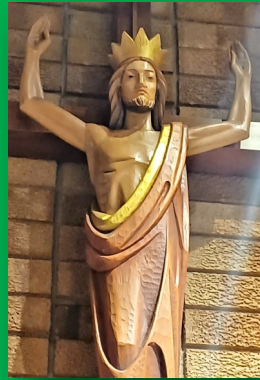


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Christ the King Parish



## Weekend Masses at Christ the King

*Saturday – 4pm*

*Sunday – 8am, 11am*

## Weekday Masses at Christ the King

*Monday through Friday – 8:30am*

### Confession

*Saturdays at 3pm and by appointment*

### Office Hours

*Monday - Thursday: 9am - 12pm*  
*Closed Friday*

## Weekend Masses at Ascension

*Saturday – 4pm*

*Sunday – 9:30am*

## Weekday Masses at Ascension

*Monday through Friday – Noon*

**We welcome you all to be part of  
our community!**

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## **Christ the King Mission Statement**

**“A Roman Catholic Community of believers: To know God, love Him  
and serve Him in this life, modeling his Son, Jesus Christ,  
and to be with Him in the next life.”**

## Mass Intentions for the Week



**SATURDAY — June 6 - St. Norbert, Bishop**

4:00 p.m. — Deacon Wayne Storrs

**SUNDAY— June 7 – The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**

8:00 a.m. — Flora Bogacki

11:00 a.m. — Parish of Christ the King

**MONDAY— June 8 - 10<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time**

8:30 a.m. — Peter Sardina

**TUESDAY — June 9 - St. Ephrem, Deacon**

8:30 a.m. — **Communion Service (No Mass)**

**WEDNESDAY— June 10 - 10<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time**

8:30 a.m. — Sue Tracy

**THURSDAY— June 11 - St. Barnabas, Apostle**

8:30 a.m. — John Torpy

**FRIDAY — June 12 - Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

8:30 a.m. — Parish of Christ the King

**SATURDAY — June 13 - The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Anthony of Padua**

4:00 p.m. — Kay and Everett Lovell

**SUNDAY— June 14 – 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. — Yvette Cote

11:00 a.m. — Rene Aviso

The 2026 Mass book for Christ the King is open through [December 2026](#).

Please contact Loretta at the rectory at (630) 629-1717 ext. 2 or at [loretta@ctklombard.org](mailto:loretta@ctklombard.org)

## Readings for the Week of June 7, 2026

**Monday:** 1 Kgs 17:1-6/ Ps 121:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 5:1-12

**Tuesday:** 1 Kgs 17:7-16/ Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Mt 5:13-16

**Wednesday:** 1 Kgs 18:20-39/ Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/Mt 5:17-19

**Thursday:** Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 (580)/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13/Mt 5:20-26

**Friday:** Dt 7:6-11/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 10/1 Jn 4:7-16/Mt 11:25-30

**Saturday:** 1 Kgs 19:19-21/Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10/Mt 5:33-37

**Next Sunday:** Ex 19:2-6a/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5/Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36-10:8

## From the Pastor's desk....

*June is busting out all over! As the song goes, from the musical, Carousel! Summertime is here, and all the good things that accompany it. May you have good memories this summer with the out of doors, visiting, etc. May you all be kept safe in your travels. June is also a month dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus; something to reflect upon at this beginning of summer that is so full of life.*

*This weekend is Corpus Christi Sunday—the body and blood of Christ. We are a Eucharistic people as Catholics. We connect in an intentional way with Jesus who is present to us in the Eucharist at every mass. We connect with Christ when we approach the sanctuary of the church and know that the Real Presence is in the tabernacle. Let us be proud of who we are, acknowledging that Christ is part of our life. He guides us and is with us. We certainly have much to be thankful for.*

*Please pray for the 6 new priests ordained this weekend at our cathedral in Joliet by Bishop Spies. These men will begin a life-long journey with Christ in a most unique way with Holy Orders. May God watch over them, protect them and bless them in many ways.*

*This Friday we want to remember the Sacred Heart of Jesus—His love for us is ever present, full of love and mercy.*

*Peace.....Fr. Jeff*





# THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI

**Taking a Vacation or Traveling?  
Don't Take a Vacation from Church**

While traveling, parishioners may log on to [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) or call 858-207-6277 for the location and schedule of Masses throughout the USA and other countries.



*Perhaps God is calling you to the  
Ministry of Spiritual Direction.*

**APPLICATION PROCESS IS NOW OPEN FOR  
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*Classes begin September 2026-June 2027.*  
The ideal Candidate is a person of faith who feels called to accompany others in their walk with God through sacred listening and prayer and scripture. Basic expectations are that candidates currently be in spiritual direction and attend weekly classes which include scripture, prayer, spiritual disciplines, texts and materials integral to the tradition of spiritual direction in our Catholic Faith.

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Call Dr. Amore at 630-852-9000  
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## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE for May 16-17

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Weekly Offering	\$7,736.00
Weekly Budget	\$11,346
Building Repair & Maintenance	\$175.00
Tornado Relief	\$250.00
Saint Vincent DePaul	\$25.00

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT



Join us for Adoration at Christ the King on Wednesdays following the 8:30 a.m. Mass until 12 Noon.

### **BEHOLD Adoration**

Adoration with candlelight, music, and silence every **Fourth Wednesday** of the month 7pm-8pm.



**If you are a Catholic Man interested in growing your faith through our faith formation initiative, use the QR code below**



Join with other Catholic men interested in growing their faith

Enter 11027 for preferred local council, for additional information phone or text Rick Cosenza at 630-776-2488



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# MAKE

A Pastoral Letter for the People of the Diocese of Joliet

**Hello Parishioners!**

**We have more updates for you from the MAKE Committee.**

- ◆ The Men's Group has a few interested people ready to put this group into action. More details as we have them.
- ◆ Senior Group still needs someone to start the implementation.
- ◆ Young Adults is still waiting for the right person/persons to get this group going.
- ◆ Altar Servers still requested and needed. Speak to the fourth graders and older that live in your house or in your neighborhood. Father Jeff will train them. There does need to be a responsible adult to get the boys/girls to church on time for the Masses they are scheduled.



Plans to hold our first **International Food Fair** are in progress! We already have some parishioners signed up to share their cultural foods with us. We will host three nationalities to spotlight in September with three or more to follow in October/November. We are looking for more people who are willing to take charge of their particular table. Invite their friends and relatives to help them present the best their nationality has to offer. Talk to us soon to let us know your ideas. Maybe we'll find hidden surprises in the tastings that we would never had the opportunity to be exposed to!! P.S. We will keep kids foods on hand just in case they might be picky!

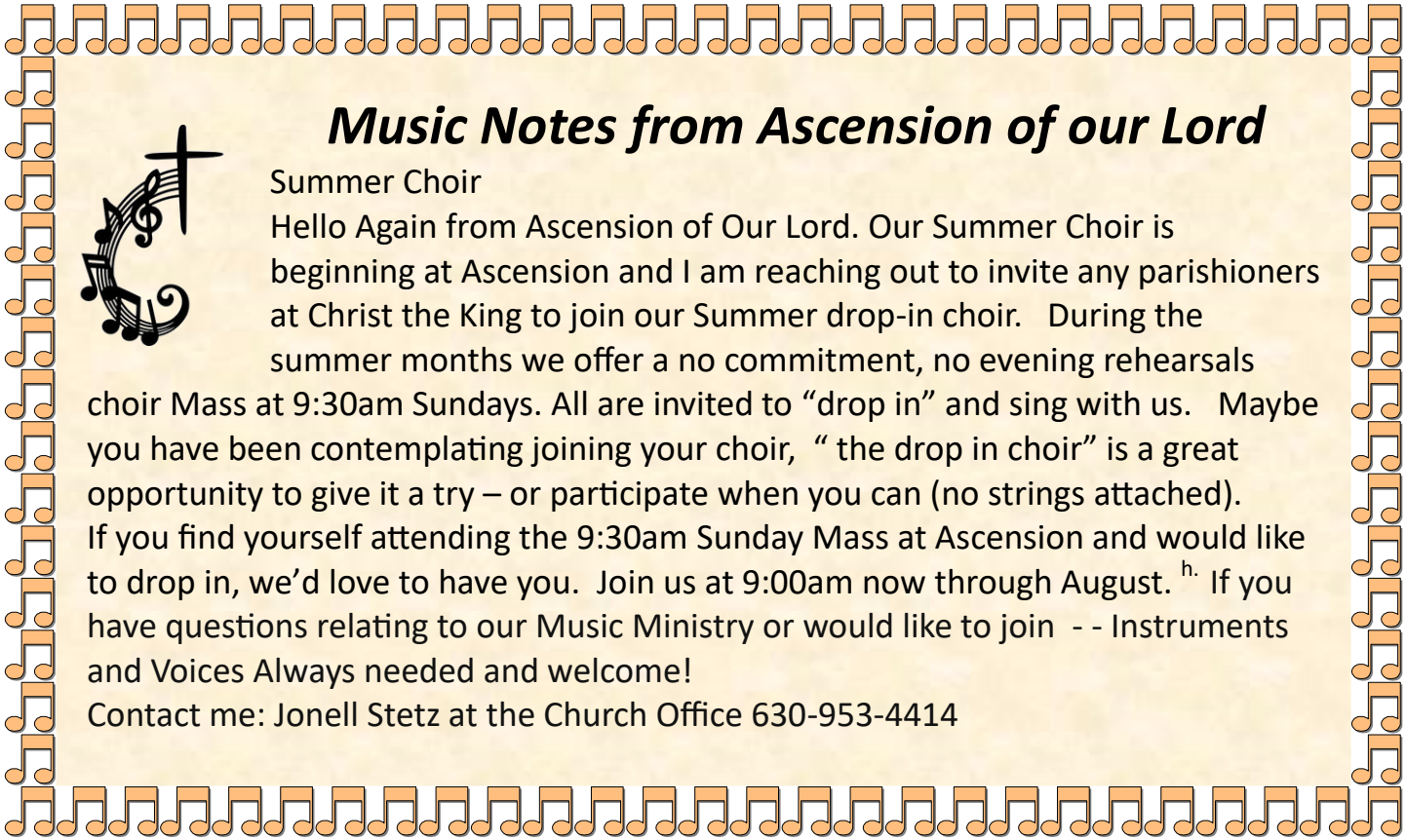


Now would **you** be interested in showing off your nationality cooking skills and tempting our taste buds!

Even with our visions of how we want to include all people, we just can't do it alone! In order for this to work, you must be a part of it. Come forward, don't be shy. You will make new friends for sure!

What works for you? Planning games for senior citizens, driving altar servers to church, working with young adults or sharing the best of the best with your cooking skills? Whatever and however you would like to be part of **MAKE**, let us know now. Time is of the essence. Planning can only go so far without YOU to help.

Reach us now at [Maryannctk@gmail.com](mailto:Maryannctk@gmail.com), Carol Paulsen at [mamac331@comcast.net](mailto:mamac331@comcast.net) or 630-802-1625.



### Music Notes from Ascension of our Lord

#### Summer Choir

Hello Again from Ascension of Our Lord. Our Summer Choir is beginning at Ascension and I am reaching out to invite any parishioners at Christ the King to join our Summer drop-in choir. During the summer months we offer a no commitment, no evening rehearsals choir Mass at 9:30am Sundays. All are invited to “drop in” and sing with us. Maybe you have been contemplating joining your choir, “ the drop in choir” is a great opportunity to give it a try – or participate when you can (no strings attached). If you find yourself attending the 9:30am Sunday Mass at Ascension and would like to drop in, we’d love to have you. Join us at 9:00am now through August.<sup>h</sup> If you have questions relating to our Music Ministry or would like to join - - Instruments and Voices Always needed and welcome!

Contact me: Jonell Stetz at the Church Office 630-953-4414



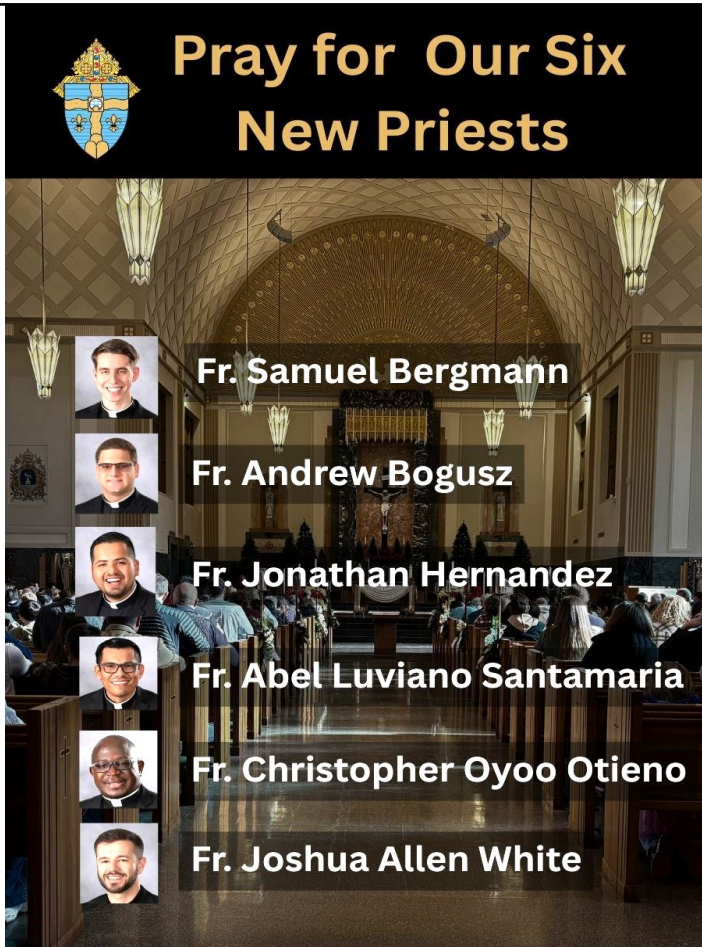
## Saint Vincent DePaul Society Food Pantry Items Request



**CTK Food Pantry thanks our parishioners for their continued donations of food and household essentials. We serve many Lombard-area neighbors who need assistance. Our most urgent need right now is nonfood items; in addition to food, please consider donating the items listed below.**

Toilet Paper	Paper Towels	Paper Napkins	Kleenex
Baggies (any size)	Shampoo	Toothpaste	Hand Soap
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Laundry Detergent	Paper Bags	Cleaning Products	Dish Soap

Please drop off pantry items in the collection boxes in the church narthex. Thank you for helping support neighbors in need.



**Pray for Our Six New Priests**

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**Fr. Andrew Bogusz**

**Fr. Jonathan Hernandez**

**Fr. Abel Luviano Santamaria**

**Fr. Christopher Oyoo Otieno**

**Fr. Joshua Allen White**



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**Deadline to register: August 10, 2026**

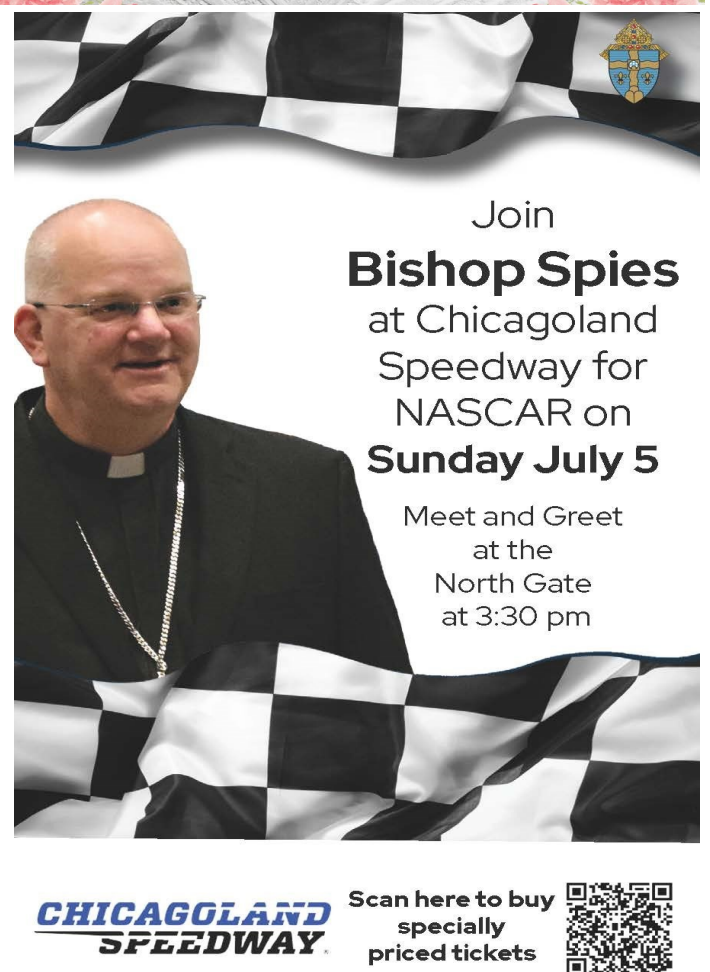
Questions? Contact Deacon Doug McIlvaine:  
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dmcilvaine@dioceseofjoliet.org

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