

CHRIST THE KING

Catholic Church

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THIS WEEK - July 4, 2021

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PARISH OFFICE: located in main building

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

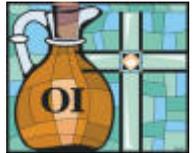
SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

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. God-parents 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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If my peoples, upon whom my name has been pronounced, humble themselves and pray, and seek my presence and turn from the evil ways, I will hear them from heaven and pardon their sins and heal their land.

~ 2 Chronicles 7:14





Mass INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 3rd

5:00 †Brian Reichenberger by Lisa Reichenberger

Sunday, July 4th

8:00 Parishioners

10:00 †Doris Huevo by Diane Smiley

4:00 Special Intention

Tuesday, July 6th

9:00 †Pam & Greg Poirot by Bob & Joy Poirot

Wednesday, July 7th

9:00 Molly O'Neil by the Amen Family

Thursday, July 8th

9:00 †Cory Ireland & Family by the Ireland Family

Friday, July 9th

9:00 †Barton Hinkle by the May Family

Saturday, July 10th

5:00 †Douglas Roman by Suzanne Roman

Sunday, July 11th

8:00 First Responders & Veterans by the Knights of Columbus

10:00 Parishioners

4:00 For our nation



Daily READINGS

Week of July 4, 2021

Sunday:	Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 [2cd]/2 Cor 12:7-10/ Mk 6:1-6a
Monday:	Gn 28:10-22a/Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15 ab [cf. 2b]/Mt 9:18-26
Tuesday:	Gn 32:23-33/Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15 [15a]/Mt 9:32-38
Wednesday:	Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18 -19 [22]/Mt 10:1-7
Thursday:	Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 10:7-15
Friday:	Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40 [39a]/Mt 10:16-23
Saturday:	Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7 [cf. Ps 69:33]/Mt 10:24-33
Next Sunday:	Am 7:12-15/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 [8]/Eph 1:3- 14 or 1:3-10/Mk 6:7-13

Parish SUPPORT

For the week of:
June 27, 2021 - Not available at press time

Thank you so very much for your sustained generosity!

Food COLLECTION

Food collection for the week of July 4th
St. Anthony of Padua

Next week:
Evergreen Christian Outreach



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



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

It's all so ordinary that we can easily miss it. The seagulls hunting and diving for mollusks at the beach offer a display of determination and precision as they gather their food for the day. It's simply what these creatures do. Yet, there's a magical artfulness and skill to their work that speaks volumes about the One who breathed life into their being. This is pretty much the way it is with God's presence. God comes in common ways through common things and ordinary people. Sadly, we are so engulfed in our little worlds of order and ideas to notice the beauty and wonder of it all. Many have numbed themselves to the Divine spark at the essence of all life because that's just the way it is. What's so special about it? A sunset is a sunset and a seagull is a seagull. That's precisely what they thought about Jesus too. After all, isn't he just the carpenter's son? What merit can his words possibly have?

If we're looking for God to come in an event that is so dramatic and intense that it knocks our socks off, then think again. When pondering God's relationship with His people and God's action in our lives, we have to go back to the stable and the recurring, creative, unending power of God's presence. It was a quiet, run of the mill kind of night. There was nothing spectacular or extraordinary. To the naked eye, a woman gave birth to a child and there wasn't anything extraordinary to see. We have a hard time understanding God's ordinary-ness. Jesus grew up in an ordinary town, had neighbors and did normal human things. Perhaps that's why we don't always like the Gospel. It doesn't dazzle us with extraordinary things but simply challenges us to take a different look at our ordinary stuff. That makes us uncomfortable. We prefer things as they are. Our lack of faith can even cause us to take offense at what Jesus says and does, dismissing it as folly.

God's life-giving presence continues to sustain that seagull in flight and keep all things in being regardless of whether we have the faith to see and understand this. Our personal agendas, preconceived ideas, misconceptions, and expectations can often cause us to be hardened and blinded to what God is doing or desiring to do. While God continues to do what he has done for all eternity, faith is needed for God's presence to bear fruit. The blinders we wear and the expectations we bring to life can often prevent us from seeing graced moments that radiate with God's graceful presence. They also prevent God's transforming, healing, and hope filled vision for our world from being realized. Without faith, God won't be able to do much for us either. © LPi revised

CURRENT MASS PROCEDURES

- For those who have been fully vaccinated for (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 also: 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.



SACK LUNCH PROGRAM AT CTK

We are excited to resume our monthly assembly of sack lunches for homeless persons who visit the Haven of Hope in Denver, but we need volunteers to make this ministry work! Please contact Ronnie (303-674-2063) to learn more about the program and to volunteer. You can make a difference in the lives of those less fortunate.

MISSALETTES LEFT BEHIND

If you have picked up a missalette to use for Mass, we ask that you put your name on it and take it home with you. We have had a few left behind in the pews. These, we sanitize and set back out in the vestibule. Those with names inside will be placed in Lost & Found.



MARTHAS IN CHRIST MINISTRY

This ministry, named after St. Martha of Bethany, hosts our parish funeral receptions and provides help and food. We also occasionally partner with other ministries in helping with various parish events. Please contact Marcia Boyd (303) 674-3361 for more information or to volunteer.

CHURCH IN AFRICA

Next week our parish will donate 4% of our offertory collection to support the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa. Although the Church in Africa is growing, many still lack access to basic resources and pastoral care. The Solidarity Fund supports pastoral projects to build the capacity of the church and foster lasting peace and reconciliation in a continent often marked by division and tension. To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/africa.



MONTHLY ROSARY AT THE GROTTTO

Walking With Purpose invites all women of Christ the King to pray the Rosary with us. We will meet at the grotto behind the church on July 8th at 6:00pm. We meet the first Thursday of each month to pray to our Blessed Mother for the many needs of our world.



Wishing all children of Christ the King a safe and happy 4th of July!
~ CTK RE Dept.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Registration is now open for the 5th Annual Catholic Women's Conference of Denver being held at Assumption Parish in Denver. The conference will take place on **Saturday, September 18th** with four amazing speakers focusing on The Future of Humanity by Way of the Family. Join us for a day of holy sisterhood and participate in shopping, adoration, confession, and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. In-person and virtual attendance options are available. Scholarships are available! Learn more at denvercatholicconference.com

MARY'S HOMES OF HOPE

Mary's Homes of Hope, is a Christ-centered community, open since June of 2018 in the Arvada area. The missions provides for women with children, pregnant women, and single women with a more permanent home that provides workshops in areas that help them realize a God-centered way of living. Our prayers for the next home will be for families; husband, wife and children. Please pray for us! If you have questions, please contact: Lynn Reid O.F.S., 303-424-9006. Please keep us on your referral/resource list for those in need of help.



WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Deepen your communication, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on: Virtual: Mid-week July 20-21. Durango: Sept. 17-19; Colorado Springs: Nov. 5-7. For questions, or to find out more about a Virtual Encounter Weekend, contact: Brenda & Gary Granger: 720-213-8833. Space is limited, so reserve your weekend early. For more information about World Wide Marriage Encounter, please visit www.wwme.org.

ROSARY AT LIFE CARE

We are looking for one or two volunteers to share in the ministry of praying the rosary with the Catholic residents of Life Care Center of Evergreen. This would be leading the rosary one time per week and all volunteers need to be fully vaccinated from the COVID virus. If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact Mary Tribby at 303-618-2156 for details.



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