SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Eucharist:

Mass:

Mon.-Fri.: 8:00AM Sat. Vigil: 5:00PM Sunday: 8:00AM & 10:30AM

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

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. Jonathan Ficara, 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 the 10th grade. Adults can join the RCIA. For questions, please contact the parish office or Jo Ann Staves at (860) 434-4374 for information about RCIA.

Sexual Misconduct Services: 800-624-7407

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22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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"Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous." - Lk 14:13-14

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FOR THE WEEK OF AUG. 28, 2022

Sat. Aug. 27

5:00pm John Torrenti

Sun. Aug. 28

8:00am Charles E. Kaczorowski r/b Marianne's family

10:30am Bob Staab r/b the Cole family

Mon. Aug. 29

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

Tues. Aug. 30

8:00am Canonization of Blessed Brother Estephan Nehme,

OLM r/b Ron Wofford, KM

Wed. Aug. 31

8:00am Bob Staab

Thurs. Sept. 1

8:00am Doc O'Meara r/b the Reid family

Fri. Sept. 2

8:00am (50th Wedding Ann.) of Carl and Agnes Boxhil r/b

Paul and Jeanne Carroll

Sat. Sept. 3

5:00pm Bob Staab

Sun. Sept. 4

8:00am Michael E. Drebycz r/b the Osso family

10:30am Beatrice Rose r/b the DiTroia family

Lawrence Strekel r/b D., Don, and Mike

Anne McCarthy-Coleman r/b the Bigger family

The Sanctuary Lamp for the month of August will be lit for Alzheimer's sufferers and their caregivers.





WELCOME BACK TO CHURCH!!

COME TO SUNDAY or SATURDAY VIGIL MASS; <u>SAT</u>: 5pm, <u>SUN</u>: 8am & 10:30am...or WEEKDAY MASS: <u>MON-FRI</u>: 8AM

We continue to follow the usual Covid safety protocols for all of our services: Face masks are strongly recommended for everyone who attends in person, and required for unvaccinated persons. Hand sanitizer is still available at the entrances.

For those who prefer to remain home, we continue to live-stream all of our Masses on Zoom. <u>Please visit</u> the website for links to join in.

If you would like to donate to the Parish, please visit **christthekingchurch.net** and click on "Faith Direct" at the bottom of the home page.



If you are in need of a priest, please contact Fr. Joe and/or Fr. Walter at the rectory phone number: (860) 434-1660.



CTK Parish Holiday Office Hours

Please note: Christ the King Parish Office will be *closed on Mon. Sept. 5th* to recognize all hard workers this Labor Day.

Visit <u>Christ the King Church website</u> for updated news and information about parish happenings!

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.



The Blessed Sacrament can never be left unattended, and someone must be present. If interested, a sign up sheet will be available in the Narthex.

Christ the King Database Records

We are in the process of updating our records and will be sending out a copy of your census form to your family. Please keep an eye out for this form in your mail or email.



Further, we ask that you review, make any changes as needed, and please reply to our email at ctkoldlyme@aol.com,

or **return the form** to the office address:

Christ the King Church 1 McCurdy Road Old Lyme, CT 06371

Walking with Purpose Child Care Ministry

Christ the King's women's bible study, *Walking With Purpose*, is looking for volunteers for our Child Care ministry. The Bible Study runs on *Wednesday mornings from October through April, approximately 9:00 am - 12:00 pm*.

We are praying for a few individuals to serve once a week in our nursery to care for children, help with setup and cleanup, snacks, and indoor play. This important ministry makes the bible study more accessible to mothers at home with young children.

Diocesan Safe environment training will be provided.

For more information, please contact *Stephanie McAdams* at <u>stephanie.mcadams@gmail.com</u>



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!

Christ the King Sanctuary Candle

Beginning this month, the Sanctuary Candle may be reserved on a weekly basis in memory of and to honor a loved one. The suggested donation is \$25.



If interested, please contact the parish office (860) 434-1669 or ctkoldlyme@aol.com.

Readings for the week of Aug. 28, 2022

Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14

Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5/Ps 119:97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102/

Mk 6:17-29

Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13ab,

13cd-14/Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 14-15, 20-21/

Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 5:1-11 Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 27-28, 39-40/Lk 5:33-39 Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15/Ps 145:17-18, 19-20, 21/Lk 6:1-5 Next Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-17/

Phlm 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33



The deadline to submit an item in the weekly bulletin is *Monday at noon*.

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

Walking with Purpose Women's Bible Study

Do you desire to grow in your Catholic faith? Do you seek authentic connection with other women? We invite you to consider joining **Walking with Purpose** at Christ the King Church in Old Lyme, CT. *Choose from 2 weekly group sessions beginning on October 5, 2022*. 1) *Discovering Our Dignity*, a 22-week advanced course, explores the women of the Old and New Testament and how the power of God worked in their lives and how we can gain wisdom and insights from their experiences. 2) *Opening Your Heart*, a 22-week beginner course, is an exciting journey closer to the heart of God.

Meeting times: Discovering Our Dignity: Wednesday from 9:30-11:30am; Opening Your Heart: Wednesday from 9:30-11:30am or Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8pm at Christ the King Parish.

Interested in registering or learning more? Please contact: *Aimee Finnegan (860) 391-3186 aimee.wwp@gmail.com* or visit Walking with Purpose online at www.walkingwithpurpose.com for more information.

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: 1 McCurdy Road, Old Lyme, CT 06371

Name _
Address
Phone
E-mail address
New registrationEnvelopesChange of address

Rummage Sale Intake Begins August 31st!

Cleaning out? Want to reclaim the garage for your car? Just in time, the Intake for the King's Rummage sale, a major compo-



nent of the annual Harvest Festival, takes place **Aug. 31st to Sept. 10th** (*EXCEPT Labor Day weekend*). Hours will be **9am to Noon**, plus special evening hours (**6–8 pm**) on: **Aug. 31st, Sept. 6th, and Sept. 8th**.

Please note that we do *NOT* accept clothing or shoes, as well as a number of other items. <u>Visit CTK website</u> to view the list of items that we cannot accept.

There is help needed for the Rummage Sale Intake. If you are interested, please email ctkharvestfestival@gmail.com or sign up in the Narthex.

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

Christ the King Harvest Festival Intake Harvest Festival is Sat. Sept 17, 2022 8:30-3:00 and Sun. Sept. 18th 9am-Noon (Rummage & Silent Auction)

We are looking for volunteers to help plan and run a great event! Sign-ups available after Mass in Narthex or contact Dorothy Paine at ctkharvestfestival@gmail.com

Musicians/Performers Wanted: Volunteer to show your musical talents, gain experience performing and provide entertainment for our event.

Silent Auction: Donations of baskets, new items or gift certificates are needed. Completed baskets or gift certificates should be *brought to the office by September 7*. Please include the value of completed basket or item so we know where to start the bidding. *Questions concerning Silent Auction call Sue Ellen Perry 860-451-8145*. If you wish to help to solicit local businesses, please first *contact Donna Staab at 732-809-2712* in order to coordinate efforts.

Rummage Sale: Volunteers needed, for intake and prep as well as cashiers, and room attendants on Saturday and Sunday. Many hands make light work!!

Intake days — Mark your Calendars!

9am to Noon: Wed. Aug 31st — Sat. Sept 10th (except Labor Day weekend), with new evening hours 6pm to 8pm: Wed. Aug 31st, Tues. Sept 6th and Thurs. Sept 8th

Quality please: We will gladly accept clean and gently used household items, jewelry, small furniture, Christmas treasures, children's toys, books, and sports equipment. *Please mark sizes of linens, sheets, and tablecloths.* Upholstery and large heavy items must be approved. A full list of acceptable items will be posted near the office as well as on our website.

Plant Sale: Home grown perennials are always a hit at the plant sale! Plan to donate your separated and potted perennials to our sale; more details in the coming weeks.

Bake Sale: We will need many bakers to make yummy treats for the bake sale. Get your favorite recipes ready and sign up to bake!

Kids Games: A great way for Confirmation students to earn service hours! Help with supervising the outdoor kids games on Saturday.

Volunteering in any capacity is a great way to get to know your fellow parishioners and be involved with our wonderful Christ the King community!!

News from the Diocese of Norwich

Roman Catholic Diocese of Norwich 201 Broadway Norwich, CT 06360 860-887-9294



CURRENT COVID-19 GUIDELINES

The Obligation to attend Mass has been reinstated. There is *no need for social distancing*.

Masks will *remain required for those unvaccinated* while in the church. There are no restrictions on the use of readers.

The exchange of the sign of peace will continue as we have been doing it — safely, and from a distance.

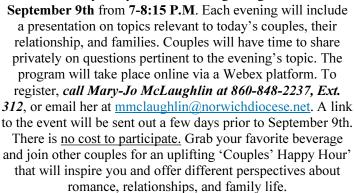
The offertory procession and altar servers are now permitted.

We again have two Communion lines, but only the priests are distributing Communion at this time.

May God bless you and thank you for your cooperation!

Couples' Happy Hour

The Diocesan Catholic Family Services Office is sponsoring a virtual Couples' Happy Hour the second Friday every other month beginning



Norwich Diocesan Council of Catholic Women Day of Reflection

All women in the Diocese of Norwich are cordially invited to attend the Norwich Diocesan Council of Catholic Women Day of Reflection on September 10, 2022 at Enders Island Retreat House, 1 Enders Island, Mystic, CT. Our focus is "Celebrating the Eucharist Revival – Food for My Soul." The day starts with Mass at 9 AM and ends at 3 PM. Sessions will be led by experienced retreat leader Kathy Irr with a final reflection by NDCCW Diocesan Spiritual Advisor Father Brian Maxwell. To register, please mail the below form to: Judy Pappagallo, 199 Broadway, Norwich, CT 06360. Cost is \$35 per person and includes lunch. Make check out to NDCCW and deadline for registration is September 5, 2022.

Registration Form Deadline: Sept. 5, 2022	
Name:	
Parish:	
Email:	
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2022 National Combined Collection

Next weekend our parish will conduct the National Combined Collection encompassing: The Catholic Communication Campaign, The Annual Appeal for the Holy Father (Peter's Pence), The Retirement Fund for Religious, and Catholic University of America which will provide the Holy Father with the funds to reach out to people suffering in our world; help religious communities care for aging members; and offer students an excellent university education grounded in Catholic intellectual tradition as well as spread the gospel here and throughout the world. Please read the letter for the National Combined Collection by Bishop Cote included in this week's parish bulletin. Please bring your gift envelope to Mass next weekend, or if you are unable to attend Mass please mail or deliver the envelope to your parish office by the end of September. Your support of these needs of the Universal Church will truly make a difference.

Annual Catholic Appeal 2022

Faithfully Loved....Faithfully Remembered

Because of their great concern for the welfare of others, each year, many of our dearly departed family and friends generously supported our Annual Catholic Appeal. In honor of their devotion to the Church and all its good works, we invite you to make a donation to the 2022 ACA, Faithfully Loved, Faithfully Remembered, and have their name(s) listed in our Book of Remembrance. These intentions will be included in the *Mass of All Souls' Day, celebrated by Bishop Michael R. Cote, D. D. at the Cathedral of St. Patrick, Norwich on November 2, 2022, at noon.* Please see the form below for further information. Thank you.

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please go to norwichdiocesedevelopment.org, click the
DONATE button and select All Souls Donation option.
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