

CHRIST THE KING

Catholic Church

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THIS WEEK - May 23, 2021

PENTECOST SUNDAY

PARISH OFFICE: located in main building

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday: 9:00am - Noon and 1:00 - 4:00pm

Friday: 9:00am - Noon

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SACRAMENTAL LIFE

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - 5:00pm

Sunday - 8:00am - 10:00am - 4:00pm

Daily Mass - 9:00am - Tuesday - Friday

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays - 4:00 - 4:45pm

Last Wednesday/month - 6:00 - 7:00pm

By appointment w/Fr. Jim (303-674-3155 x2)

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

If you or a loved one is preparing for surgery, please contact Fr. Jim. If death is pending, unless a turn for the worst is sudden, please give ample notice so we can be sure to arrive in time.



BAPTISM PREPARATION

Regarding the Restored Order of the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and then Holy Communion, both parents in their role as "first and best teachers to their children the ways of the Faith" must attend this class. Godparents of good standing are also required to take the class at their parish. For online options for Baptism Prep sessions, contact the Parish Office.



HOLY MATRIMONY

Archdiocesan norms require 9 months preparation. To have the ceremony take place at CTK, either the bride or groom must be a CTK member (or their parents), that is, they must reside within the boundaries of our parish. No wedding date may be set until after an initial interview with the pastor. Note: sacramental Catholic weddings take place in the church.



FUNERALS

Please contact Fr. Jim before setting any dates. We need to coordinate with our ministries and funeral directors, and to ensure that the facilities are available for that day.



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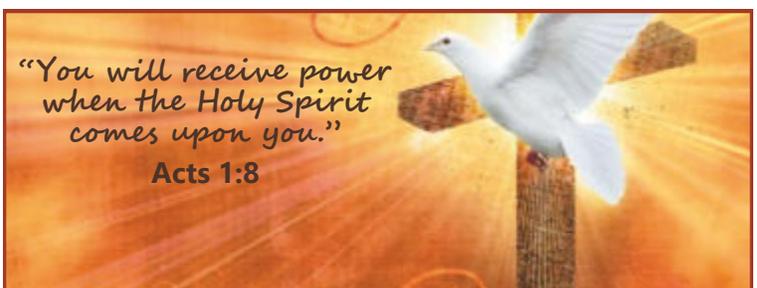


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Saturday, May 22nd

5:00 †Robert McCormack by Pat Ervick

Sunday, May 23rd

8:00 Parishioners

10:00 Daniel Webster Euell III & Family by Nico Euell

4:00 Special Intentions

Tuesday, May 25th

9:00 †Margaret Morrin by the May Family

Wednesday, May 26th

9:00 †Elmo Hyatt by the Hyatt Family

Thursday, May 27th

9:00 †Emma & E.J. Poirot by Bob & Joy Poirot

Friday, May 28th

9:00 Dan Morrin by the May Family

Saturday, May 29th

5:00 Brendan Kinzler by the May Family

Sunday, May 30th

8:00 Parishioners

10:00 Veterans & First Responders by the Knights of Columbus #3138

4:00 Bennie by Paul Bartkowiak



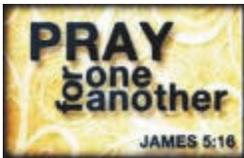
Daily READINGS

Week of May 23, 2021

Sunday:	Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 [cf. 30]/I 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:	Sir 35:1-12/Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 and 23 [23b]/Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday:	Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [Sir 36:1b]/Mk 10:32-45
Thursday:	Sir 42:15-25/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [6a]/Mk 10:46-52
Friday:	Sir 44:1, 9-13/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Mk 11:11-26
Saturday:	Sir 51:12cd-20/Ps 19:8, 9, 19, 11 [9ab]/Mk 11:27-33
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 SUPPORT
 For the week of:
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Food COLLECTION
 Food collection for the week of May 23rd
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 Next week:
 Loaves & Fishes



CHRIST THE KING PRAYER LINE

If you wish to use the Prayer Line, simply share your prayer request on the parish website: ctkevergreen.com in the Prayer Request section or place it in the Prayer Intention book located in the vestibule. We are always in need of more Prayer Missioners on the Prayer Line. If interested, please contact Anne Rudzinski at mrs.rudzinski@gmail.com



PENTECOST SUNDAY

Take a moment to focus on your breathing. Become aware of the gift of life that flows with each breath. Breathe in deep the words of Saint Augustine's Prayer, "Breathe in me, O Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may all be holy. Act in me, O Holy Spirit, that my work, too, may be holy. Draw my heart, O Holy Spirit, that I love but what is holy. Strengthen me, O Holy Spirit, to defend all that is holy. Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit, that I may always be holy."

Blessing creation outwardly shows forth the fruit of the Holy Spirit. Being filled with the Holy Spirit is not always about proclaiming loud cries of praise or singing *alleluia* from a roof top. It is about encountering the ordinary in extraordinary ways. Being filled with the Holy Spirit means being filled with the fullness of God's life, and being in touch with the wonder of God's presence. It's about becoming holy.

Holiness is not just for saints or people who have a religious vocation. Holiness is for all of us who desires to love God, others and all God's creation. When connect with the wondrous power of God's love, life begins to be lived more deeply, more reverently. Our senses become attuned to the Author of Life and we realize that we are not alone. The Divine Presence of the Holy Spirit in us, right now. As we touch this truth, we are inspired with surety that the Holy Spirit is part of our words and actions.

We live in a world where it is difficult to discover truth, which can be veiled by so many imposters, especially for those who are young. It is easy for us to get fooled and duped. So we avoid paths of self-absorption and destruction. The Holy Spirit returns to us the peace Christ offers: through the ministries of the Church, we are guided along those pathways which help us to be the graced and holy human beings God made us to be.

The wonders of today's Feast of Pentecost are necessary to share with those we love and those who casually cross our paths. The first disciples—touched by the Holy Spirit—brought the Gospel to the ends of the earth one step at a time. We assist in that same mission by helping people understand the Good News of who they are in God: called to be one with the Author of a beautiful existence. Let us ask the Holy Spirit to embolden our witness to the Christ who make all things new.

UPDATED MASS PROCEDURES

We now have different procedures in place regarding masks:

- For those who have been fully vaccinated for two (2) weeks or more OR have contracted the virus within the last six (6) months, masks are still encouraged, but optional.
- For those not comfortable being indoors around people without masks, seating in the parish hall will be available for the Sunday simulcast Masses. Note: there is always ample room at the 4:00 pm Sunday Mass.
- For the sake of those attending the simulcast/overflow Mass on Sunday morning, please wear masks while in the parish hall.
- Since there is sufficient spacing at daily Mass, wearing/not wearing a mask is your choice.

We continue to simulcast both Masses in the hall, but livestream only the 10:00am Mass each Sunday.

ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

CTK has currently pledged 63.5% toward our goal with 137 households contributing. Your sacrificial contribution is important! Make an online gift www.archden.org/givetoday or use an envelope in the vestibule. Every donation will help so many in these times of great need. *If you've already donated, thank you for your generous sacrifice.*



RETURNING TO MASS EACH SUNDAY

The Bishops of Colorado reinstated the precept of attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days. This will begin this weekend. All Catholics who are healthy and without significant risk factors or other serious reasons are asked to resume Mass attendance. *More significant is the great treasure offered to us through each week when we participate in the Sacred Liturgy!* Please continue to pray for and reach out with love to family members and friends who may have drifted away from the Church during this pandemic or at any other time.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON MASS

After a very brief hiatus and at the request of a number of parishioners, we are reinstating the **4:00pm Sunday Mass** on a permanent basis. Ample seating; all are welcome!

SACRISTANS NEEDED

This is a once-a-month task. Adult volunteers are needed to help set up for Mass. Call the Parish Office (303-674-3155) or contact Erin (ed Doyle@ctkevergreen.com) to assist with this needed service for sacred liturgy.



COOKIES, DONUTS, COFFEE. OH MY!
Invitation from MTYR

In celebration of Pentecost, the birthday of the Church, and the return from the exile of the pandemic, we invite you to stop by the St. Francis Parish Hall for cookies after the Saturday night Mass and donuts after each Sunday morning Mass THIS weekend.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/YOUTH

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Daily Bible Points this year:

*God knows you. God hears you.
God comforts you. God forgives you.
God chooses you.*



VBS is almost here! Space is limited as we will have a maximum capacity for 50 participants so be sure to get your registration form turned in soon! Registration forms are located throughout the building and on the CTK website.

We still need two adult volunteers to be station leaders for preschoolers and Imagination Station. A Leader Guide will give you full instructions on how to run the station. **It's easier than you think!** If you are interested in a position, please contact Rosemarie at (rfearrin@ctkevergreen.com). Registration fees for children of adult volunteers are waived!



GIVE US THIS DAY SUBSCRIPTIONS

The annual subscription for the monthly Give Us This Day periodical will be renewed in July. The cost: one year/bulk rate - \$35.96 for 12 issues/regular print. The cost for large print/12 issues is \$59.95. Participation in the bulk subscription saves approx. \$9. The issues will be available for pick up in the vestibule each month. If you choose to subscribe as an individual, the issues would be mailed to your address. There is also an on-line option. If you would like to participate in the bulk subscription, please contact Pat Winn at **720-502-7585**, or by email pcswinn3@gmail.com by June 1st. Payment deadline is July 1st.

BABY BOTTLE DRIVE
Mother's Day — Father's Day



LIFE'S OPTIONS in Evergreen offers thanks as we collect change to change lives. Please pick up a physical or virtual baby bottle today, fill it up with spare change, cash or checks and return to CTK by Sunday, June 20, Father's Day. Please visit: lifesoptionspc.org to donate online. Thank you for your support in helping continue this life-changing work. Life is a precious gift and we are thankful for life at every stage.



WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." Learn how to bring the peace of Christ into your relationship by attending the Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on: Virtual: June 11-13 In-person: Durango, Sept. 17-19; Colorado Springs, Nov. 5-7

For questions, or to find out more about a Virtual Encounter Weekend, feel free to contact: Brenda & Gary Granger: 720-213-8833 Space is limited, so reserve your weekend early. For more information, please visit www.wvme.org. Follow us on Instagram and Facebook! @wvmeColorado



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