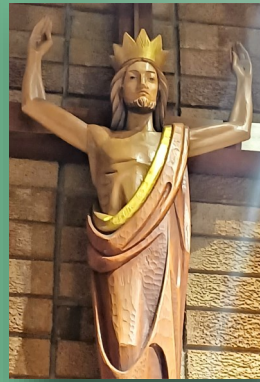


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## Weekend Masses at Christ the King

***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 - Friday: 9am - 12pm***

## 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  
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***"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 21 - St. Aloysius Gonzaga**

4:00 p.m. — Jim Tonkinson

**SUNDAY— June 22 - The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**

8:00 a.m. — James and Margaret DeFrank

10:00 a.m. — John Wick Sr.

12:00 pm — Rene Aviso

**MONDAY— June 23 - 12<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time**

8:30 a.m. — John Dovalovsky Sr.

**TUESDAY — June 24 - Nativity of St. John the Baptist**

8:30 a.m. — Patrick Neilon

**WEDNESDAY— June 25 - 12<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time**

8:30 AM — Cornelio Del Pena

**THURSDAY— June 26 - 12<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time**

8:30 a.m. — Yvette Cote

**FRIDAY — June 27 - Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

8:30 a.m. — Sue Tracy

**SATURDAY — June 28 - Immaculate Heart of Mary**

4:00 p.m. — Charlotte and Matthew Peters

**SUNDAY— June 29 - Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles**

8:00 a.m. — Christ the King Parish

10:00 a.m. — Erin Wick

12:00 pm — Rene Aviso

## Please Note

The Mass book is now open from July 1<sup>st</sup> until the end of December 2025.

The new Mass schedule will begin July 1<sup>st</sup>  
**Saturday 4:00pm, Sunday 8:00am and 11:00am**

## Readings for the Week of June 22, 2025

**Monday:** Gn 12:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20 and 22/Mt 7:1-5

**Tuesday:** Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab and 17/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17

Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

**Wednesday:** Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 7:15-20

**Thursday:** Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5/Mt 7:21-29

**Friday:** Ez 34:11-16/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Rom 5:5b-11/Lk 15:3-7

**Saturday:** Gn 18:1-15/Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 and 53, 54-55/Mt 8:5-17

**Next Sunday:** Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19

Day: Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

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

*This weekend you are invited into the Parish Hall after mass to extend Best Wishes to our parish secretary, Carol Clissem. Carol is retiring after working here at Christ the King for 19 years. Many have come to know her at the time of planning a funeral liturgy for a loved one, or requesting a sacramental record. Carol has seen many changes here at the parish through the many years, and we thank her for her loyal, faithful service.*

*Next weekend is our last weekend with a long-time schedule on Sundays. With the work in progress for the upcoming merger between Christ the King and Ascension, things will soon be changing. Although the merger is on a pause, or a hold, as an appeal has been filed by some parishioners of Ascension, the reality is Fr. Jose will soon be moving to a new assignment. July 1, Fr. Jose, pastor at Ascension, will be moving out of the rectory to Resurrection Parish in Wayne. I will maintain pastorship here while becoming Administrator at Ascension. This puts many things on a "hold" at both parishes.*

*Beginning July 6, the Sunday morning schedule is 8:00 & 11:00. There will be a 9:30 mass at Ascension, and all are invited to attend. Likewise, the parishioners at Ascension are invited to our Sunday masses as well. We combined our 10 & 12 into the 11. We combined their 8 & 10 into 9:30. Thank you for your patience and understanding at this time.*

*Peace.....Fr. Jeff*

## A Note from the Parish Office

Has Your Address or Phone Number Changed?

If your address or phone number has changed since you registered at Christ the King Parish and you have not yet notified the office, please email Carol at [carol@ctklombard.org](mailto:carol@ctklombard.org) or call 630-629-1717 x 2

Thank you! Carol Clissem, Parish Office



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June 7, 2025

Dear Parishioners of Christ the King and Ascension of Our Lord,

As we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, I am pleased to share with you the Holy Spirit's guidance regarding the Mass schedule for both parishes beginning July 1. After much prayer, and consultation with parish transition team members, I have discerned the following schedule starting Tuesday, July 1, 2025:

Weekday Masses:

- 8:30am Monday through Friday at Christ the King
- Noon Monday through Friday at Ascension

Weekend Masses:

- Saturday at 4pm at Christ the King
- Saturday at 4pm at Ascension
- Sunday at 8am and 11am at Christ the King
- Sunday at 9:30am at Ascension of Our Lord

Through the generosity of retired priests this schedule is possible, maintaining weekday, Saturday Vigil, and Sunday Mass times at both Christ the King and Ascension, even though I will be the only priest formally assigned to both parishes. It will be a time of adjustment, as each location's current Mass times for Sunday are going to be different, but with change comes opportunities for growth and new possibilities. I encourage parishioners from both communities to try a Mass at the other location. For example, if the 8am is too early for some members of Christ the King, feel free to join Ascension for the 9:30am Mass. Or, if a member of Ascension would like an earlier start to their Sunday, please join the 8am Mass at Christ the King. As I mentioned in my last letter, we are all part of "one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all," – Eph. 4:5-6 (NABRE) invited to the Eucharistic table together.

I look forward to this new chapter, as the shepherd of both communities. May the Holy Spirit continue to guide us as we venture forward on a shared mission of faith.

May God bless you and yours today and always,

Fr. Jeff Stoneberg

## Hospitality Weekend June 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> in honor of Carol Clishem

You are invited for Hospitality June 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> after all Masses.  
Please come to bid farewell to Carol. She has served as our cherished parish secretary for 19 years.  
Carol, you will be missed, and we wish you well in your retirement.  
Farewell Carol and God bless you!

### Serra Club of DuPage County



Members of the Serra Club of DuPage County will be in the back of church after all the Masses this week. They will provide information about their mission and will be accepting applications for membership. Founded

in 1958, the members of the Serra Club of DuPage County encourage and affirm vocations to the priesthood and religious life through prayer and active fellowship. As a local chapter of Serra International, our club devotes most of its energies to fostering and promoting vocations in the Diocese of Joliet.

We pray for and support our Diocesan seminarians and other religious vocations. Please stop by and learn about how you can help. <https://serraus.org/>



Coffee with Christ will meet in the Faith Formation Center, Room 8. Door will be open at 9:00am and we will start our discussion at 9:30am – 10:30am.

Also, I will be doing the Zoom Session on Thursday evenings at 6:30pm to 7:30pm.

Please see link below and share with everyone/anyone you think would like to join via Zoom.

Join Zoom Meeting

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Blessings,  
Michelle Dal Pino,  
Director of Adult Faith Formation

### VOCATION PRAYER CALENDAR JUNE 2025

Remember these men and women in your daily prayers- Priests, Deacons, Seminarians and Women and Men Religious in the Diocese of Joliet

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6/17	Sr. Dorothy Randall, Sr. Joanne Vallero CSJ
6/18	Fr. Roger Kutzner
6/19	Sr. Nancy J. Gannon, Sr. Mary Potthast SFCC
6/20	Fr. Michael Lane
6/21	Dcns. George Arocha, Richard Brewers
6/22	Sr. Magdalena Grymuza, Sr. Evangeline Kagwiria Kiambati MSF





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## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT ON HOLD

Starting in July, we will be putting the Wednesday Adoration on a "Pause". A new schedule will resume for Adoration once the new schedule with presiders is going well for the 2 parishes of Ascension and Christ the King. The last day for Adoration is June 25 until further notice. The church will still be open on Wednesday mornings for private prayer after morning Mass.

## Taking a Vacation?

### 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.





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## SAVE THE DATE

The Celebration of the conclusion of the National Eucharistic Revival will take place at the Cathedral of Raymond Nonnatus in Joliet on Sunday July 13 beginning with the 10:30 am Mass. After the Mass Bishop Hicks will lead a Eucharist Procession around the Cathedral grounds ending in the Cathedral with Benediction.

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