

CHURCH OF CHRIST THE KING

130 Legris Avenue
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Diocese of Providence

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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 6: Vigil, Nineteenth Sunday, Ordinary Time
4:00 p.m. **Gerald Haruben (†)**, Twentieth Anniversary, req. by his wife and children.

Sunday, August 7: Nineteenth Sunday, Ordinary Time
8:00 a.m. **The May Family (†)**, req. by Anne Brien.
10:00 a.m. **Cleo Lacroix (†)**, Seventh Anniversary, req. by his daughter and family.

Monday, August 8: Saint Dominic, Priest
9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, August 9: Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr
9:00 a.m. **Lucille Saccoccia (†)**, Birthday remembrance, req. by her husband, daughter, and son-in-law.

Wednesday, August 10: Saint Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr
9:00 a.m. **Ninette Curtis & Connie Steup (†)**, Birthday Remembrance, req. by Therese Benton.

Thursday, August 11: Saint Clare, Virgin
9:00 a.m. **Paul Johnson (Living)**, req. by Bob and Nan Johnson.

Saturday, August 13: Vigil, Twentieth Sunday, Ordinary Time
4:00 p.m. **Maurice Dickens (†)**, Fifteenth Anniversary, req. by his wife.

Sunday, August 14: Twentieth Sunday, Ordinary Time
8:00 a.m. **Jeanne R. Carrier (†)**, req. by Terry and Norman Benton.
10:00 a.m. **Denis Roy (†)**, Sixth Anniversary, req. by his Dad and Mom.



OFFERTORY FOR THE WEEK *Thank You!!!*

July 30 & 31: \$2,758.00

Second Collection, August 6 & 7: Peter's Pence

Second Collection, August 13 & 14:
Church of Christ the King Building Fund

CTK ANNUAL 25 WEEK CLUB

Congratulations...

Winner BONUS Week #5, Ticket #241

Lydia Lefebvre



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



Consider Electronic Contributions to Your Parish!

We currently have **12** 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 as you normally would.

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. For more information or to register, call Ed Trendowski at 401.278.4646 or register online at www.discovercatholicfaith.org. The next three week online course begins August 21st.; The God of Mercy.



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.

The parish thrift store is stocked with plenty of new merchandise. Stop in for great bargains on clothing, toys, jewelry, books, sports items, electronics, dishes, pots and pans, small kitchen appliances, holiday decorations, etc...

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!

Readings for the Week of August 7, 2016

Monday: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday: Ez 2:8 — 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26
Thursday: Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62; Mt 18:21 — 19:1
Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15
Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2-4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

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.

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

Moms and Dads, remember religious education does not end with the close of classes. You are still responsible for your child/children's Faith Formation; you are their primary religion teacher. Teach them prayers and talk about your faith. Please see that they attend Mass with you. We need their energy, enthusiasm and presence!



Holy Angels Church, 341 Maple Ave., Barrington welcomes all to an **Italian Food Festival** in the church hall on Saturday, August 13th at 5PM. Baked macaroni, Italian sandwiches, pizza, pasta e fagioli, and more will be available for dine-in or take out. There will be great raffle prizes! For more information, please call the office at 401.245.7743.



Wedding Anniversary Celebration

The office of Marriage Preparation & Enrichment is sponsoring the **Tenth Annual Wedding Anniversary Celebration** honoring couples of the Diocese of Providence who will be observing their **25th, 40th, 50th and OVER 50 years** wedding anniversaries in 2016. The celebration will be held on **Sunday, September 25th, 1:00PM, at the Cathedral of SS. Peter & Paul, Providence.** It will include Mass, renewal of the marriage vows, a personalized certificate for each couple, and a reception for the couples and their families. Bishop Thomas J. Tobin will be the main celebrant. **Registration deadline is August 26th.** To register, please call Christ the King Church office at 401.821.9228.

TOO HOT?! GOING AWAY ON VACATION???

Please remember, your parish has bills to pay and ministries to support, even in the summer. When rising temperatures send you to air-conditioned churches or you are away on a family vacation, we thank you for making up missed Sunday contributions to your parish.



All church offices will be closed Monday, August 8, 2016 in observance of the holiday.

Some random thoughts by the pastor...

'Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and evidence of things not seen.' We are recipients of a promise: God dwells with us. When we experience this promise, we also experience a connection with a reality that is beyond us. The message of Jesus is the repeating of God's promise. Why is it so difficult for us to live in this experience? The answers are many and varied. God, however, never stops dwelling with us. God can't, because it is who God is. God is good.

Parish updates: The representatives from Saint Mary, Saints John & James, and CTK met as part of the regional meeting (June 29th). We reviewed the *Vision Statement* – prefaced with an explanation – and agreed to publish it in each parish's bulletin. (Since it is the summer months and numerous parishioners are away, we will publish the joint statement several times.) The joint statement reads: 'A Diocesan concern for the diminishing formation of priests has encouraged Bishop Tobin to recommend that in areas with a high density of parishes, pastoral committees of neighboring parishes should consider collaboration and consolidation options. In the spirit of these concerns, three parishes, Christ the King, Saint Mary, and Saints John and James have tentatively agreed to begin exploring how cooperative initiatives may be of inclusive benefit to all three [parishes].

At the first meeting of [the] parishes' representatives on June 21, a mutually positive atmosphere was quickly established. An exceptional rapport was evident within the group as ideas and considerations were expressed. To a person all states this was the first meeting that left them with an exceptionally positive attitude for the future.

The one definitive decision all agreed on was to establish a preliminary *Vision Statement* that could be presented to all three parishes' parishioners. With that decision this brief initial statement follows. With time and thought, revision will be encouraged to provide us with guiding force to develop a comprehensive mission plan.'

Vision Statement: Our vision is to enable our parishes to be welcoming, mutually sustaining, open to growth, and committed to building one faith community honoring the uniqueness of each [parish].

The next meeting of the parish representatives is Wednesday, September 7th. We are looking for your input (which can be passed along to CTK representatives: Diane Cyr, Mike Bosworth, John Lamphier or Fr. Tim) before that meeting.

fr. tim

