

Saturday, May 15: Vigil, Seventh Sunday of Easter 4:00 p.m. Muriel Picard (†), Birthday

Remembrance, req. by her family.

<u>Sunday, May 16:</u> Seventh Sunday of Easter 8:00 a.m.

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

Monday, May 17: Easter Weekday

9:00 a.m. Mary Murphy, req. by her daughter, Maureen Tierney.

<u>Tuesday, May 18:</u> Saint John I, Pope and Martyr 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday, May 19: Easter Weekday 9:00 a.m. For the People of the Parish.

Thursday, May 20: Saint Bernardine of Siena, Priest 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, May 22: Vigil, Pentecost Sunday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 23: Pentecost Sunday

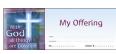
8:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. Leo Lavallee (†), req. by his 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.





DONATIONS FOR THE WEEK

May 8 & 9: \$3,263.00 May 8 & 9, Electronic: \$509.00

May M-T-D, CtK Building Maint. Collection: \$735.00

Second Collection, May 15 & 16: CYO/Youth Ministry

Through the work of the Youth Centers, Mother of Hope Camp, Catholic Scouting and Catholic Athletics, activities and opportunities are provided for the youth of this area which includes our parish. We *Thank You* for your generous support.

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

Wednesday, May 19

Parish Finance Council Zoom Meeting

6:30PM

Charity

Church of Christ the King Parish Goal: \$30,400.00

Many have responded to the CCA; on behalf of those served by the ministries and services funded by the CCA, we thank you for your gifts.

If you received a mailing from the Office of Stewardship and Development, you may mail the special pledge card in the response envelope provided to make your gift or you may place that envelope in the collection basket at mass. All gifts, regardless of size, help to make a difference in the lives of so many.

Faith. Academics. Service.

Catholic School Tuition Financial Assistance

Once again, Church of Christ the King will make available financial aid for families supporting their children in Catholic School Education. Active parishioners may call or email (ctkwwri@cox.net) the office to request an application. Once the Parish has received the necessary information from the Diocese (based on FACTs) an appointment will be made with Fr. Tim (appointments will be set up in early June). We ask that those applying for tuition assistance meet the following criteria:

- Participate in the faith and sacramental life of the Parish including the celebration of the mass;
- Demonstrate need by use of the Diocesan Financial Aid Application process (FACTs);
- Volunteer in parish ministries/activities.

Readings for the Week

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-

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Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a **Wednesday**: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab;

Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11;

Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab;

Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25 **Sunday**: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:

1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30;

Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39

Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20:19-23 or

Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15



Faith Formation 2021/2022 Registration

An email has been sent to all families previously in the program with a link to

register for the 2021/2022 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 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!

Unfortunately <u>Grandma's Attic</u> remains closed indefinitely due to the pandemic.





Electronic Giving

A convenient, consistent way to help our church grow

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 **30** 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 your 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.

Can You Cook a Meal for the Homeless?

The homeless are served at the West Warwick Gazebo seven times a week.

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



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.

Some random thoughts

Dun Scotus (a Franciscan theologian who lived in the 13th century) coined a term: 'this-ness'. He speaks of our need to begin with the particular so that we can gradually accept the general. Often, it is the particular (or 'this-ness') that troubles us, and not the general. He references the Incarnation as 'the scandal of the particular' (or 'this-ness'). The writer of the First Letter of John captures 'this-ness' with the insight that if we say that we love God but hate another person, we are liars. God is good.

Parish Updates: We have received word (from the Diocese, the governor, and the Department of Heath) that many COVID-19 restrictions are relaxed. The restrictions that **continue** are, mask wearing and receiving from the cup. However, social distancing reduces from 6 feet, to 3 feet. (This means that the tape no longer sticks to the benches.) Our hymnals are back in the benches. We restart passing the collection basket. Parishioners are free to carry the gifts (bread and wine) forward during the preparation of the gifts. We eliminate the restrictions regarding the reception of Communion. Choirs can restart.

fr. tim

"To change the world we must be good to those who cannot repay us." ~ Pope Francis



Westbay Community Action's <u>Can O' Peas Program</u> is a free monthly food delivery service for the elderly, disabled and/or homebound population of Kent County, RI. This program allows those who are unable to get out and get their own groceries, to receive a monthly delivery of goods from our food pantry right to their home! If you or someone you know may be interested in this service, please reach out to Katie at 401.921.5142.

Mother of Hope Camp, 1589 Putnam Pike (aka Route 44), Chepachet, RI 02814

Summer 2021 Registration is now open!
Some financial aid is available. Live, Learn, Grow!
For more information or to register visit:
www.motherofhopecamp.com or call 401.568.3580.

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.

