Attendance Sunday 9:00 am	196
Offering	1,451.00
Online Offering	1,245.00
Online Together as One	140.00
Online Parish Charities	50.00

Counters: Aug. 11th
M.Potter, M.Hahn, J.Rodriguez

Expenses paid July 29-Aug. 2, 2024

Fr. Chris Masla	1,128.28
Thryv	16.00
Republic Services	124.92
VA Dept of Social Svcs	10.00
Source & Summit	1,323.55
DiCocco/St Jude Shop	949.37
J&J Janitorial	525.00
Leo's Pest Control	62.00

SCHOOL BEGINS AUGUST 8TH!



Counters Needed: for Aug 25th

THIS WEEK'S DAILY READINGS:

Sunday	8/04	Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15 Psalm 78 Ephesians 4:17, 20-24 John 6:24-35
Monday	8/05	Jeremiah 28:1-17 Psalm 119 Matthew 14:13-21
Tuesday	8/06	Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 Psalm 97 2Peter 1:16-19 Mark 9:2-10
Wed.	8/07	Jeremiah 31:1-7 Jeremiah 31:10, 11-12ab, 13 Matthew 15:21-28
Thursday	8/08	Jeremiah 31:31-34 Psalm 51 Matthew 16:13-23
Friday	8/09	Nahum 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7 Deuteronomy 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41 Matthew 16:24-28
Saturday	8/10	2Corinthians 9:6-10 Psalm 112 John 12:24-26
Sunday	8/11	1Kings 19:4-8 Psalm 34 Ephesians 4:30-5:2 John 6:41-51

ALL PARENTS PLEASE NOTE:

During Mass, youth ages 17 & under may not leave our worship space unaccompanied by an adult. *This is for the safety of your children and the preservation of our church.* No child should ever be in the nursery, loft, or outside on church property without a parent or guardian to supervise them.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Special thanks to everyone who has donated food for our Faith in Action recipients!

FIA (Faith In Action) Food Pantry Volunteers: **AUGUST 2024**

Daytime Monday, Aug. 26 & Friday, Aug. 30th from 9:45 a.m.-1 p.m. and Tuesday, Aug. 27th, from 3:45-6 p.m. Sign up inside CTK entrance or contact Polly Berry at 276.492.3878 or pollyberry2017@gmail.com if you can assist with any hours. Thank you!

SAVE THE DATE! Friday, September 6th — 5:30 p.m. @ CTK: Exploring the Shroud of Turin. Come explore the greatest mystery of our time... Special presentation by Dr. Cheryl White with dinner/potluck sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.
You won't want to miss this spectacular event! (More information to come.)

CTK is looking for a VIRTUS trained adult to provide childcare in the Nursery on September 6th during the **Shroud of Turin** presentation from 7—8 p.m. You would be responsible for supervising a number of small children. Please Contact Donna Palicki: faithformation@christthekingsaintjohn.org

Sept. 8th after Mass: OCIA [\(Order of Christian Initiation of Adults\)](#) will begin.
Anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic Church or entering the Church are welcome. Email faithformation@christthekingsaintjohn.org to sign up.

Children's Faith Formation classes resume September 8th (Sunday)

Feminine Genius Bible Study resumes its study of Psalms at **9:30 a.m. Saturday, September 14th in Seger Hall.** If you are new and need a book, email Donna at faithformation@christthekingsaintjohn.org. New ladies are always welcome.

Faith Formation ***18th Sunday in Ordinary Time***

Why does Pope Francis say that our relationship with Christ and with our brothers and sisters is the road to our encounter with God? What was God's reason for the Incarnation?

God made Himself flesh. And when we say this, in the Creed, on Christmas Day, on the day of the Annunciation, we kneel to worship this mystery of the Incarnation. God made Himself flesh and blood; He lowered Himself to the point of becoming a man like us. He humbled Himself to the extent of burdening Himself with our sufferings and sin; and Therefore, He asks us to seek Him not outside of life and history, but in relationship with Christ and with our brothers and sisters... Seeking Him in life, in history, in our daily life. And this, brothers and sisters, is the road to the encounter with God: the relationship with Christ and our brothers and sisters.

AUGUST 15 (THURSDAY): ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

SPECIAL MASS TIMES: 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. @ Christ the King

***If you turn a light on, please turn it off. If you change a thermostat, please reset it!**
Thank you.

Special prayers and participations:



Prayers 4 Protection Campaign: Since 2016 the Abingdon Police Department has asked local churches to include prayers for their law enforcement and administrative personnel. Each week we have placed a name in the bulletin and asked that you devote prayers to that person and their family. This week we pray for **Sergeant Chris Barker**. We pray that **Sergeant Barker** be aware of the power and responsibility the position holds. We pray not only for protection, but that the performance of duties is done with care and concern for the community served.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

follows Thursday 8:00 a.m. Mass until Benediction at 9:00 p.m.
Please sign-up on the schedule in the Commons or click the QR code to sign up digitally.



Prayers for Haiti: Please continue to pray for the people of Haiti and especially for the safety of Father René as well as his Parish and school.
(Please read the latest AP Haiti update forwarded by John Brenner and sent to all in an email 'blast' on Tuesday, July 30th)

PRAYERS REQUESTED (new names this week in bold): (If you are sick, in the hospital, or unable to go to Mass, please call the office. Also, please let the office know when to remove a name.

Leslie Birch	Floris Houston	Irene Mooney	Jettie Sullivan
Marilyn Borquist	Donna Hundman	Bill Munk	Pam Turner
Karen Bush	Ron Johnson	Daber Navarro	Amber Wolfe
Jo Ann Detta	Laurie Lawler	Sandra Nunez	Denise Wolfe
Margaret Evans	Susan Laningham	Thomas Pojeta	Beth Wright
Melissa Farmer	Martin Monahan	Candy Singleton	
Ethan Finch	Judy Marburg	Teresa Swiney	
Lorenzo Guillen	Mallory Minichello	Amy Sullivan	

MILITARY PRAYERS: Brandon Bates, Paul Browning, Jose Cisneros, Michael Davidson, Scott Elliott, Geoffrey Estes, Matt Frazier, Chuck Gill, Scott Hebert, Anthony Lachlan, James Mayes, Kevin Perkins, Michael Richardson, Blaine Robinson, Joshua Shiley.

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Please submit info to the office or email:

office@christthekingsaintjohn.org by Friday Noon. Please include name & phone.