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Sacraments/Services

Reconciliation ~ 15 Minutes Before Masses

Baptism ~ Parent instruction required (Recommended before birth)

Marriage ~ Contact us at least 6 months, prior to the date.

Religious Ed Classes ~ Sept. - May on Sunday at 9:00 AM

Ministry of Care ~ Bring communion, visit homes, hospitals, or nursing facilities.

PLEASE inform the office if your personal data changes
(Address, phone, status, etc.)

To register at Christ the King church,
please fill out the blue or yellow registration sheet found in the Narthex.

Office hours: Tuesday 8-4 and Wednesday 8-4

Bulletin deadline: Wednesday at noon Food Pantry hours-Mondays from 11-2

The safety of our children is the responsibility of every Christian. Anyone aware of the abuse of a person under the age of eighteen is required by law to report this to the proper state authorities: local law enforcement Sheriff: (270) 237-3210 or the Kentucky Child Abuse Hotline (toll-free: 1-877- KYSAFE1; 1-877-597-2331). To report abuse to the diocese, current or past, by anyone acting in the name of the Church, call Scott Ingram, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator (English) at 270-852-8380 or Miguel Quintanilla, Pastoral Assistance Coordinators (Spanish) at 270-880-8360. You may also visit the Office of Safe Environment (owensborodiocese.org/safe) for mor information. To make a report of sexual abuse of a minor and related misconduct by bishops, go to ReportBishopAbuse.org or call 1-800-276-1562

Christ the King Catholic Church

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**Our Parish
COMMUNITY**

September 8, 2024

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

Isaiah 35:4-7a / James 2:1-5 / Mark 7:31-37



Life at the Edge

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

We find ourselves living at the edge sometimes, when life could go either way, up or down. We may experience this as we begin marriage or first become parents. At other times, it may be frightening or sad, but also exciting, such as when graduation nears, or when we are faced with an "empty nest." Then, we stand at the edge of a new beginning, eager for the onset of what we've dreamt of for so long, but also uncertain whether we will be able to navigate it. We also find ourselves living at the edge when someone we love dies.

The other day, someone came by, wanting to talk. She spoke of the chaos of her life, its pain, and of not knowing how to cope. As she was about to leave, she commented how, in spite of it all, it seemed

strange that God was also very much present. Strange indeed, yet chaotic times are when God's presence is often perceived in our lives, perhaps out of our need, perhaps because we are not distracted by life's glitter, or perhaps because, at last, we have nowhere else to turn. It was St. James who asked then and asks us now, "Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith?" (James 2:5). There are indeed many different ways of being poor, of being in need. For people of faith, it is often at the edge when we sense most clearly that God is with us. ●

Reflect

***Do you feel God's presence differently
in hard times than you do in easy times?***

**Show no partiality as you
adhere to the faith in our
glorious Lord Jesus Christ.
JAMES 2:1**





Lector
Sept. 15th-Terri A.
Sept. 22nd-Troy A.
Sept. 29th- April Garcia

Time	Mass Intentions
Sun. 9/8 th 11:00 AM	People of the Parish
Tues. 9/10 th 5:00 PM	
Wed. 9/11 th 8:00 AM	

July 2024- June 2025	Collection Last Week	Total Amount Collected to Last Sunday	Budget Needed to 09/01/24
Regular Collection (including on- line)	\$2,053.00	\$13,502.00	\$11,338.80
Donations/Gifts	\$164.00	\$761.25	\$1,525.12
Building Fund (Including on- line)	\$40.00	\$1,745.00	\$2,390.08
Miscellaneous	1,459.00	\$4,155.03	\$506.58
Total Income Collected	\$3,716.00	\$20,166.43	\$15,760.55
Diocesan Collection		15,236.63	\$12,392.64

Parent's Prayer

All praise to You, Lord Jesus,
Lover of children:
Bless our family,
And help us to lead our children to You.

Give us light and strength,
And courage when our task is difficult.
Let Your Spirit fill us with love and peace,
So that we may help our children to love You.

All glory and praise are Yours, Lord Jesus,
For ever and ever.

Amen.

Attendance
Sept. 1st 85

Ministry Schedule for September 15th
Greeters/Gift Bearers-Vargo Family
Servers(s)- Troy Anderson & Gabby Garcia
Cup Minister- Mike and Kate Kiene
Host Minister-Phil Kissenger
Refreshments-Pauline, Valerie, & Donna
Cagle
Counters- Mike Kiene & Carol Wheat

Prayer List

Sam Rubino	Joyce Saunders
Sheridan & Corey	Butch Vincent
Jerry Whitney	Johnny & Emily
Doris & Bill H.	Sandy Keen
Russell Hildebrandt	Peggy Hildebrandt
Betsy Cramer	George Campise
Arlene Wagner	Ronald Baker
Tom Stuller	Dolores Eder
Jerry & Helen	Isabella Sim
Isaiah Sim	Nicole Sim
Nancy W.	Susan Ballard
Bill Grapes	Stacey Blankenship
Brian Jansen	Doc Hall
Jim & Ethel S.	Evelyn Creasy
Daniel Lunsford	Helen & Jerry Deal
Dan Pauli	Mary & Ken W.
Kent Winters	Darcy Thomas
All Souls in Purgatory	A special grandson & granddaughters
The Gripp family	Tim Hildabrandt
Jodi Devine	Ron & Mary
Yvette	Olivia
Keith Evans	Terry Stemmle
Sarah	Carmen

*Acts 2:42 was so successful that it will
continue for year 2!* Small groups will meet
once a month from September 2024 to May
2025. Groups may meet in homes or at the
Parish. Host leaders are needed. Registration
forms are available in the narthex. Sign up
today! For more information contact past
Host leaders Modonna Creasy, Johnathan &
April Garcia , Troy & Terri Anderson, or Fr.
Tom B. Buckman. Ted Hardin is also hosting
a group at his home.

Dates to Remember

Sept. 10th-RCIA classes begin 5:30pm
(Contact Fr. Tom for more
info.)

Sept. 11th- Parish Council meets at
9:30am

Sept. 11th- King's Angels meet at
11:00am

Sept. 15th- Knights meeting after
Mass

Sept. 25th- King's Angels field trip to
Bardstown (leave church
parking lot at 8:00am) Sign-up
sheet is in the Narthex

Prayer in Time of Anger

Lord Jesus, there is anger in my heart and I
cannot root it out.
I know that I should calm down and offer the
hurt and disappointment to You
but my emotion is running away with me.
Help me to overcome this weakness and
give me peace of heart as well as mind.
Let me learn from this experience and grow
into a better human being. Amen.

Day Trip!!!

The King's Angels would like to extend an
invitation to anyone that would like to join
them on a Field Trip to Bardstown, KY on
Sept. 25th.

The itinerary and a sign-up sheet are in the
Narthex... The deadline to commit is Sept.
8th.

Dear Padre

September 8, 2024

***What is the "gospel of prosperity"? Does
it mean that being rich is a sign of God's
favor?***

That's a good question, as this month we listen
to the challenging words of St. James. If there is
a "gospel of prosperity," Matthew, Mark, Luke,
or John didn't write it, and it isn't about Jesus. If
anything, the Gospels would be called "Gospels
of poverty." Jesus himself was born in poverty.
Had he wished to extol riches and prosperity, he
would have been born into the lap of luxury. But
God chose the poverty of a stable.

Although the subject of riches and poverty
appears in all the Gospels, Luke writes about it
the most. It is thought that Luke was concerned
about this topic because he came from wealth
and dealt with people of means. Luke sees money
and goods as dangerous to salvation. Although
"nothing will be impossible for God" (Luke 1:37),
Luke uses the image of a camel passing through
the eye of a needle to explain that this impos-
sible task is easier than for a rich person to enter
the kingdom of heaven (Luke 18:25). Scary words.
Yet, poverty itself is not hailed as good, nor are
riches condemned in themselves. It's what wealth
does to people that is the core issue. When we
focus on riches and possessions, we risk turning
from God and growing deaf to the cries of the
poor. Possessions and wealth are to be shared,
not hoarded. ●

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