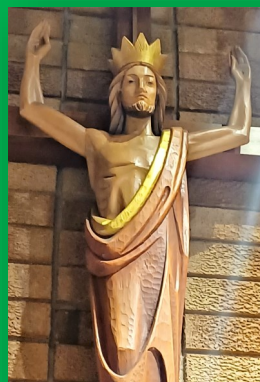


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Christ the King Parish



## 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*

*Parish website - [www.cklombard.org](http://www.cklombard.org)*

## 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 — August 15 - Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary**

4:00 p.m. — John and Ruth Schram

**SUNDAY—August 16 - 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. — Louise Biegalski

11:00 a.m. — Laura Shutock

**MONDAY— August 17 - 20<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time**

8:30 a.m. — Enya Gonzalez

**TUESDAY — August 18 - 20<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time**

8:30 a.m. — William Kelly

**WEDNESDAY— August 19 - St. John Eudes, priest**

8:30 a.m. — Darlene Fedorek

**THURSDAY— August 20 - St. Bernard, Abbot**

8:30 a.m. — Priests & deacons of the Joliet Diocese

**FRIDAY — August 21 - St. Pius X, Pope**

8:30 a.m. — Louise Biegalski

**SATURDAY — August 22 - The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

4:00 p.m. — Carol Barbara Schalke

**SUNDAY—August 23 - 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. — Parish of Christ the King

11:00 a.m. — Clement Dourado

**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 August 16, 2026

**Monday:** Ez 24:15-23/Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21/Mt 19:16-22

**Tuesday:** Ez 28:1-10/Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab/Mt 19:23-30

**Wednesday:** Ez 34:1-11/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Mt 20:1-16

**Thursday:** Ez 36:23-28/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/Mt 22:1-14

**Friday:** Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 22:34-40

**Saturday:** Ez 43:1-7ab/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 23:1-12

**Next Sunday:** Is 22:19-23/Ps 138:1-2a, 2b-3, 6 and 8/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20

*From the Pastor's desk....*

*Saturday, August 15, Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Mother. Mary, who is without sin, falls asleep, and is assumed into Heaven. Where Mary has gone, we too will follow. We are reminded that with death, we are born into eternal life. May we seek guidance from the Blessed Mother in our life here and now, so that we may be with her, the angels and saints at the end of our earthly life.*

*There is much happening in our world today. I am reminded that much of our military is active right now. May we pray for world peace, and for the safety of all military personnel.*

*Please remember to register your child for Religious Education, grades 1-8. Classes start after Labor Day! Also, it is good to pray for our children, young and old, as a new school year is about to begin.*

*May our children have good classes, and may they always be in safety.*

*Peace.....Fr. Jeff*



## Coffee with Christ on Thursday Mornings

INTERESTED IN JOINING  
OTHER PARISHIONERS  
AND DISCUSSING THE  
UPCOMING SUNDAY  
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## Christ the King Weekly Offering for 8/1 - 8/2/26

|                                            |              |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Sunday Offertory<br>(Including Electronic) | \$ 10,689.71 |
| Budget                                     | \$ 9,423.07  |
| Assumption                                 | \$ 125.00    |
| Building                                   | \$ 547.28    |
| Diocese Loan Reduction                     | \$ 10.00     |

**Thank You!**

## Christ the King Weekly Offering for 7/25 - 7/26/26

|                                            |              |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Sunday Offertory<br>(Including Electronic) | \$ 11,463.80 |
| Holy Days / Assumption                     | \$ 60.00     |
| Building                                   | \$ 140.28    |
| Art & Environment                          | \$ 10.00     |
| Diocesan Collections                       | \$ 75.15     |

**Thank You!**



## CCW'S BLAST!!!!

CCW is starting its new year off with a blast – a **Bingo Blast**. Everyone is welcome to join us for this fun meeting. So, grab your good luck charm and come to the PLC on

**Monday, August 17, at 6:30 pm.**

*A donation to Christ the King's food pantry  
will be appreciated.*

**See ya there!**



CCW's next happening will be our ever-popular Salad Supper on **Monday, September 21 in the PLC at 6:30 pm.** Our membership drive will be held the weekend before the Salad Supper – September 19 and 20 before and after all Masses in the church Narthex.



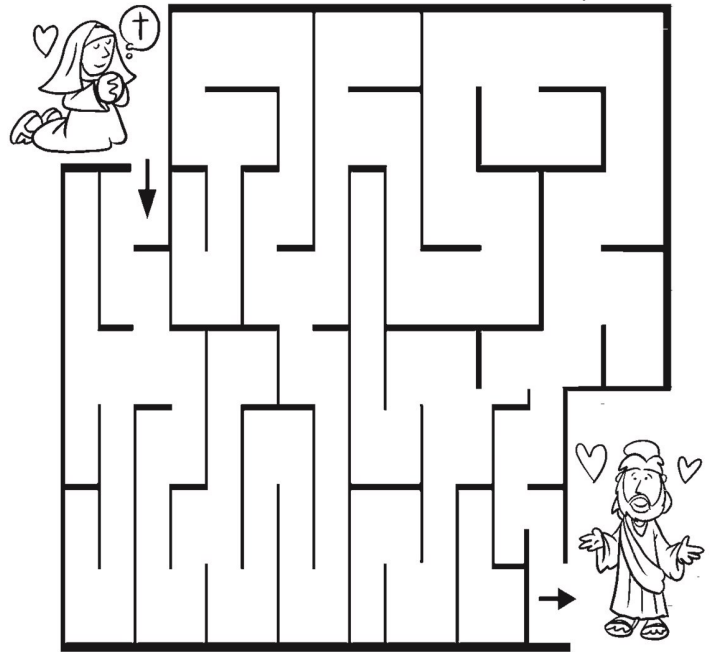
## COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



## PUZZLE

Help this woman find Jesus.



## MISSION

If you know someone who is sick, be brave and pray about it. Jesus can do anything.

*"Our wish, our object, our chief preoccupation must be to form Jesus in ourselves, to make his spirit, his devotion, his affections, his desire, and his disposition live and reign there."*

~ St. John Eudes

### 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.

20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Ro 11:13-15,  
29-32

# TASTE of CHRIST THE KING



Do you have a friend or family member who loves to eat . . . but going to church??? Not. So. Much!

Here's your chance! Invite them to A Taste of Christ the King!

**Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup> after the 4pm Mass**

Seriously! No pressure. Just lots of good food. Ok, there will be a Mass, but everyone goes to a wedding or a baptism sooner or later.

And this will have an abundance of all sorts of super great food. In fact, maybe you could even have a favorite food you make that this person loves.

Make it for this "tasting"!

Pick up a form at any table in the Narthex and let us know what you plan on bringing for the event.

Kill 2 birds with 1 stone – bring that special soul to Mass and tell them you have their favorite dish as a special treat for after them after Mass, because just as Saint John said:

*"Come and dine" (John 21:12)*

## Music Notes from Ascension of our Lord

### Seeking Contemporary Choir Member



Ascension of Our Lord is looking to expand our Contemporary Choir.

Anyone interested in joining us we minister at the 4pm Masses the 3rd Saturday of the month. We rehearse at 3pm before the mass and

music is provided a month in advance.

All are invited from High School through Seniors.

Are there any instrumentalists out there? Contact me if interested in adding to our "contemporary sound."

If you have questions relating to our Music Ministry Contemporary or Adult Choir Contact me:

Jonell Stetz at the Church Office 630-953-4414

## 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. The next Behold Adoration is **August 26**.

Please Join Us!



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## Prayer for Priests

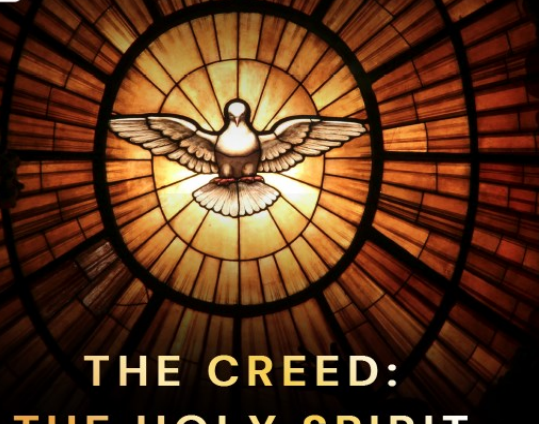
LORD JESUS CHRIST, eternal High Priest, you offered yourself to the Father on the altar of the Cross and through the outpouring of the Holy Spirit gave your priestly people a share in your redeeming sacrifice. Hear our prayer for the sanctification of our priests. Grant that all who are ordained to the ministerial priesthood may be ever more conformed to you, the divine Master. May they preach the Gospel with pure heart and clear conscience. Let them be shepherds according to your own Heart, single-minded in service to you and to the Church and shining examples of a holy, simple and joyful life. Through the prayers of the Blessed Virgin Mary, your Mother and ours, draw all priests and the flocks entrusted to their care to the fullness of eternal life where you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. AMEN

~Pope Benedict XVI





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**Tuesday, August 25, 2026**

**Cog Hill Golf & Country Club, Lemont**

To register or learn more, visit <https://catholiccharitiesjoliet.org/event/swing/> or call 815-724-1140.

*Catholic Charities, Diocese of Joliet is a faith-based organization providing service to people in need and calling others of good will to do the same.*

## PREVIEW THE BIBLE SCHOOL IN OUR DIOCESE!

The acclaimed **Biblical Institute in the Diocese of Joliet** is registering students for Years 1 and 2 this Fall: Attend in person classes at **The Blanchette Center** in Crest Hill for Year 1 on Tuesdays 7-9 p.m. OR at **St. Michael Catholic Church** in Wheaton for Year 2 on Thursdays 7-9 p.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:

- **The Blanchette Center** (Crest Hill) **August 18 (Tuesday) 7-8:30 p.m.**
- **St. Michael Catholic Church** (Wheaton) **August 20 (Thursday) 7-8:30 p.m.**
- **St. Andrew Parish** (Romeoville) **August 15 & 16 at Masses**
- **St. Carlo Acutis Parish** (Crest Hill) **August 25 (Tuesday) 7-8:30 p.m.**
- **St. John The Baptist Parish** (Winfield) **August 27 (Thursday) 7-8:30 p.m.**

### In Person Preview Events in September:

- **The Blanchette Center** (Crest Hill) **September 1 (Tuesday) 7-8:30 p.m.**
- **St. Michael Catholic Church** (Wheaton) **September 3 (Thursday) 7-8:30 p.m.**

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