

Receive the Holy Spirit

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-Friday9am until 1pm

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Marriages: Contact the office at least 6 months prior to anticipated date.

Baptisms: Call rectory for appointment.

Anointing: Call if you have a desire for yourself or a loved one to receive the sacrament.

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)

Bulletin Announcements

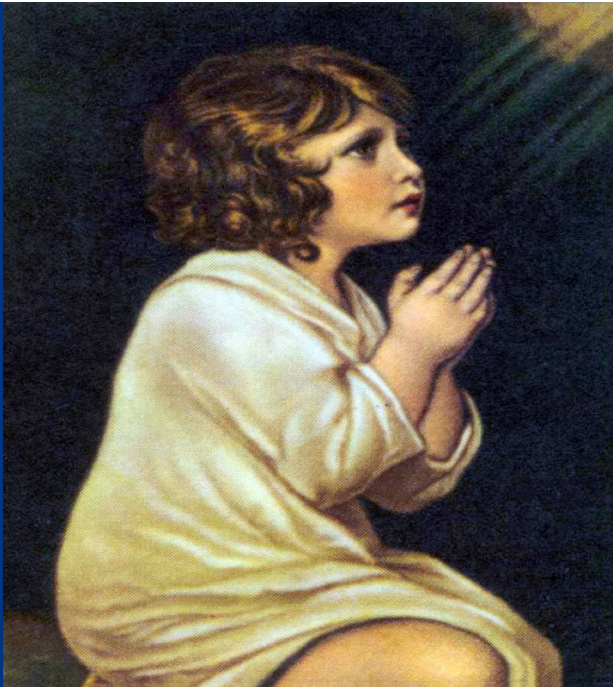
Please submit all bulletin announcements in writing to office@ctk-ic.org at least **two weeks** prior to the anticipated date.



PENTECOST

JUNE 8, 2025

PRAYERS REQUESTED



Homebound?

If you or a loved one are homebound, but wish to receive Communion and keep up with church news by receiving a mailed bulletin please call the rectory during business hours. Father Johnathan will add you to his Communion Call list.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday, June 8

11:15 am • Building and Grounds Meeting

Wednesday, June 11

6:30 pm • Rosary

7 pm • Catholic Daughters Meeting

Thursday, June 12

6:30 pm • Scripture Study Series (CTK)

Friday, June 13

9 am-10am • Exposition (CTK)

Saturday, June 14

3 pm • Confessions (CTK)

Christ the King Parish 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 **Diane Herr, John Mahute, Jerry Gmerek and Peter Swistock, Joseph Knee, Chris Switala and Mary Ann Waite.**

Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp burns in memory of **Jennifer Kokoskie** requested by Tony, Natalie and Adam.



Mass Intentions

Monday, June 9

8:30am • George & JoAnne Supenia by Ed and Mary Vancas (IC)

Tuesday, June 10

8:30am • Pat Wulderk by Court St. Victoria (CTK)

Wednesday, June 11

8:30am • Roger Witherow by Children & Grandchildren (CTK)

Thursday, June 12

8:30am • Bud and Edna George by Jeff & Cindy Mills (CTK)

Friday, June 13

8:30am • James Cervenak by Francis Clancy & Family (CTK)

Saturday, June 14

4pm • People of the Parish (CTK)

Sunday, June 15

8:30am • Haney Dugan by Children (IC)

10am • Joanne George by Children & Grandchildren (CTK)



You Are Needed!

Become a volunteer

Great news! We have positions open on our Pastoral Council and our Finance Council. Any confirmed, registered and actively participating parishioner is eligible.

Please submit letters of interest/nominations for the council positions to Fr. Johnathan or a council member. Nominations are due by July 1.

This means that **YOU** now have the opportunity to be involved, to deepen your faith, broaden your community and help shape your church.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

The Pastoral Council helps with the administration of the parish and acts as an advisor to the pastor. The bylaws state:

The Pastoral Council has been organized to a) enable the Clergy and Laity, represented by the Council, to participate in the administration of the parish; b) to present to all parishioners an organized way of sharing in the teaching and sanctifying apostolate of the Church, c) to facilitate dialogue and rapport between Clergy and Laity; d) to act in an advisory capacity to the Pastor in all matters.

The Pastoral Council also helps to increase missionary activities of the parish and Church at home and abroad. They work to increase vocations to the clerical and religious life.

Each Pastoral Council member serves three years. The member may choose to serve an additional 3-year term. Meetings are the first Monday of the month at 6:30pm in the Parish Center.

Parish Council Members: Floyd Hauth (president), Pauline Raab, Tina Stine, Tim Slifko, J. Paul Kitko, Mary Ann Hockman, Jim Rice, Ed Vancas, Jenny Leskovansky (secretary), and Ex Officio Deacon Gene Miller and Fr. Johnathan Schmolt.

Called to Serve

"Just as each one has received a gift, use it to serve others, as good stewards of the varied grace of God."

1 Peter 4:10

FINANCE COUNCIL

The Finance Council provides recommendations to the pastor concerning financial plans, controls, policies and other business matters. The council is led by Gospel values and sound business practices. It helps the church to be accountable and responsible to the people.

The Pastor and business staff keep the Finance Council informed of all parish financial matters including bank accounts, investments, endowments, special gives, debts etc. The council is also informed of future diocesan policies affecting parish administration. Members are to be familiar with and supportive of parish and diocesan goals and priorities.

Members serve a 3-year term and can serve up to 4 consecutive terms. They meet at least 4-times-a-year.

Finance Council Members: Shelly Hansel (moderator), Sally Hess, Girard Kasubick, Theresa Spewock, Matt Washic and Jim Weitoish. Ex Officio Members: Fr. Johnathan Schmolt (Pastor) and Cindy Slifko (Bookkeeper).



To the Heights Retreat



Summer Retreat In the Mountains
of the Quehanna Wild Area
June 19-21, 2025

\$50 Registration (Deadline: June 9)
totheheightserie@gmail.com



Fr. Ben Daghir



Ryan Sayers



Fr. Luke Daghir

To the Heights Retreat is a 2-night and 3-day Catholic men's retreat in the mountains of the Quehanna Wild Area. Participants must bring their own sleeping bag, tent or hammock (if desired). This retreat is for men who are 18-years-old or older and have graduated from high school or the equivalent. There will be talks on the spiritual life, Mass, adoration, and confession available. The cost is \$50 for the retreat, which includes a t-shirt, food and drinks and a Frassati medal. Main meals and drinks will be provided, however participants are encouraged to bring water bottles and extra snacks. Alcohol is prohibited. Hiking involves 7, 8 and 5 miles per day up and down steep mountains.

Spring Scripture Study Series

Thursday, June 12 at 6:30pm

There will be a Spring Scripture Study Series at Christ the King Parish Center on Thursday evenings at 6:30pm. Meetings will be held through June 19. All are welcome.



Medals for Men

During the weekend Masses of June 14-15, Father Johnathan will give each man a St. Joseph the Worker medal to acknowledge his role as provider for the family. These medals will be blessed by Father. Men will process up the aisle to receive their medal. All men are encouraged to participate.

Why?

Why do Catholics celebrate Pentecost? It's the beginning of the church and its birthday!

According to *Catholic Answers*, "God makes biblically clear on this feast that he established the Church to restore his kingdom as a "catholic" or "universal," worldwide blessing—not simply one confined to the nation of Israel."

For Your Information

John Mahute is currently at Highland View Rehabilitation Center. Mail or cards can be sent to him at Highland View, 90 Main St., Brockway, PA 15824.

Upcoming Events

Monday, June 16

6 pm • Cemetery Committee Meeting, St. Lawrence Cemetery

Wednesday, June 18

6:30pm • Fundraising Committee meeting. This will be a combined meeting of the Fundraising Committee and Patriot Day Festival Booth Leaders.

Thursday, June 19

6:30pm • Scripture Study Series (CTK)

Sunday, June 22

11 a.m. • Corpus Christi Procession (CTK)

Monday, August 4

Fr. Larry Richards Speaking (CTK)

21 Club Winners

Week #3

Aaron Domanick (John Mahute)..\$100

Bryan Milliron (John Mahute)....\$50

Tom Stine (Tina Stine).....\$25

**Need a ticket? Call the parish office.
(814) 378-7653**

Help the Church Fulfill Its Mission

Grow deeper in your faith by serving the Lord at Mass. We need

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors and Altar Servers.

Get your children involved! Children in fourth grade and older can become Altar Servers. We will have a training **July 13 after 10 a.m. Mass.**

Contact the parish office to volunteer.



YARD SALE

St. Timothy Church, Curwensville will be holding its Annual Yard Sale

7 a.m. to 4 p.m. June 26 & 27

8 a.m. to 12 p.m. June 28

Stewardship

Your generous gifts of time, talent, and treasure.

Sunday & Holy Days

Actual 6/1/25	Actual Total Fiscal YTD	Budgeted Fiscal YTD	Percentage Over (Under)
\$5,610	\$260,700	\$258,475	0.86%
Count of envelopes: 250		Weekly Budgeted Offertory: \$5,275	

Catholic Services Appeal 2025

Actual 06/1/2025	Actual Total to Date		Parish Goal	Percentage Over (Under)
\$1,770	\$34,546		\$72,000	(52.2%)
Total Pledges: 106			Total Pledged: \$37,786.00	
International Needs: \$40				
Please make all checks payable to Christ the King.				

Online Giving



You can now donate to the Weekly Offertory, the 2025 Catholic Service Appeal, and special collections online. When setting up for online giving, you can either make a one-time donation or setup recurring payments. Giving online is fast, easy, and secure. Simply go to our parish website at <http://ctk-ic.org> and click the right corner that says "DONATE NOW" or scan the QR code with your mobile device.