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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 - 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
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 — July 26 - Saints Joachim and Anne
4:00 p.m. — John and Lorraine Wick

SUNDAY — July 27 - 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 a.m. — Daniel Williams

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

(*Please note the new Mass time change)

MONDAY — July 28 - 17th Week in Ordinary Time
8:30 a.m. — Paul and LaVerne Kalfas

TUESDAY — July 29 - Sts. Martha, Mary, and Lazarus
8:30 a.m. — Kathleen Doran

WEDNESDAY — July 30 - St. Peter Chrysologus
8:30 AM — Sue Tracy

THURSDAY — July 31 - St. Ignatius of Loyola
8:30 a.m. — Special Intention for Annette West

FRIDAY — August 1 - St. Alphonsus Liguori
8:30 a.m. — Kathleen Doran

**SATURDAY — August 2 - St. Peter Julian Eymard
St. Eusebius of Vercelli**
4:00 p.m. — Kathleen Doran

SUNDAY — August 3 - 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 a.m. — Christ the King Parish

***11:00 a.m.** — Daniel Williams

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Please Note

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

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

Readings for the Week of July 27, 2025

Sunday: Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 (3a)/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12

Next Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 (1)/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

From the Pastor's desk....

This weekend we are remembering St. Anne and St. Joachim. Saturday, July 26, is the day the church remembers the parents of Mary; and the grandparents of Jesus! Imagine what that "Holy Family" must've been like for Jesus? This day reminds us that Jesus had a family—he was part of a family just as you and I. How might we look to St. Anne and St. Joachim in our own vocation and role in the family that we are part of? Certainly, St. Anne is a good example for us, and a wonderful saint to turn to, especially when seeking guidance within our own family.

Thank you for your generosity in this year's Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal. Our parish of Christ the King had a goal of \$58,600. We made our goal, as you have paid \$72,670 of the \$81,586 that is pledged! The Annual Appeal allows each of us to participate actively in the different ministries that affect so many people here in our diocese. Financial or prayerful—both are important.

Last week's gospel of Martha and Mary remind us to always be attentive and to listen to the Lord. He is near, and is always there to give us healing and hope in our life.

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 Loretta at loretta@ctklombard.org or call 630-629-1717 x 2

Thank you! Parish Office

CTK Pantry Food Drives Early August & September

Walking through the pantry I've come to believe that a bleak future for food pantries lies ahead. Huge cost cutting by the administration in Washington doesn't help.

Shared information from the NILFB (Northern Illinois Food Bank) about their budgets for the coming year being cut by \$4M is affecting all pantries across the area.

Pantries like ours will be struggling to provide needed food to their patrons. Coupled with SNAP benefits being cut it's pretty clear that our barren pantry shelves will only be more difficult.

Since the pandemic, our pantry has more than doubled in numbers of families we serve throughout the year. Your generosity has supported so many needy people over the years. That can be seen in the video we made to help keep our parish open a few months ago.

We are looking for your assistance again to get us over the hump with 2 food drives beginning on **August 1st & 2nd** and again on **September 5th & 6th**. It will be held in the Faith Formation Center, in the old school building, from **9am -12pm**. Help us if you can. Below is a list of items that we are most in need of soon.

Thank you for your continued generosity. Continue praying for a future filled with the love of God, our country and our neighbors.

Food Pantry Needed Items Listing

The below list is what we need at the pantry in the coming food drives. These are items that we generally can't get from NILFB.

- ◆ Canned/package chicken
- ◆ Canned beans
- ◆ Boxes/envelopes of rice/pasta/potato side dishes
- ◆ Non-sweetened cereal
- ◆ Condiments, especially ketchup & salsa
- ◆ Canned fruit
- ◆ Paper towels
- ◆ Toilet paper
- ◆ Shampoo
- ◆ Bar soap/liquid hand soap
- ◆ Oatmeal - boxes with individual packs
- ◆ Dish soap
- ◆ Crackers
- ◆ Mac and cheese

Thank you, God bless America and our parishioners!
Joe Maderak & Volunteers
SVDP Christ the King Food Pantry



Pledge your gift to the CMAA



If you have already pledged your support to the Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA), we sincerely thank you!

Let's join together to meet our parish's goal of \$58,600. Each and every gift, regardless of size, truly makes a difference.

If you still plan on making your gift, please prayerfully reflect on how best you can Open your heart to God's goodness in support of those in need throughout our diocese. Pledge envelopes are still available in the church, or you can use the envelope you received in the mail from the diocese. We also welcome online gifts at jolietchurchofamerica.org. Remember, if we raise more than our goal, the diocese will return 70% of the amount over our goal to us to reinvest in our own parish. This is an incredible opportunity and blessing!



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

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/78692392040?pwd=hvVeUCMy3OhN7hsgQ17aiV2WqQObE0.1>

Blessings,
Michelle Dal Pino,
Director of Faith Formation

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Register online July 24th
through August 17th, 2025

Late registrations run
through September 3rd, 2025



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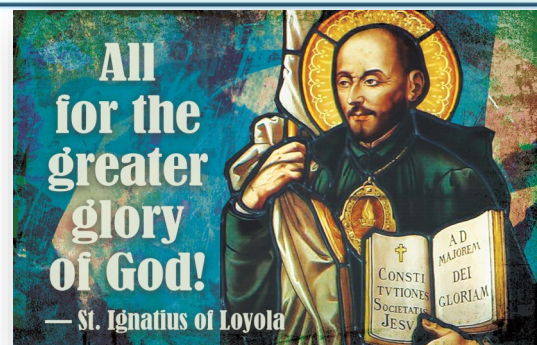


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Villa Park, IL 60181

**Tuesday, August 12, 2025
12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**



American Red Cross



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE for July 19-20

Weekly Sunday Offering	\$10,420.44
Weekly Budget	\$11,346
Building Repair & Maintenance	\$242.66

Thank You!

Taking a Vacation?

Don't Take a Vacation from Church

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



Join us for the Diocese of Joliet JUBILEE MASS FOR GRANDPARENTS AND ELDERLY *Pilgrims of Hope*

**Sunday, October 4, 2025
11:00 AM
Cathedral of St. Raymond
604 N Raynor Ave, Joliet, IL**

RSVP by scanning
the QR code or by
calling 815-221-6192



Questions? Call Jim Elias 815-221-6134

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 church will still be open on Wednesday mornings for private prayer after morning Mass.



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7 PM - DOORS OPEN
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Monday, July 28

The Burning Heart of the
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Fr. Brian Geary

COOM'S CORNER
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QUO VADIS DAYS

Sunday, July 27 – Wednesday, July 30, 2025
Mundelein Seminary, Mundelein, IL



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open to young men who have
graduated middle school and
have an openness to growing in
discipleship and fraternity, and
learning more about the priesthood.



ANNOUNCING THE 47TH ANNUAL

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS



August 17, 2025

2:00 p.m.

Cathedral of St. Raymond

604 N Raynor Ave., Joliet, IL

Registration Required

Couples celebrating anniversaries of 25 years, 50 years, and
more than 50 years, are welcome to attend. Bishop Ronald A.
Hicks will celebrate the Mass and will lead all couples in a
special renewal of wedding commitment.

Pre-registration is required
by August 8, 2025. Scan the
QR code or website link:
<https://forms.office.com/r/qu9fbEptkr>



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Music Notes from Ascension of our Lord

Summer Choir

Hello from Ascension of Our Lord! My name is Jonell Stetz, I am the Music Director at Ascension. Fr Jeff has graciously allowed me to invite any parishioners from Christ the King who may be attending a Mass at Ascension 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 17th. 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

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The acclaimed **Biblical Institute in the Diocese of Joliet** is registering students for Years 1 and 2 this Fall: Attend in person classes at **St. Michael Catholic Church** in Wheaton for Year 1 on Thursdays 7-9 p.m. Year 2 in person classes will be held at **Ascension of Our Lord Catholic Church** in Oakbrook Terrace on Saturdays 9-11 a.m. If you want to learn the Bible from a Catholic perspective, come and see if this program is for you.

In Person Preview Events in August:

Christ the King (Lombard) August 9 (Saturday) 9-10:30 a.m.

Meet an instructor, talk to current students, see the books, get a feel for a typical class!



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