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LIFE**

Eucharist:

Mass:

Mon-Fri.: 8:00 AM

Sat. Vigil: 5:00PM

**Sun.: 8:00AM &
10:30AM**

Adoration:

M-F: 6:30-7:30AM

Fri.: 9:00AM-Noon

**Reconciliation:
(Confession)**

**Saturday: 4:00pm—
4:30pm and anytime by
appointment.**

**Anointing of the Sick:
(& Ministry to the Sick)**

Please call the rectory,
860 434 1660, anytime a
person is sick and would
like anointing or a visit.

Baptism:

Please call our parish
office to arrange the
pre-Baptismal instruction
and the time of the
ceremony.

Holy Orders:

Contact Fr. Joe Ashe or
Fr. Walter Nagle,
860 434 1660, if you
want to learn more about
becoming a priest or
deacon, or contact
Rev. Kevin Reilly,
Vocations Office:
860 887 9294.

Matrimony:

Preparation for marriage
must begin *at least six
months before* actual
ceremony.

Confirmation:

Confirmation preparation
begins in the 9th grade
and the sacrament is
received in 10th grade.
Adults can join RCIA.

For questions about
RCIA, please contact the
office or Jo Ann Staves
at **(860) 434-4374**.

Sexual Misconduct Services:
800-624-7407

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4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just
as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down
my life for the sheep." - Jn 10:14-15

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Masses and Week at a Glance for the week of April 21, 2024



Sat. April 20

5:00pm ✠ Richard Grogan

Sun. April 21 — Fourth Sunday of Easter

8:00am ✠ George Perchal

10:30am ✠ Carl Wohlmuth

9:15am Faith Formation Class, CTK Classrooms

11:30am Baptism, CTK Church

2:00pm Confirmation Retreat, CTK Church

Mon. April 22

8:00am ✠ Ken Lantz

Tues. April 23

8:00am *The Parishioners of Christ the King Church*

Wed. April 24

8:00am ✠ Bernard Kennedy Jr. and Barbara Kennedy

Thurs. April 25

8:00am ✠ Joe Martino

9:00am Bible Study Session, Classroom across from Office

10:00am Refugee Resettlement Committee Meeting, Rm. #2

Fri. April 26

8:00am ✠ Robert Klimek

6:00pm Pot Luck Dinner, CTK Parish Hall

Sat. April 27

5:00pm ✠ Shawn O'Neill

✠ Marcy McManus r/b Joan Moylan

6:00pm Comedian David Kane, CTK Parish Hall

Sun. April 28 — Fifth Sunday of Easter

8:00am ✠ Joan Bloom

10:30am ✠ (5th Anniv. Passing) Elizabeth Sullivan r/b family

9:15am Faith Formation Classes, CTK Classrooms

6:30pm Confirmation Class, CTK Parish Hall

The Sanctuary Lamp for this week of
April will be lit for Grace Dagher.



Christ the King Church Mass Times
JOIN US ON SUNDAY or SATURDAY
VIGIL MASS! SAT: 5:00PM,
SUN: 8:00AM & 10:30AM...or
WEEKDAY MASS: MON-FRI: 8:00AM

Welcome to Christ the King Church!

We are currently not taking collections **during** Mass, but there are collection baskets available in the Narthex. You can also donate by text or online. Visit our website and click on the **“donate”** button at the top of the page.

We continue to live-stream our Masses on Zoom for those who wish to stay home. **Links to join the live stream may be found on our website.**

If you are in need of a priest, please contact
Fr. Joe and/or Fr. Walter at the rectory
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Latest News and Events at CTK

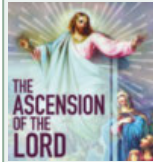
Upcoming Events at Christ the King!

April 26th: Pot Luck Dinner, 6:00pm, CTK Hall

April 27th: Comedian David Kane, 6:00pm, CTK Hall

May 6th: Parish Council Meeting, 7:00pm, CTK Library

May 18th: First Communion, 10:00am, CTK



Holy Day of Obligation: The Ascension of the Lord

Thursday, May 09, 2024

Masses will be held at 8:00am & 6:30pm!

Zoom Links available on CTK website



Latest Baptisms at Christ the King

Molly Elizabeth Hayes

daughter of George and Kaitlin Hayes,
was baptized here on Sunday, April 07, 2024.

*We joyfully welcome her to the family
of God at Christ the King Parish!*

Parish Pot Luck Supper Friday, April 26, 2024



The Parish Pot Luck is back!!

The supper will be held at **Christ the King Parish Hall** on
Friday, April 26th @ 5:45pm for social hour (BYOB),
with 6:00 pm for dinner. Please bring a dish,
salad or dessert for all to share.

All are welcome! For questions or more information,
please call Nancy Gatto at 860-390-6314.

Comedian Dave Kane at CTK Church!

Join us on **Saturday, April 27th** after the 5pm Mass as we welcome comedian and storyteller Dave Kane back to Christ the King Church! Dave has appeared twice before at Christ the King — including a sold-out show as “Father Misgivings.”

This time he brings *Jokes my Irish Father Told Me* — an evening of jokes, one-liners, and stories that celebrate the Irish sense of humor.

Dinner and socializing **begins right after Mass.** We invite you to bring your own dinner (*and BYOB*), or purchase a hot pizza from the Rolling Tomato pizza truck!

Tickets (\$15/pp) are available for purchase after mass!

Parish Prayer Line

If you would like to call the Prayer Line to request prayers for any intention large or small, please call Michele at (860) 434-8529.



Intentions are shared via first name only, but can be completely anonymous. Thank you!

Parish Readings for the Week of April 21, 2024

Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 (22)/Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

Monday: Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/ Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/ Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/ Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/ Mk 16:15-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/ Jn 14:7-14

Next Sunday: Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 (26a)/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8



Involvement Opportunities at Christ the King



Liturgical Ministry Opportunities

If you would like to be involved in the parish, consider becoming an altar server or lector!

We always welcome new members to the various ministries, and *training is provided*.

Altar Servers: Open to adults or students who have made their First Communion.

Lectors: Open to adults or students in high school who have been Confirmed.

You also **must** be registered with Christ the King Church in order to participate. If you are interested, please contact the parish office at **(860) 434-1669** or ctkoldlyme@aol.com.

Parish Bulletin Submission Deadlines

If you would like to submit any announcements for the bulletin, the deadline is **Monday by noon**.

We kindly ask that you keep your blurb short, as we may need to edit for space.

Christ the King Thursday Bible Study



The Thursday morning Bible Study meets at **9:00am** in the classroom across from the parish office. Come join us!

We can loan you a Bible if you do not have one. All are welcome! For more information, please contact **Deb Skaar** at **(860) 434-3081**.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

The next meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council is scheduled for **Monday, May 6th at 7:00pm**. Attendance at PPC meetings is open to all parishioners, but if possible please give the Council prior notice of your plan to attend, so that there will be ample seating. You can do this using the message form on the pastoral council page of the parish website. The meeting agenda will also be posted there, along with minutes of past meetings.



SAVE THE DATE: CTK PARISH PICNIC Mark your calendars!!



The Christ the King Parish Picnic is scheduled for **Saturday, June 29, 2024**.

All parishioners and their families are welcome!

There will be food, music, games, and fun for all! Help is needed to plan, coordinate, and assist during the picnic.

For any questions, please contact **Al Taday** at ataday@hotmail.com or **(860) 460-3701**.

NDCCW's Annual Layette

All women are cordially invited to attend The Norwich Diocese Council of Catholic Women's 46th Annual Layette at St. Sebastian Church, 155 Washington St., Middletown, CT on **Sunday, June 2nd from 1pm to 3pm**.

Items needed are diapers, food, formula, wipes, new baby clothes up to size 3T, blankets, baby items etc. These items will be distributed to the districts of the Norwich Diocese Catholic Charities.

Do you want to register with the parish? Welcome!

Have you changed your address, are you moving out of or into the parish, or would like to receive envelopes? Please contact the office, **860-434-1669**, or email at ctkoldlyme@aol.com. Or, you can fill out the following and return via the basket, drop it at the office, or mail to:

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Friday Morning Adoration



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will continue to be celebrated in the Church on **Fridays from 9am until 12 Noon**, with Benediction following immediately after.

*Occasionally, Adoration will not be held due to a funeral or a wedding. **Please check the CTK website for updates.***

Staying updated with Christ the King




Are you receiving parish emails?
Subscribe to our website or *scan the QR code on your phone* and fill out a simple form to receive our newsletters.

Christ the King Website

Visit Christ the King Church website for updated news and information about parish happenings! For Mass schedules, Zoom Links and more, visit christthekingchurch.net.

Donate to Christ the King by text!

Christ the King Parish has recently set up a "Text-to-Give" feature with its e-giving partner, Faith Direct. To use this feature, please text "ENROLL" to Christ the King's special phone number: **860-935-8488**, or scan the following QR code:  You'll have to register with a credit card the first time, but later gifts will only require texting a dollar amount to this number. *Thank you for your generous donations!*

Get the CTK Bulletin delivered to your email!
Sign-up @: parishesonline.com

Community Events and Ways to Help



The OL Visiting Nurse Association is in Search of Volunteers!

The Board of the Old Lyme Visiting Nurse Association is always looking for people who want to assist in and promote health and wellness programs for our community. No medical experience is necessary! For more information, please call **Cindi at 860-876-0456**.

Spring and Summer Pilgrimages

We invite you to join our Tri-Parish Community of Sacred Heart, Our Lady of Lourdes, and St. Mary, Mother of the Redeemer on our next 3 Pilgrimages.

May 13th: The Shrine of Divine Mercy

June 5th: The Basilica of Our Lady of Perpetual Help (followed by a Boston Red Sox Game at Fenway), and

July 17th-18th: National Centre of Padre Pio and the New Showing of *DANIEL* at Sight and Sounds Theatre in PA.

Please call **OLOL Parish Office at (860) 464-7251** or email secretary@ololgf.org for information and applications.



News from the Diocese of Norwich

Roman Catholic Diocese of Norwich
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Bereavement Support for Mothers

The Diocesan Catholic Family Services Office is sponsoring a day of support, reflection, and loving remembrance of 'A Child Who Was to Be', a time of prayer and support for mothers who have lost a child to an ectopic pregnancy, miscarriage, stillbirth, or infant death on **Saturday, May 4th** from **9:00 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.** at **Sacred Heart Church Parish Hall, 52 West Town St, Norwichtown**. There is no fee, but registration is required by **April 26th**.

A light lunch will be included. To register, please contact **Mary-Jo McLaughlin** at **Catholic Family Services** at **860-848-2237, ext. 312** or mmclaughlin@norwichdiocese.net.

Project Rachel at the Cathedral


During May, the third Tuesday of the month at the Cathedral of St. Patrick following the noon mass, join the Office of Faith Events as we pray the Project Rachel Rosary. The Project Rachel Rosary focuses on hope, healing, and forgiveness for those affected by an abortion and for an end to abortion. 

Please join us for this in-person Project Rachel Rosary on **Tuesday, May 21st** following the noon mass at the Cathedral of St. Patrick in Norwich.

SCOUTING AWARDING CEREMONY

The Office of Faith Events invites you to join Bishop Michael Cote on **Sunday, April 28th** at St. Patrick's Cathedral beginning at 2pm to celebrate the Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts from around the Diocese of Norwich who have been awarded a religious emblem. Come and celebrate with their pack, troop, church, family, and friends.

Adult Virtual Confirmation Classes

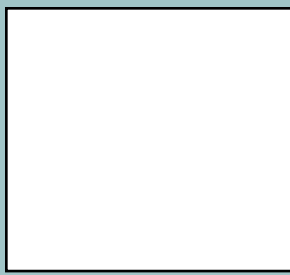
Have you not completed your sacraments? Did you make Baptism and First Communion but never completed your sacraments of initiation by making Confirmation? Have you ever thought about completing Confirmation in the Catholic Church? If you answered "Yes" to any of these questions, you should register for the Diocesan Adult Virtual Confirmation Classes. Beginning in January, The Office of Faith Events will be offering a **7-week online course** taking place on Tuesday evenings that will prepare adults for Confirmation in their home parish.  To join, please contact your pastor to register for this program.



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For more upcoming news and events, please visit <https://www.norwichdiocese.org>.

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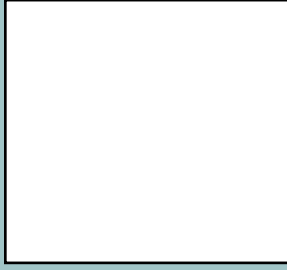
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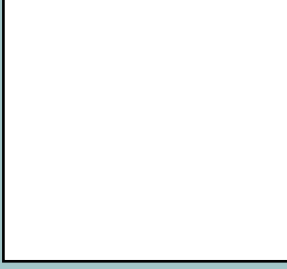
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