



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

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MASS TIMES

Weekdays

Tuesday: 5:30 pm
Wed. and Thursday: 8:00 am
Friday: 9:00 am
First Sat.: 8:00 am

Weekend

Saturday: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:00 am
Latin Mass: 11:30 am every 4th Sunday of the month

HOLY DAYS

9:00 am school days or
8:00 am non-school days,
& 5:30 pm

ADORATION

Anytime in Madonna of the Prairies Adoration Chapel

CHURCH OF *Christ the King*

January 5, 2020

BAPTISM

Please contact the office about Baptism instruction; this may be done even before the child is born. Classes may not be necessary if you have attended within the past three years. Baptisms may be scheduled by contacting the parish office.

EUCCHARIST

Our 2nd graders will celebrate First Holy Communion on
Sunday, April 19, 2020.

RECONCILIATION

Confession is available each **Saturday from 3:15 to 4:15 pm**, before daily Masses, or by appointment.

CONFIRMATION

Our 8th Graders will celebrate Confirmation on **April 29, 2020.**

Bulletin deadline is 12:00 noon on Tues.

Send announcements to: bulletin@ctkmandan.com

MARRIAGE

Please contact the office at least nine months prior to the intended date of marriage. No wedding date can be set until the initial interview and pre-marriage inventory are completed. Weddings can be scheduled no later than 2:00 pm on Saturdays, and no earlier than 5:00 pm on Fridays during the school year. Go to catholicweddinghelp.com for more info.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE ILL, HOSPITALIZED, OR HOMEBOUND

If you, a family member, or a friend is unable to travel to Christ the King to receive the sacraments, or has become ill, hospitalized or homebound, please call the parish office.

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PARISH NEWS

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Online Giving is available! Go to *ctkmandan.com* and follow these links: Our Parish -> Stewardship -> Donate.

We also offer **electronic giving** as a way to automate your regular weekly offering.

Weekend of Nov. 30/ Dec. 1.....\$5,201.01 (63 Env.)
 Weekend of December 7 & 8.....\$9,347.00 (140 Env.)
 Monthly ACH Contributions.....\$1,380.00
 Weekend of December 14 & 15.....\$8,856.66
 Weekend of December 21 & 22.....\$7,499.00 (108 Env.)
 Online Giving Monthly Total.....\$
 Other Contributions.....\$
 Christmas Flowers.....\$1,566.00

December totals:.....\$33,849.67
 December budget:.....\$49,300

The Magi Appeal

For the second year, we are excited to offer our Magi Appeal, presented by the Catholic Foundation of Western North Dakota. This year our goal is for the gifts to increase our seminarian endowment fund, the women's vocations endowment fund, and individual parish endowment funds. This is an opportunity to give back to our Lord and Savior in a way of perpetuity, grace and celebration.

If you have questions about the Magi Appeal, please call. If you would like to donate to start ensuring the faith for our future generations, send donations to: The Catholic Foundation of Western North Dakota, PO Box 1175, Bismarck, ND 58502 or you can give online on our website *www.cfwnd.org*. Be sure to tell us which endowment fund you would like to support, especially if it's a parish (name of the parish and town). Gifts of any size are appreciated.

Mark your Calendars!

Women's Lenten Retreat—March 14

Area women are invited to the 13th Annual Women's Simple Lenten Retreat on Saturday, March 14, at the Church of St. Joseph in Mandan. Guest speaker is Fr. Craig Vasek, chaplain of athletics at the University of Mary. The day begins with morning Mass and includes a talk on healing and forgiveness and a guided healing exercise, confession, adoration and the rosary. A light breakfast and lunch (taco bar) will be served. Registration details to follow.

Volunteers Needed

We are in need of a few more volunteers to assist with cleaning the Church & Chapel. The group of volunteers usually meets weekly on Monday mornings around 8:00 am to clean. Even if you can only come every other week or once a month, anything helps! If you have any questions, please call the parish office.



GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

The Epiphany of the Lord
January 5, 2020

We may walk many roads when we search for God, and He leads us all the while. The men we honor today were not Jews. The Messiah wasn't coming for them, not in the minds of Jesus' contemporaries. These men were astrologers. They were adept at reading portents in the sky, a practice condemned in the Mosaic covenant. Still, to the best of their knowledge and awareness, they were seeking the truth. This truth led them to journey from their own homeland to honor a king they'd never met, one they couldn't be sure truly existed. "We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." Who do you know seeks God so tenaciously?

"Magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem," the Gospel tells us. Who are the seekers in your own life? Maybe it's your cautiously

curious co-worker, the neighbor who unexpectedly found peace on a yoga retreat, or your desperately angry child who has chosen, for now, to go their own way. Perhaps they're not overtly headed for Jesus now, not yet. But they may well be seekers of truth in ways we didn't expect. Our invitation is to listen, inquire, and give directions when appropriate.

The magi and modern-day seekers can inspire us as well. When is the last time you sought God's truth so tenaciously? As believers, it can perhaps be easy to become desensitized to the Christmas season and to the miraculous reality we recently celebrated. Mass may have been lovely, but so was the succulent roast beef, the crisp smell of evergreen, and the warm glow of family. Consider asking yourself, "God, do I know you as well as I should? Would I journey as far as the magi to meet You, if I could? Do I journey to meet You daily in prayer? What do those answers say about me, and about our relationship?" Perhaps we, like the magi, can once again be "overjoyed" at seeing the Light of the World.

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PARISH INFORMATION & EVENTS

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Ray Riedinger, Darlene Hohbein, Gloria Sauers, Jeff Bezdicek, Johanna Metcalf, Kathy Heisler, Amelia Dalbol, Gail Norton, Jim Kopp, Toni Snider, Margy Markel, Marlene Schwartzbauer, Drake Rubik, Scott Prater, Charles Bauer, Erika Schatz, Veronica Schaner, Tony Barnhardt, Aria Schaner, Mya Weigel, Jeremy, Shayla Polanchek, Wayne Goter, Diane Hopfauf, Luke Berger, Jr., Vernon T. Foster, Deb Bjerke, Todd Boehm, Kyra Blue, Sheila Crawford, Sonja Binstock, Carol Stumpf Metzger, Edna Crawford, Richard Jacobchick, Karissa Oliver, Jodi Glanville, Karla Lonning, Emily Bjore, Tamme Sweringen, Anthony, Sarah, McKenzie, Tom Berger, Hayes Johnson, Gloria Landeis, Cherisse Bendickson, Scott Schaff, Bruce Geiger, Benjamin Johnson, Joe Berger, JP Weigel, Terry Ferderer, Joe Kautzman, Donna Weigel, Maryann (Aman) Powell, John Aman, Henley Avelsgard, Shelly, Madeline Monzelowsky, Jon Stein, Jamie, Sophie & Samuel Stockert, Art Mildenerger, Ann Leingang, Genevieve Johnson, Gerald Knudson, Sherry Vogel, Diane Goter, Baby Blair (Francis Hopfauf,) Steve VanDyke, Paula Frohlich, Baby Voss and Lila Kalvoda

Please help us keep this list updated. Call the parish office if there is a name that can be removed.

Thank you.

Rosary for the Unborn Every Monday

Come pray the rosary for the unborn at Spirit of Life in Mandan every Monday from 5 to 6:20 p.m. All 15 decades are prayed, stay for all or as much as you able. All are welcome.

Stewardship Renewal Forms

Thank you to everyone who has completed and returned their Stewardship Renewal Forms. Even though the requested return date has passed, we will still accept your form, so please turn it in as soon as possible.

Christ the King Parish will sponsor

Pinochle Card Parties

January 14 & 21

7:00—10:00 pm

Parish Life Center



Pinochle parties are held the 2nd and 3rd Tues. each month. The cost is \$5 per evening. Cookies and coffee included.

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Religious Articles!

Beautiful, reasonably priced **Christmas** religious gifts, including Advent wreaths and candles and **Christmas cards that keep Christ in Christmas** are available in the Religious Articles Room Monday — Friday after the 8:00 am Mass until noon. Call Julie Schatz at home, 663-6265, to make other time arrangements.

Life in the Spirit in Harvey—Jan 10-12

Everyone's invited to a Life in the Spirit Weekend Jan. 10-12 at St. Cecilia's Social Center in Harvey, N.D. Registration begins at 6 p.m., seminar begins at 7 p.m. Friday and concludes at 3 p.m. Sunday. The seminar is an opportunity to deepen your personal relationship with the Holy Spirit and fellow members of the Body of Christ. The weekend includes Mass, praise and worship, talks and testimony, discussion groups, Eucharistic adoration, healing of hurtful memories prayer and more. Register by Jan. 7. Free will offering. For more information and to register, contact Rosalie at raxtman@gondtc.com or call 324-2706 or the parish office at 324-2144. No-cost housing available in St. Cecilia's Social Center or in private homes with prior weekend arrangements. Area hotels include: Cobblestone Inn 635-2222 (until Jan. 4); R&R Motel 324-2271; Artos Motel 324-4602. Mention the Life in the Spirit group name for possible block rates.

Right to Life Mass Jan. 22

On the anniversary of the Roe vs. Wade decision, the public is invited to a Right to Life rosary procession and Mass on Wednesday, Jan. 22, in Bismarck. The 4th Degree Knights of Columbus will lead a rosary processing from the doors of CHI St. Alexius to St. Mary's Church beginning at 6:30 p.m. Bishop Kagan will celebrate Mass at St. Mary's Church at 7 p.m. Refreshments will be served following Mass.

Marriage Retreat Williston—Feb. 28-29

Mark your calendar for a marriage retreat at St. Joseph's Church in Williston, Feb. 28-29. Matt and Mindy Dalton, renowned co-founders of Marriage Missionaries will be coming to Williston to share their knowledge and passion for God's glorious designs for marriage. Whether your marriage is thriving, feels weathered or hopeless, all couples are invited to attend this retreat to get the tools you need to live marriage according to God's designs. More details to follow in next month's issue of the Dakota Catholic Action. For more information on the retreat leaders, Matt and Mindy Dalton, go to marriagemissionaries.org.

Northland Care

Are you or any +55 adults you know overwhelmed with the challenges of managing their health care needs? Are you searching for a program that can provide you with resources to help you continue living at home while receiving the assistance you need? Are you in need of services such as transportation, meal preparation, companionship, or personal care? Call the Northland Care Coordination today at 701-204-0418 to help you to live in your home healthier, safer and more independently!

LIT. MINISTERS & INTENTIONS**Tuesday, January 7, 2020**

5:30 pm † Mike Knoll
Altar Servers: Volunteer

Wednesday, January 8, 2020

8:00 am † Hildegard Morrell

Thursday, January 9, 2020

8:00 am † Leonard & Marlys Steckler

Friday, January 10, 2020

9:00 am † Edward Boehm

Saturday, January 11, 2020

4:30 pm † John, Anne, and Don Hatzenbuehler

Altar Servers: Jon Wingenbach

EMES: Kim Dahl, Barb Braun, Deacon Jim

Lectors: Corey Dahl

Ushers: Tim Schoch, Paul Trauger

Gift Bearers: Brian Wingenbach Family

Sunday, January 12, 2020

8:00 am For Our Parishioners

Altar Servers: Volunteer

EMES: Roys Willenbring, Linda Berger, Elaine Willenbring, Deacon Doug, Angie Avar

Lector: Jim Avar

Ushers: Marvin Leingang, Mike Blasco

Gift Bearers: Joe and Mary Koch

10:00 am † Arthur Swap

Altar Servers: Malayna Gerhardt, Michael Gerhardt, Jason Hillstrom

EMES: Justin Gerhardt, Francie Koppy, Greg Rummel, Deacon Bob, Tara Rummel, Steve Koppy, Gerard Mahrer

Lector: Cindy Cermak

Ushers: Steve Koppy, Jim Cermak, Mike Hillstrom, Steven Pletan

Gift Bearers: Justin Gerhardt Family

***Please be responsible for finding your own replacements if you are unable to be present.**

Lawnmower

Thank you to everyone that has donated to the purchase of our new lawnmower! So far, we have received **\$3,250** in donations. We have already seen a substantial reduction in mowing time for our maintenance staff. Please consider donating towards the lawnmower fund. Thank you!

Holy Father's Intentions for January**Promotion of World Peace**

We pray that Christians, followers of other religions, and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.

Sunday, January 5

8:00 am Mass
10:00 am Mass

Monday, January 6**Tuesday, January 7**

5:30 pm Vigil Mass

Wednesday, January 8

8:00 am Mass
9:00 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
10:00 am Quilters meet in Fr. Kuhn Room
3:00 pm Prayer Service and Benediction—In Chapel
5:30 pm First Communion Class
6:45 pm 7th & 8th Grade Confirmation Class

Thursday, January 9

8:00 am Mass
9:00 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday, January 10

9:00 am Mass

Saturday, January 11

8:00 am Mass



They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. — Mt 2:10-11

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass 00001, 1998, 1976 CCD

Christ the King Catholic Montessori School is proud to be part of a tradition of providing a quality Catholic education. The school has consistently provided our children with an understanding of Christian values of mission, community, and service while receiving a quality academic education. The constant presence of God in the children's daily activities is an irreplaceable life experience. No child should be denied this opportunity!

Make A Difference

This is where you, as a parishioner, can make a difference. Your participation can positively affect the health of our beloved school. As our school enrollment increases, we are seeing more and more families in financial need. At some point in life, even the most prepared can experience hardships: a death in the family, the loss of a job, and numerous things that set our lives on end. While they may want to continue to send their children to Christ the King, parents may be forced to withdraw their children because of financial obligations. Again, no child should be denied the opportunity to be blessed with a Catholic education.

Each year, CTK families, parishioners, alumni and friends have been invaluable in helping us assist families touched by difficulties, by making contributions to the Tuition Assistance Program. We need your help so that we can continue to provide Catholic Education to those families in need.

Your Support

Your support of Christ the King School will truly support each student we serve. What could bring you more joy than providing a quality academic, spiritual, and moral education for our children? An investment in our children today is a certain to bring extraordinary results to our church and community in the future.

Please keep us in mind if you are looking to make an end of year donation. North Dakota has some great tax incentives, so please look into those if you are interested. If you would like to sponsor a student, please call or stop by the school office. Any amount helps, and our children are grateful!

Thank you for your generosity!

OBSERVATIONS

Classrooms are open for observations! As a general rule of thumb, the best time for an observation is from 9:00–10:00 am most days. Please stop by the office to schedule your visit!



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