



Christ the King Church

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HILLSIDE, NEW JERSEY 07205-2090
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Rev. Luke Duc Tran Pastor
Rev. Msgr. Venantius M. Fernando Pastor Emeritus
Ana Amaya 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 Assumption Of The Blessed Virgin Mary - August 15, 2021

Liturgy Readings: Rev. 11:19a; 12:1-6a,10ab; Ps. 45:10-12,16; 1 Cor. 15:20-27; Luke 1:39-56

Today's feast celebrates Mary's Assumption into heaven. The assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into heaven has long been held as an important Catholic belief. The belief was not defined as dogma, however, until 1950 by Pope Pius XII. The dogma teaches that Mary, who was without sin, was taken, body and soul, into the glory of heaven. In today's Gospel, Elizabeth and Mary recognize the work that God is doing through them. With eyes of faith they see the power and salvation of God breaking through into their lives and into the world.

Gather as a family and talk about what you know about Mary and her being a model of faith. Recall that we are celebrating a holy day, the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. On this day, we remember that God took Mary to heaven, body and soul. In the Gospel we hear Mary's song of praise to God, the Magnificat. Invite each person in the family to write or draw one or more ways in which they see God working in your family life and in our world today. Use these prayers of thanksgiving to create your family's song of praise to God.
Peace, Fr. Luke

Collections for August 8, 2021 - \$3,337.00 which include Sunday Collections : \$ 2, 289.00, Candles : \$128.00 , Collections for the Pastoral Solidarity Fund Church in Africa: \$ 810.00, First Friday Devotion: \$110.00. Thank you



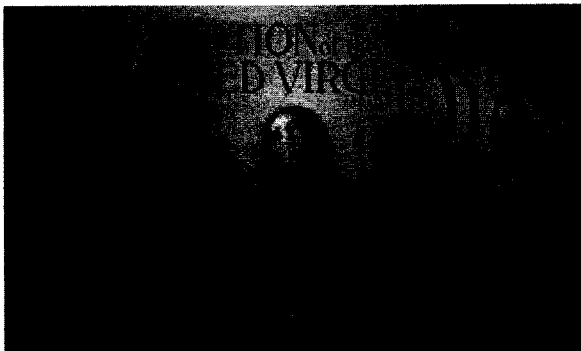
Pope Francis Prayer Intention for August, 2021 - The Church - Let us pray for the Church, that She may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel.



REFLECTION

" And Mary said, " My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my savior." LUKE 1:46

After Jesus , we look to Mary as our model of Stewardship. Her entire life was lived in obedience to God's will. Just as the moon reflects the light of the sun, Mary reflects the light of Christ. Like Mary, we too are called to reflect Christ to the world. We do this by living grateful and generous lives. We do this by putting other's needs before our wants.



August 15 is The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

O Dearest Mother, assumed into heaven, God placed you at His right hand that you may intercede for his little ones as the Mother of God. In the midst of all Saints you stand as their own Queen and ours - dearer to the Heart of God than any creation. You pray for your children and give us every grace won by our loving Savior on the cross.

Please intercede for us in our needs and ask Jesus to grant our request if it is for the good of our souls.

O Queen assumed into Heaven, pray for us. Amen

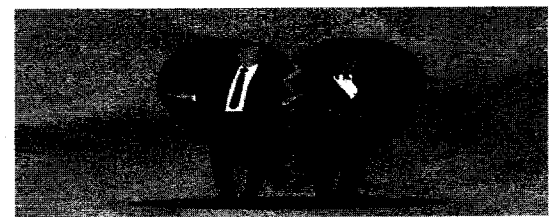


GOAL ACHIEVED

Our parish has reached the goal of our 2021 Annual Appeal. Total donors received as of August 6, 2021 \$18,873.00 - Parish goal - \$ 16,887.00. Thank you



Christ the King 2022 Mass Book will be opened for your Mass Intentions every Tuesday & Wednesday from 9am to 2pm during the month of August. Each family will be allowed to offer 10 Masses only to accommodate all our parishioners requests.



Stress in Your Marriage ? Weekend for Couples sponsored by Retrouvaille (a lifeline for married couples) August 13-15, 2021. For more info. or to register: please contact Rich Colasuonno @ 732-236-0671 or 3024@RETRouvaille.ORG



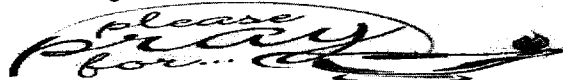
Church Picnic

CTK picnic scheduled for Sunday August 29, 2021 is cancelled. We hope we can plan for some fellowship and a get together event for our parish in the near future.

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



- Saturday - August 14 - St. Maximilian Kolbe**
 8:00am - Memorial Mass
 5:30pm - Helen Prychoda by Sonya Prychoda
- Sunday - August 15 - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
 8:00am - People of the Parish
 9:30am - Vietnamese Mass
 11:00am - Maris Halpin by Family
 6:00pm - Portuguese Mass
- Monday - August 16 - St. Stephen of Hungary**
 8:00am - #63 AJ DeVito by Love Dakota
- Tuesday - August 17**
 8:00am - Jennifer Lynn Mendoza by the Mendoza Family
- Wednesday - August 18**
 8:00am - Nemesio Tan by Family
- Thursday - August 19 - St. John Eudes**
 8:00am In Thanksgiving for Lucille Grandchildren by Lucille Johnson
- Friday - August 20 - St. Bernard Abbot**
 8:00am- In Thanksgiving for Nenita Mancenido by Family
- Saturday - August 21 - St. Pius X**
 8:00am- Memorial Mass
 5:30pm Robert Probst by Marie Hynes
- Sunday - August 22 - 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 8:00am - People of the Parish
 9:30am - Vietnamese Mass
 11:00am- Jennifer Lynn Mendoza by the Mendoza Family
 6:00pm - Portuguese Mass




Mathew Varghese, 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 and senior facilities.

Bonds of Marian Love invites you to live
The Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary
 According to the method of St. Louis Grignon de Montfort

Virtual Classes via Zoom
 Every Thursday starting
 Thursday, June 3rd
 Time: 7:00pm - 8:00pm ET
 Duration: 8 months

To register and for more information contact
 Rosalia Diaz 973-273-9128
 Leo Alonzo 973-363-1131
www.bonds-of-marian-love.com



THANK YOU

to all who supported the CTK fundraising trip to Atlantic City sponsored by the CTK Portuguese group on Saturday August 7.



Religious Education

Phone : 973-923-8328 Email : ctkhillsidedre@gmail.com
 Website: christthekinghillsidenj.org/faithformation
 Hours by appointment only
 Website: www.cktre.org



CCD CLASSES START IN FOUR WEEKS

We hope you are enjoying the last few weeks of summer. Things are very busy in the CCD program. Registration is still open, classes are being formed, and books ordered. Reminder classes start on Sunday September 12th 9:30-10:45 in the church hall. If you have not registered your child yet, please do so now. We need to know how many children will be attending so we ensure adequate staffing for each grade and have books available for everyone..

CCD forms are AVAILABLE in the back of church.

If you have any questions or need help with completing the form, Ms. Amaya continues to be available to help. Please reach out to her by email or phone. She can be reached at CTKCCDHillside@gmail.com or call her at 908-868-6775. If your child did not attend CCD this past year, please do not let that stop you from registering them for this coming year. If you have recently moved into the parish, welcome! Please reach out to Ms. Amaya on how to register your child for CCD.

IMPORTANT

We understand parents/guardians may have concerns with the increase in the number of Covid-19 cases. Please be assured we have always and will continue to follow any and all precautions the Archdiocese of Newark issues regarding Covid-19. While we are preparing for in person classes, we are also ready to switch to virtual if mandated by the Archdiocese. We sincerely hope this does not happen but stand ready to make the change if necessary. Your children's physical well being is always our priority and we take it as seriously as their spiritual growth. Jesus was clear how he felt about His children in Matthew 18:6 "If anyone causes one of these little ones-those who believe in me-to stumble, it would be better for them to have a large millstone hung around their neck and to be drowned in the depths of the sea.



9/11 Remembrance Ceremony (20th Anniversary) 5pm Mass
Wednesday evening September 8, 2021 at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart, Newark, NJ.
RSVP : by August 30, 2021 to HOPE RHODES AT HOPE.RHODES@RCAN.ORG.
 By attending this event, you voluntarily assume all risks to exposure to COVID-19. Masks are required for unvaccinated and everyone. Please follow current CDC guidelines for the safety of all participants.

