

Saturday, January 30: Vigil, 4th Sunday, Ordinary Time 4:00 p.m. James Avotte (†), Twelfth Anniversary, reg. by his wife and family.

Sunday, January 31: 4th Sunday, Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Norma Loehr (†), Birthday Remembrance, reg. by her mom and dad.

10:00 a.m. Dr. John F. Cimerol (†), Anniversary, reg. by his daughter, Bethany.

Monday, February 1: Weekday, Ordinary Time 9:00 a.m. For the People of the Parish

Tuesday, February 2: The Presentation of the Lord 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday, February 3: Saint Blaise, Bishop and Martyr; Saint Ansgar, Bishop

9:00 a.m.

Thursday, February 4: Weekday, Ordinary Time 9:00 a.m. Lillian Forleo (†), Month's Mind, req. by Mr. & Mrs. Kevin Chamberland.

Saturday, February 6: Vigil, 5th Sunday, Ordinary Time 4:00 p.m. **Bob Johnson (†)**, Third Anniversary, req. by his family.

Sunday, February 7: 5th Sunday, Ordinary Time 8:00 a.m. **Doris Henault (†)**, req. by her family. 10:00 a.m. Steven Tellier (†), Birthday Remembrance, reg. by his wife, Diane.

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

This week's sanctuary lamp burns for

#### Anita Plaziak

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





#### **DONATIONS** FOR THE WEEK

January 23 & 24: \$1,713.00 January 23 & 24, Electronic: \$624.00 Collection, January 30 & 31: Latin America

Collection, February 6 & 7: Church of Christ the King **Building Maintenance Fund** 

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.





February 17th is *Ash Wednesday* and the beginning of our Lenten Journey. Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday at 9:00AM and 6:00PM.

## Daily Prayer Guides for Lent

Daily Prayer Guides will be available (at the  $\tau_{he}$ church exits) beginning Feb. 13 & 14 for your use during Lent. The booklet provides daily readings and reflections. Feel free to take one for yourself and one for a friend!





Monday evenings during Lent, beginning February 22nd at 6:00PM in the church.

Easter Flower donation envelopes have been included in your budget packets. If you would like to list the name/names of loved ones to be remembered, please PRINT their names on the back of the envelope, place the envelope in the collection basket on or before Palm Sunday, and a listing will be posted at the



#### Readings for the Week

church entrances on Easter weekend.

Monday: Heb 11:32-40; Ps 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24;

Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10; Heb 2:14-

18; Lk 2:22-40 or 22-32

Wednesday: Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Ps 103:1-2, 13-14,

17-18a; Mk 6:1-6

Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-Thursday:

4, 9-11; Mk 6:7-13

Friday: Heb 13:1-8; Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc; Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4,

5, 6; Mk 6:30-34

Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; 1 Cor

9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

# Responsorial Psalm January 31, 2021

If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.



## PLANTING FAIT GR WING

#### **Faith Formation**

Virtual Class: February 7 & 28

Virtual Faith Formation Classes are ongoing. 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!

We are 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 28 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.

# Project Hand Up / Be the Change is in need of non-perishable food

items, paper products, and toiletries. Donation bins are located at the church exits.





Gabriel's Trumpet Catholic Book, Gift & Media Store is open! Located at 477 Washington St. (Rte. 117) Coventry. We are completely volunteer-staffed, with profits used to support the St. Vincent de Paul Society. We have a beautiful

selection of gifts, books, jewelry, and cards. For more information call 401.823.4884. Hours of Operation: Tuesday, 12:00-5:00PM, Thursday, 10:00AM-2:00PM, and Saturday, 10:00AM-3:00PM.

#### A message from the Office of Life and Family of the Diocese of Providence

Are you or someone you know a victim of verbal, psychological or physical abuse? Most suffer in silence and are threatened, fearful and embarrassed to reach out for



help. Married people may feel confused about how the church might respond due to their marital vows. The Office of Life and Family wants to raise awareness and provide support, information, and resources for those struggling from abuse. Maybe you just want to talk? Please call 401.421.7833 ext. 218 or ext 217.

## Some random thoughts ....

We – it seems – always want a 'go-between' when it comes to God relating with us. Something that isn't possible. The message that Jesus proclaims is that God relates with us directly. Nothing can come between God and us (note Romans 8). Our first reading from Deuteronomy gives us an example of this human tendency. We resist relating directly with God because it can be uncomfortable. Those who claim leadership positions encourage our resistance so that they can protect their power and prestige. Jesus ignores their complaints against him and continues to proclaim God's desire to relate with us directly. God is good.

**Parish Updates:** The Catholic Charity Appeal will take place in the first part of the Lenten Season. Please note: Due to the pandemic, Ash Wednesday (which falls on February 17<sup>th</sup>), will be different. We will remind everyone to 'Turn away from sin and believe in the Gospel.' but we will not be placing ashes on individual foreheads. We will offer however two Masses: 9:00 am and 6:00 pm, to invite all into the Lenten season.

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### **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** has gone "Virtual"!

To support married couples during this time of social distancing, WWME is sponsoring virtual marriage experiences. Some are on weekends

and some span multiple weeks. Couples will explore their individual personality styles, improve listening and communication skills, understand God's plan for their marriage, and learn how to keep their relationship a priority. Registration is limited and a \$100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call at or visit them at https://wwmema.org/. Upcoming WWME experiences are February 12-14, 2021 in East Hartford, CT and February 22-March 15, 2021 in VIRTUAL 3RE, NY

#### Can You Cook a Meal for the Homeless?

The homeless are served at the West Meals Warwick Gazebo seven times a week. Homeless If you would like to help or would like more information, please contact Sister Anne, eden.sisteranne@yahoo.com, 401.269.9891, or Andrea Smith, 401.339.5867, helpthehomelessri@gmail.com



2020 Statements of annual giving for tax reporting purposes are available by calling the church office at 401.821.9228 or email request to ctkwwri@cox.net

