

CHRIST THE KING

Catholic Church

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THIS WEEK - July 25, 2021

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

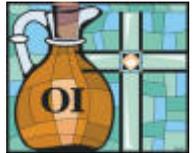
SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

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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Mass INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 24th

5:00 †Cory Ireland by Pat & Stan Conway

Sunday, July 25th

8:00 †Tom Broadbent

10:00 Parishioners

4:00 Special Intention

Tuesday, July 27th

9:00 †Tom Broadbent by the Marthas in Christ

Wednesday, July 28th

9:00 Bri Ridley by the Amen Family

Thursday, July 29th

9:00 †Tom Broadbent by the Amen Family

Friday, July 30th

9:00 Nick Van Horn by the Amen Family

Saturday, July 31st

5:00 Darby May by the May Family

Sunday, August 1st

8:00 †Tom Broadbent by Gregg & Suzanne Kapulka

10:00 Parishioners

4:00 Special Intention

Parish SUPPORT
For the week of:
July 18, 2021 - \$13,051.70
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Food COLLECTION
Food collection for the week of July 25th
Loaves & Fishes
Next week:
St. Anthony of Padua



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



Daily READINGS

Week of July 25, 2021

Sunday:	2 Kgs 4:42-44/Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18 [cf. 16]/ Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15
Monday:	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23 [1a]/ Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday:	Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 [8a]/Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday:	Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9 [cf. 9c]/Mt 13:44-46
Thursday:	Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11 [2]/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Friday:	Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11 ab [2a]/Mt 13:54-58
Saturday:	Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8 [4]/Mt 14:1-12
Next Sunday:	Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54 [24b]/ Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

St. Oscar Romero said, "We cannot do everything, and there is a sense of liberation in realizing that. This enables us to do something and to do it well. It may be incomplete, but it is a beginning, a step along the way, an opportunity for the Lord's grace to enter and do the rest."

There were a group of ladies many years ago who made quilts. They were beautiful creations reflecting inspirational designs artfully composed from the simple scraps of fabric each woman would bring. There was no plan for the finished project, as each finished work became the combined creation of what every person contributed. The quilts were so beautiful that they became family treasures passed from generation to generation. Those women never realized the power of their work. Countless babies rested in the comfort of those quilts, warmly nestled in the legacy of a tradition they were fortunate to inherit. The quilts adorned countless homes with their beauty, and brought joy and solace to many.

We cannot do everything. We are not meant to. Our work in life is to contribute our individual piece, a piece that reflects something unique *for the good of the whole*. We only have to do small things well. Then, as St. Oscar Romero reminds us, the Lord's grace will enter and do the rest. We have to trust that this is true, just as those women trusted in the eventual beauty of their final work.

Eucharistic blessings are blessings that start small and multiply. We all come into this life with only a few loaves of bread and fish. Not a single one of us has all that it takes to transform this world. That is why Christ invites the many. Who knows what God will do with the what we offer, and how many will benefit from our kindness and our hope? That young lad never dreamed that his small contribution would do all that it did. God shows up so often in unexpected ways when we place our offering before the Lord! Where would life's adventure and fun be if it were any other way? Being a part of God's creation and healing in the world opens us up to wonder, awe and even excitement. We can all bring our little piece to the bigger work of God that can result in being a treasure passed from generation to generation. This is good news indeed!

Bread and wine is transformed into Christ's Body and Blood, and we then become what we eat. Trust that. © 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 ample room at the 8:00 am and 4:00 pm Sunday Masses.
- For the sake of those attending the simulcast/overflow Mass on Sunday morning, please wear masks while in the parish hall.

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

SACK LUNCH PROGRAM

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! Along with three who offered to coordinate, there are about 20 people willing to help out each month. Reminder: new directors, new direction. More info forthcoming as to when we will begin this wonderful ministry. Thanks again to all who offer to make a difference in the lives of those who are hungry and in need. God bless!

**MASS INTENTIONS AT CTK**

We have dates available for your Mass Intentions (a Mass offered up in the name of loved ones, living or deceased, at a weekend or daily Mass) beginning in mid-August. Please stop by or call the Parish Office (303-

674-3155) if you would like to have a Mass Intention offered at Christ the King.

**SECOND COLLECTION
AUGUST 14-15, 2021**

We will be taking up a second collection at all Masses the weekend of August 15th to help support the retired priests of our diocese. Please take advantage of this opportunity to make a gift which helps provide for their retirement needs. Your donation will help serve those who have faithfully served us. Please visit: Archden.org/retiredpriest to donate online or call **303-867-0614** for more information.

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**PETITION FOR
THE HYDE AMENDMENT**

Taxpayer dollars should NOT pay for abortion. The Hyde amendment has been signed into law every year since 1976. An overwhelming majority of

Americans, including low-income women and women of color who are most impacted by it, support the Hyde Amendment and laws that prevent government-funded abortion. We urge you, in the strongest possible terms, to ensure that the Hyde Amendment and all similar life-saving appropriations riders remain in place during the 117th Congress and beyond. Do not force Americans to subsidize the taking of innocent life. Add your name: www.notaxpayerabortion.com Please visit cocatholicconference.org.



Colorado Catholic Conference

**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.

ORDER YOUR PEACHES HERE

Those delicious Palisade Peaches are once again being sold at Christ the King through our hard-working Knights of Columbus. Orders will be taken after all Masses the weekends of **July 24th/25th** and **July 31st/August 1st** with pick up of orders to take place at CTK on Saturday, August 14th. Prices this year are \$30/10 lb. box and \$40/18 lb. box. If you have questions, please contact Gregg and Suzanne "Mr. and Mrs. Peach" Kapulka at 303-679-2953.

**IMPROVEMENTS AT CTK**

All areas of our parking lot will undergo repaving during the **week of August 23rd**. Please park in the RTD lot across the street that week if stopping by the church for any reason. If attending daily Mass and you have trouble ambulating that distance, please consider watching the livestream of Mass from home instead.

A RETREAT WITH IMMACULEE

The love of a single heart can make a world of difference.

Join Immaculee Ilibagiza, Rwandan genocide survivor and New York Times best-selling author of Left to Tell for a moving two-day retreat on faith, hope, love, and forgiveness. This retreat includes Immaculee's witness of the power of prayer, miracles of the Rosary, and inspirational music. No one will leave this retreat the same as when they came.



Friday, Sept. 17: 5:00 - 9:00pm

Saturday, Sept. 18: 9:00am - 1:00pm

Cost: \$57/person (\$76/couple)

Location: St. Mary Catholic Parish - Littleton

Register at www.immaculee.com. For more information, contact Anna Worachek at annaworachek@gmail.com

**ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY MASS**

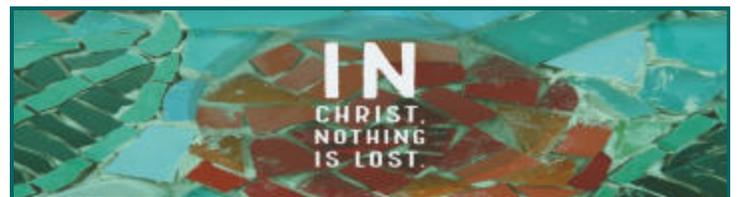
October 10, 2021—3:00pm Mass

Reception to follow

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Every year the Office of Evangelization and Family Life Ministries invites couples throughout the Archdiocese of Denver that have celebrated or will be celebrating this year their 25th, 50th or 50+ anniversaries to attend our annual Anniversary Mass. We come together to celebrate the witness of their fidelity to the sacrament of marriage. This event is open to *all* married couples and includes a renewal of the marital vows. We especially invite newly married couples to attend and be inspired by the witness of these marriages. Please visit: archden.org/eflm/anniversary/ for more details and to register.



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