

CHRIST THE KING PARISH

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Parish office hours:

Monday	8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Tuesday	8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Wednesday	8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Thursday	8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Friday	8:30 am - 12:30 pm

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 26, 2021

Monday, September 27, 2021 *8am Communion Service Zec 8:1-8 Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday, Sept 28, 2021 *8am Mass Zec 8:20-23 Lk 9:51-56 Intention: + Larry Kibbel

Wednesday, Sept 29, 2021 *8am Mass Dn 7:9-10,13-14 Jn 1:47-51 Intention: + Bob Endreas

Thursday, Sept 30, 2021 *8am Mass Neh 8:1-12 Lk 10:1-12 Intention: + Donald & Marguerite Sternweis

Friday, Oct. 1, 2021 *8am Mass Bar 1:15-22 Lk 10:13-16 Intention: Hox Saylor Family

Saturday, October 2, 2021 4:00pm Mass

Readings: Gn 2:18-24 Heb 2:9-11 Mk 10:2-16

Mass Intention: + Willie & Marcie Wehrman

Lector: Earl Gamble

Eucharistic Minister: Sue Kalepp

Servers: David, Ann or Emily Eckes

Ministers of Welcome: Rachel Eckes & Sue Kappel

Sunday, October 3, 2021 8:00am Mass

Readings: Gn 2:18-24 Heb 2:9-11 Mk 10:2-16

Mass Intention: Christ the King Families

Lector: Viv Gamble

Eucharistic Minister: Ann Pankratz

Servers: **Volunteers Needed**

Ministers of Welcome: Jim Bauer & Ray Housworth

Sunday, October 3, 2021 10:00am Mass

Readings: Gn 2:18-24 Heb 2:9-11 Mk 10:2-16

Mass Intention: + Richard Esselman

Lector: Sue Mews

Eucharistic Minister: Sharon Kobs

Servers: Elliot, Paige or Weston Bauer

Ministers of Welcome: Diane Lang & Nancy Kautza



From the Pastor's Desk:

We're good at jumping to conclusions aren't we? We hear something from someone and automatically form an opinion about someone we may not even know. This was the case on my recent vacation to San Antonio.

I told you I was going to celebrate Mass while there. As I went online to get the information to contact the pastor I noticed the name and what I heard about him while I was in seminary. Now remember, I had never met this priest in person, only in passing and my conversation. When I got to the Church, and while waiting, I finally met him. What an amazing guy! We had a great talk about his new assignment, the city, and different odds and ends. My personal encounter changed my whole impression.

Isn't this what Jesus is telling us? What personal connection do we have with Him? If you are struggling to answer that question, then this next one will really floor you. How can we have a personal connection with someone we don't allow into our lives?

Now I can hear it already, because I used to say it...I go to Church! I pray (sometimes)! I believe!

And those are all good in and of themselves. But what is a relationship all about? Ask a newly married couple any number of questions about their new spouse and they can most likely answer most, if not all of them. They spent the time to get to know each other. Best friends: They know the likes and dislikes of each other. First cousins, well knowing mine, we grew up together. We attended all the holidays together at grandma's house. We were very close.

So how do we get to know Jesus when He isn't in front of us? Well, He is! Scripture has His words and His lessons. The Eucharist (given every day at Mass) is nourishment that brings us closer to Him. Adoration (here or 24/7 at St. John's) allows us to sit in silence just absorbing Him into our very being. Any devotion we may like brings us closer to Him. A chat on our way into work connects us and allows us to see and feel His presence. Beginning our meals with prayer brings Him into the moment, blessing our food and thanking Him for nourishing our bodies. Reflecting on our day before going to bed allows us to see all the missed opportunities we had throughout the day where we could have been closer to Him and made different decisions, been a better person.

My friends, we can never say we have a relationship with the Holy Spirit, Jesus, GOD, if He is not a part of our daily lives. If our day ends with not bringing Him into it, we have failed our Lord. He desires nothing less than to be a part of our lives, that's why He created us! To walk with us, to protect us, to help us, and to bring us to Him when our lives come to an end. Never to be parted and never to go without anything. When we have that kind of relationship, we too will see the world we live in a little differently. More like the eyes of Jesus do.

Have a BLESSED week!

Fr. Barry

Parish Pictorial Update

Registration is now underway. Pictures will be taken October 4 thru October 8 at the Seton Center

Monday - Thursday from 1:45pm - 7:45pm
Friday 11:45am - 5:45pm

To schedule your appointment go to:

https://book.appointment-plus.com/d0nm3xs6/?&e_id=5179. (The link is also on our website)

Or you may call the parish office to register. We will be helping with registration after Masses the last two weeks of September.



Kitchen Angel

Do you know anyone in the parish who is temporarily in need, recovering from a surgery or an illness and would like **A** home cooked meal? If so, please leave a message at 715-659-4480 option 6 and our Kitchen Angel will be in contact!

**Anointing
of the Sick**

Anointing of the Sick Mass will be held on September 29, at 6:40pm. This will also be the Opening Mass for the Religious Education students. Students in grade 8 will be assisting.

**Christ the King Stewardship September 18 &
September 19, 2021**

Adult/Plate/Youth: \$2,599.65

Month to date: \$10,992.65

Amount needed for September: \$16,245.35

Your continued support is so greatly appreciated.

COLUMBUS CORNER

Alpine Holiday will be November 12-13, 2021. We are currently looking for committee members, sponsors, silent auction items and raffle prizes. Call 715-387-2444 or email giving@columbusdons.org for details.

*Attention crafters! Now is the time to register for a booth at the Craft Boutique during Alpine Holiday. Early bird deadline is Oct. 1. Call 715-387-2444 or send an email to:

Mauritz.krisann@columbusdons.org

Our lobby monitor in the High/Middle School building has stopped working! Do you have a 50" screen TV (approximately) you would be willing to donate?

Contact Brandon Wolf @ 715-387-1177.

Fish Fry Carryout

St Mary's in Auburndale will be having a carryout only shrimp and beer-battered fish fry on Friday, October 1 and Friday, October 22 from 4:30-6:30pm.

Please call St. Mary's Church at 715-652-2747 after 2:00pm on these dates to place an order.

Thank you for your support!



Elliot Bauer
Brock Bennington
David Eckes
Austyn Kohls
Dietrich Ohm
Nathan Rucker
Andrew Sieracki
Alex Wolf

*Congratulations on your Confirmation, celebrated
on Sunday, September 19*

May you use the Gifts of the Holy Spirit
as they were given to you.



Religious Education

Our students have been testing on their prayers for the year. Many prayers have already been learned. Our students learn the following prayers per grade:

- Gr 1 - Sign of the cross, Glory Be, Angel of God, Hail Mary
- Gr 2 - Our Father, 10 Commandments, Act of Contrition
- Gr 3 - Before Meal prayer, Apostles' Creed, 7 Sacraments
- Gr 4 - Name the prayers of the rosary, Hail Mary, Glory Be
- Gr 5 - Hail Holy Queen, Our Father, 7 Sacraments
- Gr 6 - O My Jesus, Act of Contrition, Apostle's Creed
- Gr 7 - Hail Holy Queen, 7 Sacraments
- Gr 8 - Recite a rosary with prayers and a set of mysteries
- Gr 9 - St. Michael prayer, Act of Contrition
- Gr 10 - Memorare

On the schedule for Religious Education:

September 29:

6:30pm - 7:45pm: Opening Mass & Anointing of the Sick

8:00pm - 9:00pm: Youth Group meet in church basement

October 6: Religious Ed and Youth Group meet

St. Joseph, Defender of Life, Pray for us.

The Knights of Columbus will be distributing Lifesaver candies on Respect Life Sunday following each Mass on October 2-3. We need to consider more deeply why every human life is valuable and reflect on how to build a culture that protects life from conception to natural death. Thank you for supporting our local Culture of Life activities in the parish and community.

Confession Reminder

First Friday confessions will be heard immediately following Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, until 9:15am.

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Parish Council of Catholic Women

PCCW

Ladies: You are invited to attend our meetings, which are held during the months of: Feb / May / Sept / Dec* *Dec is the annual Christmas party

Mother Mary, guide us each day ...

Holy Name Society

Men of the parish: As members of the Holy Name Society, there are events throughout the year in which your time & talent is much needed and appreciated. Please watch the bulletin for these opportunities to assist our parish family.



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