



Christ the King Church

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Rev. Luke Duc Tran Pastor
Rev. Msgr. Venantius M. Fernando Pastor Emeritus
Justin Bejar Director of Religious Education
Linda Mendoza and Lisa Bruno Parish Secretaries

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday evening: 5:30 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM (Vietnamese), 11:00 AM,
Portuguese 7:00 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday-Saturday: 8:00 AM

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION MASSES:

8:00 AM and 7:00 PM

RITE OF RECONCILIATION:

Every Saturday: 4:45 - 5:15 PM. For confessions at other times, feel free to call the rectory and make an appointment with the priest.

NOVENAS:

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal every Monday after the 8:00 AM Mass. Our Mother of Perpetual Help every Wednesday after the 8:00 AM Mass.

FIRST FRIDAY: SACRED HEART DEVOTION

7:00 PM: Mass and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES:

Public Grammar School Grades 1-8:
Sunday, 9:30 - 10:45 AM Followed by attending 11:00 Mass

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA):

is a process for:

- Adults who are not baptized and wish to become members of the Roman Catholic Church.
- Christians baptized into a non-Catholic Church who wish to become members of the Roman Catholic Church.
- Adult Catholics, baptized as infants in the Roman Catholic Church who have not received the sacrament of Confirmation and/or Eucharist.

MARRIAGES:

The Sacrament of Marriage requires a time of spiritual preparation. Couples planning to be married are asked to make an appointment with one of the priests to set a wedding date and to begin preparations before the wedding according to N.J. Bishops Guidelines.

CELEBRATION OF CHILDREN'S BAPTISM:

Parents are requested to contact the Rectory to make arrangements. Date and time can be arranged with the priest.

SICK CALLS:

In case of serious sickness or accident, call the Rectory any hour of the day or night (908-686-0722). We would be pleased to visit sick parishioners whether at home or in a neighboring hospital. Notify us even if a person is only temporarily confined.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

Every family should be registered. Registration forms for new parishioners may be obtained at the Rectory; if you are moving, please notify the Rectory.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

Rectory (908) 686-0722
Fax (908) 686-2504
CCD Coordinators (908) 686-0722

GODPARENT / SPONSOR ELIGIBILITY

Canon (Church) Law states that a Godparent for Baptism and a Sponsor for Confirmation be an active, fully-initiated Catholic. An active Catholic is a parishioner who is registered, attends Mass weekly, contributes to the support of the Church, is in a valid Catholic marriage (an individual married civilly, by a judge, mayor or divorced and remarried without an annulment is not eligible to act as a sponsor). Please note that we can only write Letters of Eligibility for parishioners who meet these criteria.

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH, HILLSIDE, NEW JERSEY
A NOTE FROM FATHER LUKE

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - MAY 30, 2021

Liturgy Readings: Deu. 4:32-34,39-40; Ps. 33:4-5,6,9,18-19,20,22; Rom. 8:14-17; Matt. 28:16-20

The Solemnity of the Holy Trinity invites us to remember that God has revealed Himself to us as one God in three Persons. As Jesus departed from His disciples, He shared with them the power to make disciples of all nations. He taught His disciples to invite others to share in the life of the blessed Trinity by sharing with others the gift of Baptism. This continues to be the mission of the Church. Each of us who has been baptized shares in the life of the blessed Trinity and also shares in the Church's mission of inviting others to share in God's love.

As you gather as a family, bring out pictures and other mementos of family celebrations of the Sacrament of Baptism. Talk about the significance of Baptism with your family. Read together today's Gospel then notice that Jesus taught His disciples to baptize all nations in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. What else does this remind you of? (*the Sign of the Cross*). Recall that whenever we pray the Sign of the Cross, we are reminding ourselves that we are united with God through our Baptism and share in the life of the blessed Trinity. Let us thank God for sharing His life with us.

Peace, Father Luke

Collections for May 23, 2021 - \$ 3, 621.00 which include Sunday Collections: \$ 3, 510.00, Candles : \$ 111.00 ,
Thank you



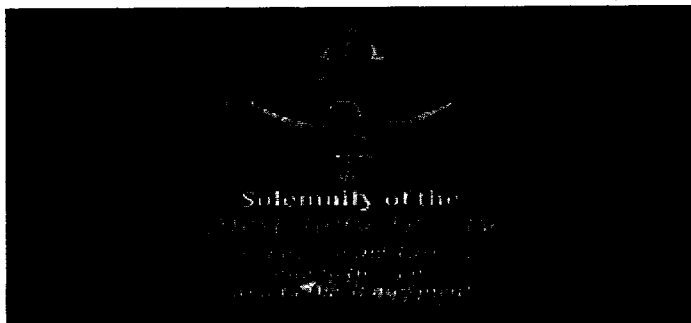
Pope Francis Prayer Intention for May, 2021 The World of Finance - Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.



REFLECTION

" The Spirit itself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ." - ROMANS 8:16-17

If we are heirs to the kingdom of God, shouldn't we work to build His kingdom? Shouldn't we be good Stewards of our inheritance, using our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to care for the Church that God has left to us? Our Church is a treasured heirloom from God. Do we treat it that way?



May 30 - The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

O Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, I adore Thee profoundly. I offer Thee the most Precious Body, Blood and Divinity of Jesus Christ present in all the tabernacles of the world, in reparation for the outrages, sacrileges and indifferences by which He is offended. And through the infinite merits of His Most Sacred Heart and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I beg of Thee the conversion of poor sinners. Amen



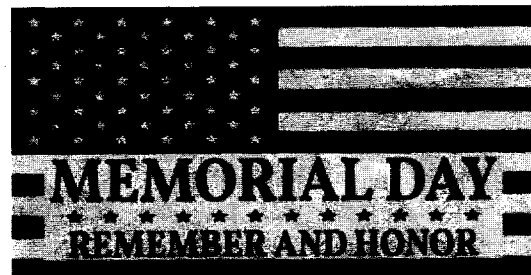
Update : 2021 Annual Appeal CTK Collection
As of May 14, 2021 : Total donated/pledged -
\$ 12,758.00

CTK goal for 2021 - \$ 16,886.00

To make a gift/ donation please visit: rcan.org/sharing
Our next In Pew second collection is the weekend of
June 12 & 13. Thank you for your support and generosity



Christ the King Church Confirmation will be
celebrated on Saturday, June 5th at the 5:30pm
Holy Mass.

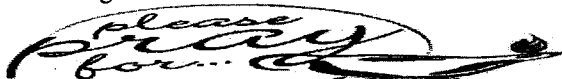


May 31 - A blessed Memorial Day to All
We pray for those who courageously laid down
their lives for the cause of freedom.
CTK Mass In Honor of the veterance at 9am on 5/31.
The rectory is closed in observance of Memorial Day.

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



- Saturday - May 29 - St. Paul VI**
 8:00am - Memorial Mass
 5:30pm - In Thanksgiving for the Harley Family by Koko Harley
- Sunday - May 30 - The Most Holy Trinity**
 8:00am - People of the Parish
 9:30am - Vietnamese Mass
 11:00am Eugenia Chojnowski by Mr & Mrs Gary Smullin
 6:00pm - Portuguese Mass
- Monday - May 31 - The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
 9:00am - Memorial Mass for Veterans
- Tuesday - June 1 - St. Justin**
 8:00am - JB Thu Pham by Family
- Wednesday - June 2 - St. Marcellinus & St. Peter**
 8:00am - Joseph Dien Phan by Family
- Thursday - June 3 - St. Charles Lwanga & Companions**
 8:00am - Maria Hoa Nguyen by Family
- Friday - June 4 - First Friday Devotion**
 8:00am - Maria Halpin by Family
 7:00pm - Leonarda Monsanto by Monsanto Family
- Saturday - June 5 - St. Boniface**
 8:00am - Memorial Mass
 5:30pm - Anna & Stefan Wlasuk by Sonya Prychoda
- Sunday - June 6 - The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**
 8:00am - People of the Parish
 9:30am - Vietnamese Mass
 11:00am - Robert Lapore Sr. by the Bejar Family
 6:00pm - Portuguese Mass



Ireneo Aala, Jimmy Edwards, Joe Dimeo, Jane Bridgeford, Venus Pineda Galang, Vincent Dante, Wilma Wiggins, Michael & Lucy Scaglione, Jim Madar, Gloria Ferro, Cathy Probert, Horencio Alimario, Joan Hughes, and all in the Armed Forces and residents in nursing home/ senior facilities.



Statement of the New Jersey Bishops Reinstating the General Obligation to Attend Mass.

At this time, due to the observance of public safety protocols and the increase in the availability of vaccines, we have begun a return to some sense of normalcy in various sectors of our society. Therefore, we the Catholic Bishops of New Jersey, are lifting the dispensation of the Sunday and Holy Days Mass obligation beginning on Saturday, June 5, 2021 and Sunday, June 6, 2021, Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. We welcome the Christian faithful to return to the regular participation in the Sunday Eucharist, the source and summit of our Catholic faith.

This obligation does not apply to those who are ill; those who have reason to believe that they were recently exposed to the coronavirus or another serious or contagious illness, those who are confined to their home, a hospital or nursing facility; or those with serious underlying health conditions. Finally, safety protocols (wearing masks, social distancing etc) and liturgical directives in each New Jersey Diocese remains in place until modified or revoked by the respective Diocesan Bishop.

Religious Education

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 Website: christthekinghillsidenj.org/faithformation
 Hours by appointment only
 Website: www.ctkre.org



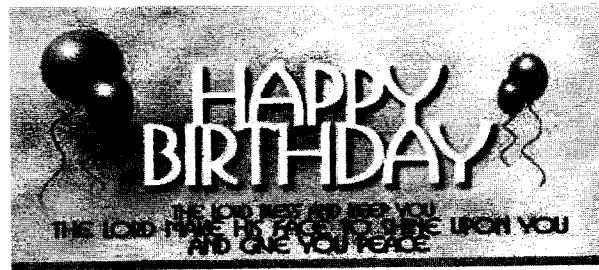
CONFIRMATION-The sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated at the 5:30pm Mass NEXT Saturday, June 5th. **IMPORTANT**-All candidates and sponsors must be at the church by 5pm. If you have any questions, please reach out to Mr. Carlos Araujo.

All parishioners are invited to attend this Mass and celebrate this last sacrament of Initiation with the young women and men of our parish.



Almighty God, Upon the cross, sorrow, pain and every dreadful, tragic consequence of sin was overcome. This Memorial Day we remember all those who have joined in that sacrifice for peace and justice. We give thanks for the bravery of men and women who have served for harmony and love. In a world that is still torn and broken, we declare that Jesus is Lord, hope overcomes despair, joy overcomes sorrow, peace overcomes hostility and love overcomes hate. From the tomb, the promise of eternity emerged in a resurrected Christ. Grace was poured into the hearts of all those who suffer, mourn and grieve. Lord, we lift our hearts to you and continue to remember, to hope and to love. Amen.

Have a safe and fun Memorial Day weekend!



May 30 is Father Luke's birthday. May God's love and peace be with you always Father. Have a blessed and happy birthday!