SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Eucharist:

Mass:

Mon-Fri.: 8AM 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. Jonathan Ficara, Vocations Office: 860 887 9294.

Matrimony:

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

Confirmation:

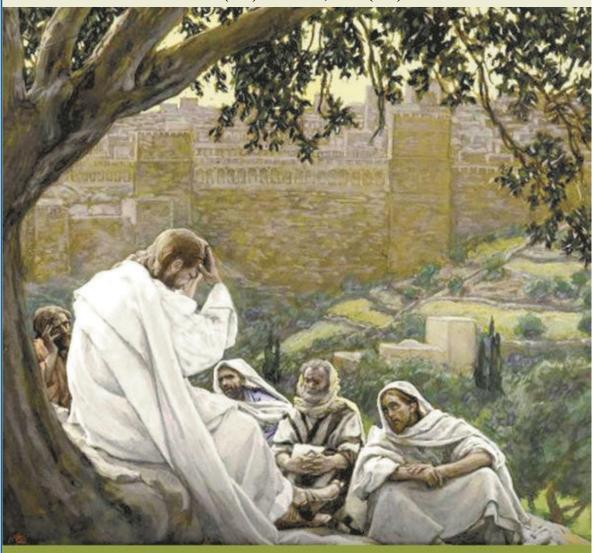
Confirmation preparation begins in the 9th grade and the sacrament is received in 10th grade.

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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"It will lead to your giving testimony. Remember, you are not to prepare your defense beforehand, for I myself shall give you a wisdom in speaking that all your adversaries will be powerless to resist or refute." - Lk 21:13-15

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FOR THE WEEK OF NOV. 13, 2022

Sat. Nov. 12

5:00pm (17th Anniversary of Death) Rosella Tigno r/b family

John Hennessy r/b his sister Don Galamaga r/b Joan Moylan

Sun. Nov. 13

8:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory 10:30am John Cordock r/b family Mark Straub r/b family

Bob Staab r/b Patrick and Anna Maria Pochatko (Del Gatto)

Mon. Nov. 14

8:00am The Parishioners of Christ the King Church

Tues. Nov. 15

8:00am Barbara Kennedy and Bernard Kennedy Jr.

Wed. Nov. 16

8:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory

Thurs. Nov. 17

8:00am Verna Quimby r/b her husband and daughter

Fri. Nov. 18

8:00am Chase Turano r/b Carol Ridgway

Sat. Nov. 19

5:00pm Elizabeth K. Planeta r/b James and Nancy Birge

Tom and Carmen Baldi r/b daughter

Msgr. Richard LaRocque r/b the Skaar family

Sun. Nov. 20

8:00am Albert and Camilla Dugas r/b family 10:30am For the Confirmed Class of 2022

The Sanctuary Lamp for this week of November will be lit for Verna Quimby.





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.



Upcoming Events at Christ the King

Sun. Nov. 20th: The Feast of Christ the King and Celebration of Confirmation

Thurs. Nov. 24th: Thanksgiving Mass (9:00am)



Ford Matthew Cooper, son of Matthew Cooper and Sara-Lyn Cooper was baptized here on Sunday November 6th, 2022. We joyfully welcome him to the family of God at Christ the King Parish!



Congratulations to

Robert Peterpaul and Cassandra Carroll who celebrated their marriage on Friday November 11, 2022 at Christ the King Church!

May they continually draw close to the Lord, and draw ever closer to each other!

Holiday Bulletin Announcement

Please note if you would like to include an item in the bulletin for **Sunday Nov. 27th**, the deadline is **Monday Nov. 14th at noon**, in preparation for the Thanksgiving holiday. *Thank you for your understanding!*

Christ the King Database Records

We are still 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 <u>on the</u> <u>form,</u> and please reply to our email at <u>ctkoldlyme@aol.com</u>,

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

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

Holiday Bake Sale Sign-Ups

The Bake Sale committee is planning to have a Christmas cookie sale the *weekend of December 3rd* and could use your help! If you are interested, sign up sheets are available in the Narthex. Thank you!

Bible Study Group is back!

The Thursday morning Bible Study will resume at 9am in the classroom across from the parish office.

We will study the First Book of Samuel. We can loan you a Bible if needed. All are welcome to join!

For more information, contact Deb Skaar at (860) 434-3081.

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*.

Readings for the week of Nov. 13, 2022

Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9/

2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/

Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/

Lk 19:41-44

Friday: Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131/

Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Lk 20:27-40
Next Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5/Col 1:12-20/

Lk 23:35-43



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.

Walking with Purpose Women's Bible Study

Do you desire to grow in your Catholic faith? 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*. There is room in the morning sessions: 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:* Wednesdays from 9:30-11:30am; *Opening Your Heart:* Wednesdays from 9:30-11:30am at Christ the King.

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

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		
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New registration _	Envelopes	Change of address

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 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.

Community Thanksgiving Service

Tuesday, November 22nd at 7:00pm at Saint Ann's Episcopal Church 82 Shore Road, Old Lyme, CT 06371 including the choirs of the community *Please bring a canned good which will be donated to the Shoreline Soup Kitchens and Pantries*

Come, Sing, and Pray!
For questions, please *call (860) 434-1621 or visit saintannsoldlyme.org.*

Saint John School 2022 Luxury Raffle

1st Prize—2023 Corvette Stingray Convertible MJ Sullivan Automotive Corner, New London, CT

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3rd Prize—\$2,500 Groceries Gift Card, Stop & Shop 4th Prize—\$2,000 Gas Card

Luxury Raffle Drawing

Saturday, December 3, 2022 at 7pm, St. John School 42 Maynard Road, Old Saybrook, CT *Ticket Holders need not be present to win* Only 2,500 tickets will be sold at \$100/ticket. 2021 was a sellout. Buy your tickets!

Tickets and Information

- 1. Scan QR Code with phone/tablet camera to access secure suite
 - 2. Visit online: <u>SAINTPIOCT.ORG</u>
- 3. Call with credit card: (860) 575-7553; For questions, visit sjsluxraffle@gmail.com

Stay informed by visiting us at: www.saintjohnschoolos.org/page/luxury-raffle



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!



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.

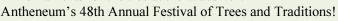
May God bless you and thank you for your cooperation!

The Eucharistic Revival The Eucharist, did you know?

How do we recognize God's presence in the Old Testament? The Bible reveals that God chooses to be with us so that we can be in the right relationship with God. The Old Testament describes several ways that God freely chooses to be present with us (local/temporal/personal) through something that is "sense perceptible" so we can experience it. For example, God appears to persons in dreams, to Moses in the burning bush, to the exodus community in the pillar of fire and cloud, to worshippers in the temple, to the prophets in God's word and to the people in social and personal situations. *Used with permission from God's Real Presence, by Steve Mueller*.

Angel Ornaments Needed for Annual Festival of Trees

The Office of Faith Events is looking for contributions of multicultural angel ornaments for the tree at the Wadsworth



Please bring or send donations to:

199 Broadway, Norwich, CT 06360

Please note: donations needed by November 21, 2022

For any questions, please call Marianne Nicholas at (860) 848-2237, Ext. 304, or manicholas@norwichdiocese.net



Catholic Charities Holiday Donations

During this upcoming Thanksgiving holiday Catholic Charities would like to feed as many families as we can. In order to do that, we need your help! We are *currently seeking*

donations of Thanksgiving fixings such as instant potatoes, stuffing mix, gravy, cranberry sauce, etc. When you are out doing your grocery shopping if you can pick up extra box or can as a donation to Catholic Charities, you are helping the many families who are in need and looking for help especially during this time of the year.

For any questions, please call 860-889-8346.

Awakening:

How is the Holy Spirit at work in your life?

Rediscover God's Unconditional Love, Learn more about the Holy Spirit's Gifts, Develop a deep and meaningful prayer life, Experience the mercy of God through a deeper understanding of reconciliation. For two weeks,

Nov. 29th, Dec. 1st, 6th, and 8th at 7:00-8:30 pm,

at St. Pius X parish, Middletown.

Register online at <u>manicholas@norwichdiocese.net</u> or call *Marianne at 860-848-2237*, ext. 304.

Sponsored by the Office of Faith Events.

Annual Catholic Appeal Donors

The Annual Catholic Appeal is thrilled to announce that two wonderful donors have come together to help us reach our 2022 goal! Together the Rossi Foundation and Padre Pio Foundation of America have generously agreed to make a donation equal to 50% of every new dollar we receive. This means, if together, we donate \$195,790 new dollars to the ACA, the Rossi Foundation and Padre Pio Foundation of America will donate \$97,895, bringing us to our goal of \$2,700,000!! If the majority of people reading this make a donation of any size, we will be well on our way to reaching our goal. If you have already donated, and are able to donate again, your new gift will qualify us for a match as well. Currently, only 15% of our parishioners have donated. We need your help to ensure that our ACA supported ministries continue to do the work of Christ, providing spiritual, physical, educational and emotional support to so many. Please prayerfully consider making a donation and join me in thanking the Rossi Foundation and Padre Pio Foundation of America for their tremendous kindness. The deadline for new gifts to qualify for this incredible matching opportunity is **December 15th**. You may make your gift online at norwichdiocesedevelopment.org, mail your check to the Annual Catholic Appeal, 197 Broadway, Norwich, CT **06360** or call our Campaign Manager, *Heather Harris* at (860) 886-1928 ext. 111.

Virtual Adult Confirmation Program

Are an active member of your parish and have you completed your Baptism and received communion? Would you like to receive your Confirmation? If you said yes to all of these questions, the Virtual

Adult Confirmation Program is perfect for you!

The six week course gives candidates the opportunity to grow in faith with other candidates who are on the same spiritual journey. Classes take place Tuesday evenings from 7:00pm to 8:15pm in 2023 on the following dates:

January 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, and February 7.

For more information, please contact your parish priest.

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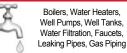
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