### Mass Intentions for the Week



Saturday, August 20: Vigil, 21st Sunday, Ordinary Time 4:00 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Picard (†), req. by the Rapose family.

Sunday, August 21: 21st Sunday, Ordinary Time 9:30 a.m. Rev. Wilfrid G. Gregoire (†), req. by Norman and Therese Benton.

Monday, August 22: The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 a.m. **Josephine Cunniffe (†)**, Anniversary, req. by her sister.

<u>Tuesday, August 23:</u> Weekday, Ordinary Time 8:30 a.m. A Special Intention.

Wednesday, August 24: Saint Bartholomew, Apostle 8:30 a.m. No Mass

Thursday, August 25: Weekday, Ordinary Time 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Anthony

<u>Friday, August 26:</u> Weekday, Ordinary Time 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Anthony

<u>Saturday, August 27:</u> Vigil, 22nd Sunday, Ordinary Time 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 28: 22nd Sunday, Ordinary Time
 9:30 a.m. Theresa Lacroix (†), Ninth Anniversary, req. by her daughter and family.

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 **Donald Parry**

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

### Readings for the Week

Monday: 2 Thes1:1-5, 11-12; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 4-5;

Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday: 2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17; Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13;

Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday: Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18;

Jn 1:45-51

**Thursday**: 1 Cor 1:1-9; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 24:42-51 **Friday**: 1 Cor 1:17-25; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11; Mt 25:

1-13

Saturday: 1 Cor 1:26-31; Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20-21;

Mt 25:14-30

**Sunday**: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11;

Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14

Dear Parishioners,

In St. Luke's Gospel 21:1-38, there is a line where it states that "Jesus simply observed." Please know



your pastor is not saying that "I am Jesus," but after a few very long months, I am kind of tired, but nothing that a few days can't cure.

At our parishes, Christ the King and St. Anthony's Picnic, I sat on my gravity chair simply observing, a part of me said, "Go around and say hi to the people and the other part said, just observe."

To be honest with you, for the first time, even before the mergers, I let the stress and anxiety that come with this difficult process, go!

I loved watching everyone together. I am always mindful of the differences of the two parishes that I have been entrusted with, but we are Catholics and that is the only thing that matters.

I loved watching people who haven't seen each other for years, reconnect, I loved watching the joking around of our cooks and servers, I loved the children on the waterslide! P.S. I was going to go down the waterslide, then I saw the water and I said, "No way, kid's germs, gross!" lol

I love the fact, because of your sacrifice and support of your parishes, we were able to do this. As your pastor, I want to take this opportunity to sincerely thank everyone involved, may this be the first of many endeavors together.

I truly delegate to God, our Father, our King, what I cannot express in words, which is my heartfelt gratitude.

Sincerely yours in Christ, Fr. Victor



### **DONATIONS FOR THE WEEK**

August 14: \$2,049.00 August 14 - Electronic: \$478.00

August 14, Church of Christ the King

Building Maintenance Fund: \$627.00

## Second Collection, August 20 & 21: Mission Co-Op The Xaverian Missionary Society of Mary

The Xaverian Missionary Sisters dedicate themselves to the service of God and humanity. All their activities are undertaken for the purpose of making the Good News available to non-Christian people, especially through the ministries of: Pastoral, Catechetical, Education, Medical, and Social as needed in each Country. They are currently working in Italy, the USA, Mexico, N & S Brazil, the D.R. of Congo, Burundi, Cameroun, Chad, Japan, and Thailand.

# Faith Formation Register today!! Forms are available online.

### **Faith Formation**

Registration for the 2022-2023 school year is underway!

Classes will be held at St. Anthony Church Hall, 1 Sunset Ave., West Warwick. Family events will take place at Christ the King.

The registration form is available online or by calling either church office (CtK 401.821.9228 or SA 401.821.8342). Upon completion you may drop it into the collection basket at either parish or mail it to St. Anthony Church, 10 Sunset Ave., West Warwick, RI 02893. If you have any questions or would like additional information about the fall program, please contact Roberta Rybka, Faith Formation Coordinator, at 401.821.8342.

Father Silva will be celebrating some milestones this year:



10yrs. Pastor at St. Anthony's, 15 yrs. Ordained, and his 50th Birthday!

We will celebrate at 1:00PM on November 27, 2022 at the Valley Country Club. More information to follow.

The **Chorus of Kent County** is currently accepting new members! The group rehearses on Thursday nights from 7:00-9:00PM in Christ the King Church Hall, West Warwick. The fall season kicks off on Thursday, September 8, and new members can join through Septemer 22. No audition needed. Email chorusofkentcounty@gmail.com for more information.



St. Anthony Parish is having a fundraiser for the Portuguese American Monument at the RI Veterans Cemetery. Join us for "Pasta"

& Music" on Saturday, August 27, at 5:00pm in the rectory yard (weather permitting). Music by The Reginald Centracchio Quartet. Serving: Salad, Bread & Butter, Pasta & Meatballs, Water & Soda, Dessert, Cash Bar. Tickets \$25./Adults & \$15./Children 6-12. Tickets are available by calling either church office: SA 401.821.8342 or CTK 401.821.9228.

NEW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION REQUEST  Drop into the collection basket , mail to the parish office, or email the parish office and we will send you a registration package.
Name:
Street Address:
City/Town:Zip
Phone Email:

### Christ the King & St. Anthony Parish Mass Schedule Beginning July 1, 2022

The Mass Schedule will be:
Saturday Mass 4:00PM at Christ the King
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Sunday Mass 8:00AM in Portuguese at St. Anthony
Sunday Mass 9:30AM at Christ the King
Sunday Mass 11:00AM at St. Anthony
Monday Mass 8:30AM at Christ the King
Tuesday Mass 8:30AM at Christ the King
Wednesday—No Mass
Thursday Mass 8:30AM at St. Anthony
Friday Mass 8:30AM at St. Anthony

No Daily Mass on Holidays
Holy Day of Obligation Masses will be Announced

#### **Wedding Anniversary Celebration**



Project Hand Up / Be the Change is in need of New (unexpired and unopened) non-perishable food items (especially pasta, rice, dried goods, ...), paper



products, and toiletries . Donation bins are located at the church exits. For information on the services they provide visit their *Facebook* page.

### Christ the King Bazaar We Need Your Help!

We are looking for volunteers to chair several booths: Grandma's Attic, Jewelry, Candy, and Crafts. We have many volunteers willing to help out and support



our chair persons, but few willing to chair a booth. Please step up, we have plenty of experienced volunteers to train you! If you were unable to make the meeting and would like to help out in any way, please contact Candy Costa 401.826.7094, Bonnie Daly-Corbi 401.822.1518, the parish office 401.821.9228 or email ctkwwri@cox.net.



Our Next Meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 30, 2022 6:00PM in the Parish Center