



Sundays 11:00 AM
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Wednesdays 8:00 AM

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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 registration sheet found in the Narthex.

Office hours are Tuesday 10-5 and Wednesday 8-4

Food Pantry hours are Tuesday and Wednesday from 12 – 3

Sacraments/Services

Reconciliation ~ Every Sunday: 10:30 - 10:45 AM

Baptism ~ Parent instruction required (Recommended before birth)

Marriage ~ Contact us at least 6 months prior to date

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Ministry of Care ~ Bring communion; visit homes, hospitals or nursing facilities by request

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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 to the diocese abuse by church personnel (paid or volunteer) either past or present, please call the Pastoral Assistance Coordinator at this confidential phone line: 270-852-8380. The Diocese of Owensboro has just revised its sexual abuse policy, and it is available at this parish (in the parish office & on the bulletin board) and also on the diocesan web site (www.rcdok.org/safe).

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July 26, 2020

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Matthew 13:44-52

“The kingdom of God is like a treasure buried in a field, which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.”

Would we sell all of our possessions to go buy a “treasure” we found in a field? Would we sell some of them, and which ones would we sell? Such a treasure would have to be more valuable than the possessions we sell. What treasure could possibly be worth more than billions of dollars? It is something we all want. It is something we all can have. It is something that will last forever. It is eternal life in an intimate relationship with the Almighty and Eternal God who created us. That is the Greatest Treasure. Jesus has already secured it for us. We must be careful not to lose it. If we are aware that everything we have comes from and belongs to God, and He wants us to use it for our own benefit and enjoyment, but not get so attached to anything that we cannot let it go or use it for the benefit and enjoyment of others, we will gain the Greatest Treasure. Do we want it? What are we doing to make sure we do not lose it?

Bulletin Bites

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Tue Jul 28 5:00pm Evening Mass
5:30pm Parish Council Meeting
Wed Jul 29 8:00am Morning Mass

SAVE THE DATE

Jul 31/Aug 1 7:00am King's Angels Indoor Yard Sale Part 2

July 2020- June 2021	Received Last Week	Amount Received To date	Amount Needed To date
Diocesan Coll.	0.00	127.00	153.23
Regular Collection	1,455.00	3,590.00	2,809.16
Donations/Gifts	0.00	251.00	204.32
Building Fund III	10.00	585.00	766.13
WeShare & Misc.	76.00	850.10	293.63
Total Income	1,541.00	5,403.10	4,226.47

KING'S ANGELS Yard Sale Part 2 Friday/Saturday July 20/Aug 01

The KA have decided to extend the Indoor Yard Sale for another weekend. If you have more items to donate please bring them on Tuesday or Wednesday. All proceeds are contributed to the church general fund.

This weekend brought in over \$1,000



Touchless Hand Sanitizer – in consideration of the Covid 19 Pandemic we now have a Touchless Hand Sanitizer station in the Narthex.

Please wear a mask & sanitize your hands before entering the church. Thank you.



Congratulations

Frankie Estes and Lillie Welchel on the birth of their son, Rowan on July 21, 7lbs 13oz, 19 inches long

Ursuline Sisters to offer Quilt Auction Aug. 24

“Escape to the Mount” is back this fall, with some modifications. Last year featured an extremely successful Quilt Bingo at Maple Mount. Quilt Bingo will return in 2021, but there will still be plenty of opportunities to bring home a beautiful quilt from the Mount this year with our first online Quilt Auction!

Quilts on the auction block will be posted on their website and Facebook page for you to preview. There is a two-day bidding window for each quilt. Bidding will begin on Aug. 24 and close on Sept. 11. Keep checking their website for details: www.ursulinesmsj.org.

The Mount Raffle has been a tradition for 50 years and is an important source of funding for the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph. Tickets are still \$5 each. The top prize is \$10,000! A new prize was added – a diamond ring valued at \$5,000! They also have a handmade queen-size quilt valued at \$1,000 and cash prizes of \$3,500, \$1,000, \$500, \$250, and \$100. The drawing will take place on Sunday, Sept. 13. Due to coronavirus concerns, the Ursuline Sisters’ ability to sell tickets in person will be limited this year. We encourage supporters to buy tickets online: visit

<https://ursulinesmsj.org/mountraffle> If you would prefer to order tickets by mail, write your check to the Ursuline Sisters and mail to: Mount Raffle, 8001 Cummings Road, Maple Mount, KY 42356.

PASTOR’S COLUMN

As I said in last week’s column, as Catholics, we are ardently pro-life. Last week I said that means more than that we are opposed to abortion, though that is an essential part to being pro-life. I said we are in favor of supporting life from conception to natural death. This week I am going to begin to write about what that means from a Catholic perspective. This week I am going to write about two issues surrounding the beginning and end of life.

First, I want to talk about embryonic stem cell research. This is not nearly the issue that it was a few years ago, but it still merits talking about. As Catholics, we are not opposed to all stem cell research, and this is an important distinction, only embryonic stem cell research. We are opposed to embryonic stem cell research because no matter how much good may come from it, it is necessary that a fetus be terminated, killed, to do it. There is no amount of good that can offset the evil of intentionally killing an innocent. However, the Church strongly supports adult stem cell research. I said this was not as much of an issue as it was a few years ago because science has mostly abandoned embryonic stem cell research because they have found that adult stem cell research yields better therapeutic outcomes. In other words they changed their minds about it not because they realized it was immoral rather they changed their minds because the other was more effective. Since this is the reasoning for stopping the research it needs to be talked about because someone could decide to start this research up again at any time.

Second, I want to talk about something that was not really much of an issue a few years ago, but is rapidly becoming one of the most pressing life issues of our time. This is the issue of euthanasia and assisted suicide. Even two decades ago hardly anyone would have believed that this issue would become a mainstream controversy. Today five states and the District of Columbia allow physician assisted suicide. Those advocating these laws refer to it as dying with dignity, or couch it in some other form of platitude. We must recognize it as the offense against life that it is. It can seem appealing to end the suffering that comes at the end of life if there is no hope for a cure, but it is not for us to decide the day or the hour of our departure from this world. God has a reason for our time on this Earth. We may not understand what that reason may be or how our suffering might serve that purpose, but it does and when someone decides that it is their time to leave this world before their time is up. That purpose is shortchanged. Yours in Christ, *Fr. Daniel Dillard*

Parish Council – the next meeting for the Parish Council is Tuesday, July 28 at 5:30pm in the old church building.