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LIFE**

Eucharist:

Mass:

**M-F: 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)**

**Sat: 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 pre-Baptismal
instruction and ceremony
date and time.

Holy Orders:

To learn more about
becoming a **priest or
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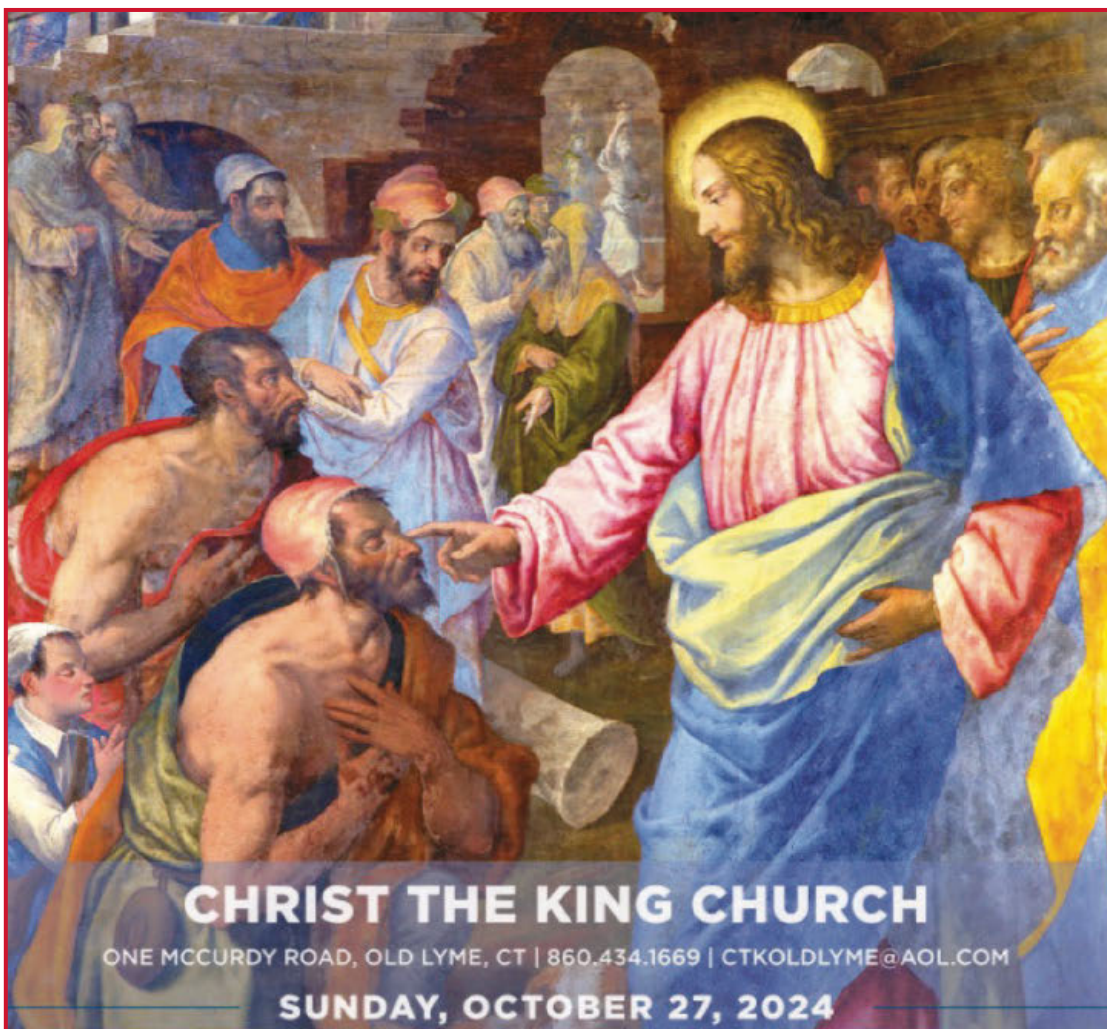
Matrimony:

Preparation for marriage
must begin **at least six
months before** actual
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Confirmation:

Confirmation preparation
begins in **grade 9** and
students receive the
sacrament **in grade 10**.
Adults can join **RCIA**.
For questions about RCIA,
please contact the office or
Jo Ann Staves at
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30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to him in reply, "What do you want me to do for you?"
The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told
him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he
received his sight and followed him on the way. - Mk 10:51-52

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Masses and Week at a Glance for the week of October 27, 2024

Sat. Oct. 26

12:00pm ✠ Funeral Mass for Robert A. Whitcomb
5:00pm ✠ Vincent J. Dougherty r/b Joe and Mary Anne D.
✠ Veronica and Lawrence Keating
✠ Katherine and Anthony Joyce

Sun. Oct. 27 — Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am ✠ Alfred Hebert r/b Mary Lennon
10:30am ✠ Christopher Cherry r/b Koncos family
✠ Timothy Miller, 15th Anniversary
9:15am Faith Formation Class, CTK
5:30pm Confirmation Class, **St. John's School**

Mon. October 28

8:00am ✠ Dee Clinton

Tues. Oct. 29

8:00am ✠ Kathy Mather

Wed. Oct. 30

8:00am ✠ Special Intention r/b Grateful Benefactor
11:00am ✠ Funeral Mass for Theodore Kiritsis
9:30am & 6:30pm Walking with Purpose "Coffee Talk"
7:00 pm Small Christian Community Bible Study

Thurs. Oct. 31

8:00am ✠ Walter J. Klimas, Jr., 27 Anniversary, r/b family
9:00am Thursday Bible Study, CTK meeting room

Fri. Nov. 1

All Saints Day, Holy Day of Obligation

8:00am ✠ Parishioners of Christ the King
6:30pm ✠ Parishioners of Christ the King

Sat. Nov. 2*

5:00pm ✠ Robert Whitcomb r/b Richard & Sharon Torrenti
✠ Stanley Raymond r/b Susan Staab
✠ All Souls in Purgatory

Sun. Nov. 3 — Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am ✠ All Souls in Purgatory
10:30am ✠ All Souls in Purgatory

*NOTE: Daylight Savings Time Ends! Turn your clocks back!

The Sanctuary Lamp for this week of
Oct/Nov will be lit for Robert MacDonald.



Christ the King Mass Times ~ Join Us!

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 5:00PM

SUNDAY: 8:00AM & 10:30AM

WEEKDAYS: 8:00AM

Can't join in person? Celebrate via our Zoom live-stream! *Links to join are on our website.*



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



Latest News and Events at CTK

Upcoming Holy Days

Friday, November 1 is All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation): Masses at 8am and 6:30pm

Saturday, November 2 is All Souls' Day: Regular Weekend Mass at 5pm

To join live via Zoom, visit our web site for the link.



Daylight Savings Time Ends

Daylight Savings Time ends **this Sunday, November 3rd**. Make sure to turn your clocks **back one hour!!**

Christ the King Parish Needs You and Thanks You!

Christ the King Parish depends on your generous support. Although we do not "pass the basket" at this time, your contributions are needed and deeply appreciated. If you would like envelopes, please contact the parish office.



Or, give "Text-to-Give" a try by texting **"ENROLL"** to Christ the King's special phone number: **860-935-8488**, or scan this **QR code**.

You'll have to register with a credit card the first time, but later gifts will only require texting a dollar amount.

CTK Lost and Found

Afraid you might have lost an item?
Visit our Lost and Found basket, located on the bench in the hallway closest to the Narthex!

Let the Holy Spirit Reign in Your Heart

While Fr. Joe and Fr. Walter have been away, Christ the King has welcomed Fr. Martin, Fr. Greg, and Fr. Hugh to celebrate Mass with us.

At a recent 8 am Mass, Fr. Martin encouraged our congregation to appreciate the peace, joy and love of the Holy Spirit in all three Kingdoms of God: the Kingdom of our Church, God's Kingdom in Heaven, and His Kingdom in our hearts.

"We thrive and grow as children of God when we allow the peace, joy, and love of the Holy Spirit to reign in our hearts," Fr. Martin said.

Welcome God into your day.

Join us to celebrate Mass, weekdays at 8am in person or via Zoom and hear what God wants to share with you.

Parish Readings for the Week of October 27, 2024

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 (3)/Heb 5:1-6/
Mk 10:46-52
Monday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 6:12-16
Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14/Lk
13:22-30
Thursday: Eph 6:10-20/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Lk 13:31-35
Friday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/
Mt 5:1-12a
Saturday: Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, and 7b, 17-18, 20-21/Rom 5:17-
21
/Mt 11:25-30
Next Sunday: Dt 6:2-6/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 (2)/Heb 7:23-28/
Mk 12:28b-34

Involvement Opportunities at Christ the King



Liturgical Ministry Opportunities

Serving as an Altar Server or a Lector is a terrific way to get involved in our Parish. Newcomers are welcome and *training is provided*.

Altar Servers: Open to adults or students who have made their First Communion. *How about a parent-child or grandparent-grandchild server team?*

Lectors: Open to Confirmed adults/high school students. You must be registered with Parish to participate. If you are interested, please contact the parish office at (860) 434-1669 or ctkoldlyme@aol.com.

Visit our website for more involvement opportunities.

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Walking with Purpose Women's Bible Study

WPP Bible Studies combine personal study with small group discussion, linking our everyday challenges to solutions given through Scripture. If you desire to grow in your faith—in a supportive community of Catholic women—join us!

Choose from four different studies on Wednesdays at **9:30AM** or **6:30PM** here at Christ The King. To learn more, please contact **Aimee Finnegan** at aimee.wpp@gmail.com, or visit the WPP webpage on our parish website!

Catholic Trivia, Anyone?

Question: What is the sleeveless outer garment that priests wear at Mass called?

Answer: Chasuble.



News from the Diocese of Norwich

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OLD TESTAMENT AND CATECHESIS

Join us virtually on Tuesday, Oct. 29th, from 7:00 to 8:00 PM as we delve the richness of the Old Testament and its importance in Catechesis. Learn how the narratives, teachings and prophecies of the Old Testament can deepen our faith and understanding of God's covenant with humanity. We will discuss effective ways to incorporate these elements into catechetical settings, making scripture accessible and relevant for all ages. Speaker Gina Czerwinski has ministered within the Catholic Church for over 25 years, serving at retreat centers, shrines, and youth-serving organizations as well as on the parish and diocesan levels. To register, contact Liza Roach at lroach@norwichdiocese.net or call 860-848-2237 ex. 305.

The Sisters of Charity To Host Share-A-Day!

"Thanksgiving--Count Your Blessings," a Share-A-Day event for girls in grades 5—8 will be held on Sat., Nov 23, 9:30am-6:30pm at Holy Family Motherhouse, 54 West Main Street, Baltic, CT. This special day includes recreation, talks, activities and prayers with the Sisters. Please call (860) 822-8241 or email smaryjacinta@gmail.com for information.

Pro-Life Mass on Nov 2

The monthly Diocesan Pro-Life Mass will take place at the Cathedral of St. Patrick in Norwich on **Saturday, Nov. 2 at 8:30am**. Please join our celebrant **Rev. Walter Nagle** as we pray to end abortion and for healing for those who have had an abortion. After Mass, the Rachel Rosary will be prayed at the Cathedral followed by Brunch in the Cathedral Hall.

Women in Scripture: Voices of Faith and Influence

Join us Nov. 12 and 19, 7:00—8:15 PM for a virtual event exploring the significant roles and stories of women in the Bible. Discover their contributions and the valuable lessons we can learn from their experiences. Deepen your understanding of these pivotal women in scripture and see how their stories connect with our contemporary situations. Hosted by the Office of Faith Events, the event will be facilitated by Sr. Elissa Rinere. For more information: contact faithevents@norwichdiocese.net or call Alvania: 860-848-2237 ext. 304.

In Memoriam

Christ the King has recently been informed of several deaths in our Diocesan Community. Please kindly keep the following individuals in your prayers:

- Mrs. Fanny T. D'Amelio, Mother of Deacon Dan D'Amelio of Saint John Paul II Parish (Moodus/E. Hampton)
- Mrs. Gnanam Soosaimanickam, Mother of Father Ben Vinjoe, pastor (Brooklyn/Hampton)
- Mrs. Genevieve Sucholet, mother of Reverend James Sucholet, Parochial Vicar (Norwichtown/Fitchville/Norwich).

Youth and Family Explosion — open to all!

Join us on **Sunday, Nov. 17th from 1-4pm** at St. John's Church in Montville for an inspiring afternoon featuring **Jim Flanagan**, Coordinator of Youth Ministry at Christ by the Sea Catholic Collaborative, and musicians **Sue and Phil Fortin** from St. Aidan-St. Patrick in Cumberland, RI.

For more information or tickets, please visit <https://youthexplosionct.weebly.com/> or email

Liza Roach at lroach@norwichdiocese.net.

Young Catholic Professionals Celebrate 1st Anniversary

Young Catholic Professionals of Central CT is celebrating one year in the Archdiocese! Come join us for Mass at St. Bartholomew's Church, 45 Ludlow Road, Manchester, CT, celebrated by His Excellency Bishop Juan Miguel Betancourt on Thursday, Nov. 7 at 6:30 pm. with further celebration to follow at 7:15. For more information email:

info@yepcentralconnecticut.org.

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR CHRISTMAS TREES AT WADSWORTH

The Office of Faith Events is seeking donations of new children's books and new gloves or mittens for their Annual Wadsworth Christmas Trees. These trees will be displayed at **Wadsworth Atheneum's 50th Annual Festival of Trees and Tradition, happening from Dec. 5 to Dec. 15.**

Donations can be dropped off at the Diocese of Norwich Chancery Office at 201 Broad St., Norwich. For questions, please contact Andrea Hoisl at ahoisl@norwichdiocese.net or call (860) 848-2237 ext. 312. Thank you for your generosity!



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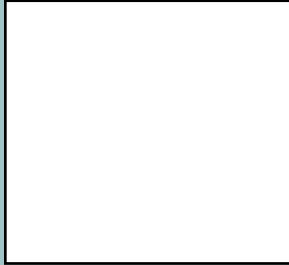
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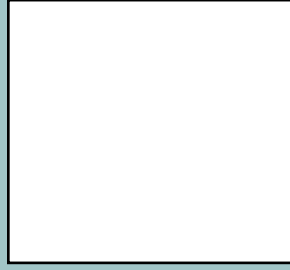
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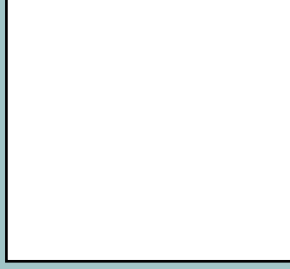
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