



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, December 18: Vigil, Fourth Sunday of Advent
4:00 p.m. **Todd Blamires (†)**, Twenty Sixth Anniversary, req. by his family.

Sunday, December 19: Fourth Sunday of Advent
8:00 a.m. **George and Doris Henault (†)**, Christmas Remembrance, req. by their family.
10:00 a.m. **Mary and Richard Fortin (†)**, Christmas Remembrance, req. by their family.

Monday, December 20: Late Advent Weekday
9:00 a.m. **James and Julia Tierney (†)**, req. by family.

Tuesday, December 21: Late Advent Weekday
9:00 a.m. **Jon A. Tierney (†)**, First Anniversary, req. by Diane Bartlett.

Wednesday, December 22: Late Advent Weekday
9:00 a.m. For the People of the Parish

Thursday, December 23: Late Advent Weekday
9:00 a.m. **Josephine Tierney (†)**, req. by Maureen Tierney.

Friday, December 24: Vigil, The Nativity of the Lord
4:00 p.m.

Saturday, December 25: The Nativity of the Lord
10:00 a.m. **Ernest and Lodila Bourque (†)** and **Norma Loehr (†)**, req. by the Benton family.

Sunday, December 26: The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

8:00 a.m.
10:00 a.m. **Cleo Carrier (†)**, Birthday Remembrance, req. by the Migliozi family.

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



Thank You

DONATIONS FOR THE WEEK

December 5: \$2,076.00
Electronic, December 5: \$475.00

Collection, December 5, Church of Christ the King
Building Maintenance Fund: \$747.00

Collection, December 8, The Immaculate Conception, of the Blessed Virgin Mary: Unavailable

Collection, Dec. 12: Unavailable

2nd Collection, Dec. 12, Retired Religious: Unavailable

2nd Collection, December 25: Christmas Offering

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

Wednesday, December 22 **6:30PM**
Cub Scout 13 & Troop 31 Scout Meetings Parish Center

This week's sanctuary lamp burns for
Donald Parry, Stanley Plaziak, and Anita Plaziak

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



Mass Schedule for Christmas and New Year's

December 24 & 25, The Nativity of the Lord

Christmas Eve Mass, Friday, December 24 **4:00PM**
Christmas Day Mass, Saturday, December 25 **10:00AM**
There will be no 4:00PM Mass on Christmas Day.

December 26, The Holy Family of Jesus Mary and Joseph
Sunday, December 26 **8:00AM & 10:00AM**

January 1, Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God
New Years Day Mass, Saturday, January 1 **4:00PM**
There will be no Mass on Dec. 31 or the morning of Jan. 1.

Christmas 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 or honored, please PRINT their names on the back of the envelope, place the envelope in the collection basket at any Mass **this weekend**. A listing will be posted at the church entrances on Christmas.



Readings for the Week

Monday: Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a; Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21; Lk 1:39-45

Wednesday: 1 Sm 1:24-28; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd; Lk 1:46-56

Thursday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-34; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10, 14; Lk 1:57-66

Friday: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29; Lk 1:67-79

Saturday: Vigil: Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25 or Mt 1:18-25

Night: Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14

Dawn: Is 62:11-12; Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3:4-7; Lk 2:15-20
Day: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18 or Jn 1:1-5, 9-14

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10; Col 3:12-21 or Col 3:12-17, or 1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24; Lk 2:41-52





Faith Formation

If you have not joined the **BAND App** yet, please do so asap. Gina will use this App to keep parents informed. You may email Gina for the activation code. Classes will be held virtually during the winter months. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Gina Vessella, Faith Formation Coordinator at gvessella.ckww@gmail.com, call the parish office at 401.821.9228, or visit our parish website, ckwwri.org!

Virtual Class: January 9, 2022, 8:45AM

Virtual Class: January 23, 2022, 8:45AM

CtK Choir Rehearsals will be held on Sunday morning between the 8:00 and 10:00am Masses and this Wednesday evening at 7:00PM in the choir loft. For more information, please see Mia after the Sunday morning Mass.



2022 Calendars are available to all parishioners! Calendars will be at the church exits "while supplies last". Customized for our parish, we thank the **Iannotti Funeral Home** for their continued generosity in donating the calendars for our parishioners.



Grandma's Attic

**Shop Hours: Saturdays Only
9:00AM — 1:00PM**



Stop in to see all **The Attic** has to offer: Dishes, pots and pans, glassware, knick-knacks, small kitchen appliances, books, bed linens, picture frames, games, puzzles, handbags, children/adult shoes and clothing, Holiday Decorations, etc... Donations may be dropped off anytime during shop hours. Please do NOT leave donations outside. A donation receipt for tax purposes will be provided upon request.

Stop in ... You never know what treasures you will find in "the Attic"!!!



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.

For information on the services they provide please visit them on facebook.

For up-to-date parish information visit our Website: ckwwri.org

Some random thoughts

The story that Luke offers us concerning Mary (the annunciation, her visiting Elizabeth, the proclamation concerning God, the journey that she and Joseph make to Jerusalem, and the incarnation/visiting of the shepherds) point to mystery breaking into history. Mystery went out of style with the Age of Enlightenment. We felt everything – with time – can be explained by us. Mystery – like – God is infinite. It is not clear. We, at best, catch glimpses and sometimes (maybe often) our glimpses come from times in our lives that are less than pleasant. The mystics refer to these times as darkness, pain, dryness, suffering, nothing, etc. Luke tells us that Mary – like so many other people before and since – struggled with mystery and in her struggle somehow found an openness to God flowing through her. God is good.

Parish Updates: Christmas falls on a Saturday. We will offer a 4:00 Mass on Christmas Eve (a Friday) and a 10:00 on Christmas morning (a Saturday). There will be NO 4:00 Mass on Saturday afternoon and NO Reconciliation on Saturday afternoon. We will keep to our usual schedule on Sunday morning (8:00 & 10:00).

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Electronic Giving

Electronic Giving—A convenient, consistent way to help stabilize our finances. 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 be concerned 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 support is appreciated.

**Congratulations
Winner Week #24, Ticket #88
Francis Parente Jr.**

**CtK 25 Week
Club Winner**



**Advent increases our hope,
a hope which does not disappoint.
The Lord never lets us down.
~ Pope Francis**