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Mass Schedule

Sundays 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., and 6:00 p.m.
Mondays 7:00 a.m.
Tuesdays (only when school schedules) 8:05 a.m.
Wednesdays 6:00 p.m.
Thursdays 6:00 p.m.
Fridays (First Fri. only) 7:00 a.m.
Saturdays 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Confession: Saturdays 3:30 p.m. (and by request)

Christ the King School
Principal Alan Mila, 615.292.9465

Marriage Preparation
Fr. Anh Tuan Phan, 615.292.2884
(at least six months in advance)

Infant Baptism
Kathy Skinner, 615.292.2884
(by third trimester)

Nursery (infants to age three)
during 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. Masses
Community Room of the Parish Center
Jaimie Gorman, 615.777.8908

Pastoral Care
Margaret Emsweller, 615.777.8918

Adult Education and
Inquiries about becoming Catholic
Jon Stotts, 615.777.8910

Parish Religious Education Program (PreK-8th)
Jaimie Gorman, 615.777.8908

Music Ministry
Lucia Huskey, 615.777.8907

Business Office
Dawnne Stephens, 615-777-8904

For ministry leaders and other information,
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SUNDAY'S READINGS (#1100)

FIRST READING:

Ezra read plainly from the book of the law of God, interpreting it so that all could understand what was read. (Neh 8:8)

PSALM:

Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life. (Ps 19)

SECOND READING:

For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, slaves or free persons, and we were all given to drink of one Spirit. (1 Cor 12:12)

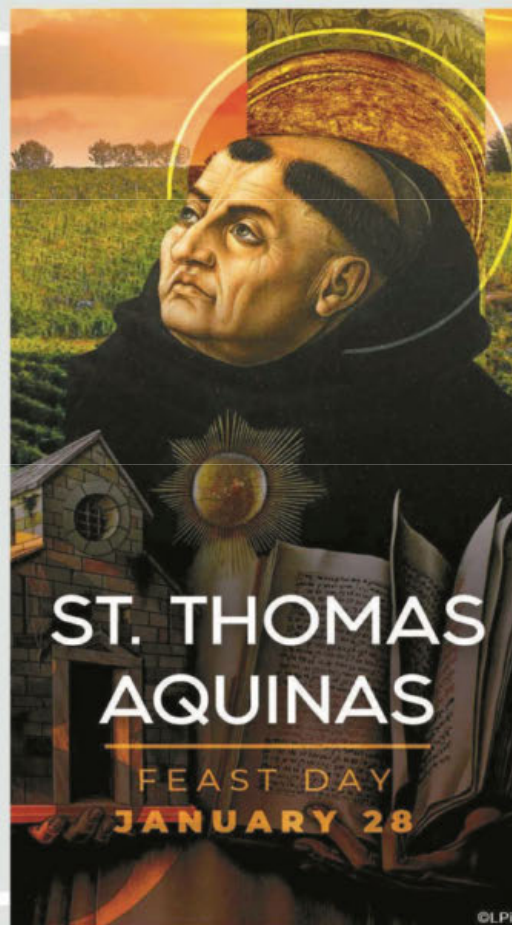
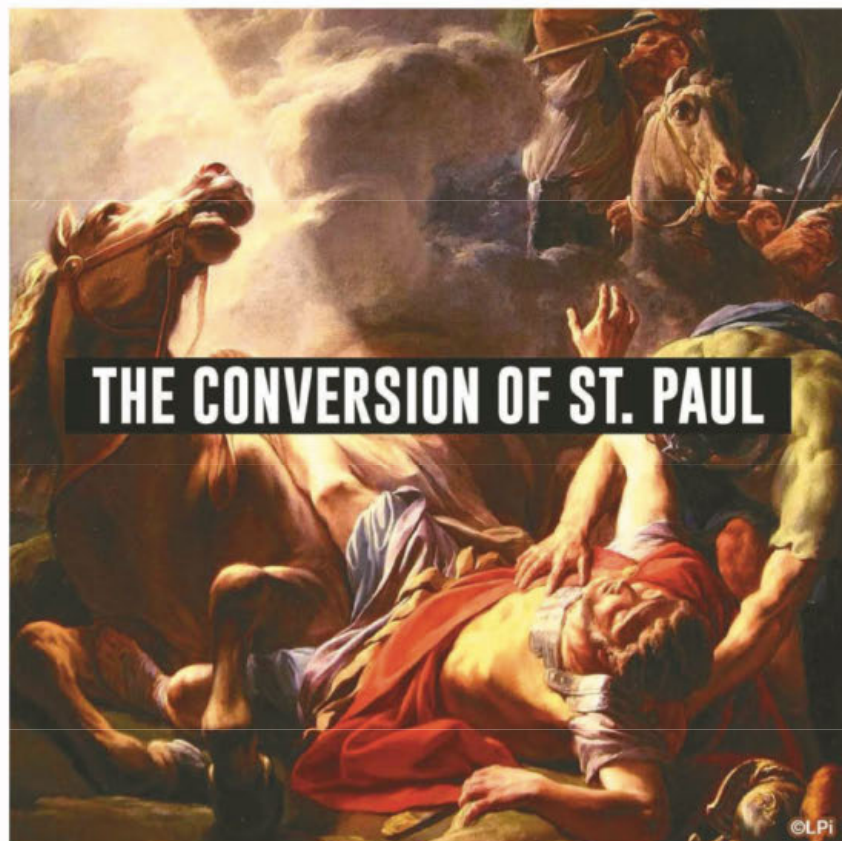
GOSPEL:

He said to them, "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." (Lk 1:21)

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OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 23, 2022

Sunday:	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin
Monday:	St. Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Tuesday:	The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle
Wednesday:	Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops
Thursday:	St. Angela Merici, Virgin
Friday:	St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church
Next Sunday:	4th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Celebrate Catholic Schools Week



Saint of the Week

One of the most famous members of the Dominican Order, St. Thomas Aquinas (1225 – 1274) is well-known by many for his theological work, "The Summa Theologiae." Born in Italy, his mother wanted him to become a Benedictine and had high hopes that he would eventually become abbot of Monte Cassino, where he spent much of his youth. To change his vocation, she had him kidnapped by his brothers on his way to Paris at the age of 19. He spent two years in their captivity. Despite this, nothing could shake him from his vocation to become a Dominican priest and he was eventually released. Once free, he went to Paris and then to Cologne, where he finished his studies with Albert the Great.

His greatest contribution to the Catholic Church is his writings. The unity, harmony, and continuity of faith and reason, of revealed and natural human knowledge, encompasses his writings. The Summa Theologiae, his last and, unfortunately, uncompleted work, deals with the whole of Catholic theology.

The patron saint of teachers, theologians and students, St. Thomas Aquinas died in 1274. His life and the impact he had on the whole Church, however, remains alive today.

Sunday, January 23, 2022

Please refer to the parish app or website for current Mass information.

SUNDAY of the WORD of GOD



Those aren't fighting words

Most fights don't start with a punch, but with a word. That's because words are among the most powerful forces on the planet. Ideas divide or unite a society. Insults scar, just as kind words can heal. Our sacred story contained in scripture is a word meant to make the world whole. Pope Francis asks us to honor the word of God this Sunday. We begin by symbolically enthroning the Bible in our homes today: putting it in a place of honor. This reminds us of the deeper enthronement of God's word in our hearts. Make room for one Bible verse every day.

preparetheword.com



Want to contribute online, request a Mass intention, RSVP for an event, or make a purchase? Our QR code will help you do so more quickly!

REPORT of COLLECTIONS

WEEK 28 — JANUARY 9, 2022

Regular	14,198.84
Tuition Assistance	395.00
Registered Households	2063

Please prayerfully consider Christ the King Parish and the Diocese of Nashville in your estate planning. Call 615-292-2884 with questions.

In 2021, participating member status is based on a minimum of \$950 in annual offertory contributions, which is used to determine eligibility for reduced school tuition rates.

MASS INTENTIONS of the WEEK

JANUARY 23RD THROUGH 29TH

Masses this week:

Sun. 7 am, 8:30 am, 11 am, 6 pm; Mon. 7 am; Tue. 8:05 am
Wed. and Thur. 6 pm; Sat. 9 am and 4:30 pm

Sun. 7 am - Mike Pigott, Ike & Ann Marie McRedmond
by Sharon Pigott

Sun. 8:30 am - Peggy Simmonds by F & L Schindler

Sun. 11 am - Kathy Kibby Huntsinger
by Alice Valiquette

Sun. 6 pm - The People of the Parish

Mon. 7 am - Alfred Lybarger by D & C Lybarger

Tue. 8:05 am - Polly McKenzie by B & L Ogden

Sofia Maneschi by A & H Maneschi

Wed. 6 pm - Int. Weir Alexander by M & S Beisel

Thur. 6 pm - Mark Griffin by Julie Griffin

Sat. 9 am - Chester Frydrych by T & S Casey

Sat. 4:30 pm - James Ragghianti by Vicki Dukehart

JANUARY 30TH THROUGH FEBRUARY 5TH

Masses this week:

Sun. 7 am, 8:30 am, 11 am, 6 pm; Mon. 7 am; Tue. 8:05 am;
Wed. and Thur. 6 pm; Fri. 7 am; Sat. 9 am and 4:30 pm

Sun. 7:00 am - Ken Maxwell by J & C Norman

Sun. 8:30 am - Wilma Lybarger by D & C Lybarger

Sun. 11 am - Polly McKenzie by T & S Casey

Sun. 6 pm - The People of the Parish

Mon. 7 am - Mickey Dunn by Linda Thompson

Tue. 8:05 am - Patsy Williams by W & M Hassell

Wed. 6 pm - James Ragghianti by B & A Eadler

Thur. 6 pm - Pat Strobel by K Skinner & Family

Fri. 7 am - Elaine Nelson by J & P August

Sat. 9 am - Chester Frydrych by F & L Schindler

Sat. 4:30 pm - Cornelius Breen Seigenthaler
by Alice Valiquette



FLOWER MEMORIALS

Contributions to the Altar Flower Fund are in memory or in honor of those listed or provided by:

† Yolanda Bumann by Amy Bumann

† Stephen Burk by Eni Burk
Paul & Teresa Davis

† Sally Killian by Thomas Killian

† Robert Maggiotto & Vincent Cannariato, Jr.
by John & Georgia Indrigo

Jim & Pat Ragghianti Family by Mary Ragghianti

† Martin E. Simmons & J. Carter Simmons
by the Simmons Family

FROM *our* SCHOOL

ENROLLMENT



If you are interested in your child attending Christ the King School, and your child is not currently enrolled in CKS, please submit an online application. An information email will be sent to those interested. Please contact Jeanette Neuhoff Vogt '76 with any questions at jeanette.vogt@cks-nashville.org or 615-777-8976.

CLASS OF 1977

Christ the King Class of 1977 is invited to gather on Feb. 2 at our 8:05 am Mass, followed by a reception in the school. Join us as we celebrate Catholic Schools Week and especially remember our alumni from the class of '77. For more information or to RSVP, email teresa.davis@cks-nashville.org.



First through fourth graders got a visit from some interesting animals.



Miss Osborne helped her students make predictions about the anticipated snowfall.



NEWS *for the* PARISH

ROBOTICS FUND

CKS is researching VEX Robotics to add to our curriculum. If you would like to contribute to two age-appropriate units - one for elementary and one for middle school - please consider a gift to our robotics fund. Robotics are fundamental in teaching and inspiring our young minds by the excitement of hands-on, minds-on STEM learning and the feeling of creating something with technology. in the future. We also welcome anyone with experience in Robotics that would like to participate to please contact the school at 615-292-9465. Contributions can be made at ctknashville.weshareonline.org or with a check made out to CKS.

THANK YOU

Thank you to all who contributed to the Ladies of Charity at Thanksgiving and who helped fill and deliver baskets. Your support helped us provide 775 food baskets to families for Christmas.

ECO-GARDENS CSA

Eco-Gardens CSA is offering an Early Bird Discount for those who Sign-Up by January 31! Organically Grown, Local, Farm-Fresh produce delivered weekly or biweekly from May-Nov. Pick-Up locations at Christ the King, Assumption Church, and Crieve-wood Baptist Church. For more information and to Sign-Up, go to eco-gardenscsa.com.

Room in the Inn

A big thanks to all who helped with volunteering, meals, and gifts over the holidays for our RITI guests!

Our community's generosity and love made our guests feel cared for and welcomed - especially important at Christmas.

Thank you!!

Current Need:

Volunteer cleaning team from 5:45-6:30 am on Thursdays to get everything put away and ready for the school day.

Other Needs:

Gently used or new: jeans, shoes, coats

New:

Travel toiletries

Contact Meg at mdarke1@hotmail.com or 859-559-1060.

We CELEBRATE!

The baptisms of

Soren Bishop

ADULT FORMATION



Introducing "For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, and Mission"

Sunday, January 16, 2022
9:45-10:45am - Zoom

Pope Francis has asked every diocese and every parish, to provide opportunities for us to reflect on where the Church has been and where the Church is heading. These reflections focus on three key areas: the communion of Church and society, our participation in the liturgy, and our mission of evangelism and service.

Join other CTK parishioners on Zoom on Sunday, January 16 for a preliminary discussion of this synodal process and how we might implement it at Christ the King. The Zoom meeting information can be found at www.ctl.org. Contact Jon Stotts with questions.

ADULT CONFIRMATION



Are you a baptized, Catholic adult who celebrated Eucharist as a child but was never confirmed? During the Easter season, the bishop celebrates Confirmation with adults in our diocese just like you. If you would like to join those preparing for adult confirmation this spring, contact Jon Stotts.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Camp Marymount - has 2 full-time and 1 part-time year-round positions available. FT are the Program Director and Facility Assistant. PT is the Development Associate. Please email tommy@campmarymount.com for more information.

Nashville Catholic Radio - Something for Everyone - Programs produced for and about the Diocese of Nashville air Monday-Thursday from 11 am—12 pm and Saturdays from 8 am-11am. Bishop Spalding's Mass airs Sunday morning at 11 am. At all other times programs relevant to Catholics are aired. Spanish programming by EWTN airs 8 pm—5 am Mon-Fri. Listen on the radio at 100.5 FM, through our free app (Nashville Catholic Radio), streaming at NashvilleCR.com, or ask your smart speaker to "Play Nashville Catholic Radio".

World Marriage Day Celebration - The annual diocesan celebration is **Feb. 6 at 2:30 pm** at the Cathedral of the Incarnation for couples celebrating their 25th or 50th anniversaries. Mass with Bishop Spalding, followed by light reception. Call or email the parish office by January 18 to be sure you receive a formal invitation (info@ctl.org).

Father Ryan 2022 Legacy Gala (February 5), Music City Center, Nashville. We will honor Father Charles Strobel, a 1961 graduate of the school and the Founding Director of Room In The Inn. Dinner, dancing, silent, and live auction. Tickets: fatherryan.org/gala.

Nashville Diocesan Council of Catholic Women - Sat. Jan. 29 at 9 am—1 pm—St. Luke's in Smyrna—includes Mass at 10 am and lunch served for \$10. RSVP to Alice at 615-459-3047 or allieboo2@comcast.net with name, parish, and # attending by Jan. 21. Cash or food donations are being collected for the Mayfield, KY tornado victims.

Father Ryan High School – Check out Irish Connect! Free online networking site for alumni to promote their business, post job information, get career advice, and connect with other professionals. Visit fatherryan.org/irishconnect to join.



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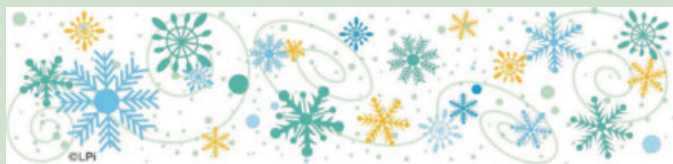
WORD *on* FAITH

Shortly after being baptized in the River Jordan, Jesus returns to his hometown. In the company of others in the synagogue, he reads a portion of Scripture, then offers a brief reflection in response to the passage from Isaiah, asserting that he is to fulfill this Scripture.

Catholics for generations have followed Jesus' example by gathering to read, reflect and respond to Scriptural passages through the practice of *lectio divina*. Along with these three movements in *lectio divina*, they would also rest in silence, consenting to God's presence in their lives, allowing that time in prayer to shape how they lived their lives. I see the same four movements in our celebration of Eucharist. First we come together to listen to **readings** from Scripture, then we hear a **reflection** on those Scriptural passages. We **respond** by coming forward to receive and be named 'the Body of Christ.' Then we **rest** in silence before going out to live into what we have taken in, to manifest the identity we have been given, in our everyday lives.

Today's Gospel offers us a description of listening to the word of God in order to become the word of God we are intended to be. To practice *lectio divina* is to listen for God in Scripture and in our lives - and to respond to what we hear, to the identity we are given, throughout life.

written by Carolyn Goddard



ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is available to parishioners whose health has changed or who anticipate surgery in the near future. Through this special anointing, the sick person receives the Holy Spirit's gifts of strength, faith, peace, and courage. Call Kathy in the parish office or Margaret at 615-777-8918 to arrange an appointment with Fr. Dexter or Fr. Phan.

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PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

CREDO - YOUNG ADULTS - credo@ctk.org
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Jim Blackstock, info@ctk.org
PRAYER CHAIN - Call 615-777-8918 / prayerchain@ctk.org
ROOM IN THE INN - ctkroomintheinn@gmail.com
SCOUTING - Boy Scouts (John Green 615-500-8528);
Girl Scouts (615-383-0490)
WOMEN'S COUNCIL - Pat Lavorini & Genie Herron
Gathers 3rd Tue of each month, 10 am and 6:30 pm

*For a complete list of parish organizations,
the parish event calendar and more,
please visit our web site, ctk.org.*



Do you have our parish app?

You can download the
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through your device's app store.

The Collect

(for next weekend)

Prayer that Concludes the Introductory Rite

Grant us, Lord our God,
that we may honor you
with all our mind,
and love everyone
in truth of heart.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ,
your Son, who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.

UPDATE YOUR PARISH INFORMATION

We have many phone numbers and email addresses in our system that are outdated. Landlines have been eliminated, and names have been changed. If joined before 2020, please go to ctk.org/join-our-parish and click on "Update Existing Family Information."



VBS 2022 - July 18-22

Want to volunteer prior to VBS week?
Go to ctk.org/vacation-bible-school to join our team and be part of a VBS Committee, helping us prepare for the week.

Interested in spending the week with us?
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