



CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH

A Charismatic Personal Parish of the Diocese of Lansing

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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 14, 2021

**I turn to You, Lord, in time of trouble, and
You fill me with the joy of salvation.**

Psalm 32



We exist to joyfully worship God and raise up Spirit-filled disciples.

Mass and Confession at Christ the King

Sunday Masses

Saturday, Feb. 13, 4:30pm*

Nancy Timmis

Sunday, Feb. 14, 9am*

(livestream)

JPII Healing Center

Sunday, Feb. 14, 11am

The People of Christ the King

Communion Distribution: 12:15-12:45pm

Saturday, Feb. 20, 4:30pm*

Laurie Manhardt

Sunday, Feb. 21, 9am*

(livestream)

Betty Crowther Hufnagel, Rest in Peace

Sunday, Feb. 21, 11am

The People of Christ the King

Communion Distribution: 12:15-12:45pm

* The 4:30 Mass is vocal music-free.

Your attendance at this Mass constitutes your agreement to be included in the livestream.

Daily Masses

Monday, Feb. 15, 6:45am

John Burke McKeone, Rest in Peace

Tuesday, Feb. 16, 12 noon

Betty Crowther Hufnagel, Rest in Peace

Communion Distribution: 12:30-12:45pm

Ash Wednesday, Feb 17

6:45am Dcn. Ralph VonRuden,

Rest in Peace

10am (livestream)* Fr. Ed's intention

12 noon The People of Christ the King

7pm Cathleen Mars, Rest in Peace

Thursday, Feb. 18, 12 noon

CTK seminarians

Communion Distribution: 12:30-12:45pm

Friday, Feb. 19, 5:30pm

Military personnel

No Saturday morning Mass

Confessions

Confessions are in the St. John Paul the Great Room

Friday: 5-5:30pm

Saturday: 9:40-11am & 4-4:30pm

Sunday: 8:30-9am & 10:30-11am

Masses are limited to 300 people. Face masks and social distancing are required. **Sign-up in advance is required for the 11am Sunday Mass and for all Ash Wednesday Masses except 6:45am.**

This information may change as circumstances warrant.

Please check our website, ctkcc.net, for the latest information.

O Come, Let Us Adore Him!



Eucharistic Adoration is seven days a week from 9am to 9pm in the Bishop Povish Room in the Church. Social distancing and face masks are required. For details, go to ctkcc.net and search for "Adoration." Please consider committing to an open Adoration time slot listed below. **Times listed in bold red are urgent needs.** To learn more, contact Greg Stout (grstout@comcast.net or 734-645-4060).

Mon: 11am, 3pm, 5pm, 6pm **Tue:** 1pm

Wed: 1pm, 4pm

Thu: 3pm, 5pm

Fri: 10am, 11am, 4pm

Sat: 2pm, 3pm, 6pm, 7pm, **8pm, 8pm**

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS



Into the Breach

An online men's group examining true masculinity in Christ

Hosted by Kevin Hufnagel
Seminarian for the Diocese of Lansing

**Six Monday evenings, Feb. 15 to Mar. 22
7:00 to 8:00pm**

Topics include:

- What does it mean to be a *Christian man* (dealing with the crisis in masculinity today)?
- How does a Catholic man *love*?
- Why is fatherhood, fully understood, so crucial for *every* man?

**To learn more and register, go to
www.ctkcc.net/intothebreach**

"And I sought for a man among them who should build up the wall and stand in the breach before me for the land..." (Ezekiel 22:30)



Mass Schedule

6:45am, 10am (livestream)

12 noon, 7pm

Advance sign-up will be required for all Masses except 6:45am. Please go to ctkcc.net/mass-times to sign up.

There will be a collection at the Ash Wednesday Masses for the Catholic Community in Flint. Please make checks out to "Christ the King" and write "Flint" in the memo line. If donating through Online Giving, please select the "Flint Sister Parish" fund.

Guidelines for Lenten Fasting and Abstinence

Fasting and Abstinence are to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Abstinence is to be observed on the Fridays of Lent.

Fasting: The law of fasting requires Latin Rite Catholics from the 18th birthday to the 59th birthday (i.e., have not yet reached their 60th year) to reduce the amount of food eaten from normal. The Church defines this as one meal a day and two smaller meals which, if added together, would not exceed the main meal in quantity.

Fasting is obligatory on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Abstinence: All persons who have completed their 14th year are bound by the law of abstinence. **Abstinence is obligatory on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and the Fridays of Lent.**

Those who are excused from fast and abstinence, besides those outside the age limits, include the sick or those with some other medical reason, the frail, and pregnant or nursing women.



*May the souls of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

Ludrick Labbe, father of Damian Labbe

Marie Lalli, sister of Bob Skrobola

Diane Wojtasinski, mother of Nate Wojtasinski



Want to have your home blessed?

Dcn. Larry and Dcn. Pete are available to come to your home to bless it. To schedule a time, please contact Dcn. Larry (dcnlarry@ctkcc.net) or Dcn. Pete (dcnpete@ctkcc.net).

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"I turn to You, Lord, in time of trouble, and You fill me with the joy of salvation."



The Church gives us a very interesting set of readings for this last Sunday of Ordinary Time before we begin the season of Lent. The focus is on the Lord's ability to heal, to heal what was one of the most difficult diseases that could afflict the peoples of the ancient Near East: leprosy. The diagnosis of leprosy was a death sentence, but it was not an easy

death. It took some time for the ravages of the disease to prove fatal. In the meantime, the leper was cut off from most human society and deprived of the comforts and care that are ordinarily given to the sick. It was truly a hopelessness-inducing condition.

When the leper approaches the Lord Jesus, he is very much aware of his stigma and the typically negative, even violently negative, reaction of people to him. He doesn't even just ask the Lord for healing; he couches his request in terms that speak to his own hopelessness: "If you want to..." The Lord Jesus responds with the affirmation that is demonstrated thousands of times during His earthly ministry, that He delights in healing the sick, in casting out evil, in doing what He can to meet the needs of the People that He loves: "I do will it." St. Mark reminds us of what His Sacred Heart is like, as he articulates the reason behind the Lord's willingness to heal: "moved with pity." This is what His Heart is like towards us. The King of Kings and Lord of Lords, Whom myriads of angels worship and adore, has a Heart that is constantly filled with mercy, compassion, and love for us!

The leper comes to the Lord Jesus as truly a last resort. In the primitive medicine of the time, there is no cure, there is only the requirement of isolation and the inevitable prospect of a lingering and painful death. Today, Hansen's bacillus is easily and immediately treatable; not so then. Today, we know that the disease cannot be spread by touch. During the time of the Lord Jesus, that was unknown, and one of the first things that the leper was

deprived of was the touch of another human person. That's why Jesus' approach to healing him is so extraordinary. The Lord Jesus did not need to touch him to heal him. Plenty of healings happen without a touch, some even at a great distance. But the Lord, wanting to maximize the leper's experience of His love, gives him an additional gift that he has been deprived of for so long, the blessing of a human touch. The King is motivated by His great love for us, by His mercy and His compassion. It is good for us to remember that when things are difficult: we have a Savior Who loves to save and is not shy about doing so!

During these strange days, these "days of trouble," it is good for us to remind ourselves and each other of the hopeful message of our Psalm response for this Sunday: "I turn to You, Lord, in time of trouble, and You fill me with the joy of salvation." This is what we should expect when we turn to Him, which is why we must persevere in that approach, continuing to come to Him as we recognize just how deeply we need more of Him in our lives and how desperately we need His touch, even as the leper longed for it.

As He heals and restores us, He then empowers us to go and also be the source of healing, reconciliation, and even joy in the lives of those He sends to us. We always have the option of being a sign of joy or a sign of sadness, a sign of hope or a sign of despair, a sign of healing or a sign of injury, a sign of faith or a sign of doubt, and, most critically, a sign of love or a sign of rejection. Which do we choose to be? If we choose joy, hope, healing, faith, and love, we do so with the recognition that all of these are beyond our power, especially during times of great challenge. We recognize that none of that can happen without more of Him and the power of the Holy Spirit in our lives. "We cannot give what we do not have," but we know where to get it. Even so, come, Lord Jesus, come! — Fr. Ed Fride



Winter Alpha starts this week!

Join us this Lent for Alpha! Sessions will be held on:

- **Tuesdays, 7-8:30pm (online) starting Feb. 16**
- **Wednesdays, 6:30-8:30pm (in-person) starting Feb. 17**
- **Thursdays, 6:30-8:30pm (in-person) starting Feb. 18**

To learn more and to sign up, visit us at www.ctkcc.net/explore-alpha. Can't wait to see you there!

Love. Laugh. Listen. Belong @CTK #tryalpha

Join us at Christ the King on Monday, Feb. 22, for Witnesses to Hope with the Servants of God's Love

Starts at 7pm with a testimony by Sr. Lisa Zelfa, continues until 8:30pm with Adoration and contemplative music

Women of all ages welcome!



"I plead with you--never, ever give up on hope, never doubt, never tire, and never become discouraged. Be not afraid."
Pope Saint John Paul II



ARE YOU EXPERIENCING PANDEMIC FATIGUE?



Are you feeling exhausted from all the disruptions to life brought on by the pandemic? Are you or someone you know struggling with challenges like...

- ◆ Isolation and loneliness
- ◆ Anxiety over health
- ◆ Grief due to many different kinds of losses
- ◆ Tension from juggling work, childcare, and schooling
- ◆ Financial strain or job loss
- ◆ Uncertainty about the future
- ◆ Other unexpected life challenges

If so, you don't have to face it alone. Our Stephen Ministers are ready to listen, care, encourage, and provide emotional and spiritual support.

A Stephen Minister will meet with you privately—by phone, by video chat, or, if safely possible, in person—to offer care and support. It's free and completely confidential.

To learn more, contact Ann Fons at 734-224-8505. She can tell you more about our Stephen Ministry and how you can be matched with a Stephen Minister.

Stephen Ministry at CTK
"Christ Caring for People through People"

Upcoming Parish Prayer Meetings

Upper Room Praise & Worship

2nd & 4th Fridays, 7:30-9pm, Worship Space. Available both on-site and online! To learn more, go to ctkcc.net/upper-room-live.

A1:8 High School Praise & Worship

See the box below for more information.

Fuel Middle School Praise & Worship

See the box below for more information.

Women's Prayer Meetings

Meeting monthly on Zoom. Contact Dorothy Spencer (734-434-3097 or areyouwelsh@earthlink.net) for details.

Burning Bush Intercessory Prayer Meetings

Meeting Wednesdays, 10-11:30am, Parish Center Room 2

Contact Mary Russello (marsello48@gmail.com) for details.

Upcoming Community Prayer Meetings

Check their websites for the latest information

The Word of God Prayer meetings via Zoom until further notice.

For more information, go to www.thewordofgodcommunity.org.

Word of Life Prayer meetings livestreamed via their YouTube channel. For more information, go to www.wordoflifecommunity.org.



Tuesday, Feb. 16—Biweekly Small Groups & Adoration!

Don't have a small group? Contact John to learn how to plug in!

Following small groups will be a time of Adoration and a talk.

Biweekly TNT nights!

Biweekly Teaching and Transformation nights offer powerful teachings followed by discussion groups to get to the heart of difficult issues. Recommended especially for 11th & 12th graders. Next TNT will be Tuesday, Feb. 23.

Spring Retreat Date Change! New date: March 19-21

Due to a conflict between the retreat and a basketball tournament impacting our community, we are moving the retreat dates back to allow the maximum number of teens to attend.

If you registered for March 5-7, you will get an email with instructions on how to transfer your registration to the new date. If you registered for the retreat that got cancelled last fall, please confirm your reservation for the Spring Retreat by **Tuesday, Feb. 23**.

If you haven't yet registered or have questions, email John Hoving (jhoving@ctkcc.net).

Next Fuel Meeting: Sunday, Feb. 14!



Our next Fuel meeting is this Sunday, Feb. 14. Fuel starts with 7pm check-in outside the front doors of the Church, then directly into small groups. 7:45-8:30pm in the Church for a talk and Adoration.

Please wash your hands before coming, observe social distancing, and wear a mask indoors. Please keep home any child experiencing COVID symptoms or exposed to someone who may have had COVID in the last two weeks. Questions? Email John (jhoving@ctkcc.net).



33-Day Preparation for Consecration to St. Joseph begins Feb. 15

Pope Francis has declared this the Year of St. Joseph. You are invited to join brothers and sisters at Christ the King after the 5:30pm Mass on the Solemnity of St. Joseph, Friday, March 19, in making a Consecration to St. Joseph.

To prepare, many people will be using the book *Consecration to St. Joseph* by Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC. This book follows a 33-day preparation period; to make the consecration on March 19, you begin this Monday, Feb. 15.

Consecration to St. Joseph is available at Our Lady of Grace Bookstore in Domino's Farms and through the Marians of the Immaculate Conception in print, audio, and e-book form. Also, for a limited time, the Marians are making the print copy of the book available for just a donation plus shipping fee. To take advantage of the "book for donation" offer, go to stjosephnow.org/book-for-donation.

Even if you don't get the book, though, please join us on March 19th. In this time of unprecedented challenges, we need the prayers and protection of the one chosen by God the Father to protect Jesus and Mary!

To learn more, go to www.consecrationtostjoseph.org.



Next Upper Room: Friday, Feb. 26

"I will bless the Lord at ALL times!" Come as we gather to praise the Lord at Upper Room! You can join us in-person under the usual COVID precautions (face mask, social distancing, etc.) or on our YouTube channel by going to our website, ctkcc.net.

Join people from around the country who are coming together to worship the Lord at Upper Room LIVE online! We're back to our regular schedule of the second and fourth Fridays of the month, 7:30-9:00 pm.

To access past Upper Room LIVE events and subscribe to be notified about future events, go to our YouTube channel. To stay up-to-date on the latest with Upper Room, sign up for our Facebook group at www.facebook.com/groups/thewave921.

Attention, Women of the Parish!



Next Women's Prayer Meeting via Zoom: Thursday, Feb. 25 7:30-9pm

We are about to begin the Lenten season. Consider sharing your struggles and joys with your sisters in Christ at the Monthly Women's Prayer Meeting. We are meeting via Zoom on Thursday, Feb. 25, 7:30-9:00pm. We are a VERY mom-friendly, laid-back group. There is no monthly commitment and you may join us even if you won't be able to logon until after 8pm.

If you would like to join us, please either call or email Dorothy Spencer to get the Zoom link. Contact Dorothy at 734-434-3097 or areyouwelsh@earthlink.net.

BUSINESS NEWS

Thank You for Your Support Sunday Collections

February (1 of 4 weeks)	
Budgeted Amount	\$24,000
Amount Received	29,434
Receipts vs. Budget	\$5,434

Fiscal Year to Date (July 1-Feb. 7, 2021)	
Budgeted Amount	\$956,000
Amount Received (through 2/7/2021)	952,256
Receipts vs. Budget	(\$3,744)

Thank you for your stewardship and involvement in your parish family.



Altar Servers needed!

We would like to have an Adult Altar Server to assist at each weekend and holy day Mass. There are many Masses, though, at which we do not have an Adult Server. If you are a trained Adult Server willing to serve, or a confirmed male parishioner willing to be trained to serve, please contact Peter Vanicelli (734-929-0984 or pvanicelli@ctkcc.net).

Also, Bishop Boyea recently approved the use of Youth Servers on a limited basis. At this time, Youth Servers at Christ the King will only carry the Processional Cross at the beginning and end of Mass. If your son is a trained Youth Server and you and he are willing for him to serve in this way, please contact Peter.

Special collection for our sister parish in Flint!

On Ash Wednesday, a special collection will be taken to support the work of Sr. Christina Frey, SGL, in our sister parish, the Catholic Community of Flint. Generous donors have offered to match donations dollar-for-dollar up to \$20,000.

Donations will be accepted through Online Giving (select the "Flint Sister Parish" fund), at the front office, or in the collection baskets after Mass on Feb. 14th and 21st. Please make checks out to "Christ the King" and write "Flint" in the memo line.



PRO-LIFE NEWS AND EVENTS



40 DAYS FOR LIFE

February 17 - March 28

Kickoff Rally and Jericho March!
THIS Sunday, Feb. 14, 2pm
Outside Planned Parenthood,
3100 Professional Drive, Ann Arbor

The keynote speaker will be Fr. Mathias Thelen from St Patrick Catholic Church in Brighton, along with Pastor Mike Frison from Knox Presbyterian Church in Ann Arbor. The Kickoff Rally will be immediately followed by Lap 1 of our Seven Sunday Interfaith Jericho March. Participate in-person or virtually each Sunday at 2pm.

Prayer Vigil outside Planned Parenthood
7am-7pm, Ash Wednesday to Palm Sunday.

To learn more, contact Sandie (734-657-1936 or plan2pray@gmail.com) or go to 40daysforlife.com/annarbor.

LOCAL AND AREA NEWS AND EVENTS

Talks on St. Joseph



• **Every 3rd Sunday of the Month**

• **TIME** •
6 PM

• **PLACE** •
Pious Union of St. Joseph
953. E Michigan Ave, Grass Lake, MI
517-522-8017

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If you have been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church please believe in the possibility for hope and help and healing. We encourage you to come forward and speak out. Every diocese in the United States now has a victim assistance coordinator who is available to obtain support for your needs, to help make a formal complaint of abuse to the diocese and to arrange a personal meeting

with the bishop or his representative, if you desire. The victim assistance coordinator for the Diocese of Lansing is Cheryl Williams-Hecksel (888-308-6252 or cwilliamshecksel@dioceseoflansing.org).

In addition, you may also report through the law enforcement toll-free reporting hotline at 844-324-3374 (Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm, or aginvestigations@michigan.gov).

Men-on-Fire
Thursday February 18th

This month's Speaker is:
PETER HERBECK



Giving a talk titled:
**"Living with Hope
 And Purpose"**

Peter is the Vice President
 and Director of Missions for
Renewal Ministries.

Peter is host of the daily radio program "Fire on the Earth," and co-host of the weekly television programs "The Choices We Face" and "Crossing the Goal." He is also the author of *When the Spirit Comes in Power* and *When the Spirit Speaks*. Peter has been actively involved in Evangelization and Renewal in the US, Canada, Africa and Europe for over 30 years, and is one of the most dynamic, engaging and inspiring speakers in the Church today.

@ Holy Spirit Church, [9565 Musch Rd. Brighton 48116](http://9565MuschRd.com)

Prayer 5:45pm * Mass 6:15pm * Speaker 7:00pm
 Refreshments & Fellowship: 8:00pm

All men welcome. Free-will offering

For more information contact Rory Clark: RkeLaw@msn.com

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Every Friday
February 19—March 26
4:30 - 7pm or until sold out

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 **Drive Thru/Take Out Lenten Fish Fry!**
3:30-7pm, every Friday thru March 26
 St. Mary Catholic Church
 108 Madison St., Manchester

10 oz. of beer-battered deep fried (not baked) Pacific Cod, tartar sauce, lots of French fries, coleslaw, dinner roll, and a homemade cookie.
 Cost: \$12. DIRECTIONS: Follow the signs to the back of St. Mary Parish Center where you will pay for your dinners.

IMPORTANT: Do not enter the drive-thru line via Clinton Street. Please travel west on Main Street, turn right at Macomb Street (north), and then turn right again (east) on Madison Street. You will pay in the back of the building, leave by the west driveway, and pick up your dinners at the front of the Parish Center, just before exiting the driveway.

 **Help stock our pharmacy!**

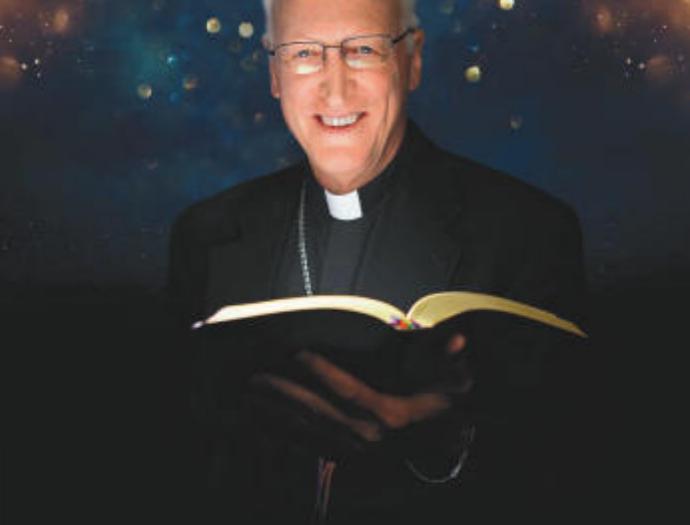
HOPE CLINIC

One of the most impactful programs we have at Hope Clinic is our pharmacy. Your support puts life-changing medication into the hands of patients in need.

The pharmacy is always interested in unopened and unexpired medication donations. Please consider donating the following items, which are always needed:

- ◆ Losartan Potassium 50 mg
- ◆ Insulin NPH (Isophane) 70/30

If you have any questions about what medications we can or cannot take, please call 734-481-0111 Extension 108.



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LOCAL AND AREA NEWS & EVENTS (CONTINUED)



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February 18-20

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THE PROPHETIC WORDS SPOKEN OVER YOU."
(1 TIM 1:18)

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In-person and virtual options are available
Registration closes Monday, Feb. 15, at 11:59pm
To learn more and register, visit
encounterministries.us

Next Detroit-area program starts March 5!

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CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

2021 Familiaris Consortio Conference

**Strangers in a Strange Land:
Catholics in Contemporary American Culture**
Saturday, March 6, 8:30am-12 noon



Keynote Speaker:
Former US Congressman Dan Lipinski

"Catholic First: How Catholics Can Help Heal America's Tribal Divisions"

Concerns about deep polarization and tribalism in America abound, but solutions are elusive. Former U.S. Congressman Dan Lipinski (D, Illinois) explains how Catholics, who don't fit comfortably in either major party, can help heal the nation if they have the courage to be "Catholic first." Lipinski will discuss the difficulties he faced during his 16 years in Congress as a Democrat working to protect the unborn, defend religious liberty, and support Catholic schools until these positions led to his defeat in the 2020 party primary. Other speakers include Ralph Martin, President, Renewal Ministries, and Al Kresta, President and CEO, Ave Maria Radio.

This event is free and open to an in-person audience, but registration is required. Live-stream will also be available. Co-sponsored by Father Gabriel Richard High School, Ave Maria Radio, and Emmaus Health.

To learn more and register, visit fgrhs.org.



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Need a carpenter? I have forty years experience. I specialize in siding, gutter installation and roofing. I also assemble shed-kits and play sets. My prices are attractively lower than the competition. For further information please call me (Ed Miller) at 734-217-7359 or you can also call Joe Campbell if you have any questions at 734-485-2480.

Help wanted St. Mary Student Parish, a Diocesan parish staffed by priests of the Society of Jesus (Jesuits), is accepting applications for a Maintenance Supervisor/Technician. This full-time, salaried position is responsible for maintenance, upkeep, use and safety of the property, buildings and equipment of St Mary Student Parish. For more information, visit stmarystudentparish.org/about/employment-opportunities.

Home Services Tech needed Catholic Social Services of Washtenaw County (CSSW) is seeking a part-time Home Services Tech. Position provides in-home chore and minor repair services to seniors in need, including repairs, weatherization, and minor plumbing and electrical services to maintain functionality, increase accessibility, prevent deterioration, and improve safety inside and outside of clients' homes. Visit csswashtenaw.org/careers or email lmullins@csswashtenaw.org.

Sales Account Manager position available Legatus, a membership organization for Catholic CEOs, is seeking a full-time Advertising Sales Account Manager who can assist the organization with developing and nurturing existing and potential advertisers and sponsors in the Catholic community. Candidate must have 2-5 years of sales experience and live near or be willing to relocate to Ann Arbor, MI. For more information, visit www.legatus.org/join-our-team.



KofC Contact For any questions or comments about our KofC or to find out how to join, contact Grand Knight Mark Tepen (734-678-2402 or gk.kofc.13360@hotmail.com). For information about the KofC-sponsored Squires program for adolescent young men, contact Larry Gjernes (734-461-1326 or lgjernes@hughes.net). Go to our Council website, www.13360.councilnet.us, for more information.

February Council Meeting Our monthly business meeting will be this Tuesday, Feb.16, the third Tuesday of the month. It will be a Zoom meeting, with online participation from everyone attending. Knights should look in their email for an all-Knights message from our Worthy Grand Knight, Mark Tepen; it will give you the link to click on to enter the meeting.

St. Valentine's Day The Knights of CTK Council 13360 pray the Lord's Blessing be upon every married couple in our Parish on this Sunday, the feast of a bishop who actively worked to bless Christian married couples.



Fr. Ed Fride Circle
#5514

For information about the KofC-sponsored Squires program for adolescent young men, contact Larry Gjernes (734-461-1326 or lgjernes@hughes.net).

REMEMBER IN PRAYER



We highlight the 1st Anniversary, then anniversaries at the 25th, 30th, etc., year.

Wedding Anniversaries

With joy and thanksgiving, please pray for these couples celebrating their anniversaries:

Michael & Janet LaFave—35th Anniversary

John & Ann Murray
Larry & Dorothy Babcock

Andrew & Danielle Phelps
Ghazwan & Samantha Toma

Please pray for these men discerning priesthood & their families:

James Bonar
Br. Thomas Aquinas Maria (Seth)
Borders, OSB
Josh Fons
Br. Chrysostom (Joseph) Gryniwicz,
OSB
Kevin Hufnagel

Jack Jobst
Daniel LaCroix
Peter Randolph
Christian Salata
Dominic Schoenle
Michael Sternhagen, LC
Bobby Tull



Mothers of Priests and/or Seminarians

You are invited to join us in a virtual Rosary to pray with other mothers for our sons. We meet the 3rd Friday of each month, 9:30-11:30am. We begin with fellowship, support, and prayer intentions, with the Rosary starting around 10:45am. To be put on the invitation list, contact Brigid at bak.aa47@gmail.com or 734-474-3209 (cell for texts).

Please pray for these women in formation and discerning vocations to the religious life and for their families:

Sr. Danielle Victoria Lussier, FSP
Sr. Amaris (Katherine) Salata, FSE

Sr. Lisa Zelfa, SGL

Please keep in your prayers the Diocese of Lansing men and women discerning vocations, including:

Brian Armbrustmacher, Diocese of Lansing Seminarian
Home Parish: Most Holy Trinity, Fowler



Heavenly Father, we give You thanks and praise for Your Son, Jesus Christ. Send Your Holy Spirit to inspire holy, faithful men to minister as priests. Lord, we pray for Your grace to encourage and support our seminarians as they endeavor to become priests. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Sisters of St. Francis of Perpetual Adoration
Sr. Mary Augustine Warrell



Heavenly Father, we give You thanks and praise for Your Son, Jesus Christ. Send Your Holy Spirit to inspire holy, faithful women to become Brides of Christ and serve Your people. Lord, we pray that Your grace and love be enough for this woman in discernment of consecrated life. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please pray for the men and women in military service.

Due to a potential threat to families of those in military service resulting from the members' names being publicized through the Internet, we no longer publish the names of men and women in military service. We encourage you to continue to pray for them and to remember all our troops in a special way on Fridays by praying a Rosary for those serving in the military.



Christ the King Vocations Committee

For more information on vocations, please contact:

Diocesan Priesthood and Men Religious Fr. Ed Fride
Permanent Diaconate Dcn. Dan Foley
Women Religious Sr. Rachel Benjamin, SGL
Christian Marriage Dcn. Lou Russello
Lay Ecclesial Ministry David Mangan

First Saturday Prayer for Vocations, Evangelization, and in Reparation for Blasphemies against Our Lady's Immaculate Heart: *prayed online due to the pandemic.* To learn more, contact Brigid Kowalczyk (bak.aa47@gmail.com).

Prayer for Healing and Other Needs: Third Sundays after Mass; second Fridays at Upper Room Praise & Worship—*temporarily suspended due to the pandemic*

Baptisms: Baptismal Catechesis is a Diocesan requirement (you only have to attend the class once). Next class: Monday, May 3, 7:30pm. *You don't need to wait to have your baby before attending the class.* Baptisms normally occur on the second Sunday of the month. **To schedule your child's Baptism and/or to register for Baptismal catechesis, please contact Sharon Messiter (smessiter@ctkcc.net or 734-929-0975).** If attending the catechesis, please read the section on Baptism in the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Couples planning on getting married through Christ the King must contact Dcn. Lou at dcnlou@ctkcc.net for an appointment. Please note that the wedding date cannot be set until that initial meeting and must take into account a one-year period of preparation. Due to the fact that we are a personal parish, we are allowed to offer the Sacrament of Matrimony only to our registered parishioners (that is, the bride, groom, or one of the parents must be a registered parishioner). Thank you for your understanding. Questions? Please contact Dcn. Lou.

Confessions: Please see page 2 of the bulletin.

Bulletin Announcements, Pulpit Announcements, Brochures, and Fliers: All of the above must be submitted to the Parish Office in writing no later than **noon on Monday** in order to be published that weekend. **There are early deadlines before holidays and occasionally for other reasons, so please plan accordingly.**

- **Bulletin announcements** go to bulletin@ctkcc.net or a copy of the announcement may be faxed to 734-663-3735, dropped off, or sent by US Mail. Submissions are prioritized based on specific criteria and space available. Submission alone does not guarantee it will be printed.
- **Pulpit announcements, brochures, fliers, and special requests** should be submitted by noon on Monday to **Doug Helderop (dhelderop@ctkcc.net or 734-929-0973)**. To announce a specific event, the event must be taking place during the weekend of the announcement. To announce registration for an upcoming event, a representative of the group requesting the announcement must be available on the day of the announcement in the St. John Paul the Great Room. Anything not meeting those criteria should be submitted to the bulletin editor for consideration. *No brochures or fliers will be posted or distributed without approval by Fr. Ed. No exceptions!* This includes campaign information, petitions, and voters guides.

Prayers of the Faithful: In the event of the death of a loved one, we want to pray for the deceased at Sunday Masses and announce the death in the bulletin. The normal way to inform the parish is to contact **Communications Coordinator Theresa Hofer (thofer@ctkcc.net)**. When a death occurs at a time when normal communication channels will not allow the parish office to process the information in a timely way (e.g., after business hours on Friday) and you would like the deceased included in the Prayers of the Faithful that weekend, please let Fr. Ed or a deacon know in person before the weekend Mass you are attending.

Liturgical/Sacramental Events: Requests for special activities during the Liturgy, e.g. First Communions, special prayers, renewal of wedding vows, must be submitted for approval to Peter Vanicelli (pvanicelli@ctkcc.net or 734-929-0984), no later than noon on Monday before the weekend.

Scheduling: Please email all scheduling requests to **Sharon** at scheduling@ctkcc.net. She will send you the room request forms.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick/Communion for the Homebound:

Please contact Fr. Ed to arrange a time for the anointing or ask to receive the Sacrament after Mass. To arrange for Communion to be brought to a homebound parishioner, please contact the front office.

House blessings: Please contact Dcn. Larry (dcnlarry@ctkcc.net) or Dcn. Pete (dcnpete@ctkcc.net) to arrange for a time to have your home or apartment blessed.

Parish Nurse Ministry provides educational information, resources, etc. *Note: This ministry does not provide medical diagnosis, treatment, or hands-on nursing care.* Contact Betty Diefenbach (734-272-6918 or popcombetty2@gmail.com).

Helping Hands Ministry provides volunteers who offer practical assistance in getting daily needs met. To request help, volunteer, or get more information, please contact Betty (popcombetty2@gmail.com).

Mass Intentions: To arrange for a Mass to be said for a particular intention, please call 734-665-5040 and press 0 to speak with someone at the front desk.

Prayer requests: To submit requests to our prayer chain, email prayer@ctkcc.net.

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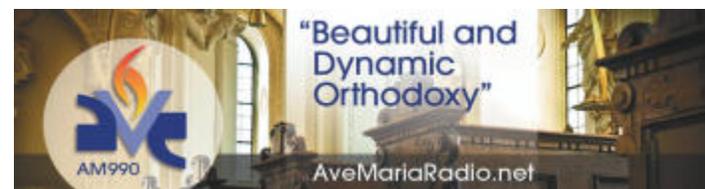
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