Mass Intentions for the Week



<u>Saturday, July 4:</u> Vigil, 14th Sunday, Ordinary Time 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, July 5: 14th Sunday, Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. George & Doris Henault (†), req. by family.

10:00 a.m. **Jeanne Carrier (†)**, Fourth Anniversary, req. by the Migliozzi family.

Monday, July 6: St. Maria Goretti, Virgin & Martyr 9:00 a.m. Norma Loehr (†), req. by her mom and dad.

<u>Tuesday, July 7:</u> Weekday, Ordinary Time 9:00 a.m. <u>Lodila Bourque (†),</u> Forty Third Anniversary, req. by the Benton family.

Wednesday, July 8: Weekday, Ordinary Time 9:00 a.m. Bob & Michael Johnson (†), req. by their wife and mom

<u>Thursday, July 9:</u> Weekday, Ordinary Time 9:00 a.m. **Josephine Kunniffe (†),** req. by a friend.

Saturday, July 11: Vigil, 15th Sunday, Ordinary Time 4:00 p.m. Muriel Picard (†), Birthday Remembrance, req. by her husband and daughters.

Sunday, July 12: 15th Sunday, Ordinary Time 8:00 a.m. Frederick Conca (†), Twenty Third Anniversary, req. by his family.

10:00 a.m. **Cleo Carrier (†)**, Seventh Anniversary, req. by the Migliozzi family.

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



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

For your Safety and the Safety of All a face covering needs to be worn upon entering the church and at all times during the Mass.





Wishing All a Safe and Enjoyable 4th of July Weekend!

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

Wednesday, July 8

6:30PM

Cub Scout 13 & Troop 31 Scout Meetings

Parish Center

Friday, July 3—Friday, July 10

The church office will be closed.

DONATIONS FOR THE WEEK <u>Thank you!</u>



June 27 & 28: \$2,128.00 June 27 & 28, Electronic: \$612.00

Collection, July 11 & 12: Church of Christ the King Building Maintenance Fund



A convenient, consistent way to help our church grow

We are truly grateful to our parish community for all your support and prayers during this unprecedented time. When we are unable to gather to worship together, electronic giving helps stabilize our parish finances.

We currently have **26** families enrolled in the **Bill Pay Program** through their financial institutions. If you are already enrolled in the Bill Pay Program at your financial institution, the set up is a few quick steps! You select the frequency and dollar amount of the payment (donation). 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. Your consistent support is very much appreciated.



"Let the church always be a place of mercy and hope, where everyone is welcomed, loved, and forgiven." - Pope Francis

Readings for the Week of July 5, 2020

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5,

6-7, 8-9; Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8,

9-10; Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7;

Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9; Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-

16; Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and

17; Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33

Sunday: Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14; Rom

8:18-23; Mt 13:1-23 or Mt 13:1-9



Faith Formation 2020/2021 Registration

An email has been sent to all families previously in the program with a link to register for the 2020/2021 Faith Formation Classes.

If you have not received an email with the link, please reach out to Gina at the email listed below and she will send you the link. If you do not have internet access, please contact the office and we will mail a registration form. If you have not joined the **BAND app** yet, please do so. Gina will use this app to keep parents informed. You may email Gina at gvessella.ctkww@gmail.com for the activation code.

First Communion and **Confirmation** have been postponed. We will notify all when we have new dates!

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Gina Vessella, Faith Formation Coordinator at gvessella.ctkww@gmail.com, call the parish office at 401.821.9228, or visit our parish website, ctkwwri.org!

Mother Hope Camp

The summer day camp program at Mother of Hope is opening this summer! It offers children ages 5-12 daily and weekly options from June 29th through August 14th. *Mother of Hope Camp*, an agency of the Diocese of Providence, is located on 126 acres of beautiful woodlands along Echo Lake in Chepachet. Staff members engage campers in daily prayer, weekly Mass, as well as, many traditional outdoor camp experiences such as swimming, hiking, arts & crafts, nature education, canoeing, sports, and more! Sibling discounts available! Secure, online registration available at www.motherofhopecamp.com. Call 401-568-3580 for additional information and follow us on Facebook and Instagram! Please check our website for updated Covid-19 information.



Parish Goal: \$32,000.00 Total Pledged & One Time Gifts Received to Date: \$13,960.00

Many have responded to the CCA mailing from Bishop Tobin. On behalf of those

served by the ministries and services funded by the CCA, we thank you.

If you received a mailing from the Office of Stewardship and Development, you may either mail the special pledge card in the response envelope provided to make your gift or place the envelope in the collection basket at the church entrance/exits. By using this option, the parish will automatically receive credit for your gift. All gifts, regardless of size, help to make a difference in the lives of so many.

Some random thoughts

We are influenced by the culture in which we live and our language is limited. This comes into play when we read the letters of Saint Paul. One word that he uses. that unfortunately has had a detrimental effect, is the word. *flesh*. The word – through the years – has been highlight to mean sexual actions and impurity. This however, is not Paul's intent when he uses this word. Rather, he is speaking about the person that we create. The science of psychology uses the word, ego. Ego is the person that we create. Ego forms naturally as we begin to learn. Initially, a newborn cannot/does not have the capacity to see and understand her/his self as separate from anything. The process of learning requires us to differentiate and divide. We break everything down so that we can recognize differences. This process brings us into an either/or, all or nothing world view. This world perspective needs competition, comparison, success, rigidity, in-groups and outgroups, directives/laws, purity codes, all of which are external, to survive. Our egos do not relate with others, they use, control, and manipulate others. The goal is self-sufficiency. Paul's use of the word sarx/ flesh therefore has nothing to do with sex or impurity. Rather, he intuits that our egos/flesh are too small and limiting, and non-relational. Ego prevents/resists our ability to relate with God as God relates with us. Paul teaches us that we need to find ways for our egos to be quieted. A key ingredient in this process is community/relating with peers/equals. Our egos are not relational, so our egos can't comprehend community, can't relate with peers/equals. Our egos always need a hierarchy. Community opens us to combine and unite, the direct opposite of what ego does. Paul calls this combining and uniting, spirit/Spirit. God is good.

Parish Updates: We received a check from the Diocese on April 27th in the amount of \$11,000. This is CTK's share of the monies raised for the Diocesan capital campaign. We have allocated this money to offset the cost of new lighting in the church proper and several other improvements in the church. Also, we normally move the monies raised at our Parish Bazaar into CTK's Maintenance account at the end of the fiscal year. We won't be able to make this transfer this year. We are most grateful that the weekend collection income, due to your generosity, is off only about \$20,000, and the monies raised at the Bazaar can offset this deficit. We are blessed.

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CONGRATULATIONS...

to our recent graduates!

May you allow God to guide your next footsteps in your journey of life.

