

# 4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus rebuked him and said, "Quiet! Come out of him!"  
The unclean spirit convulsed him and with a loud cry came out of him.

MR 1:25-26

JANUARY 28, 2024

## Christ the King Parish



### *Christ the King Church*

123 Good Street · Houtzdale, PA 16651

### *Immaculate Conception Mission Church*

408 Stone Street · Osceola Mills, PA 16666

### Clergy

Rev. Johnathan Schmolt, Pastor  
Deacon Eugene J. Miller, Deacon Assistant  
Rev. Joseph Staszewski, Retired

### Office Hours at Christ the King

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday..... 9am until 3pm

Christ the King Phone ..... 814-378-7653

Immaculate Conception Phone ..... 814-339-7321

Office email ..... office@ctk-ic.org

### Marriages

Arrangements begin 4 to 6 months prior to anticipated date.

### Baptisms

Call rectory for appointment.

### Mass Schedule

**Sunday:** 8:30am (IC), 10am (CTK)

**Saturday:** Mass 4pm; Confession 3-3:30pm (CTK)

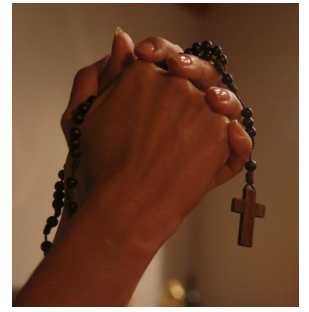
**Weekdays:** Monday 8:30am (IC); Tuesday-Friday 8:30am (CTK)



In order to stay up-to-date on everything happening at Christ the King Parish, visit our website at <http://ctk-ic.org> or follow us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/ctkic>.

## Prayer Chain

Christ the King & Immaculate Conception would like to use the power of prayer to help all those in need. If you or a loved one is in need of prayer, please contact the rectory. Names will remain on the list for three months, at which time they will be removed to allow space for more names. If someone is still in need of prayer, call to renew that name. Please pray for: *Joann Bezilla, Clara Tubo, Lane Hawkins, Chris Tekely, Sherri (Murawski) Gehringer, Bill Collins, Jr., David Collins, Charles Lockett, Sr., John Mahute, Zoey Bryan, Carmen Yarger, Judi Lesko, Roger Witherow, Jamie Washell, Lucy Weis, Mick Patkalitsky, Luke Francisco, Sherri Thompson, Cecilia Demchak, Better Health of Anonymous, Jared Gmerek, Lori McCracken, Christine Dorman*



## Marriage Moments

“Give great care to the preparation of engaged couples and be close to the young married couples, so that they will be...an eloquent testimony of God’s love.” (Pope John Paul II, 2001) Pray today for volunteers who guide couples through marriage programs.

## Open/Close Times for Churches

**Immaculate Conception, Osceola Mills**

**Sunday-Friday** • 8am until noon

**Christ the King, Houtzdale**

**Monday-Friday** • 7:30am until 2:30pm

**Saturday & Sunday** • 7:30am until end of Mass

## In Memoriam

We remember Lord, those who have died before us marked with the sign of the cross, especially **Wanda Jedrzewski**, sister of Janet Hauth and Raymond Malicki. May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace.

## Weekly Schedule

**Sunday, January 28**

**11am** • Religious Ed. Classes (until 12:15pm)

**Thursday, February 1**

**2pm** • Altar Rosary Society Meeting (IC basement)

**Friday, February 2**

**9am** • Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (CTK; until 10am)

## Mass Intentions

**Monday, January 29**

**8:30am** • Donna Stensguard by Kathy Scalzo (IC)

**Tuesday, January 30**

**8:30am** • Ray Buynak by Russ & Barb Morroni (CTK)

**Wednesday, January 31**

**8:30am** • Helena Quinn by Tony Kost (CTK)

**Thursday, February 1**

**8:30am** • George Rosenberg by John & Susan Ponist (CTK)

**Friday, February 2**

**8:30am** • Holy Souls (CTK)

**Saturday, February 3**

**4pm** • Catherine Jordan by Ali Jacoby (CTK)

**Sunday, February 4**

**8:30am** • People of the Parish by Pastor (IC)

**10am** • David Root by Cheryl Hensal (CTK)

## Flowers

Flowers at Christ the King altar this week are in memory of John Priselac, Jr. by mom.

## Sanctuary Lamp

If you would like to have the Sanctuary Lamp in Christ the King Church burn in memory of or in honor of someone, please contact the rectory.



## Parenting Pointers

Have a *Book Night*. Everyone chooses their favorite book. If it's a short children's book, read it together. If it's a longer or adult book, tell the family why it's your favorite. Perhaps read a paragraph you particularly like, or just read quietly together.

# Christ the King Parish Building and Grounds Committee

## Meeting Minutes

*Meeting held Sunday, January 14, 2024*

**Present:** Jerry Dufour, Jack Archer, Jim Leskovansky, Father Johnathan, and Jenny Leskovansky. **Absent:** Tony Miller, Bud Greslick, and Jim Rice.

### Old Business

- **CTK Kitchen Drains:** Father reported Jim Merrick cleaned grease traps in Parish Center kitchen drains.
- **CTK Parish Center Kitchen Steamers:** No report at this meeting.
- **CTK Parish Center Garbage Disposal:** No report at this meeting.
- **CTK Facility Project List:** List reviewed and it was noted majority of items that remain are on list for facility assessment that was recommended to be done by Weber, Murphy, Fox.
- **IC Church Roof and Choir Loft Leak:** Father reported these fixes were completed.

### New Business

- **CTK Parish Center, Church and Rectory Electrical Projects:** Father presented quotes from electrical vendor that assessed needs of CTK facilities, the quote listed as 3 separate tasks. Task 1, Father has already approved, and it is being completed, this task includes lighting and electrical issues within the rectory, outside lighting issues and service of generator. Task 2 which includes updating light fixtures in Parish Center to LED and Task 3 includes replacing emergency lighting in Parish Center and church, a motion was made by Jack with a second by Jerry to recommend Tasks 2 & 3 to Finance Committee, vote taken, motion passed without opposition.
- **CTK Parish Center Floor Waxing:** Father reported he has been in contact with SCI Houtzdale and is working on having floored stripped and waxed as an SCI Houtzdale Inmate Community Service Project.
- **Parish Projects:** Discussion was held regarding the multiple issues within Christ the King Church, Rectory and Parish Center that were to be addressed by Weber, Murphy, Fox assessment, Father noted that at the last Finance Committee meeting the Facility Assessment item was discussed and tabled for next meeting. Committee discussed needs of facilities and was in agreement with previous recommendation that there are a multitude of needs that would require the expertise of a full facility assessment, thus no change to previous recommendation to Finance Committee regarding Weber, Murphy, Fox assessment.

Next Meeting will be held Sunday, February 11, 2024, at 11 am in CTK Parish Center.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jenny Leskovansky  
Secretary

## Upcoming Events

### Sunday, January 28

11am • Religious Ed. Classes (until 12:15pm)

### Thursday, February 1

2pm • Altar Rosary Society Meeting (IC basement)

### Friday, February 2

9am • Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (CTK; until 10am)

### Sunday, February 4

11am • Religious Ed. Classes (until 12:15pm)

### Monday, February 5

6:30pm • Pastoral Council Meeting

### Wednesday, February 7

6:30pm • K of C Meeting (CTK)  
6:30pm • CDA Meeting (CTK)

## K of C Chicken & Rib BBQ

### Sunday, February 25 • 11am until 1pm

The Knights of Columbus, Our Lady of the Valley Council #10376, will hold their Chicken & Rib BBQ on Sunday, February 25 from 11am until 1pm at Christ the King Parish Center. Meal includes chicken or ribs, scalloped potatoes, baked beans, applesauce, and roll. The CDA Court St. Victoria #646 will hold a Soup & Bake Sale in conjunction with the bbq. Rib dinners cost \$15, chicken dinners cost \$12. Advance ticket sales only. Tickets can be purchased from any K of C member.

## Building & Grounds Meeting

### Sunday, February 11 • 11am

The next Building & Grounds Committee Meeting to discuss projects for both Immaculate Conception & Christ the King Churches will be on Sunday, February 11 at 11am in Christ the King Parish Center.

## 2023 Year-End Statements Available

If you're interested in receiving your 2023 year-end contribution statement for tax purposes, please contact the rectory. Please specify whether you'd like your statement mailed or emailed.

## St. Francis Open House

St. Francis School in Clearfield will hold an Open House on Sunday, January 28 from 11am until 2pm. Everyone is invited to attend. Private tours are available for interested families. Children do not have to be school age to attend the open house. They welcome "Future Families" to tour the school as well. St. Francis offers an excellent education to students from pre-school 3 through grade 8. Bussing is available for all local school districts. Call 814-765-2618 for more information.

## Stewardship

Your generous gifts of time, talent, and treasure.

### Sunday & Holy Days

Actual 01/21/2024	Actual Total Fiscal YTD	Budgeted Fiscal YTD	Percentage Over (Under)
\$5,208	\$55,033	\$56,115	(1.9%)
Count of envelopes: 146/529		Weekly Budgeted Offertory: \$6,235	

### Catholic Services Appeal 2023

Actual 01/21/2024	Actual Total to Date	Parish Goal	Percentage Over (Under)
\$0	\$50,161	\$44,383	13.0%
Total Pledges: 127/529		Total Pledged: \$51,871	
Diocesan Designated Collection: \$20			

## Christ the King 21 Club

We give away a total of \$10,00 in cash prizes! 20 weekly drawings of \$100, \$50 & \$25, totaling \$3,500; the first drawing will be November 12. For the 21st week, we offer an appreciation party for all ticket holders, which includes dinner, dancing, and our grand prize drawing where we'll give away a total of \$6,500—you could win up to \$2,000. Entertainment at the party will be provided by The Moore Brothers; a 50/50 raffle, lottery animals, and instants will be sold all day long. Tickets cost just \$21 and can be purchased from any one of our sellers: Jack Archer, Marie Fleming, Tom Fulare, Alvin Gmerek, Ray Graham, Beth Greslick, Leon Hansel, Elizabeth Lockett, John Mahute, Karen Martin, Elaine Murawski, Judy Reese, Cindy Slifko, Michelle Stine, Kristi Twoey, Robert Yebernetsky, or by calling the rectory at 814-378-7653.

### 21 Club Winners (Week #11)

John Musser (Cindy Slifko) ..... \$100  
George & Katie Foster (John Mahute) .... \$50  
Macy Shedlock (John Mahute) ..... \$25

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