SACRAMENTAL LIFE Eucharist:

<u>Mass:</u> Mon-Fri.: 8:00 AM Sat. Vigil: 5:00PM Sun.: 8:00AM & 10:30AM

<u>Adoration</u>: 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

May 19, 2024 CHRIST THE KING CHURCH

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May God bless our First Communicants!

Eddie Bauer Bernadette Bilodeau Eli Bobowicz Olivia Catucci Liam Coyle Otto Czap Stella Drago Sedona Gabelli **Benjamin** Geshel Vivienne Graceson Logan Grissom Mae Munster **Emily** Osborne Carmela Procko Sloane Sapia Noah Steiner

Teagan Riquelme

Adelyn Viola

"I am the living bread which has come down from heaven. Anyone who eats this bread <u>will</u> live forever; and the bread that I shall give is my flesh, for the life of the world."

John 6:51

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First Holy Communion ~ May 18, 2024

Fr. Joseph Ashe, Pastor; Fr. Walter Nagle, Parochial Vicar 860 434 1660 (Rectory)
<u>STAFF</u>: Mrs. Louise Young, Pastoral Associate & Director of Faith Formation 860 434 9873
Mr. William J. Thomas, Director of Music Ministries; Megan Cole, part-time Secretary 860 434 1669
Ms. Sulma Garcia, Church Cleaning & Rectory Housekeeper; Mr. Emil (Sonny) Schrafft, part-time Maintenance
PARISH COUNCIL: Kathleen Burton-Chair, Ellen Cole, Larry Ghirardi, Robert Grissom, David Wohlmuth, Erica
Zapatka, Al Taday, Robert Brinkerhoff, Elizabeth McCarthy, Russell Pagliughi, Cheryl Parsons, Linda Petitpas
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PARISH TRUSTEES: Richard Torrenti and Marylin Clarke

Masses and Week at a Glance for the week of May 19, 2024



Sat. May 18

Sun. May 19 — Pentecost Sunday

Mon. May 20

8:00am 🕂 Carmen Boffelly

Tues. May 21

8:00*am* The Parishioners of Christ the King Church 6:30pm Finance Council Meeting, CTK Library

Wed. May 22

Thurs. May 23

8:00am 🛉 Nicholas Rago

Fri. May 24

8:00am 🛛 🕂 Elaine Colli r/b Mary Lou & Jim Duffy

Sat. May 25

Sun. May 26 — The Most Holy Trinity

8:00am 🛛 🕂 Evald Johnson

- 10:30am 🕂 Serino J. Carpentieri
 - ★ Anna Marie Carpiniello r/b Bill Carpiniello

✤ Helen Cole r/b the Cole family

The Sanctuary Candle for this week of May will be lit for Don McCue.





Christ the King Church Mass Times JOIN US ON SUNDAY or SATURDAY VIGIL MASS! <u>SAT</u>: 5:00PM, <u>SUN</u>: 8:00AM & 10:30AM...or WEEKDAY MASS: <u>MON-FRI</u>: 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 phone number: (860) 434-1660.



Latest News and Events at CTK

Upcoming Events at Christ the King!

*May 27th: CTK Office will be *closed* for Memorial Day* May 29th: *OL Town Band Concert, 6:00pm, OL Town Green* May 31st: *Pot Luck Dinner, 6:00pm, CTK Parish Hall*

+ Wedding Banns +

Andrew Bernard and Mallory Wilbur, June 15



CTK Parish Office Summer Hours

To start the summer season, the office will close early on **Fridays at 12:30pm** beginning *June 07, 2024!*

MASS OF THANKSGIVING

Join us for a Mass of Thanksgiving in honor of the **25th anniversary of the ordination of Fr. Walter**! *Sunday, June 2nd at the 10:30am mass* and a reception with light refreshments to follow in the hall. All are invited to come and wish Fr. Walter well!

Parish Pot Luck Supper Friday, May 31, 2024

riday, May 31, 2024 The Parish Pot Luck is back!!

The supper will be held at Christ the King Parish Hall on Friday, May 31st @ 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.

Birthright Rose Sale

On behalf of Birthright of Greater Westbrook and all the clients we serve, we want to thank everyone for their generosity over Mother's Day weekend during our annual Rose Sale. We are so grateful to everyone in the parish for the support we receive every year and were able to raise \$873.00.

If you missed the chance to donate in person, we accept PayPal: *paypal.me/brwestbrook* or a check can be mailed to <u>Birthright, 150 E Main St. Unit 2, Clinton, CT 06413</u>. We are always in need of volunteers! If you feel called to volunteer, please call our office at **860-664-9466**. Thank you all again for your amazing support!

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Christ the King Sanctuary Candle

The Sanctuary Candle may be reserved on a *weekly basis* in memory of and to honor a loved one. <u>The suggested weekly</u> <u>donation is \$25</u>. If you are interested, please contact the parish office at <u>ctkoldlyme@aol.com</u> or (860) 434-1669.

Parish Readings for the Week of May 19, 2024

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 (see 30)/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 (see 30)/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or



Jn 15:26-27: 16:12-15 Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5,

6-7/Jn 19:25-34 Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10/Ps 55:7-8, 9-10a, 10b-11a, 23/ Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday: Jas 4:13-17/Ps 49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11/Mk 9:38-40 Thursday: Jas 5:1-6/Ps 49:14-15ab, 15cd-16, 17-18, 19-20/ Mk 9:41-50

Friday: Jas 5:9-12/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12/Mk 10:1-12

Saturday: Jas 5:13-20/Ps 141:1-2, 3 and 8/Mk 10:13-16

Next Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22 (12b)/Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20

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 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.

If you are interested in helping, join us at the first meeting in the parish hall on Wednesday, May 22, 2024 at 7pm! For more information or questions, please contact Al Taday at ataday@hotmail.com or (860) 460-3701.

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 *Please print clearly*

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

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.

Small Christian Community

The Small Christian Community Bible Study will continue to meet in the Parish Library on Wednesday nights at 7:00pm. For questions or more information, please contact Mark Fischer or Peter Kulas.



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.

Offertory Sign ups for Weekend Mass

Volunteers are needed to bring up the gifts during the offertory at weekend Masses. This tradition of the faithful carrying the bread and wine to the altar symbolizes our returning to God the many gifts that he has bestowed on us. If interested, a sign-up sheet is *available in the Narthex*.

SAVE THE DATE

Vacation Bible Camp at CTK Theme: Diving into Friendship with God Dates: Aug. 5th-Aug. 9th, 9:00am-Noon Activities, Snacks and Fun!



More information to come!



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.

Community Events and Ways to Help



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 <u>christthekingchurch.net.</u>

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

Father Hussion Columbiettes Thank You!

The Father Hussion Columbiettes were able to assemble 17 large boxes and 20 reusable supermarket size bags and boxes with socks, hair care and dental care items, and other items.

A special thanks goes to the three Saint Pio Parish Confirmation students who helped to sort the donated items. On May 3rd, Catholic Charities representatives visited Saint John's with their van to pick up our donations. They will distribute these items to the homeless and needy families of our Diocese. Thank you very much for your generous donations! For more information, please contact **Marylou Zinser** at **860-575-1789** or **June Getchius** at **959-239-1490**.



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.

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 <u>secretary@ololgf.org</u> for information and applications.



News from the Diocese of Norwich

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



Crossroads and Frassati Young Adult Event

This year, Crossroads for Christ is collaborating with the National Eucharistic Revival to prepare to welcome thousands of pilgrims from across the country to this historical event.

On Pentecost Sunday, several pilgrims from across the country will start, from four different routes, the Eucharistic Procession, leading up to the National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis. Crossroads and Frassati is celebrating the start by sponsoring a Holy Hour right after the Pentecost Vigil on *Saturday, May 18th beginning at 7pm* at St. Mary's Parish in New Haven. The Holy Hour will be the first hour for

overnight Perpetual Adoration. There will be praise & worship music and a reflection from Fr. Roger Landry, a National Eucharistic Speaker and perpetual pilgrim for the Seton Route.

For more information on the events of this weekend, including the Archdiocesan Pentecost Vigil and evening Procession, please visit <u>eucharistnewhaven.com</u>.



Stay Informed with the Norwich Diocese!

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

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.

Catholic Charities 18th Annual Golf Tournament



The Catholic Charities Golf Tournament will be held on **July 8, 2024** at the **Great Neck Country Club** at 28 Lamphere Road in Waterford, CT.

Registration and BBQ begins at 11:00am and Shotgun starts at 12:30pm!

For more information or to register, please contact Sally Velcofsky at (203) 556-0115 or visit www.golfccnorwich.com.



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