

CHURCH OF CHRIST THE KING

130 Legris Avenue
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Diocese of Providence

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401.821.9228

8:00–1:00

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Grandma's Attic ~ Parish Thrift Store

126 Legris Avenue, West Warwick; Hours of Operation:
Mon. 12:00-6:00, Wed. 12:00-6:00, Sat. 9:00-1:00

Intercessory Prayer Line:

401.828.7486
or 401.821.4307

SACRAMENTS SCHEDULE:

- Reconciliation:** Saturday: 2:45—3:30 PM
Or by calling Fr. Tim for an appointment.
- Weekend Masses:** Saturday: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM
- Daily Mass:** Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 9:00 AM
- Baptism:** Baptisms are celebrated the first weekend of each month during any Mass at which the family usually worships. Baptisms must be scheduled several weeks in advance. Contact Fr. Tim to make preparations.
- Marriage:** Diocesan requirements state that arrangements should begin at least one year before desired date of marriage. Contact Fr. Tim to make preparations.
- Adult Confirmation & Baptism:** Preparation for RCIA, Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, begins in October. Candidates are prepared for sacraments at Easter. Contact the office for more information.
- Anointing of the Sick:** Chaplains are available at the local hospital during the day and in the evenings for emergencies. Because of privacy issues you may have to ask to see the priest. However, if you know you are going into the hospital, or know of someone who could use a visit today, please do not hesitate to call your parish priest.



NEW PARISH REGISTRATION REQUEST

Drop in the Sunday collection basket or mail to the parish office and we'll send you a registration package.

Dear Fr. Tim,

We are interested in becoming parishioners of Christ the King. Please send information and registration form to:

Name: _____

Phone _____ Email: _____

Street Address: _____

City/Town: _____ State _____ Zip _____



There are Mass Intentions available for weekdays and weekends. Call the office to save your intentions for the **Living** or the **Deceased**.

Saturday, August 27: Vigil, Twenty Second Sunday, Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m. **Stanley Slezak (†)**, Eighth Anniversary, req. by his wife and family.

Sunday, August 28: Twenty Second Sunday, Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. **Theresa Lacroix (†)**, Third Anniversary, req. by her daughter and family.

Monday, August 29: Passion of Saint John the Baptist

9:00 a.m. **Rosa Bourgault** (Living), Birthday Celebration, req. by the Blais Family.

Tuesday, August 30: Weekday, Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. No Mass

Wednesday, August 31: Weekday, Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. No Mass

Thursday, September 1: Weekday, Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. No Mass

Saturday, September 3: Vigil, Twenty Third Sunday, Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m.

Sunday, September 4: Twenty Third Sunday, Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. **Normand Dube (†)**, Birthday Remembrance, req. by the Dube family.

10:00 a.m. **Jeanne R. Carrier (†)**, req. by Barbara Gutierrez and family.



OFFERTORY FOR THE WEEK

Thank You!!!

August 20 & 21: \$3,342.00

August 15, Feast of the Assumption: \$494.25

Consider Electronic Contributions to Your Parish!

We currently have **13** families enrolled in the Bill Pay program through their financial institutions. Most banks do not charge a fee for this service. If you are already enrolled in Online Banking, you simply set up the payment to: Christ the King Church, 130 Legris Ave., West Warwick, RI 02893. You select the frequency and dollar amount of the payment. The bank will generate a check and mail it to us as instructed. It's that simple ... you no longer have to worry about having the right change or writing a check each week. We have a box on our budget envelopes marked "I Gave Electronically", check the box and place it into the collection basket.

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

Wednesday, August 31

Cub Scout 13 & Troop 31 Scout Meetings

6:30PM

Parish Center



Bible Study: Weekly Monday evening meetings will begin September 12th at 7:00PM in the parish center. No prior teaching or knowledge of the scripture is required. All are Welcome!

The sanctuary light is available for memorializing your loved ones in prayer. Call the office to reserve your week.



Christ the King ANNUAL HOLIDAY BAZAAR

Preparations for our 2016 Annual Holiday Bazaar have begun!!!

The Bazaar Committee is seeking donations of ...

... **SCRATCH TICKETS**, for our popular Lottery Tree! We request that you put your donation in a sealed envelope marked "Lottery Tree — Bazaar" and place it in the collection basket at any Mass.

Not Sure What to donate? ... How about gift certificates/cards to a restaurant, retail store, hair salon, grocery store, or liquor store! Any and all denominations are appreciated. Donations may be brought to the parish office during business hours. Gift certificates/cards may also be placed in the collection basket at any Mass in an envelope marked "Bazaar".

ARE YOU WILLING TO VOLUNTEER?!!!

We have many experienced volunteers willing to train you. Feel free to contact Kristen Gallagher at 401.569.6284 or Sarah Perra at 401.465.9336 with any questions or ideas for this years Bazaar. If you are unable to attend the meetings but want to help, please call Kristen, Sarah, or the church office at 401.821.9228.



CTK ANNUAL 25 WEEK CLUB

Congratulations...

Winner Week #8, Ticket #994

Cecilia A. St. Jean

Readings for the Week of August 28, 2016

Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Mk 6:17-29

Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11

Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40; Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15; Ps 145:17-21; Lk 6:1-5

Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b; Ps 90:3-6, 12-17; Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33

Faith Formation News

Registration for the 2016/2017 Religious Education Year

Registration for the 2016/2017 school year is ongoing! **Please complete the form sent home and return it as soon as possible.** Additional forms are available in the rear of the church. Students in grades 1-8 are required to attend classes unless they attend Catholic School. Sacramental preparation is a two year curriculum for both First Communion and Confirmation regardless if student attends Catholic High School.

The Program is scheduled to begin on September 11, 2016.

We are in need of volunteers to help with the Faith Formation Program - Please consider teaching a class, being a teacher assistant or helping out occasionally for special events.

If you have any questions and/or would like more information, feel free to contact Gina Vessella at gvessella.ckkww@gmail.com, call the parish office at 401.821.9228, or visit our parish website, ckkwwri.org!



The **Diocese of Providence** offers several **live and online courses** covering the major aspects of our Catholic Faith. These courses are for anyone interested in learning more about Catholicism and can also be used for diocesan Catechist Certification. The next six week live course will meet on Tuesdays, Aug. 30-Oct. 4: Salvation History: Old Testament. For more information or to register, call Ed Trendowski at 401.278.4646 or register online at www.discovercatholicfaith.org.

The Chorus of Kent County would like to invite you to join us beginning Thursday, September 8th as we begin rehearsals for our Christmas Season. Rehearsals are held at 7:00PM in the Chorus Room at West Warwick High School. We will be there at 6:30 to welcome you and provide you with your music for the season. Dues are \$25 per season. For more information about us go to our website: www.chorusofkentcounty.com.



Healing Mass-Anointing of the Sick for those who are ill or in recovery, **Sunday, August 28th, 5:00PM** at **St. Mary Church**, West Warwick. Open to all who are sick, suffering/in recovery from addictions to alcohol, drugs, and mental/emotional distress. All are invited to attend!

The Office of Vocations will be kicking off the monthly discernment meetings with the 3rd annual **Pizza on the Patio** night at the Seminary of Our Lady of Providence (485 Mount Pleasant Ave., Providence) on Friday, September 16th, 6PM. For more information or to RSVP, please contact Fr. Chris Murphy, Assistant Vocation Director at 401.331.1316 or FatherCJM@gmail.com.

Some random thoughts by the pastor...

Teresa of Avila offers us three steps in our journey in God. The first is practicing a discipline in order to create a routine of prayer. The image that she uses is our drawing water from a deep well. It can be arduous work initially, but with time and practice it can become our routine. This initial step is primarily about us and our efforts, but it cannot end here. The second step that Teresa offers us in our journey in God begins with our efforts being diluted by God flowing through us. She continues with her analogy: We, in this second step, no longer draw water from the well. Now we channel water to irrigate. When something is diluted, it often loses clarity. Paradoxically, Teresa speaks of this segment of the journey opening us to receive an infusion of divine light. (We will continue with Teresa's third step next weekend.) God is good.

Parish updates: The air cooling should be fully operational this weekend. We are – once again unfortunately – putting new front doors on hold. The flat roof on the north-west side of the church building has been leaking for numerous years. Each time we think that we have remedied the situation a new leak develops. Since water leaking into the building causes so much damage, we are looking at a different approach to the ongoing problem ... which will require a greater amount of money. I will keep all updated.

Saint Mary Parish, Saint John & James Parish, and CTK will be sponsoring a pilgrimage – in this Year of Mercy – to the Shrine of Divine Mercy (Sturbridge, MA) in October. The date of the pilgrimage and other details will soon be available. All are welcome to participate.

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Grandma's Attic ~ Parish Thrift Store

Additional volunteers are needed to fill in occasionally at Grandma's Attic (particularly the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month between 12-4PM). Shifts are a maximum of 4 hours. Great working conditions—Training will be provided. If interested, please call the parish office at 401.821.9228.



Shop Hours: Monday, 12:00-6:00pm;

Wednesday, 12:00-6:00pm; Saturday, 9:00am-1:00pm

Visit Grandma's Attic ... Where you never know what treasures you will find!

The Diocese of Providence will host an inaugural **Blue Mass** on Sunday, September 18th, 10:00AM. In the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul. Everyone is invited to come together to honor, support and pray for police officers who serve and protect our communities in RI.