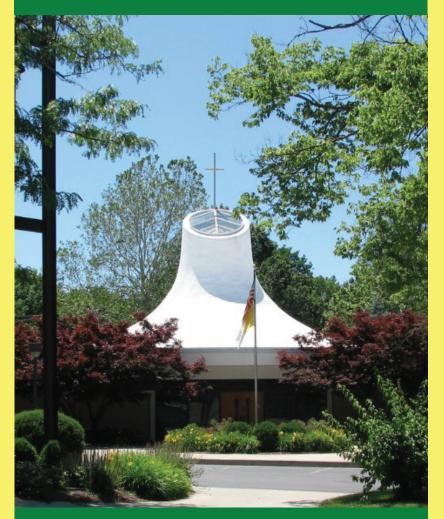
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Christ the King Catholic Church and School

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Christ The King Parish

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My Dear Parishioners,

I am pleased to send you your 2019 Christ the King Parish Guide Book and Directory. This is being mailed to all parishioners at no cost to the parish, through the generosity of the many advertisers in this book. Thanks!

2019 is another year of grace and mercy for which we are thankful, and we look forward to God's continued blessings. Since the publishing of our last directory, we have seen several changes with baptisms, weddings and funerals. New families have joined, and others have moved on. I hope you find this directory helpful.

In the first part of this directory you will find information on the various organizations and ministries that make up our parish. I invite your participation, that all may embrace the Vision Statement from the Pastoral Council: *That we unite in order to deepen our faith, serve others, and embrace all.*

In addition, you will find the names, addresses, and phone numbers of our parish families. A big THANK YOU to Erin Selinger, our Office Manager, for putting together this useful directory.

May God's choicest blessings be yours in the coming months.

In the peace of Christ the King,

Reverend Joseph Ring Pastor

Fr. Joe King

Parish Staff

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Rev. Joseph G. Ring	Pastor
Mrs. Erin Selinger	Office Manager
Mrs. Nicole Bull-Eguez	Business Manager
Mrs. Madonna Jones	Pastoral Associate
Mrs. Pamela Fahey	School Principal
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Mass Schedule

Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Saturday Vigil 4:30 p.m. for Sunday

Weekdays 6:30 a.m. on Monday and Friday

8:30 a.m. on Tues., Wed., & Thurs.

Holydays Vigil - 5:30 p.m.

Day - Daily Mass and 5:30 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration on each First Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 3:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Before 6:30 a.m. Mass on First Friday

Or by Special Arrangement

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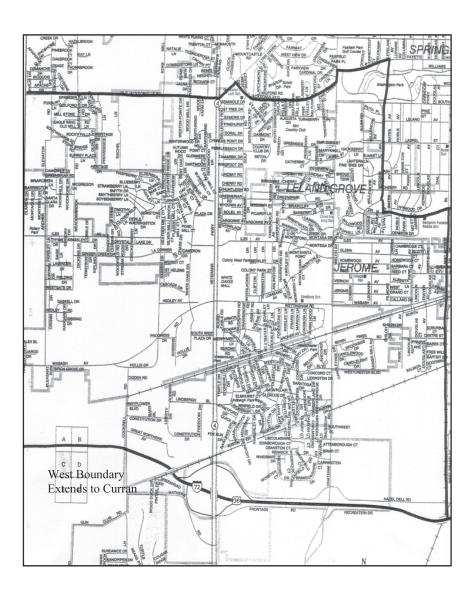


Christ The King Parish Established 1963

Christ the King Parish Boundaries

Beginning at the intersection of Lawrence Ave. and Cleveland, thence south along Cleveland, continuing south as if Cleveland extended through Washington Park to S. Grand Ave.; thence west along S. Grand Ave. to Wiggins Ave.; thence south along Wiggins Ave. to Outer Park Dr.; thence east along Outer Park Dr. to MacArthur Blvd.; thence south along MacArthur Blvd. to its southern terminus, thence in a straight line to the northern terminus of W. Grand Ave., continuing south along W. Grand Ave., as if extended to Rt. 36; thence west along Rt. 36 to the intersection of Rt. 4, continuing westerly to that point on Sangamon County Rd. 4 South at which County Rd. 4 South proceeds directly west; thence west along Sangamon County Rd. 4 South as if extended to the intersection of the southerly boundary of the Village of Curran and County Rd. 6.5 West; thence north along County Rd. 6.5 West to County Rd. 3 South; thence west along County Rd. 3 South to County Rd. 6.75 West; thence north along County Road 6.75 West to County Rd. 2 South; thence west along County Rd. 2 South to County Rd. 6.75 West; thence north along County Rd. 6.75 West to County Rd. 1A South; thence east along County Rd. 1A South (Old Jacksonville Rd.) to Veterans Parkway; thence northeasterly along W. Monroe to its intersection with Old Jacksonville Rd.; thence southeasterly, then easterly along Old Jacksonville Rd. to Chatham Rd.; thence north along Chatham Rd. to Lawrence Ave.; thence east along Lawrence Ave. to Cleveland Ave., the point of beginning.

Following Is A Map Of CTK Parish Boundaries

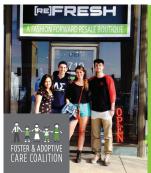




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Mutually Shared Vision for Christ the King Parish

VISION:

Our Vision is that we UNITE in order to DEEPEN OUR FAITH, serve others, and embrace all.

PURPOSE:

Our Parish purpose is to use our love of God and service to our neighbors to teach, energize, and inspire our parishioners and others to become dynamic Catholics.

CORE VALUES

Inclusiveness

All people, all ages without distinction are welcome at Christ the King. We will honor and embrace the uniqueness and diversity of all individuals. We will come together as one supportive parish community by our liturgies, activities and programs.

Christ-centered

All of our words and deeds are rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

We will love God and our neighbor as ourselves,
living out the two great Commandments.

We will hold to the faithful celebration of the sacraments,
especially the Eucharist.

We will reach out to the parish, community and world at large through charitable works and generous giving.

Excellence

All of our parish actions and ministries will strive to achieve and maintain the highest of ministry standards that bring glory to God. We will provide leadership training and mentoring. We will provide the best resources for staff and volunteers in their work and ministries. We will conduct periodic goal setting, effective feedback, and thorough evaluations.

Innovation

All of our challenges and initiatives will be addressed with creative and innovative solutions.

We will prayerfully seek inspiration from the Holy Spirit to creatively address our challenges.

We will explore new avenues for parishioners to communicate ideas. We will develop and promote new ministries throughout the parish.

Christ the King Parish History

It was in the summer of 1963 - July 1 to be exact - that Christ the King Parish first saw the light of day. Carved out of the west end of Blessed Sacrament Parish, the new parish was given the name of Christ the King by the late Bishop William A. O'Connor to preserve its close association with Blessed Sacrament.

The Feast of Christ the King was announced by Pope Pius XI during the Holy Year of 1925, when the first school of Blessed Sacrament Parish opened its doors. Thus the name of the new parish implied that it was actually expanding the educational work begun in 1925 by Blessed Sacrament Parish.

Under the auspices of Blessed Sacrament Parish, a new school and convent were built during 1957 and 1958. A groundbreaking ceremony took place on Feb. 25, 1957 at the corner of Chatham Road and Barberry Drive. On the Feast of Christ the King, Oct. 26, 1958, Bishop O'Connor presided at the dedication of the new school and convent. A half million dollars had been raised in contributions and pledges for the facility. When the school was completed it consisted of 13 classrooms, a kindergarten and a gymnasium. In the first year there were 251 students, four Dominican Sisters and one lay teacher for kindergarten through fifth grade. Grades six, seven and eight were added in succeeding years. Today its enrollment is just under 400 students including a preschool that was started in 1997 for three and four-year-olds and some five-year-olds. A second Pre-School classroom was dedicated on August 28, 2012 and named after Msgr. David S. Lantz.

In July, 1963, a separate parish was created out of Christ the King and Bishop O'Connor appointed the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John W. Bretz as pastor and the Rev. Leo Sestak as assistant pastor. Msgr. Bretz celebrated the parish's first Mass on July 31, 1963 in the school gymnasium, which would serve as the parish church until construction of the present church was completed. On October 20, 1970, ground was broken for the current church, which was dedicated on November 26, 1972. The design of the new church reflected elements of Vatican II liturgical changes in the Catholic Church, with greater emphasis on participation of the congregation in the services. Msgr. Bretz served as pastor until his retirement on June 20, 1989.

In September of 2000, we completed our Christ the King Building Program entitled: CHRIST THE KING 2000 – A STRONG PAST, A PROMISING FUTURE which allowed us to build a new parish center, new gymnasium, as well as, campus-wide parking and landscaping upgrades and school renovations including new science labs, music room, art room, computer center, library, new administrative offices, teachers' lounge and workroom. The buildings were dedicated by Bishop George J. Lucas on September 16, 2000.

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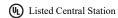
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In the Spring of 2015, our Capital Campaign, LEGACY OF FAITH, VISION FOR THE FUTURE, was launched for the renovation of our school and church. Phase 1 of the school renovation was completed in August, 2015. Phase II began in the summer of 2016 when additional renovations were completed in the preschool, as was the complete renovation of the church.

The parish started with about 700 families and in its 54-year history has grown to around 1500 families.

Since its beginning four pastors have served the parish: Msgr. John W. Bretz from 1963 to 1989; Rev. Donald J. Meehling from 1989 to 1995; Msgr. David S. Lantz from 1996 to 2012; and Rev. Joseph G. Ring from 2012 to the present, as well as the following parochial vicars:

Rev. Leo Sestak (1963-67)	Rev. Don Roberts (1990-93)
Rev. Michael R. Kuse (1967-70)	Rev. Doug Lichtenberger (1993)
Rev. Robert Spriggs (1970-72)	Rev. Brendan Keane (1993-97)
Rev. Larry Boehler (1972-76)	Rev. Barry Harmon (1993-97)
Rev. James O'Shea (1976-78)	Rev. David Zimmerman (1997-00)
Rev. James Neuman (1979-84)	Rev. Thomas Dennis (2000-01)
Rev. David Lantz (1984-89)	Rev. Christopher House (2002-03)
Rev. Anthony Thieman (1989-90)	Rev. Clinton Honkomp OP (04-05)
Rev. Joe Kerber (1990-03)	Deacon Al Laabs (2007 to 2018)

We also remember a young priest, Rev. George Nesbitt, who briefly served this parish in 1979, and shortly afterward was called Home by our Heavenly Father.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms can be celebrated during or after any of the weekend Masses. Please call Erin Selinger at the Parish Office to make an appointment. Attendance at the Baptismal Instruction Class for parents is a requirement. Classes are held four times a year. See bulletin for date of next class.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements for weddings must be made at least ten (10) months in advance with the pastor. Attending a Pre-Cana session is a requirement. Please call the Parish Office to make all necessary arrangements for marriage.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

The RCIA process prepares people for admission into the Catholic Church and is open to the unbaptized who are interested in joining the Catholic faith, those baptized Christians who are considering becoming Catholic, and baptized Catholics who are not fully initiated. These sessions explore Catholic teachings and the role faith plays in modern living. Sessions are held throughout the year and are open to anyone who may be interested in joining the Catholic Church. Please call Madonna Jones at the Parish Office to inquire about the sessions, times, dates and to register.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The Pastoral Council is an advisory board designed to consult with the pastor regarding aspects of parish life that support wholeness and holiness. The council strives to assure that all aspects of parish life reflect the mission and ministry of Jesus. The PPC meets regularly.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

The Finance Council is an appointed advisory council to assist the pastor in financial matters. It prepares Christ the King's annual budget, gives advice to the pastor on plant repairs and maintenance, helps in the formulation of the school's tuition, and prepares the end of the year parish financial report for the diocese. Meetings are called at the discretion of the pastor.

PARISH DISCIPLESHIP AND STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL

The Discipleship and Stewardship Council is an appointed group of parishioners that assist Father Ring in moving the parish forward to embrace discipleship and stewardship as a way of life, as well as welcoming new members to the Parish. They meet monthly, usually 10 times per year.

ALTAR AND ROSARY SOCIETY

The Altar and Rosary Society is a church organization open to all women of Christ the King Parish and committed to being of service to the Church through volunteer and social activities. They are affiliated with the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women. All women of the parish are considered members of the Altar and Rosary Society. All meetings are announced in the weekly church bulletin. President: Mrs. Ann Forrler

ROSARY LEADERS

Before the Masses on weekends, the Rosary is led by one of our Rosary Leaders. Contact: Mrs. Ann Forrler

CTK MEN'S CLUB

Vision Statement: United by our Catholic faith, we will foster fellowship and create an atmosphere of brothers in Christ amongst all the men of the CTK community.

Purpose Statement: The CTK Men's Club will serve as a platform to grow in our Catholic fraternity through a series of social and religious events that benefit the entire CTK community.

The CTK Men's Club is open to all men of our Parish family and all are welcome at monthly meetings. President: Ryan Beveridge Contact: ctkmensclub1@gmail.com

THE LEGION OF MARY

The "Legion of Mary" is a worldwide organization founded in Ireland in 1921. The object of the Legion is the glory of God through the sanctification of its members by prayer and spiritual works. All prayers are devoted to the Blessed Mother. There are two types of memberships: active and auxiliary. Active members meet weekly on Tuesday mornings after the 8:30 a.m. Mass in the Parish Library. Auxiliary members support the Legion through prayer. They pray the Rosary daily along with prayers in the Tessera, a special leaflet containing the prayers of the Legion. President: Mrs. Mary Ellen White

CTK ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The Christ the King St. Vincent de Paul Society has been meeting at CTK for over 30 years. They meet on the first Monday of each month at 5:30 p.m. unless noted in the bulletin. Their major projects include the Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets for the needy, underwriting meals at St. John's Breadline, contributions to non-profit organizations and emergency aid cases. The Chapter is strong and healthy, and it continues to serve the needs of the poor and disadvantaged. New members are always welcome. President: Mr. Terry Lucas

PRO-LIFE COMMITTEE

The pro-life committee undertakes a number of projects that focus on the right to life from conception to natural death. We organize and promote peaceful & prayerful ways to show one's opposition to the Culture of Death. Events include the annual Life Chain the first Sunday of October, Springfield Right to Life's annual Signature Ad in the State Journal-Register, during Lent a prayer vigil at Planned Parenthood during 40 Days for Life, and the March for Life to Washington D.C. for 8th grade students coordinated by the Diocese. We also write a weekly "Pro-Life corner" which appears in the bulletin throughout the year. Coordinator: Claudia Connelly

CTK OVER 50 CLUB

The Christ the King Over 50 Club is a social and support organization in our parish community with membership open to all parishioners who have passed the half-century age mark. Whether single or a couple, all parishioners over age 50 are welcome. The group meets on the First Friday of each month (October through May) at 6:00 p.m. A potluck is held with entertainment and speakers and a short business meeting. By their generosity, they award 2 to 4 scholarships each year to our deserving students. President: Mr. Terry Lucas

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This program is designed for small children who leave after the opening prayer at Mass with volunteer leaders and return during the Offertory of the Mass. During the 20 minutes or so that they are gone, they will hear the Mass readings from the Children's Lectionary and discuss them, along with various activities, music and children's bulletins. They meet during the school year at the 10:00 a.m. Mass each Sunday, excluding major holidays. Contacts: Mrs. Cheryl Held and Mrs. Beth Waldman

LITURGY COMMITTEE

The Liturgy Committee's goal is to provide direction to the public prayer of our parish family and is composed of the leaders/coordinators of each of our parish ministries...Art & Environment, Music, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors, Ushers, etc. This group coordinates and unifies the efforts of each ministry to plan long-term events and to set goals for the parish as a whole. The Liturgy Committee is led by Madonna Jones.

For each ministry, contact:

- ---- Art and Environment Contact: Mrs. Amy Madonia
- ---- Extraordinary Ministers Contact: Mrs. Linda Johnston
- ---- Lectors Contact: Mr. Jim Dalquist
- ---- Ushers Contact: Mr. Augustine Nwajei
- ---- Music Ministry Contact: Mrs. Linda Younkin, Director
- ---- Servers/Training Contact: Mr. Mike Rogers
- ---- Ministry Scheduler Contact: Mrs. Ann Forrler



MUSIC MINISTRY

Mrs. Linda Younkin, Director singctk@aol.com

The Christ the King music ministry's role is to bring people closer to God through music. Our purpose is to add beauty to the liturgy and to encourage and enhance congregational singing, thereby uniting us as one in sung prayer. Through a cooperative spirit and a willingness to learn, our singers and instrumentalists strive for excellence in order to bring themselves and our community to a closer union with God. The CTK music ministry welcomes anyone who has a charism, talent or interest in the area of music in service to liturgy.

The various musical groups are as follows:

CTK Adult Choir

The Christ the King adult choir is composed of CTK members who have a talent or interest in sung prayer. The adult choir rehearses on Thursday evenings in the church from 7:00-8:30 p.m. During the Christmas and Easter season, they rehearse until 9:00 p.m.

CTK Millennial Choir

The Christ the King Millennials are a group of vocalists and instrumentalists who provide music at the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Sunday evenings. Group members are of the "Millennial generation". Ages range from college students to young adults. The Millennials provide sung prayer for Mass by blending contemporary Christian music with traditional church favorites in an upbeat style with a live band. They rehearse every other Tuesday evening from 7:15-8:45 p.m. The CTK Millennials are under the direction of Cory Brown.

CTK Cantor Group

The cantor group consists of choir members who have a trained solo voice of any range. These members of the choir lead the responsorial psalms and acclamations. As a small sub-group, they often provide music at one of our weekend Masses. They also join the choir members for our major church celebrations.

CTK Instrumentalists

Keyboardists, pianists, organists, woodwind players, percussionists and guitarists are among our CTK instrumental players. The CTK instrumentalists are the backbone of all of our musical groups. They rehearse with the other musicians and provide a solid foundation for our singers, as well as provide their own type of prayer through instrumental arrangements of musical works.

CTK Junior Choir and Senior Choir

These two separate groups consist of junior high and high school students who demonstrate a willingness and ability to be active in a parish ministry. Their leadership role prepares them for the future position they will hold as leaders of our church. These two groups rehearse separately and weekly. They are often combined into one group for a weekend Mass, or sing at two different Masses, depending on the monthly schedule.

Jr. High Choir (4th through 8th grade) – Rehearsal on Monday evenings from 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.

Sr. High Choir (9th through 12th grade) – Rehearsal on Monday evenings from 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

CTK Funeral Choir

This generous group of ministers is "on call" to provide music for our Funeral liturgies, usually with a day or two notice. The majority of our funerals are during the day, so members of this group need to be available during daytime hours. This group sings a weekend Mass once a year at our November Mass of Remembrance. They rehearse 30 minutes prior to each funeral.

CTK Children's Choirs

The 3rd through 4th grade school choir, known as the Cherubs and the 5th through 8th grade school choir known as the Jr. Crusaders, along with the "class of the week" provide support for the assembly singing for the Wednesday morning school Masses during the school year. They also sing one weekend Mass per month. They are under the direction of Mrs. Elizabeth Donathan.

HAND BELL CHOIR

The Hand Bell Choir is composed of dedicated individuals who practice on designated evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Joseph Room. They add a wonderful dimension to our special Masses at Christmas, Easter, 1st Communion, Confirmation, Graduation, etc. They are always looking for new members. Contact: Ms. Peg McDermott

CTK FAITH COMMUNITY NURSE MINISTRY

Parish Nursing at Christ the King is a ministry provided by a team of parish nurses dedicated to serving the whole person: mind, body, and spirit. The parish nurses visit the sick, promote health and healing through education, health counseling, advocacy, and various health related programs. Parish Nurse Coordinator: Brenda Heaton, 217-546-3527 ext. 9

CTK CAREGIVERS PROGRAM

CIVS Mission Statement: "Caregivers, Interfaith Volunteers of Springfield (CIVS) is a network of religious congregations and community agencies who through groups of trained volunteers assist the frail elderly and their families maintain their independence, dignity, and quality of life and prevent unnecessary institutionalization." This program, coordinated through St. John's Hospital Third Age Living, works through partner churches to provide volunteer help for older adults and their families. New volunteers are always needed. Individuals needing assistance or wishing to volunteer should contact either Kay Alberts at CIVS at 757-6621 or the CTK Coordinators. Coordinators: Mrs. Pat Bertrand & Mrs. Carlajean Rebbe





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CTK MERCY VOLUNTEER DATABASE

A volunteer database of CTK parishioners who would use their skills and talents to help other parishioners who are in need of someone to lend an extra hand in day to day activities. Things that are simple for some are difficult for others and some tasks are often overwhelming for the elderly. (Such as changing light bulbs, figuring out computer and TV technology, raking leaves, etc.) You will have a choice of days, times, abilities and amount of time you would be willing to serve as a parish volunteer. You are also always free to decline any request. You work as you are willing and able. You can volunteer weekly, monthly or as little as a one-time service! Contact: Mark and Pam McDonald

NURSING HOME VISITS

Christ the King Parish is responsible for the pastoral care of LEWIS MEMORIAL CHRISTIAN WELLNESS CENTER. Visits are made to the nursing home each week. Father Joe celebrates Mass once a month; on the other weeks, a Communion Service is held and the Rosary recited. Coordinator: Mrs. Jo Wassell

CTK EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND OF OUR PARISH

Christ the King Parish offers a Ministry to the homebound, nursing homes and hospitals for those who are unable to attend Mass for a period of time. If this opportunity interests you, contact the Parish Office at 546-3527.

FUNERAL LUNCHEONS

Jesus taught us "Blessed are they who mourn, for they shall be comforted" (Mt 5:4). As a parish family, we seek to comfort those by offering funeral luncheons for the bereaved. The Altar & Rosary Society provides the main course, i.e., meat, beverages and all paper products. A donation is accepted to cover the cost of the meat and paper products. We have a number of teams who take turns preparing other dishes (salads, vegetables, casseroles and desserts), setting up, serving the meal and cleaning up. Anyone interested in making up additional teams would be most welcome. This is a wonderful service provided for those experiencing the loss of a loved one. Contact: Mrs. Arlene Beveridge

SCRIPTURE STUDY GROUPS

Christ the King Parish currently offers Scripture Studies, during the school year, for women on Wednesday and Thursday mornings in the Parish Center. The subject matter changes with each session, but both groups have recently been using the studies from Ascension Press at www.ascensionpress.com. The Wednesday morning group meets from 9:00-11:00 a.m.; and the Thursday morning group meets from 9:00-11:00 a.m. and has babysitting available. For information on the Wednesday morning group, please contact Mary Kay Hinkle and for the Thursday morning group, contact Kristin Luker. We also have a Friday morning study of Word Among Us, contact Jean Heroux. A Men's Scripture Study meets seasonally on Wednesday nights. Contact Patrick Kelleher.

CHRIST THE KING PRAYER LINE

Christ the King Parish has a prayer line for personal intentions. If you have a special intention or the name of someone for whom you would like others to offer prayers, please contact one of the following Prayer Line Coordinators: Pam Miller, John Dee and Sharon Schultz

CHRIST THE KING PARISH RESOURCE LIBRARY

The Resource Library is located in the Parish Center across from the Parish Office. It has an assortment of books, CDs, and DVDs that you may check out yourself. The research books are the only ones that cannot be checked out. You may use the library to do your research. It is open from 7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. except on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings.

CHRIST THE KING GARDEN CLUB

This volunteer group of parishioners helps maintain the landscaping of our complex. This includes various responsibilities such as weeding, bed cleaning, shrub and tree trimming, planting and watering the flowers, etc. Contact the Parish Office if interested in volunteering with this group.



Christ the King School

Established 1957

MISSION STATEMENT: Christ the King School, in partnership with families, empowers children in their Catholic faith journey to promote academic excellence and life-long service.

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Mr. Tim Evoy, Mr. Justin Stubbs

Playground Supervisors Ms. Kathleen Bertrand, Mrs. Karen de Castro,

Mrs. Pam Skeades, Mr. Michael Kessler,

Mrs. Janine McDonald

PHILOSOPHY: We believe that parents are the primary educators of their children. They provide the foundation upon which a Christian education is built. When parents entrust their children to our school, they assist the school by their support and cooperation.

We believe that the Catholic school is the most effective means available to the Church in its educational ministry to children and young people.

We believe that each child is a unique individual created in the image and likeness of God. In the school's environment, the whole child's potential—spiritual, moral, academic, emotional, and physical—is developed and strengthened.

We believe that it is the school's responsibility to form Christians prepared to live in a society that is becoming increasingly more materialistic. By providing opportunities for spiritual, moral and emotional growth, students will develop a true sense of compassion, service, and self-worth. Academic and physical challenges will help students develop a true sense of accomplishment and self-knowledge, recognizing their civic responsibilities and the importance of helping others through service.

GOALS: The faculty and staff of Christ the King School strives to create, by word and example, a caring, compassionate, Catholic environment. Academic instruction and opportunities will help each child reach his/her full potential.

OBJECTIVES: In order to achieve the mission of Christ the King School, the students will

- Model their lives on the teachings of Jesus through prayer, respect for life, self-discipline, and responsible decision making.
- Actively participate in the life of the Church by attending Mass, receiving the sacraments, and practicing service to others.
- Demonstrate their knowledge of Catholic Church teachings, traditions, and history.
- Demonstrate the ability to read fluently and with comprehension.
- Demonstrate the ability to speak and write correctly.
- Demonstrate essential math skills.
- Utilize technology to enhance learning across the curriculum.
- Demonstrate their knowledge of science and the importance of environmental stewardship.
- Exhibit their knowledge of history and cultural diversity, understanding the democratic process.
- Enrich their self-expression through the fine arts.
- Work independently and cooperatively with others.
- Demonstrate physical skills appropriate for healthy living.

ADMISSION POLICY (GENERAL): Christ the King School admits students of any race, color, nationality or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students of this school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admission policies, scholarships, athletic and/or other school-administered programs.

As a condition for enrolling or re-enrolling any child at Christ the King School, parents and guardians must sign and submit the Tuition/General Service Fee Payment Preference Plan.

Since Christ the King School is a parish school, preferential admission is given to baptized Catholic children living within the boundaries of Christ the King Parish whose parents are Active Parish Members. (An Active Parish Member is one who is registered in the parish and shares time, talent, and treasure with the parish community.) However, consideration for admission may be given to children of parishioners living outside the boundaries, children of non-parishioners, or non-Catholics at the discretion of the pastor and/or the principal.

Children entering kindergarten are to be five years of age on or before September 1. Those entering the first grade are to be six years of age on or before the same date. No exceptions will be made. Catholic students, unless baptized at Christ the King, must present a baptismal certificate.

Grade size is limited to a maximum of 60 students.

Catholic parents who enroll their children in Christ the King School are expected to practice their faith. This responsibility includes Mass attendance every Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation and training their children in the Catholic faith by word and example. In addition, it means financial support for the parish.

Once admitted, a student who is otherwise qualified to continue enrollment has the right to continued enrollment at Christ the King School.

The principal will review the suitability of all transfer students and submit a recommendation to the pastor as to whether the student should be admitted to the school.

WAITING LISTS: When a grade's enrollment reaches 60, a waiting list will be established. Students on a waiting list will be admitted as openings occur.

PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION: The Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) is an organization of parents and guardians of children enrolled in Christ the King School. Its purpose is to enhance the school and its programs and promote fellowship for the parents as well as the children at Christ the King School. The officers included in the Executive Committee are President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. There are also at least three, but no more than five, "members at large". These positions are elected on a rotating basis. No person shall serve on the Executive Committee for more than three consecutive years. The meetings are held monthly.

The PTO fundraises to help pay for their own sponsored events. With the support of our pastor, principal and parents, the money generated from this endeavor has supplied needed items for the school, children and faculty. Contact: Mrs. Kristy Wheeler, President, or Mrs. Emily Cour. Vice-President

SCHOOL SCRIP PROGRAM: SCRIP is a fundraising program for the school that earns free money while you shop. SCRIP is simply a word that means substitute money; it is gift certificates from national & local retailers. Retailers agree to sell gift certificates to our organization at a discount. Families buy the certificates at full face value, then redeem them for face value & the school keeps the difference as revenue. The school earns money for classroom enhancement and the school families earn money toward their tuition for the upcoming school year. Coordinator: Mrs. Jessica Davis

CTK SCHOOL BOARD: An active School Board began in 1990 and has served as an advisory body to the pastor and the school's chief administrator, namely the principal. The nine members of the School Board bring their diverse backgrounds and unique experiences to help represent the parish as a whole. The School Board concerns itself with matters that pertain to the operation of the educational programs and facilities of the school.

Each Board member serves for a three year period and is chosen through a yearly discernment process. The terms are staggered, however, so that each year three Board members will complete their terms. They can then decide whether to rotate off the Board or apply to serve a second term. The board is governed by both a Mission Statement and By-Laws describing its role and responsibilities.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION: The Parish School of Religion (PSR) provides public school students with religious instruction. Classes are available for parish students in first grade through eighth grade and are held on Mondays 4:30-5:30 p.m. in the school classrooms. Those students who are to be confirmed need to attend all PSR classes in 7th grade since Confirmation is so early in the 8th grade school year.

Also those students making their 1st Communion in second grade need to attend all PSR classes in 1st grade, either at CTK or at another Catholic School. Contact: Principal, Mrs. Fahey

- **SCOUTING PROGRAM:** This organization is to help boys and girls to learn to serve God and community through nationally established scouting programs, implemented by our troops and pack.
- **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:** We offer a Vacation Bible School Program one week in July for preschool through fifth graders from 8:00 a.m. to noon. Several volunteers are needed from sixth graders through adults. There is no cost for the program to those attending; the program is run through donations from parishioners and others.

CHRIST THE KING SCHOOL SUMMER CAMP:

Students in Preschool-5th Grade that are enrolled for the upcoming school year can also enroll in full day camp or 2 hour Enrichment Mini-Camps. Activities include daily themed enrichment classes, outside play including water play, games, field trips and plenty of surprise activities. Indoor time, snack time and quiet time are also part of the program. Campers are to bring a sack lunch to enjoy with their friends!



CTK Parish Preschool

The CTK Preschool is an extension of Christ the King School. The program follows the policies and regulations of the diocesan Board of Education and the Office for Catholic Education.

MISSION:

Christ the King School has established a preschool to provide educational services to prepare children for school in the years before they enter kindergarten. The preschool will be for three-year-olds, four-year-olds and some five-year-olds.

PHILOSOPHY:

- Each student is a child of God who possesses an innate dignity which deserves respect.
- Each child comes to us with individual talents, abilities, weaknesses and deficiencies and has the right to learn according to his or her developmental level in a loving, supportive environment.

PROGRAM GOALS:

- To help our children know that God loves them and that they can respond to God's love by doing what He wants them to do.
- To help our children develop good behavior by sharing things, taking turns, listening, helping others, loving, thanking, and celebrating.
- To help our children develop their language, pre-reading and writing, and math skills.
- To help our children develop gross and fine motor skills.

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS:

To be admitted as a three-year-old, a child must be three by September 1 of the specified school year. To be admitted as a four-year-old, a child must be four by September 1 of the specified school year.

Children must be toilet-trained in order to be admitted.

The policy for admission to the preschool is as follows:

- Children presently enrolled in the preschool
- Children of present Christ the King School families
- · Children of registered parish members
- Children in the community

Admission of a child in the preschool program creates no expectation that the child will be admitted to the K-8 school program. Admission to kindergarten is independent of the preschool program.

DAYS AND HOURS OF OPERATION:

The preschool will follow the calendar of Christ the King School for the most part. There are five preschool areas: three for three-year-olds and two for four-year-olds. The hours are the same for both three and four year olds. They are M-F all day (8:15 a.m. to 2:45p.m.) or M-F mornings only (8:15 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.) or MWF all day (8:15 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.) or MWF mornings only (8:15 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.) or MWF mornings only (7:55 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.).