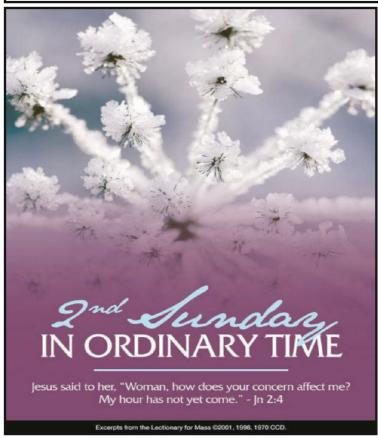
Our Roman Catholic Communities





Christ the King 202 4th St NW PO Box 1000 Byron, MN 55920 (507) 775-6455 Sunday Mass at 10:30 am Tuesday Mass at 9:00 am Friday Mass at 9:00 am



Holy Family 1904 N. Mantorville Ave. PO Box 171 Kasson, MN 55944 (507) 634-7520 Sunday Mass at 8:30 am Wednesday Mass at 9:00 am



St. John Baptist de la Salle 20 2nd St. NE PO Box 310 Dodge Center, MN 55927 (507) 374-6830 Saturday Mass at 5:00 pm Thursday Mass at 9:00 am

Mass

For information about online and TV Mass go to https://www.dowr.org/about/weekly-mass.html.

WEBSITES

www.christkingholyfamily.org www.dodgecatholic.org

OFFICE HOURS

Currently our offices hours are varied. All staff members are available by email and are checking the office voicemail.

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BULLETIN ITEMS

Please send all bulletin items to:

bulletinckhf@gmail.com

Bulletin items are due by noon on the Friday - 8 days before the announcement is needed in the bulletin.

MASS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mass announcements are due by Thursday at noon.

HEARING IMPAIRED

Listening devices are available in the back of our churches. Please ask one of the ushers if you need help. After each use, please return to the box.

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SACRAMENTS & PASTORAL MINISTRY ~ FAITH FORMATION

CATHOLICS WANT TO KNOW!

Question: Are we responsible for the sins of other people?

Answer: No, we are not responsible for other people's sins, unless we are guilty of misleading or seducing another person to sin or of cooperating in it or of encouraging someone else to sin or of neglecting to

offer a timely warning or our help. (CCC 1868)

Resource: Catechism of the Catholic Church

SAVE THE DATE!

Coming to our parishes! **SEEK22** - all virtual but we will gather together the weekend of **February 4-6**, **2022** at Holy Family for this amazing conference. Theme for this year: Seek and you will find - Matthew 7:7. More details coming soon. The cost will be \$30.00 per person.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Feeling disconnected? Every married couple deserves the gift of a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend! The next virtual weekends in this area will be held Feb 12-14, 2022 and Feb 18-20, 2022. Early registration is highly recommended. Visit our website at: southmnwwme.org or call 507-227-8229.

SACRAMENTS & PASTORAL MINISTRY

Individual Reconciliation – Father John will do individual confessions by appointment. Please contact him via email or leave a voicemail to schedule.

Baptism – A Pre-Jordan class is required and is held on the 2nd Monday of each month. Call the Parish Office to register and to schedule the date and time of the Baptism at least a month in advance

Marriage – Call the Parish Office at least 6 months prior to the date of marriage for preparation requirements.

Hospital Visits & Anointing of the Sick – Contact Father John Lasuba through the parish office to make arrangements.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) – RCIA is a process for adults (un-baptized, baptized, Christian or Catholic) to come together to learn about the Catholic Faith. Call the Parish Office for information.

Prayer Chain (Christ the King) – For prayer request contact Lois Douglas at <u>loisdouglas42@gmail.com</u> or contact the parish office.

Prayer Chain (Holy Family) – For prayer request contact Jane Kreidermacher at tudl@charter.net or contact the parish office.

Prayer Chain (St. John) – For prayer request contact Cheryl Gillard, gillardcheryl56@gmail.com or contact parish office.

Funeral Arrangements – Contact Father John Lasuba through the parish office to make arrangements for a funeral.

Cemetery Plots – If you would like to purchase a burial plot or if you have a burial plot and someone has died, contact the parish office. Office staff will assist you in these arrangements.



** SUBSTITUTE CATECHISTS NEEDED **

Faith Formation at Holy Family and Christ the King are in need of substitutes. The cold, flu and covid season are hitting us hard. If you would be willing to sub in a class at one of the following times and sites, please let me know. Usually, I can gather a lesson plan together quickly. Thanks in advance for your help.

- Kathy Lieburn

CHRIST THE KING AND HOLY FAMILY

Holy Family

Monday, Jan. 17	NO CLASS	Grades K-3
Wednesday, Jan. 19	5:45-6:45 pm	Grades 4-7
Wednesday, Jan. 19	7:00-8:30 pm	Grades 8-10
Christ the King	•	
Wednesday, Jan. 19	5:45-6:45 pm	Grades K-6
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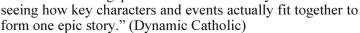
St. John Baptist de la Salle

Wednesday, Jan. 19 6:30-8:00 pm Grades K-10 - Contact Colleen Wilson with any questions.

HAVE YOU PRAYED TODAY?

JOIN US FOR A SALVATION HISTORY STUDY

Are you ready for another study. Who are we as Catholics? Where did it all begin? A Salvation History Study based off the book *The Real Story* by Edward Sri and Curtis Martin. Join us on an eight-week journey and "discover the "big picture" of the Bible by seeing how key characters and events actually fit together



When: Wednesdays, January 5-February 23

Fellowship - 5:30-5:45 pm

The Real Story study - 5:45-6:45 pm

This study is led by Lonny and Nikki Lambrecht and there is no cost you. Hope to see you there! Still time to join!

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICIES



If severe weather affects our Masses, Faith Formation classes, parish office hours, or other scheduled parish events; we will notify you via our Facebook groups, website, Christ the King/Holy Family Parish App and our

the King/Holy Family Parish App and our local TV stations (KTTC and KAAL). Please stay tuned to these media in order to be informed of closings and cancellations. Make sure your notifications are turned 'on' in your app.

If you have questions, please contact the office.

If school is closed or delayed there will not be week day Mass or Liturgy of the Word.

IN OUR PARISHES & OUR DIOCESE

MARY'S MANTLE OF MERCY MINISTRY

If we are to truly know our faith, we need to know Mary, the Mother of God. If we are to love our faith, we need to love Mary Immaculate. If we are to live our faith, we need to live under Mary's mantle.

If you know of someone who is in need of a prayer shawl or prayer blanket, please contact Sharon Pechacek at 527-2901. Prayers for Ray Kubat and Ed Sowieja. Continued prayers for Bev Chicos and Maggie Hutton for continued healing.

MARY'S MANTLE MINISTRY MEETING

A Mary's Mantle ministry meeting will be Thursday, January 20 at 7:00 pm in the St. John Church hall. If unable to attend, please send reports to Sharon Pechacek by January 17.

LADIES LUNCHEON

Our next St. John Baptist de la Salle ladies luncheon is Monday, January 17 at the Dodge Center Country Club at 11:00 am. We will order food at 11:00 am, eat, play games and have conversations. Bring your dollar bills and join in our new game as we support one of our charities.

FISH FRY PLANNING MEETING



The Christ the King Fish Fry planning meeting is set for Monday, January 24 at 7:00 pm in Schaefer Hall. All are welcome as we plan for another successful Fish Fry season during Lent.

THANK YOU FROM K-M AREA CARE AND SHARE

We received the following note from K-M Area Care and Share. Thanks to Clarice and all who baked and donated cookies:

Dear Clarice.

On behalf of the Kasson-Mantorville Area Care & Share Committee, I would like to thank you for organizing and delivering the boxes and boxes of cookies for the Care & Share families. The women of Holy Family are great bakers. I wish you could be there to see the faces of the families light up when after they get their gifts that they also are handed boxes of cookies. One particular lady today said she remembered them from last year and looked forward to them. I don't know if all the cookies make it home, but I do know this gift of love is very much appreciated.

It takes so many people doing so many different things to make the whole Care & Share experience happen every year. The whole community pitching in with their talents and resources makes it happen year after year. Thanks again for providing your valuable assistance.

Gratefully yours,

Ron Albright / Sec. of K-M Area Care and Share

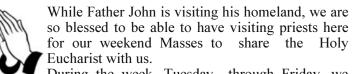


BLESSED AND SAFE TRAVELS FR. JOHN

Please keep Father in yours prayers in the coming weeks as

God surround Fr. John with your loving care; protect him from every danger; and bring him in safety to his journey's end.

WEEKDAY LITURGY OF THE WORD



During the week, Tuesday through Friday, we will have Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion led by some of our extraordinary ministers of communion. The schedule will remain the same as our weekday Masses.

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion is provided to enable the Faithful, in the absence of a priest, to offer praise and worship and to be nourished by the Word and Holy Communion. This liturgy does not take the place of the celebration of the Eucharist.

CALLING FOR ADVERTISERS FOR THE BULLETIN

Jim Byrne with LPI will be working on setting up the advertising for our Bulletin the week of 1-31-2022. Please consider advertising in our bulletin since the revenue from the ads is what will make our bulletin possible and at no cost to our church. The ads are also tax deductible. We also are offering new exclusive (only 3 per landing page) banner sized digital ads on the landing page for the digital format bulletin at www.parishesonline.com.

Advertisements can be purchased for a business, or a sponsor ad can be purchased supporting Christ the King-Holy Family-St. John with a Last Will and Testament or community service organizations such as emergency pregnancy counseling. Please give these ideas some thought. We need and appreciate your help! If you are interested or want more information, you can call Jim at (651-895-4979). We also ask that you patronize the people who do take ads and help support their businesses.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER



Give the best St Valentine's Day gift possible Marriage by signing up for the February 12-13 Marriage Encounter! Weekends are held at Mt Olivet Conference and Retreat Center in Farmington.

Visit www.marriages.org to register, for additional information or call 651.454.3238.

St. Charles Catholic Daughter 500 Card Parties

Court St. Charles Catholic Daughters are once again sponsoring 6 Sunday afternoons of card playing starting January 23 through February 27. Card playing will begin at 1:30pm with a lunch served at 4:00pm. We will meet in the Senior Center at St. Charles City Hall. The cost is \$5 per person with prizes awarded! Cancellations due to weather will be on KTTC.

STEWARDSHIP ~ GOSPEL REFLECTION

DECEMBER INCOME/EXPENSE TOTALS

Income Expense

Christ the King \$21,704 \$21,035 +\$669 \$32,695 \$18,773 +\$13,922 **Holy Family**

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

January 9, 2022 Christ the King Operating Fund 417.12 Mortgage Fund \$ 255.00 **Holy Family** January 9, 2022 Operating Fund 1,196.00 \$ Mortgage Fund 00.00

St. John Baptist de la Salle January 9, 2022

Operating Fund \$ 1,048.75 (includes online transfers)

MONTHLY ELECTRONIC CONTRIBUTIONS DECEMBER 2021

Christ the King

Operating Fund 4,575.00 Mortgage Fund 1,632.00 **Holy Family**

Operating Fund 5,275.00

MORTGAGE BALANCE - DECEMBER 31, 2021

\$ 456,919.43 Christ the King \$ 47,784.59 **Holy Family**



Did you know you can make one-time or point parish online? ONLINE Simply go to the www.christkingholyfamily.org or www.dodgecatholic.org websites and click

on the "Online Giving" box. Questions? At Christ the King and Holy Family, feel free to contact Jennifer in the office or email jenniferckhf@gmail.com. At St. John Baptist de la Salle, please contact Diane Vangness in the office or email office@dodgecatholic.org.

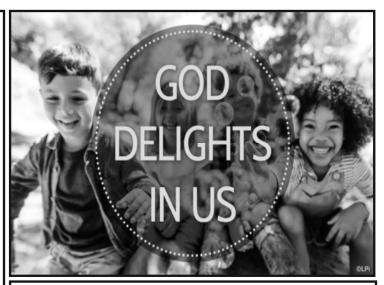
Next week our second collection will support the following two campaigns:

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN

Next week our special collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects people with Christ and builds Catholic communities in the United States and developing countries using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the money collected remains here in the Diocese of Winona-Rochester to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the Gospel message! To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/ccc.

COLLECTION FOR THE CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA

The Collection for the Church in Latin America supports pastoral programs as awarded by the Subcommittee on the Church in Latin America throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. Projects include the work of evangelization, formation of laity, religious and seminarians, as well as youth ministry and catechesis. To learn more visit www.usccb.org/latin-america.



GOSPEL REFLECTION - JANUARY 16TH 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

God delights in you. How do you feel when you hear that? Delight usually comes with an exuberant flow of joy that seemingly arises from one's toes with the expression of great glee. Reflecting upon the deep measure of joy God has in us can be a source of joy for ourselves. Delight is infectious. A very young brother and sister were playing on the beach when the all too familiar ice cream truck made its daily rounds. The boy shook with excitement and delight as he took his sister's hand and exclaimed, "The ice cream man is here, isn't it great!" As they ran off toward the truck, one could hear the girl reply, "Yeah, I can't wait!" The experience of a child's delight in something so simple as ice cream, lifts our spirits from our burdens and transports us to the lighter, more innocent side of life.

Life is not meant to be a burden. Believe it or not, God actually wants us to be happy! In fact, the wedding feast at Cana shows us that God even puts His blessing on our happiness. It is okay to celebrate the wonder of ourselves and others. Life is good. It is always interesting to note that Jesus saves the good wine until last. You would think it would be the other way around. The superb quality of Jesus' wine points to the superior quality of life we find in Christ. It is not a life of burdens but a life of wonder and delight! In Christ, we are lifted from the superficial and mundane to a life of purpose, hope, and love.

God is with us through the long haul, through the challenges and sorrows as well as the successes and accomplishments. In spite of the fact that we often wander from the path, God's celebratory delight in us remains. As spouses are asked to remain faithful to each other through whatever life brings, God remains faithful too. This promise remains through this life and into the next. All we have to do is take the advice of Jesus' mother to heart when she says, "Listen to him." This wisdom saves us from foolishly giving in to the illusion that we can make better wine than Jesus. **©LPi**





Sunday, January 16th

8:30 am Mass - Holy Family 10:00 am Rosary - Christ the King 10:30 am Mass - Christ the King

Monday, January 17th

11:00 am St. John Ladies Luncheon - Dodge Center Country Club 7:00 pm Music Rehearsal - Christ the King

Tuesday, January 18th

9:00 am Liturgy of the Word - Christ the King

Wednesday, January 19th

9:00 am Liturgy of the Word - Holy Family 5:45-6:45 pm HF Faith Formation (Grades 4-7) 5:45-6:45 pm CK Faith Formation (Grades K-6) 6:30 pm SJ Faith Formation (Grades K-10)

7:00-8:30 pm HF Faith Formation (Grades 8-10)

7:00-8:30 pm CK Faith Formation (Grades 7-10)

Thursday, January 20th

9:00 am Liturgy of the Word - St. John Baptist de la Salle 7:00 pm Mary's Mantle Meeting - St. John Church Hall

Friday, January 21st

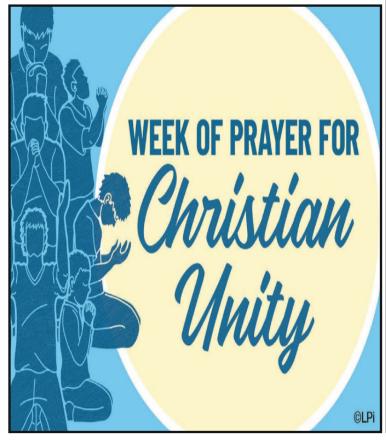
9:00 am Liturgy of the Word - Christ the King

Saturday, January 22nd

4:30 pm Rosary - St. John Baptist de la Salle 5:00 pm Mass - St. John Baptist de la Salle

Sunday, January 23rd

8:30 am Mass - Holy Family 10:00 am Rosary - Christ the King 10:30 am Mass - Christ the King



Liturgical Ministers

St. John Baptist de la Salle

Saturday, January 22nd, 5:00 pm

Lector Cheryl Gillard

Eucharistic Ministers (*lead) Colleen Wilson

Ushers Terry Selthun, Jim Twaddle

Rosary Kathy Wilmes

Counters Diane Chicos, Rita Selthun

HOLY FAMILY

Sunday, January 23rd, 8:30 am

Sacristan Theresa Peters

Lector Linda Buchl

Eucharistic Ministers (*lead) Lois Dorschner*, Reva

Harfman, Elaine Noble

Ushers Al Dorschner, David Oolman, Olivia Oolman, NEED 1

Greeter Marcie Bordelon

CHRIST THE KING

Sunday, January 23rd, 10:30 am

Sacristan Jan Fitzgerald

Lector Dominic Cunico

Eucharistic Ministers (*lead) Greg Gruszynski*, Lonny

Lambrecht, Nikki Lambrecht

Ushers John Bronk, Avery Hemminger, Thomas Lambrecht,

Tim Zamzow

PowerPoint Saker Family

Counters week of January 16th

Christ the King Wayne Courtney, Carmen Schatzel

Holy Family MargAnn Gadient, Judy Thompson

Mass Intentions & Readings for the week of January 9th

Sunday, January16th

8:30 am Holy Family *Parishioners of our parishes*

10:30 am Christ the King Terry Behrens+

Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

Monday, January 17th

1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday, January 18th

9:00 am Christ the King (Liturgy of the Word)

1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday, January 19th

9:00 am Holy Family (Liturgy of the Word)

1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday, January 20th

9:00 am St. John Baptist de la Salle (Liturgy of the Word)

1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

Friday, January 21st

9:00 am Christ the King (Liturgy of the Word)

1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

Saturday, January 22nd

5:00 pm St. John Baptist de la Salle Jean Leeper+

2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

Sunday, January 23rd

8:30 am Holy Family Dan Peters+

10:30 am Christ the King *Parishioners of our parishes* Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30 or

12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Please note: Since we are having Liturgy of the Word and no Mass on the weekdays this week, there will not be Mass intentions on weekdays.



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