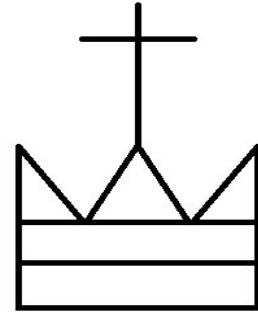


# CHRIST THE KING

## CATHOLIC CHURCH



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**Rev. Christopher Masla, Pastor**  
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**Current Mass Schedule:**

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses: 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 5:30-6:30 p.m.; Saturday 3:30-4:30

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**


Follows 8:00 a.m. Thursday Mass until 7:00 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*

**July 13, 2025**  
**Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



Our Lady of Mt Carmel



**Attendance: July 6:**

Offering	1,237.00
Building Improvements	25.00
Online Offering	2,635.00
Online Bldg Improv.	353.00
Online Parish Charities:	50.00
Online Holy Days	5.00
Online Liturgy/Worship	100.00

**Payments**

Tim Soukup	720.84
Diocese of Richmond	2,966.50
Diocese of Richmond	1,730.78
Lowe's	302.20
App.Power Rectory	201.00
Point.Broadband	88.38
Republic Services	149.11
Stateline Services	625.00

### TALK SERIES ON THE MASS

You are invited to join **Seminarian Tim** for a three-part talk series on the Mass.

*The dates and topics are as follows:*

- **July 17<sup>th</sup>** – The Mass: What is it and where is it from?
- **July 24<sup>th</sup>** – The G.I.R.M: The parts of the mass and who celebrate it.
- **July 31<sup>st</sup>**—Beauty and its Liturgical Importance

All talks will be held at Jubilee House @ 7 p.m. following Benediction at Christ the King . All are encouraged to come early for adoration. Talks will be 45 minutes to an hour.

**PAINTING @ Christ the King: The OFFICE IS CLOSED until further notice**

**Please contact the Office to schedule Mass Intentions**

7/25 IMO Joseph Gasiecki  
7/27 IMO Kathy Monyak



### **THIS WEEK'S DAILY READINGS:**

Sunday 7/13 Deuteronomy 30:10-14 Psalm 69 Colossians 1:15-20 Luke 10:25-37  
Monday 7/14 Exodus 1:8-14, 22 Psalm 124 Matthew 10:34-11:1  
Tuesday 7/15 Exodus 2:1-15a Psalm 69 Matthew 11:20-24  
Wed. 7/16 Exodus 3:1-6, 9-12 Psalm 103 Matthew 11:25-27  
Thursday 7/17 Exodus 3:13-20, Psalm 105 Matthew 11:28-30  
Friday 7/18 Exodus 11:10-12:14 Psalm 116 Matthew 12:1-8  
Saturday 7/19 Exodus 12:37-42 Psalm 136 Matthew 12:14-21  
Sunday 7/20 Genesis 18:1-10a Psalm 15 Colossians 1:24-28 Luke 10:38-42

### **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.

# summer WITH THE saints

**"Walk with the saints this summer—faith-filled stories for the whole family on Formed."**

If you send us photos every week this summer showing how your family is getting to know the saints better, we'll send you a weekly discount code for use at [Catholic Market](#). At the end of summer, the most creative family who shares the most pictures with us will receive the entire Hope Springs book collection for kids and a framed image of *Our Lady of Guadalupe*!



Visit: [Formed.org/Summer-with-the-Saints](https://formed.org/Summer-with-the-Saints) for more information

**St. Anne Catholic School** is enrolling students through 8th grade for the 2025-2026 school year! While our Junior Kindergarten and Kindergarten classes are currently on a waitlist, **we're excited to offer additional spots in our 3-year-old pre-school program**. In a community as deeply rooted in the Catholic faith as Christ the King, choosing a Catholic education is a powerful way to continue forming children in virtue and the love of Christ. A Catholic parish discount is available, and we are waiving the enrollment fee until August. Please contact [eburriss@stanneschoolbristol.org](mailto:eburriss@stanneschoolbristol.org) or call 276-669-0048 to learn more.

**Need someone willing to serve as Legal Guardian for Irene Mooney who has suffered a stroke & other challenges. Please contact Tammy @ 276-645-5040 (Greendale Assisted Living)**

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## **DO YOU KNOW FR. CHRIS RECORDS HIS HOMILIES?**

**You can listen and subscribe to Fr. Chris' homilies on our website:**  
**<https://christthekingsaintjohn.org/> or on your favorite podcast app.**  
**Search for 'Sunday Homilies with Fr. Chris Masla.'**



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### **St. Bonaventure | Catholic Saints**

A Franciscan cardinal-bishop and contemporary of St. Thomas Aquinas, St. Bonaventure is an excellent example of saintly humility. Known as the "Seraphic Doctor," St. Bonaventure loved God above all else. Join Dr. Chris Mooney and Mary McGeehan as they explore the life of this great saint.

Your parish has a Formed subscription. Visit [formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup) and select our parish. Scan the QR code to download the Formed app to your phone.



### 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 **Officer Britt Denton**. We pray that **Patrolman Denton** will be aware of the 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 6:50 p.m.  
Please sign-up on the schedule in the Commons  
or scan the QR code to go to CTK website



**Prayers for Haiti:** Please continue to pray for the people of Haiti and especially for the safety of Father René, his Parish, and the school.

**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.

Lori Barnette	Ashley Foley	Irene Mooney	Candy Singleton
Leslie Birch	Judy Golkowsky	Bill Munk	Gary St. Aubin
Marilyn Borquist	Lorenzo Guillen	Norma Napier	Diane Steele
Madge Boyd	Don Hazard	Daber Navarro	Vicky Strika
Jonah Brooks	Floris Houston	Ezra Crew Osborne	Amy Sullivan
Peggy Brown	Donna Hundman	Donna Palicki	Jettie Sullivan
Karen Bush	Ron Johnson	Cindy Pojeta	Teresa Swiney
Gary Crane	Laurie Lawler	Thomas Pojeta	Pam Turner
Braedon Riley-Deaton	Susan Laningham	Debi Rodham	Tammy Turner
Jo Ann Detta	Bob Maiden	Fisher Ropp	Andy Webb
Margaret Evans	Judy Marburg	Sue Seibel	Gabriel Webb
Melissa Farmer	Mallory Minichello	Jared Shiley	Paul Widener
Ethan Finch	Ken Monyak	August Singleton	Amber Wolfe

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

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**Please submit info to the office or email:**