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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

Phone 814-378-7653

Email..... office@ctk-ic.org

Website www.ctk-ic.org

Marriages

Contact the office at least 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)



Bulletin Announcements

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

31ST

SUNDAY IN

ORDINARY

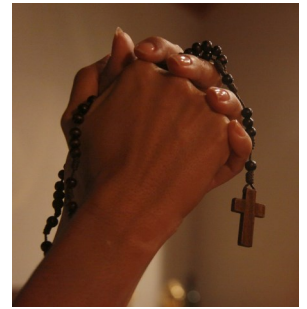
TIME

NOVEMBER 3, 2024

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Prayer Chain

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: *Sherri (Murawski) Gehringer, David Collins, John Mahute, Carmen Yarger, Judi Lesko, Lucy Weis, Mick Patkalitsky, Luke Francisco, Sherri Thompson, Cecilia Demchak, Better Health of Anonymous, Jared Gmerek, Michael Burns, John Russell, Joann Bezilla, Chris Switala, Stephen Sypa, Linda Nolder, Clara Tubo, Tim Stine, Michael Moskel, Joan Manos, Cory Shawver, Ed Holden, Jr., Judy Reese*



Hurricane Relief

If you're looking for a way to support Hurricane Relief efforts, donate directly to Catholic Charities by going to <https://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org/>.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday, November 3 • 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Daylight Saving Time Ends (Turn clocks back 1 hour)

9:30am • Fall Bazaar (IC)

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

Monday, November 4

6:30pm • Pastoral Council Meeting (CTK)

Wednesday, November 6

1pm • Red Cross Blood Drive (CTK; until 6pm)

6:30pm • K of C Meeting (CTK)

Thursday, November 7

2pm • Altar Rosary Society Meeting (IC)

Friday, November 8

9am • Exposition (CTK; until 10am)

Saturday, November 9

6pm • Turkey Bingo (CTK; doors open 5pm)

Mass Intentions

Monday, November 4

8:30am • Ida Reams by Family (IC)

Tuesday, November 5

8:30am • Stephen Gresh by Family (CTK)

Wednesday, November 6

8:30am • Linda Bardi by sister Cathy (CTK)

Thursday, November 7

8:30am • Maryan Dombroski by Robert & Robbie Ball (CTK)

Friday, November 8

8:30am • Roger Witherow by Wife (CTK)

Saturday, November 9

4pm • George Pallo by nephews Scott & Kevin Mehallow (CTK)

Sunday, November 10

8:30am • Diane Davis by The Davis Family (IC)

10am • People of the Parish by Pastor (CTK)

Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp at Christ the King Church burns this week in memory of Edward Thompson, Gary Miller, and Nicholas & Anna Drochak requested by wife & daughter Debbie Thompson.



A Family Perspective

In a family, children are taught to be respectful if they want to be respected, to share, if they want their fair share and to listen if they want to be heard. Family life rescues us from arrogance by teaching us to love others as we love ourselves.

Landscape Help Needed

Christ the King Church is looking for some volunteers to tend to the landscaping around the church, parish center, and rectory grounds. Currently, the hedges in front of the church need trimmed and the weeds need pulled from between the stone along the sidewalk. If you're able to take care of this in the immediate future, please call the rectory to give us a heads-up. Thank you!

In Memoriam

We remember Lord, those who have died before us marked with the sign of the cross, especially **Ida Reams**, sister of Mary Beth Witherow of Christ the King. May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace.

Stewardship			
Your generous gifts of time, talent, and treasure.			
Sunday & Holy Days			
Actual 10/20/2024	Actual Total Fiscal YTD	Budgeted Fiscal YTD	Percentage Over (Under)
\$4,157	\$78,782	\$84,400	(6.7%)
Count of envelopes: 166		Weekly Budgeted Offertory: \$5,275	
Catholic Services Appeal 2024			
Actual 10/20/2024	Actual Total to Date	Parish Goal	Percentage Over (Under)
\$100	\$56,444	\$72,000	(21.6%)
Total Pledges: 158		Total Pledged: \$58,034.20	
Mission Sunday: \$1,193.65; All Souls Day: \$40			
Please make all checks payable to Christ the King.			

St. Francis Fall Fest

Sunday, November 10 • 11am until 3pm

St. Francis School in Clearfield will hold their annual Fall Festival on Sunday, November 10 from 11am until 3pm. Join them for delicious dinners, a craft show, kids' games, and money & lottery raffles. There will also be a themed basket raffle, a sports raffle, and their Fall Fortune Lottery Game. Be sure to get your tickets to win the \$10,000 grand prize drawing—only 250 tickets sold. Call 814-765-2618 or visit St. Francis School, Clearfield on Facebook for more information.

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

21 Club Party Grand Prize Winners

October 19, 2024

Prize	Winner	Seller
\$2,000	Burt & Pat Henchbarger	Elaine Murawski
\$1,000	Carol Ball	Elizabeth Lockett
\$500	John Demchak	Alvin Gmerek
\$500	Elizabeth Ruggerio	John Mahute
\$500	Wendy Nolf	Leon Hansel
\$500	Ben & Diane Cossock	Leon Hanse
\$250	Vicki Hoffmaster	Elizabeth Lockett
\$250	Ashley Greslick	Joyce Greslick
\$250	Fred Coccia	Marie Fleming
\$250	Sandy Krasinski	Karen Martin
\$125	Polly Schandelmeier	Michelle Stine
\$125	Joann Orndorf	Michelle Stine
\$125	Kristian Foreman	Judy Reese
\$125	Carl & Larry Kokoskie	Elaine Murawski

Upcoming Events

Sunday, November 10

- 11am** • Religious Ed. (CTK; until 12:15pm)
- 11am** • Building & Grounds Meeting (CTK)

Monday, November 11 • Veterans Day

- 6pm** • Finance Council Meeting (CTK)

Tuesday, November 12

- 6pm** • The Chosen Viewing (CTK)
- 6:30pm** • Fundraising Committee Meeting (CTK)

Wednesday, November 13

- 6:30pm** • CDA Memorial Mass (Holy Trinity, Ramey)

Thursday, November 14

- 6:30pm** • Evangelization Committee Meeting (CTK)

Friday, November 15

- 9am** • Exposition (CTK; until 10am)

Sunday, November 17

- 11am** • Religious Ed. (CTK; until 12:15pm)
- 2pm** • K of C Bingo (CTK; doors open at 1pm)

Tuesday, November 19

- 6pm** • The Chosen Viewing (CTK)

Friday, November 22

- 9am** • Exposition (CTK; until 10am)

Sunday, November 24

- 9:30am** • Coffee, Donuts, 50/50 (IC)
- 11am** • Religious Ed. (CTK; until 12:15pm)

Thursday, November 28 • Thanksgiving

- Rectory Closed**
- 8:30am** • Mass of Thanksgiving (CTK)

Sunday, December 1

- NO** Religious Ed. Class

K of C Elimino

Tuesday, December 31

Knights of Columbus #10376 will host their Elimino Extravaganza at Christ the King Parish Center on December 31. Tickets are available for purchase by calling Jim Hawkins 814-672-5618 or Rob Yebernetsky 814-553-7413.

Voting Materials

The Diocese of Erie has provided us with information regarding presidential candidates' stances as well as Church doctrine to help voters make a more informed decision. A letter from the bishop was posted in last week's bulletin, but more information is available for you. Packets of informed decision paperwork is in the back of the church. Feel free to help yourself. Election Day is Tuesday, November 5.

The Chosen

Tuesday, November 12 • 6pm

Showing and discussion of this well-talked-about TV series about the life of Jesus will occur in the Christ the King Parish Center. All are welcome.

Engagement Encounter

An **Engagement Encounter weekend** is scheduled for **January 17-19, 2025**, at St. Mark Catholic Center in Erie. EE satisfies diocesan requirements for marriage in the Church. Catholic and interfaith couples are encouraged to attend. Contact the Family Life Office at 814-824-1261 or by email at familylife@erieRCD.org. Visit our website at <https://www.erieRCD.org/familylifeoffice/> for more information and registration. Remember, "A wedding is one day, but marriage is for a lifetime."

Seeking Collection Counters

Christ the King Parish is still in need of volunteers to count the offertory collection. If you are a discrete and reliable person, or know someone who is, please contact Father Johnathan. With enough help, the intention is that you will only need to volunteer a few hours of your time one Sunday per month. Call the rectory for more information.



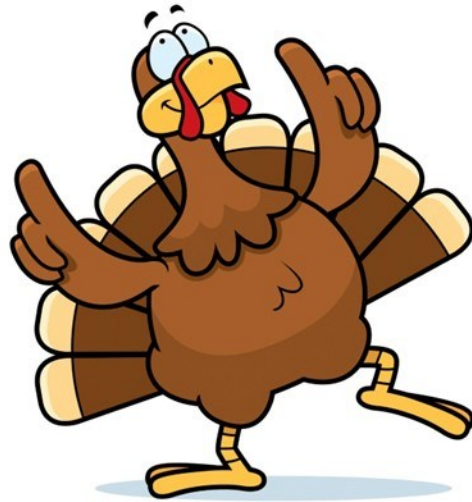
Online Giving

You can now donate to the Weekly Offertory, the 2024 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 link in the top right corner that says "DONATE NOW" or scan the QR code with your mobile device.

**Christ The King Church Parish Center
Houtzdale**

**Turkey Bingo
Saturday, November 9, 2024**

BINGO



**Doors open at 5pm
Early bird games at 6pm; regular games at 7pm**

**Admission is \$8 per person for 6 cards. Extra cards will be
Available for purchase.**

Everyone, including children, must have a paid admission!!

**20 regular games for a Shop 'N Save gift card
5 specials sold on the floor**

Cash raffle – 1/\$2; 3/\$5 (First prize, \$500; Second, \$250, Third, \$150)

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