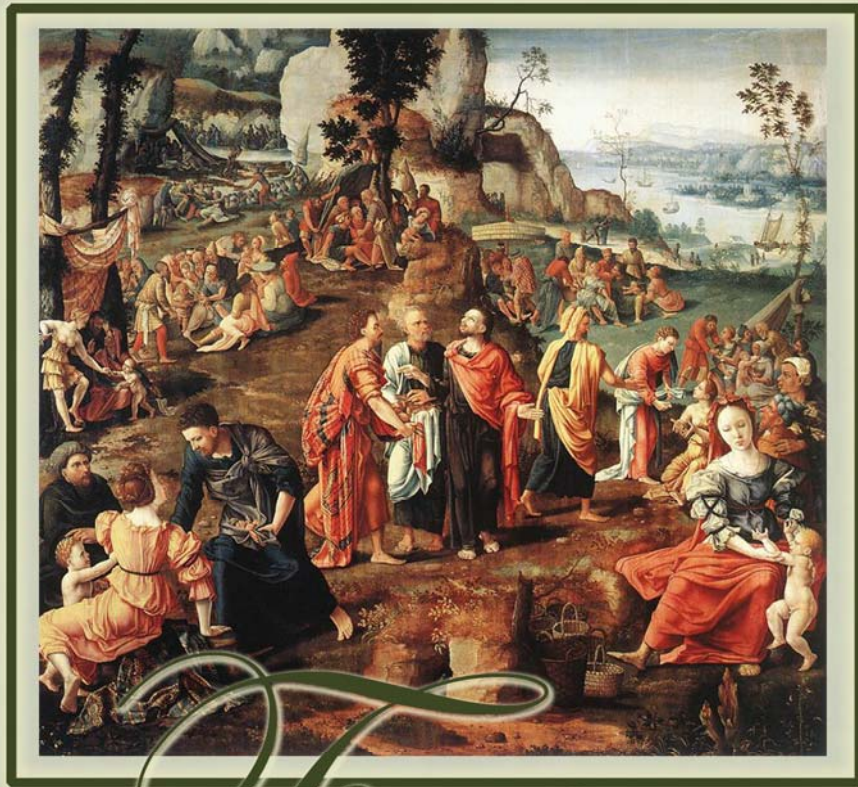


CHRIST THE KING

Catholic Church—Wonder Lake, IL



Feeding OF THE 5000

*"This is truly the Prophet,
the one who is to come
into the world."*

John 6:14

**SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JULY 26, 2009**

POINTS TO PONDER

From our Pastor—Fr. Sabo

The hand of the Lord feeds us; He answers all our needs. Psalm 145

This weekend we celebrate the marvelous miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and fishes. The superabundant grace of God sanctifies every *saint in the making*; that is why I am offering for your contemplation and imitation some of ***the Secrets of the Saints*** (taken from the Church Calendar).

Saint Benedict (July 11)

No one should follow what he considers to be good for himself, but rather what seems good for another. Let them put Christ before all else; and may He lead us all to everlasting life.

from the Rule of St. Benedict

Saint Bonaventure (July 15)

Mary seeks for those who approach and with reverence, for such she loves, nourishes, and adopts as her children.

Saint Lawrence of Brindisi (July 21)

God is love, and all His operations proceed from love. Once He wills to manifest that goodness by sharing His love outside Himself, then the Incarnation becomes the supreme manifestation of His goodness and love and glory. So, Christ was intended before all other creatures and for His own sake. For Him all things were created and to Him all things must be subject, and God loves all creatures in and because of Christ. Christ is the first-born of every creature, and the whole of humanity as well as the created world finds its foundation and meaning in Him. Moreover, this would have been the case even if Adam had not sinned.

Scripture Readings for Week Ahead

27 Mon	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34 Mt 13:31-35
28 Tue	Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28 Mt 13:36-43
29 Wed	Ex 34:29-35 (403) Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
30 Thu	Ex 40:16-21, 34-38 Mt 13:47-53
31 Fri	Lv 23:1,4-11,15-16,27,4b-37 Mt 13:54-58
1 Sat	Lv 25:1, 8-17/Mt 14:1-12
2 SUN	Ex 16:2-4, 12-15 Eph 4:17, 20-24/ Jn 6:24-35

St. Mary Magdalene (July 22)

When Mary came to the tomb and did not find the Lord's body, she thought it had been taken away and so informed the disciples. After they came and saw the tomb, they too believed what Mary had told them. The text then says: "The disciples went back home," and it adds: "but Mary wept and remained standing outside the tomb." (St. John 20:11) *We should reflect on Mary's attitude and the great love she felt for Christ; for though the disciples had left the tomb, she remained. She was still seeking the one she had not found, and while she sought she wept; burning with the fire of love, she longed for Him who she thought had been taken away. And so it happened that the woman who stayed behind to seek Christ was the only one to see Him. For perseverance is essential to any good deed, as the voice of truth tell us: "Whoever perseveres to the end will be saved." - from a homily by Pope Saint Gregory the Great.*

St. Bridget of Sweden (July 23)

A prayer composed by the Saint:
Eternal praise be to You, my Lord Jesus Christ, for the time You endured on the cross the greatest torments and sufferings for us sinners. Unending honor belongs to You, my Lord Jesus Christ. Rejoicing and eternal praise be to You, my Lord Jesus Christ, who sent the Holy Spirit into the hearts of Your disciples and increased the boundless love of God in their spirits. Blessed are You and praiseworthy and glorious forever, my Lord Jesus.

St. James the Greater (July 25)

A prayer to the Apostle:
O Glorious Saint James, because of your fervor and generosity Jesus chose you to witness His glory on the Mount and His agony in the Garden. Obtain for us strength and consolation in the unending struggles of this life. Help us to follow Christ constantly and generously, to be victors over all our difficulties, and to receive the crown of glory in heaven. Amen.

St. Martha (July 29)

*Martha and Mary were sisters, related not only by blood but also by religious aspirations. They stayed close to our Lord and both served him harmoniously when he was among them. Martha welcomed Him as travelers are welcomed. But in her case, the maidservant received her Lord, the creature her Creator, to serve Him bodily food while she was to be fed by the Spirit. No one of you should say: **Blessed are they***

*who have deserved to receive Christ into their homes! Do not grieve or complain that you were born in a time when you can no longer see God in the flesh. He did not in fact take this privilege from you. As He says, **Whatever you have done to the least of my brothers, you did to me.** - Taken from a sermon by Saint Augustine.*

St. Peter Chrysologus (July 30)

Anyone who wishes to frolic with the devil cannot rejoice with Christ. You may fear what is divine, but why not love what is human? You may run away from me as the Lord, but why not run to me as your father? Perhaps you are filled with shame for causing my bitter passion. Do not be afraid. This cross inflicts a mortal injury, not on me, but on death. These nails no longer pain me, but only deepen your love for me. I do not cry out because of these wounds, but through them I draw you into my heart. Come, then, return to me and learn to know me as your father, who repays good for evil, love for injury, and boundless charity for piercing wounds.

St. Ignatius of Loyola (July 31)

If God causes you to suffer much, it is a sign that He has great designs for you, and that He certainly intends to make you a saint. And if you wish to become a great saint, entreat Him yourself to give you much opportunity for suffering; for there is no wood better to kindle the fire of holy love than the wood of the cross, which Christ used for His own great sacrifice of boundless charity.

Thus we turn to the *Saint-Maker*, our Blessed Mother, and pray:

O Mary, conceived without sin pray for us who have recourse to Thee (repeat three times). Amen.



OF SPECIAL NOTE

R.E. Office Closed for the Summer

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

Registration Forms for 2009-2010 School Year are available in the magazine rack in the main entry of church or at the parish office during regular business hours.

Protecting God's Children

In accord with Bishop Doran's mandate that every employee and volunteer who works with children be trained to recognize and properly act upon allegation or incidence of abuse, the McHenry Deanery is offering this 3 hour workshop. Upcoming dates are:

- ♥ Monday, Aug. 10, 6:30—9:30 p.m. at Ss. Peter & Paul School (Music Room) in Cary. For registration and directions contact Sr. Katrina Lamkin at 847-639-3041.
- ♥ Monday, Aug. 17, 6:00—9:00 p.m. at Montini Middle School in McHenry. For registration and directions contact Sheila Murphy at 815-385-1022.
- ♥ For more dates and times later this fall contact the Parish Office at 815-653-2561.

Theology of the Body for Teens Training Registration due by August 8

Teachers, Catechists, Campus Ministers, Priests and anyone who works with teens is invited to this training session at Sacred Heart Parish Hall, 2224 Avenue J, Sterling, Illinois. Pope John Paul II's Theology of the Body is changing lives around the world through its positive portrayal of our sexuality as a good and essential part of love and life. Fee is \$45 by Aug 8 or \$50 for late registration. Contact Molly Smith 815-213-0290 or giannashouse@att.net.

Summer Attire for Mass Attendance

Out of respect for our Lord and for the edification of our neighbors, we ask men, women, boys and girls to enter the church modestly and respectfully dressed. Short shorts, tank tops, muscle shirts, low cut, backless and mini-dresses, halter tops, bare-midriiffs, low rise jeans, tight fitting clothes, etc. do not meet the norms of Christian modesty and respect, especially in church. Your cooperation is evidence of your love for our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament and for His Holy Mother Mary. Fr. Sabo

ST. VINCENT de PAUL

Open Invitation

I invite you to make a special effort to attend a meeting of our St. Vincent de Paul Society; 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, August 8, 8:30 a.m.

Saturday, August 22, 8:30 a.m.

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

Our most heartfelt thanks to all those who continue to support our ministry to the poor here at Christ the King.

Joe Ziemann, President



YOUR "KNIGHT-LY" NEWS

Interested in the Knights?

For more information about the Knights of Columbus, call Mr. Tom Armbrust, our Grand Knight, at 815-451-6649. Keep up on K of C activities by visiting our website at: kofc.christthekingchurch.org



Mark Your Calendars! Parish Picnic August 2



MARRIED LONG?

Silver & Gold Anniversary Celebration—Oct. 4, 2:00 p.m. St. Peter Cathedral—Rockford

It's the last chance to register your names, or the names of your family members for this special celebration. If you or someone you know will be celebrating their 25th, 50th, 60th, 65th or 70+ Wedding anniversary this year, please contact the Parish Office 815-653-2561 or email cksecretary@comcast.net. We want to make certain you get an invitation to the celebration on Oct. 4th. Bishop Doran will be the celebrant and each couple will receive a special certificate! Registration must be in by August 1st.

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!

IT'S ALL ABOUT LIFE

Community Blood Drive—Thanks In Memory of Bill Blankenhorn (Former P.A.D.S. Site Manager)

Heartland Blood Center thanks all donors for your generosity at last week's blood drive in memory of long-time P.A.D.S Site Manager, Bill Blankenhorn. We got 39 units of blood! There is no doubt that Bill's kindness and generosity impacted many lives and, even in death, his memory spurs us on to ever greater acts of charity and concern for others. May God reward each one of you!

Pro-Life Liturgy—August 4

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 life and for the end to abortion. The next opportunity for this celebration will be on Tuesday, August 4 at St. Mary Church, 397 Fulton St., Elgin, IL. Mass begins at 7:00 p.m. and is followed by the Rosary and small reception. For more information on these gatherings call 815-399-4300 x 382.

BISHOP LANE R.C.

The Diocesan Office of Family Life is sponsoring the following:

☞ **Overnight for Dads and Teenage Sons—Aug. 15-16**

“Rock Solid” is the theme for dads and teenage sons (7th-10th grades). Come for great food, neat games and the best campfire and rock hunt.

☞ **Overnight for Moms and Teenage Daughters—Aug. 22-23**

“Growing in Grace” is the theme for today’s young teens and their Moms.

☞ *For either of the above events, cost is \$45 per person and includes lodging and three meals. Call 815-965-5011 for details or send email to: familylife@dpsrfd.org*

Retreat for Widowed—Aug. 8-9

Are you struggling with grief over the loss of your spouse? The “Joyful Again” Retreat is just for you. Come to Bishop Lane Retreat Center in Rockford for healing!

Cost is \$95 and includes meals and accommodations. Call 815-965-5011 for details!

The Spiritual Journey Aug. 14-16

“Follow the Way of the Heart” is a more reflective weekend, and focuses totally on living the Spirituality of the Heart of Jesus. It will free you of what limits your capacity for love and open you up to embrace the transforming love of God. Join us at Bishop Lane Retreat Center in Rockford.

Call 630-892-2371 to reserve your spot or email lhj@misacor-usa.org

PILGRIMAGE

Guadalupe Shrine October 8-9 Register Now!

Join St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish for a 2 day Pilgrimage to LaCrosse, Wisconsin. During these two days we will tour the beautiful shrine and grounds and have a private Mass. Other optional devotions (Rosary in the Rosary Garden and Stations of the Cross) will be offered. Thursday night will include a cruise and dinner on the Mississippi River. Lodging will be at the Marriott on the Mississippi River in downtown LaCrosse. Call St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Office at 815-459-3033 to register or get more information. Space is limited!

Large Garage/Attic Sale
Friday, July 31, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 1, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Resurrection Center (Village)
2710 Country Club Rd. Woodstock

SUPPORTING FAITH

Catholic Charities—Aug 5-9
Volunteers Needed for Pro-Life Booth

Stand up for life! Catholic Charities of McHenry needs volunteers to help set up, staff and pack up the Catholic Charities booth at the McHenry County Fair from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. August 5-9 at the McHenry County Fairgrounds, Woodstock. To volunteer for a time slot or for more information, please call Kathy Chwedyk at Catholic Charities McHenry County, 815-344-6956 or send an email to Kathy at kchwedyk@ccrfd.org

Memorial Mass in Honor of Deceased Children—Aug. 11

If you have lost a child through stillbirth, miscarriage, prematurity, illness, accident or any other way, please gather with us at St. Mary Church, 10307 Dundee Rd., Huntley, to remember these special children. Mass begins at 7 p.m. Father Steve Knox will be the celebrant.

Day of Renewal—Aug. 15

You are cordially invited to attend this Spirit filled Day of Renewal with world renowned author and speaker, Father John H. Hampsch. The day will feature a special **Generational, Teaching and Healing Mass**. Join us at Church of Holy Apostles, 5211 W. Bull Valley Rd. McHenry from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Admission is free, but please register by calling Catherine at 815-455-8425. Bring a sack lunch!

Living Rosary—Aug. 16

The 20th annual International Living Rosary will be held at Church of the Holy Spirit in Roscoe (5637 Broad St.) on Sun. Aug. 16 at 2:00 p.m. You are invited to “be a bead” and begin a Hail Mary in English or another language. Women, men, and children are all welcome to “be a bead.” Priests and deacons are invited to say the Our Father. If you would like to attend and not be responsible for a prayer we welcome you also. The event is sponsored by the Rockford Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (CCW), the Rockford Deanery CCW and the Church of the Holy Spirit. For more info or to volunteer to “be a bead” call Jeanette Gawronski 815-623-8559 or Mary Glosson 630-308-4138 or email lake8@charter.net or maryglosson@comcast.net by August 7th.

CALLED & CHOSEN



“Live in a manner worthy of the call you have received...” (Second Reading). Worldwide Marriage Encounter can help you strengthen your call to Marriage or Holy Orders. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Weekends are:
Sept 18-20 in Rockford, IL and
Oct 9-11 in Madison, WI
Oct. 23-25 in Benet Lake, WI
Nov. 20-22 in Rockford, IL

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.

Come and See
Discernment Weekend
August 10-13
Chicago



Women, ever wonder if religious life is for YOU? Here’s the chance to find out! Come and See with Daughters of St. Paul.

- ☞ **What:** Discernment, prayer, presentations silence and sharing
- ☞ **Who:** Women 18-30 discerning a religious vocation (from US & Canada)
- ☞ **Where:** 172 N. Michigan Ave. Chicago, Illinois
- ☞ **Call:** Sr. Margaret Michael at 617-435-1879
- ☞ **Email:** srmichaelfsp@aol.com

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Part-Time Teaching Position

Noah’s Ark Preschool at the Church of Holy Apostles in McHenry is seeking a Catholic Preschool Teacher for our A.M. 3 year old class. Contact Terry Vrasich at 815-385-5673 for more information

F/T Coordinator or Director of Religious Education

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish in Crystal Lake is seeking a CRE/DRE for its K-8 program. If possible a degree in Religious Education or Theology is preferred. The parish offers a salary with benefits. Please send a letter of interest, resume and list of references to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Attn. Fr. Grady, 1023 McHenry Ave., Crystal Lake, IL 60014

SHARING GOD'S GIFTS

Christ the King Catholic Church
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 26, 2009

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

Tom Armbrust 815-451-6649

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

Parish Office 815-653-2561

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., July 24, Carole Woodward

Saturday and Sunday, July 25-26

Lectors: 5 p.m. Michael-Maria Leary
8 a.m. John Shiel
10 a.m. Stan Cebrzynski

Extraordinary Ministers:

5 p.m. Randy Hartline
8 a.m. Jim Bronson
Pam Ruzicka
10 a.m. Vickie Romme
Patt VonBergen

Altar Server: 5 p.m. Ben Valle
8 a.m. Gavin Sell
Zack Sell
10 a.m. Mike Gilmer

Money Counters:

Alice Castillo, Joe Kotarba, Barb Pilarski

SHARING TREASURE



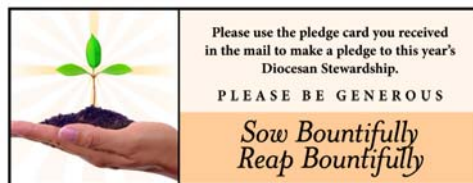
*That He may be Lord
of our lives and King
of our hearts!*

7/16/09 through 7/22/09

Sunday Envelopes & Offertory.....\$4,160.25
St. Vincent de Paul\$235.00
Mission Co-op Collection\$918.00
Votives, Rent, DSA, Legion of Mary etc. ...\$294.02

Bills Paid 7/15/09 through 7/21/09.....No bills
were paid during this time because Father Sabo
was on retreat.

Our Lady of Good Remedy, pray for us!



Want to make a gift to our Parish Endowment Accounts?

Go to: www.FoundationRockford.org
Click on "Endowment Gifts"
then scroll to "Wonder Lake" and
click on "Christ the King."

Want info on a great tax deduction, excellent return on your investment and future planned gift?

Go to: www.stewardshiprockford.org
Click on Planned Giving...

Gift Calculator...

Gift Calcs logo...

Insert your numbers to determine
your rate of return.

**You may also call Chuck Valle at
815-337-1952 for information. 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
Parish Office 815-653-2561 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:

TBA

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

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, July 27

7 p.m. John Alicoate req. by
Rick & Mary Justen

Tuesday, July 28

8 a.m. Leo Kucia req. by
John & Laurie Kaminski

Wednesday, July 29—St. Martha

8 a.m. Georgeann Floyd req. by
Rich & Mary K. Yager

Thursday, July 30—St. Peter Chrysologus

8 a.m. Phyllis Gilmer
req. by Raymond Bates

Friday, July 31—St. Ignatius of Loyola

8 a.m. Jackson Grabow req. by
John & Laurie Kaminski

Saturday, August 1—St. Alphonsus Liguori

8 a.m. Phyllis Gilmer req. by
The Lennon Family

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

Sunday, Aug. 2—18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8 a.m. For the People of the Parish
10 a.m. Bob & Brad Polivka req. by
Gloria Sabo



Ministry Schedule Next Week

Bulletin Inserts Fri., July 31, Mary K. Yager

Saturday and Sunday, August 1-2

Lectors: 5 p.m. Lynn Bauer
8 a.m. Ken Johnson
10 a.m. Joe Ziemann

Extraordinary Ministers:

5 p.m. Rita Becker
8 a.m. Jim Bronson
Jackie Bronson
10 a.m. Voytek Kulesza
Veronica Kulesza

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

Money Counters:

Jim Bronson, Bill Pilarski, Carl Scarim



Sanctuary Light Dedication

July 20—August 2, 2009

In loving memory of John Kerr
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:

- 1st Lt. Rosa Castillo (USAF)
- Kenneth Ebacher (ARMY)
- Micah Grosskopf (USAF)
- Laura Hrdlicka (USN)
- 1st Lt. Therese M. Janecke (ARMY)
- Robert Kelly Jr. (ARMY)
- Pvt. 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)
- 1st 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, July 26—17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Adoration 7-8 a.m.
- Rosary 7:30 a.m.
- Masses 8 a.m and 10 a.m.
- Confessions 9:15 a.m.
- Coffee Social 9-Noon
- Wonder Lake Neighbors' Pantry Weekend

Monday, July 27

- 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, July 28

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

Wednesday, July 29—St. Martha

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

Thursday, July 30—St. Peter Chrysologus

- 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.

Friday, July 31—St. Ignatius of Loyola

- Adoration 7-8 a.m.
- Rosary 7:30 a.m.
- Confessions 7:30 a.m.
- Mass 8:00 a.m.
- TOPS 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, August 1—St. Alphonsus Liguori

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

Sunday, August 2—18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Adoration 7-8 a.m.
- Rosary 7:30 a.m.
- Masses 8 a.m and 10 a.m.
- Confessions 9:15 a.m.
- Coffee Social 9-Noon
- SVDP Pantry Weekend

A.M.D.G.

Have you ever seen this abbreviation on a building? Do you know what it means? The letters stand for the Latin phrase: *Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam* translated *For the Greater Glory of God*. This phrase is also the motto for the Society of Jesus (Jesuits) founded by St. Ignatius Loyola whose feast day we celebrate this Friday, July 31.

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 the Parish Office 815-653-2561.

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.

Want more Information about Sacraments?

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.

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 Father Sabo at the Parish Office 815-653-2561.

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 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/viewPodcast?id=309834112>

WORD OF LIFE

It is not enough for us even to defend innocent human life. Of course, if we fail to do this, we fail in our most urgent task. But by good deeds of love and charity, we must build this active culture of life that is ready and capable of turning back hell itself. If we won't put the abortionist out of business we are pitiable souls. If we don't enact laws and work tirelessly to change human hearts so that life is forever revered and protected, we have not fought the good fight which is our charge as the Church Militant. As warriors we must first beat back the enemy. But then let us not forget that we are warriors for the victory of life!

--Most Rev. Robert W. Finn, Bishop of Kansas City-St.

Joseph, Address to Gospel of Life Convention, April 18, 2009

OUR CUP OVERFLOWS

Faith is the Bottom Line

Become a partner in God's work on earth? Our active partnership with Christ, as stewards, is motivated by love, rather than legal requirements or purely managerial roles. Christian stewardship is putting into practice the Christian faith. This expression of commitment surpasses word and formality and this practice reflects itself in conduct. If being a disciple of Christ is important to you, then stewardship should be, too.



Vocation View

Finding our vocation in life is like finding a buried treasure. We will do whatever we have to in order to be able to possess it. Finding the treasure is a gift, possessing it is our vocation.

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:

● Aug. 3-7

Nov. 16-20

● Sept. 8-11

Dec. 21-24

● Oct. 12-16

Jan. 25-29, 2010

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