

CHRIST THE KING

Catholic Church Wonder Lake, IL



PENTECOST
MAY 31, 2009

"Receive The Holy Spirit"

POINTS TO PONDER

From our Pastor—Fr. Sabo

Lord, send forth Thy Spirit & renew the face of the earth. Psalm 104

Never Fear the Fire, the Fruits or Fullness of God's Love!!!

The emotional obsession that we call "falling in love" is one of the highest of all human passions. It affects every aspect of our life. Concentration on other matters is all but impossible. All our emotional energy is spent on thinking about and being with the object of our love. It is the emotional dynamic that leads people to think of intimacy and dream of a happy marriage or holy ministry that will last forever. Almost every male and female couple experiences this emotional high in the early days of their marriage. Movies, magazines, and marketing techniques have convinced our society that this heightened emotional state - "being in love" - is supposed to last forever. If you lose it the marriage is doomed. If you find it with someone else, you will never be happy without him or her? Happiness has not been found. Our problem is that we are operating on the false premise that in order to be happy we must be in some euphoric emotional state constantly. Conversely, this Pentecost Sunday we celebrate something very familiar to those of us who favor God's Love! The challenge facing every committed Christian is to: **Never fear the fire, the fruits or the fullness of God's Love.**

*When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, they were all in one place together. And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong wind ... there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each of them (Acts of the Apostles 2:1-2). Rather than "falling in love," we need to favor the fire of God's love. **Pleasing to Him be my theme; I will be glad in the Lord (Ps.104).***

How do we become more familiar with the Fire of God's love? St. John of the Cross said that in order for a soul to have its will perfectly united with God's will, it must *detach and strip itself for God's sake of all that is not God.* While the Consoler is our gift from God, contrition is our gift to God. This is but the initial phase required for us to overcome our fear of the Fire of God's love. It gets us started. Contrition or sorrow for sin, is the spark that ignites the fire of God's love. What fire (no matter how large) would continue to burn without adding new wood or fuel to it? It is faithful refueling that keeps love alive in our hearts. We also know that there is a process that must be followed to build a hot bed of coals. If we build a hot enough fire and then continue to add fuel and stoke the fire, it will be almost impossible to put the fire out, even in the rain. We know for a fact that there will be rain, so **our job is to learn how to keep this fire going even during the rain.** Thus we pray: ***Lord, send forth Thy Spirit & renew the face of the earth – Psalm 104.***

Only in heaven shall we be totally free from all fear of the fire of God's love. Nevertheless, we need to know some of the fruits flowing from our fellowship with the Holy Spirit. Here we have a foretaste of eternal happiness in the measure in which we are faithful. When a disciple is docile to the inspirations of the Holy Spirit, they become that good tree which is known by its fruits. While the fruits of God's love are countless, St. Paul in the Second Reading indicates twelve: ***love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, gentleness, self-control, faithfulness, modesty, continence, and chastity*** (Galatians 5:22-25). This process of keeping the fire going (keeping the spiritual tank filled) does not simply "come naturally." It does not just happen. Some Christians never learn how to keep the fire stoked up and have no clue as to what type of fuel to use. Too many go and grab a big wet log when they suspect the fire is going out and then wonder why they are having trouble getting the fire going. In the words of St. Cyprian: *take from it the sap of suffering and of resignation (i.e., patient endurance) and it will lose its roots and its vigor. To bear much fruit as a result of the fire of God's love, be prepared for some pruning!* It is the heart enkindled by the Fire of God's love that does not fear the power of God, purifying it of all disordered desires, inordinate attachments and love of comfort, rather

than the Cross. Thus we pray: ***Lord, send forth Thy Spirit & renew the face of the earth – Psalm 104.***

*Let love be the soul and basis of everything. But you are aware that, like fire, Divine Love is unquenchable, that it ever asks for more, and consumes everything that is foreign to it by inflicting pain (St. Peter Julian Eymard). **Never fear the fullness of God's love** – hence the meaning of the words: ***I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now*** (St. John 16:12). Rather than flee from the fire of God's love, the gift of the Holy Spirit helps us to be free to become more familiar with the power of Pentecost. Where is this fullness of love to be found? In accord with the human standard, this fullness of love is found in the Sacrament of Matrimony: in the one-flesh union between one man and one woman. In accord with the heavenly standard, the fullness of love is found in our communion with Christ Jesus—truly present in the Holy Eucharist. It should humble us to hear that the Holy Spirit wants to ignite our hearts with the Fire of God's love! When St. Francis was in the presence of the Most Blessed Sacrament he would exclaim: *Look at God's condescension, my brothers!* Despite whatever difficulties distract us from discovering the ***Spirit of Truth***, the good news is that anyone can learn how to keep this fire going. The sad news is that many never try to learn because they live under the illusion that love is supposed to stay alive by itself. Such thinking makes people prisoners of their own passions. The truth is that what we celebrate this Pentecost Sunday is the gift of God's Holy Spirit, that God the Father sent on His Church to begin the teaching of the Gospel. ***When He comes, the Spirit of Truth, He will guide you to all truth***, beginning with this one: that love is fueled by our commitment to seek even in the midst of hardships—**the Fire of God's Love.***



Thus united with the Apostles and the Blessed Virgin Mary we pray:

Lord, send forth Thy Spirit & renew the face of the earth – Psalm 104.

Scripture Readings for the Week

1	Mon	Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8/Mk 12:1-12
2	Tue	Tb 2:9-14/Mk 12:13-17
3	Wed	Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Mk 12:18-27
4	Thu	Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Mk 12:28-34
5	Fri	Tb 11:5-17/Mk 12:35-37
6	Sat	Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Mk 12:38-44
7	SUN	Dt4:32-34, 39-40/Rom8:14-17 Mt28:16-20

FROM OUR CRE

Prayer for Summer Break

Lord, what about You and me? I don't want to forget You just because I'm off my normal school-year routine. Keep close to me, Lord, and remind me that my relationship with You should never take a break. Amen. © 2004 Christianity Today, Inc

R.E. Office Closed for the Summer

Please direct all calls to the Parish Office at 815-653-2561.

Practice Your Faith

Use your summer to draw closer to Jesus, through the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Holy Eucharist and weekly or daily Mass. As Father Sabo says, "Don't take a Vacation from your Vocation!"

Have a fun, safe and holy summer!

Please check this section for updates and new information every Sunday throughout the summer for the 2009-2010 R.E. season and other information as it becomes available.

Registration Forms for 2009-2010 School Year are Coming Soon! They will be available NEXT WEEKEND in the magazine rack in the main entry of church and the on bulletin board next to the R.E. office in the school corridor.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL

Thanks!

Our most heartfelt thanks to all those who continue to support our ministry to the poor here at Christ the King. **I also invite you to make a special effort to attend one of our meetings; you will be most welcome.** We meet on the second and fourth Saturday of each month, immediately after the 8:00 am mass, in the classroom on the south end of the school building. Our next two meetings are:

Saturday, June 13, 8:30 a.m.

Saturday, June 27, 8:30 a.m.

If you would like more information about St. Vincent de Paul, please call me at (815) 653-4509.

Joe Ziemann, President



Sunday Walk on Parish Grounds— May 31 & June 28

Members of the parish and neighborhood have been working several years now to improve the condition of our unused acres. Trash removal, thinning of woody plants, controlled burning, and seeding with local native species are ongoing. John Shiel will lead several short walks over parish lands to acquaint parishioners with this project and the results achieved so far. If you're curious, join us outside the classroom doors at 11:15 a.m. after Sunday Masses on May 31 or June 28. We'll keep it to 45 minutes max, light terrain only. Favorite walking shoes are suggested.

YOUR "KNIGHT-LY" NEWS

Interested in the Knights?

For more information about the Knights of Columbus, call Mr. Steve Saunders, our Grand Knight, at 815-653-7130. Keep up on K of C activities by visiting our website at: kofc.christthekingchurch.org



Join us for our Cancer Survivors Mass Next Sunday, June 7th at 10 a.m.

Knights Slate New Officers

Grand Knight: Tom Armbrust
Deputy Grand Knight: Carl Scarim
Recording Secretary: Paul Peterson
Financial Secretary: Juan Enriquez
Treasurer: John Kaminski
Advocate: Joe Nuval
Warden: Ed Stygar
Outside Guard: Brett Callow
Inside Guard: Ron McCarty
Chancellor: Roman Myszczyk
Trustee 1st Year: Steve Saunders
Trustee 2nd Year: Jerry Benzschawel
Trustee 3rd Year: Joe Kotarba

**Fraternal Year
begins July 1**

Next Meeting—June 15—7:30 p.m.

OUR LADY'S LADIES

Next Meeting—Monday, June 8

after the 7:00 p.m. Mass in the St. Therese Room (second from Church). All the ladies who participated in last month's **Salad & Dessert Pot Luck and Robber's Bunco Event** had a great time! One participant said, "I laughed until my sides hurt! We need to do this again soon!" Why not join us this month and share your ideas for future social events. We know the value of time (yours and ours) and want to provide activities that honor those values.



LEGION OF MARY

Meeting Every Saturday at 10 a.m. in the Father Tranel Meeting Room (at the back of the church.) Men and Women are invited to learn more about this society by attending a meeting soon!

INVEST IN THE FUTURE

The Catholic Foundation

This is a fantastic way to get an excellent return on your money and get a tax deduction, while making a planned gift in the future. If you go to www.stewardshiprockford.org, then follow the links to the calculator to determine the return on your money. Links = Planned Giving...Gift Calculator...GiftCalcs logo.... Insert your numbers to determine your rate of return. For more information your local CTK contact is: **Chuck Valle 815-337-1952.**

OPPORTUNITIES

Pro-Life Mass—June 2

“The greatest destroyer of peace today is abortion.” Mother Teresa of Calcutta

In the Diocese of Rockford, Catholics come together monthly for a time of prayer and celebration of the Holy Mass offered for the protection of all life and for the end to abortion. The June Mass will be at **St. Thomas Aquinas Church, 1400 Kiwanis Drive, Freeport, IL 61032**. Rosary begins at 6:40 p.m. and Mass at 7:00 p.m. For information call (815) 399-4300 ext. 382 **Prayer does make a difference. Please join us!!**

Festival of Praise—June 3

Come and praise our Lord through song and Scripture on Wednesday, June 3rd at 7:30 p.m. at the Church of Holy Apostles, 5211 W. Bull Valley Rd., McHenry. It's a beautiful, fun night of reflection and praise for the whole family. Admission is free, refreshments will be served. For more information please call 815-385-LORD

SUMMER CAMPS



The Vocation Office of the Diocese of Rockford is once again sponsoring fun filled summer camps at Bishop Lane Retreat Center in Rockford:

St. Theresa Camp for young women in 7th grade thru college age will take place from July 26-29.

Jeremiah Days for boys entering 7-9 grades will take place July 12-15.

First Call Retreat for young men entering 10th grade thru college will take place August 2-5.

The cost is only \$75. More information is available at www.rockvoc.org or at the Diocesan Vocation Office 815-399-4300 Extension 387.

MARIAN CENTRAL INVITATION

Marian Central Golf Outing



JUNE 17, 2009

Marian Central is celebrating their

Golden Anniversary at their annual Golf Outing at Crystal Woods.

The event benefits the school's athletic programs. Cost for the event is \$125 and includes golf, carts, box lunch and dinner. Registration is at 10 a.m. with a shotgun start at 11 a.m. Contact the Development Office 815-338-4220 x 125.

TRAVEL

Observer Trip Rescheduled

Fatima, Lourdes, Barcelona—Sept. 7-15, 2009—Hurry space is still available for a limited time! For more information call Sue at 815-399-4300 ext. 383

Catholic Cruise—October 3-10

Sail away on a 7-Night Catholic Exotic Western Caribbean Cruise with Fr. Robert Murphy, Oct. 3-10, 2009. Ports of Call are: Cozumel, Belize, Costa Maya (Mexico), and Nassau (Bahamas). Prices begin at \$991 for two passengers which includes all port fees and taxes. Daily Mass and Rosary offered. Deposits of \$50 per person reserves your cabin. Contact: Doug or Eileen at 860-399-1785 or payttc@aol.com

LEARN SPIRITUAL COMPANIONING

FREE Information Nights

If you feel God calling you to journey with others on their sacred Christian walk, now is the time to answer the call! Innermission, a ministry of contemplative prayer and spirituality, will open its next 2 year certificate class, the School for Spiritual Companioning (SSC), in February of 2010. Students who have been certified as Spiritual Directors through SSC, as well as SSC faculty, will be on hand during the FREE information nights to meet with you personally, answer your questions, and share specifics about their ministry. Pre-registration is required. Call 630-879-3225, INNERMISSION now to get the list of upcoming SSC info nights or go to www.innermissions.org.

CALLED & CHOSEN



“Lord send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.” The Spirit comes into our marriage like the tongues of fire came to the

apostles. Bring the Spirit into your marriage. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are:

June 12-14 in Rockford, IL

July 24-26 in Brookfield, WI

Sept 18-20 in Rockford, IL and

Oct 9-11 in Madison, WI

Dates fill fast, early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: alifetimeoflove.org or call **(888) 574-5653**. For a weekend in Spanish June 5-7 & Oct. 9-11 contact Hugo & Gaby at (630) 690-2094.

College Student Summer

Gathering—June 16—6:30-8 p.m.

There are many choices out there. The Bible contains a great deal of practical wisdom and provides guidance in your career choices. All college students are invited to come to a special presentation by Fr. Steve Knox at St. Mary Church, 10307 Dundee Rd., Huntley. RSVP to Elizabeth at 847-669-5612.

Summer Sales

Community Garage Sale—June 6

Turn your unwanted items into cash by renting a space in the Holy Apostle Parking Lot on Sat. June 6 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. \$10 for one space and \$15 for a double space. Proceeds benefit the Teen Mission Trip in July.

Toys & Books Needed—June 5-7

Donate your gently used books and toys to the sale to benefit Noah's Ark Preschool and Youth Program at Holy Apostles.

For details on items above call Church of Holy Apostles 815-385-5673.

St. Mary Rummage Sale McHenry—June 18-20

Be sure to stop at Montini Middle School, 1405 N. Richmond Road (Route 31 North) for the largest Rummage Sale in our area. Thirteen rooms of quality merchandise will be available. Hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Thursday and Friday and from 9 a.m. to Noon on Saturday. Friday is half price day and on Saturday, clothing and books will be \$1 or \$2 per bag. For information please call Traci Stevens 815-385-5631, Mary Kay Welter 815-385-3281 or St. Mary's Parish Office at 815-385-0024.

How can I share MY Talents?
Call for more information about:
Bereavement Ministry

Michael-Maria Leary 815-728-1989

Building & Grounds

Lou Karmas 815-728-8047

Choirs

5 p.m. Mary Beth Valle 815-337-1952

8 a.m. Sue Keener 815-728-0672

10 a.m. Marie McQuillin 815-728-0254

Door-to-Door Ministry Contact

Bob Anderson 815-653-9865

Extraordinary Ministers

Terri Gilmer 815-728-0900

Finance Council

John Shiel 815-653-9377

Colleen Dumais 815-648-4911

Bill Pilarski 815-653-2514

Jim Bronson 815-653-1127

Knights of Columbus Council #8473

Steve Saunders 815-653-7130

Land Stewardship Committee

John Shiel 815-653-9377

Legion of Mary

Phyllis Hartline 815-260-3637

Liturgical Environment

Alice Ziemann 815-653-4509

Liturgy

Father Sabo 815-653-2561

Library

Carole Woodward 815-728-1271

Meals on Wheels

Barb Dicker 815-653-9524

Public Action to Deliver Shelter (P.A.D.S.)

Lynn Bauer 815-728-0150

Parish Council

Chuck Valle 815-337-1952

Parish Photographer & Publicity

Bill McKinney 815-728-1878

Respect Life Ministry

Colleen Dumais 815-648-4911

Religious Ed./Youth Ministry

Robyn Bachmann 815-653-2581

R.C.I.A.

Father Sabo 815-653-2561

Sacristy

Phyllis Hartline 815-260-3637

St. Vincent de Paul Society (for Assistance)

Help Line 815-653-2501

St. Vincent DePaul Soc. (become a member)

Joe Ziemann 815-653-4509

Society of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Nancy Russo 815-653-2075

Sunday Coffee Socials

Call Parish Office 815-653-2561

Welcome Committee Contacts

Cathy Kelter 815-363-9924 or

Trudie Gohl 815-653-7661

SHARING TALENTS THIS WEEKEND

Bulletin Inserts Fri., May 29—Mary K. Yager
Saturday and Sunday, May 30-31

Lectors: 5 p.m. Michael-Maria Leary
8 a.m. Jim Bronson
10 a.m. Jenny Nellessen

Extraordinary Ministers:

5 p.m. Diane Brenner
8 a.m. Colleen Dumais
Pam Ruzicka
10 a.m. Pat Veroldt
Patt Von Bergen

Altar Server: 5 p.m. Tom Bossow
8 a.m. Thomas Wilson
10 a.m. Victor Nellessen

Money Counters:

Rick Justen, Mary Justen, Jerry Palko

SHARING TREASURE



*That He may be Lord
of our lives and King
of our hearts!*

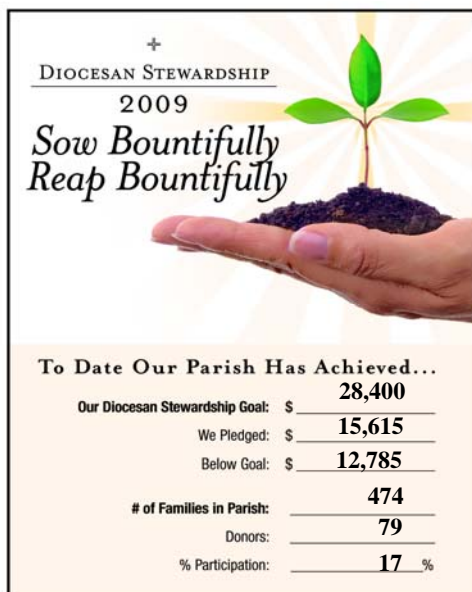
5/20/09 through 5/26/09

Due to holiday schedules, these figures were
unavailable at time of printing. Figures for two
weeks will be published in next week's bulletin.

Bills Paid 5/20/09 through 5/26/09.....\$8,052.44

Our Lady of Good Remedy, pray for us!

Would you like to make a gift to our Parish
Endowment Accounts? Go to
www.FoundationRockford.org
Click on "Endowment Gifts" and then scroll
to "Wonder Lake" and click on Christ the
King." Thanks!



Weekday Masses:

Monday 7:00 p.m.

Tues, Wed., Thurs., and Fri.: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday: 8:00 a.m.

To fulfill Sunday/Holiday Obligation

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

Holy Day: 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Confessions:

Saturdays: 8:30 a.m. and at 3:45 p.m.

Sundays: 9:15 a.m.

Mondays: 6:30 p.m.

Tuesdays from 7:15 p.m.

Wednesdays through Fridays 7:30 a.m.

First Fridays: 8:30 a.m.

Also by appointment,
call Father Sabo 815-653-2561.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mondays 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Tuesdays 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Wednesdays through Sundays 7-8 a.m.

Saturdays also at 3:45-4:45 p.m.

Also, on the First Friday of each month,
adoration begins immediately following the
8:00 a.m. Mass and ends at Noon

Religious Education

Classes for Grades Pre-K through High School
begin in September and end in May. Call
Religion Center 815-653-2581 to register.

Classes for Grades 5-High School,
Confirmation & RCIA meet 6:45-8 p.m. on
Wednesdays and Grades PK-4 meet from
8:50-9:50 a.m. every Sunday.

Staff

Pastor:

Father Steven Sabo 815-653-2561

Deacon:

Deacon Mark Raz 815-653-2561

Coordinator of Religious Education:

Mrs. Robyn Bachmann 815-653-2581

Secretary/Bookkeeper:

Mrs. Mary K. Yager 815-653-2561

Parish Office Information

Address: 5006 E. Wonder Lake Rd.
Wonder Lake, IL 60097

Hours: 8:30 a.m.—3:00 pm.

Mon., Tues., Wed., & Friday

Phone: 815-653-2561

Email: Mary K. Yager—

ctksecretary@comcast.net

Robyn Bachmann—

ctkcre@comcast.net

Fax: 815-653-9401

Website:

<http://www.christthekingchurch.org>

R. E. Office Information

R. E. Office Phone: 815-653-2581

Church Hall Phone: 815-728-1259

Mass Intentions for the Week Ahead

Monday, June 1—St. Justin

7 p.m. Deceased Members of the Ruggero-Kiss Families req. by Dr. & Mrs. Santo Ruggero

Tuesday, June 2—Ss. Marcellinus & Peter

8 a.m. Larry Goulet and Dick Berner req. by Mary Jean Goulet

Wednesday, June 3—St. Charles Lwanga & his companions

8 a.m. John Bigelow req. by Len & Helen Biedermann

Thursday, June 4

8 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. James Mc Nicholas req. by John & Win Flanagan

Friday, June 5—St. Boniface

8 a.m. David Beaver-Crews req. by Mom & Dad

Saturday, June 6—St. Norbert

8 a.m. Anna & Anthony Morici req. by Julie Morici

5 p.m. Rita Marie Stygar req. by husband Roman, nephew Ed & Family

Sunday, June 7—Most Holy Trinity

8 a.m. For The People of the Parish
10 a.m. Cancer Survivors req. by K of C Council #8473



Ministry Schedule Next Week

Bulletin Inserts Fri., June 5-Christine Peterson

Saturday and Sunday, June 6-7

Lectors: 5 p.m. Lynn Bauer
8 a.m. John Shiel
10 a.m. Pat Verlodt

Extraordinary Ministers:

5 p.m. Phyllis Hartline
Randy Hartline
8 a.m. John Carran
Caryn Shiel
10 a.m. Terri Gohl
Lynn Knaack

Altar Server: 5 p.m. Server Needed
8 a.m. Patrick Sullivan
10 a.m. Glen Gilmer

Money Counters:

Adrian Scarim, A.J. Nowoj, Joe Nuval



Sanctuary Light Dedication

May 25 – June 7, 2009

Mr. & Mrs. James Mc Nicholas through the generosity of John & Win Flanagan

Each candle is blessed before it is burned.

PETITION

Book of Prayer

Please write all your prayer intentions in the book provided near the main entry. In gratitude we pray for **Jeremy Trowbridge, Keith Romke and Jacob Valle** as well as all those studying for service in the Church.



Pray For Our Military Personnel

We ask God to bless all those serving in the armed forces particularly:

- 1st Lt. Rosa Castillo (USAF)
- Kenneth Ebacher (ARMY)
- Micah Grosskopf (USAF)
- Laura Hrdlicka (USN)
- 1 Lt. Therese M. Janecke (ARMY)
- John C. Kurchina (ARMY)
- MSgt. Michael Litt (USAF)
- Christopher Lorr (USAF)
- Michael Lorr (USAF)
- Steve T. Lowe (USN)
- Jeffrey Metcalf (USAF)
- Lt. Joseph Mongelluzzo (ARMY)
- CW2 Brent H. Peters (ARMY)
- SPC Eric Roge (ARMY)
- Lt. Col. Daniel Thoele (USMC)
- Capt. Tim Ungaro (ARMY)
- 2 Lt. Nathan Valle (USAF)
- Sgt. Richard J. Vicere (USMC)
- SSgt. William R. Vincent (USAF)
- PFC Rodney Ward (USMC)

To add a loved one's name to this list contact the Parish Office 815-653-2561.

Prayer for Our Troops

*Lord, hold our troops
In Your loving hands.*

Protect them as they protect us.

Bless them and their families

For the selfless acts they perform

For us in our time of need, and

Bring them home safely.

May their sacrifices bring about

A lasting and just peace in those lands.

*I ask this in the name of Jesus,
our Lord and Savior. Amen.*

ROSARY

Come Pray with Us!

- ☪ Monday—6:30 p.m.
(before 7:00 p.m. Mass)
- ☪ Tuesday through Sunday at 7:30 a.m.
(before the 8:00 a.m. Mass)
- ☪ Saturday at 4:30 p.m.
(before the 5:00 p.m. Mass)



SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Sunday, May 31, Pentecost Sunday

- Adoration 7-8 a.m.
- Rosary 7:30 a.m.
- Masses 8 a.m and 10 a.m.
- Confessions 9:30 a.m.
- Coffee Social 9-Noon
- W.L. Neighbors' Pantry Weekend

Monday, June 1—St. Justin

- Rosary 6:30 p.m.
- Confessions 6:30 p.m.
- Mass 7:00 p.m.
- Adoration 7:30—8:30 p.m.
- Narcotics Anonymous 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, June 2—St. Marcellinus & St. Peter

- Rosary 7:30 a.m.
- Mass 8:00 a.m.
- Scripture Study 9 a.m.
- AA Meeting 7:00 p.m.
- Adoration/Confessions 7-8 p.m.

Wednesday, June 3—St. Charles Lwanga and companions

- Adoration 7-8 a.m.
- Rosary 7:30 a.m.
- Confessions 7:30 a.m.
- Mass 8:00 a.m.

Thursday, June 4

- Adoration 7-8 a.m.
- Rosary 7:30 a.m.
- Confessions 7:30 a.m.
- Mass 8:00 a.m.
- AA Meeting 10:00 a.m.
- Hickory Falls #3, 7 p.m.

Friday, June 5—St. Boniface

- *First Friday*
- Rosary 7:30 a.m.
- Mass 8:00 a.m.
- Adoration 8:30 to Noon
- Confessions 8:30 a.m.
- TOPS 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, June 6—St. Norbert

- Adoration 7-8 a.m. & 3:45-4:45 p.m.
- Rosary 7:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.
- Mass 8:00 a.m. & 5 p.m.
- Confessions 8:30 a.m. & 3:45 p.m.
- Legion of Mary Mtg. 10 a.m.
- SVdP Pantry Weekend

Sunday, June 7—The Most Holy Trinity

- Adoration 7-8 a.m.
- Rosary 7:30 a.m.
- Masses 8 a.m and 10 a.m.
- Confessions 9:30 a.m.
- Coffee Social 9-Noon
- SVdP. Pantry



Just Moved into the Area?

New parishioners are most welcome! Register at the parish office or call for a registration form 815-653-2561.

Wish to Enroll in Religious Education Classes?

You and your children are always welcome in our programs. Contact Robyn Bachmann at the religious education office 815-653-2581.

Would you like a visit?

If you or a loved one are homebound and would like to receive a visit so that you may receive the sacraments, just call the parish office 815-653-2561.

Have you moved or changed phone numbers?

We need your help to keep parish information up-to-date. Contact parish office 815-653-2561.

PLEASE NOTE!!

In the Hospital?

If you or a loved one are in the hospital, please call the parish office 815-653-2561 immediately. Due to privacy laws, the hospitals do not notify us when you are admitted. We want to visit those in the hospital, but need to hear from you.

Want more Information about Sacraments?

Baptisms take place by appointment. Meet with Father Sabo at least three months before making any other arrangements 815-653-2561

1st Confession-1st Holy Communion or Confirmation: Contact the Religious Education office 815-653-2581.

Marriage: Preparation for Catholic wedding ceremony in the Diocese of Rockford takes place in steps over a period of at least 6 months. Therefore, meet with Father Sabo at least 6 months before making any other arrangements such as flowers, reception etc.

Anointing of the Sick is a sacrament of healing and comfort. Call the parish office as soon as someone becomes ill. Also, for chronic illnesses, this sacrament is offered twice a year. Watch the bulletin or call the parish office 815-653-2561 for more information.

Holy Orders: If you feel that God is calling you to begin the process of becoming a priest, contact Father Sabo at the parish office 815-653-2561.

Seeking more information about the Catholic faith?

Our R.C.I.A (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) team is always ready to help folks understand the teachings, rituals and practices of the Catholic faith. Call Fr. Sabo 815-653-2561.

Homilies Now on the Web

Father Sabo's homilies are now available in video as well as audio only format on our parish website at:

www.christthekingchurch.org.

Just click on "Media" and choose from the A/V options.

Podcast Now Available

You may now view and sign up for podcasts of each Sunday's Gospel reading and Father Sabo's Homily at the I-Tunes store. There is no charge for this subscription. Just go to:

<http://itunes.apple.com/WebObjects/MZStore.woa/wa/viewPodcast?id=309834112>

WORD OF LIFE

[The new Washington State law legalizing assisted suicide] represents a dangerous new assault on the culture of life. Of special concern is the threat that legalizing assisted suicide poses for vulnerable persons, who are already at risk of marginalization by an individualistic and utilitarian perspective of life. Those most at risk from this dangerous change in public policy are elderly persons, those without adequate health care, people with disabilities and those with no family support system. --Bishops of Washington State, "Respecting Life at the End of Life"

OUR CUP OVERFLOWS



Vocation View

"There are different gifts, but the same Spirit." Each of us has been graced with certain gifts of the Spirit. They are active, if we utilize them for the building up of the Church. Name the way the Lord has gifted you.

We Feed the Hungry!

Christ the King is one of 12 churches in the area that deliver Meals on Wheels. Meals are picked up at Northern Illinois Medical Center in McHenry at 11:15 a.m. Delivery to the homebound takes approximately 60-90 minutes with no more than 8 stops. A detailed map is provided. Our dates for the next 11 months are:

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| ☉ June 29-July 3 | Nov. 16-20 |
| ☉ Aug. 3-7 | Dec. 21-24 |
| ☉ Sept. 8-11 | Jan. 25-29, 2010 |
| ☉ Oct. 12-16 | |

Time Priorities

God has given us time and energy and calls us to be stewards of these things. How do we use our time? Do we use it to pursue the kingdom of God or to advance ourselves in the world? Our use of time clearly reveals our prioritieswhat we consider important.

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