

Christ the King Parish

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PARISH OFFICE

Hours:

Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Closed for lunch: 12 pm - 12:30 pm

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:00 p.m. (Vigil, English)

Sunday 7:45 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m. (Spanish)

Daily Masses:

Monday - Communion Service 8:00 a.m.

Tuesday - Friday 8:00 a.m.

First Saturday 8:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m., or by appointment

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT (Chapel)

Mon., Tue., Wed. & Fri. 9:00 a.m. - Noon

Thurs. 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

HOLY COMMUNION FOR HOMEBOUND

Call the Parish Office

BAPTISMS & MARRIAGES

By appointment with the Pastor

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Call the Parish Office (661) 391-4640

ADULT OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Ed & Carole Lugo, (951) 903-8471

Chris & Terry Thompson, (661) 203-7255

LIFE TEEN

2nd & 4th Tuesdays 6:00 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.

For more information call Traci Peel (661) 859-4179

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY (YAM)

For More Information Call

Cintha Reyes, (661) 343-5911

Natalie Olvera, (661) 910-5090

youngadultministryctk@gmail.com

Contact Deacon Fred Ansolabehere at

deaconfred@christtheking.ws

For the following:

Altar Servers

Eucharistic Ministers

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PARISH ACTIVITIES

Parish Finance Council - Dcn. Fred Ansolabehere, Tom Duncan, Ron Holbert, Jude Hupp, Peggy Hubble, and Ed Lugo

Parish Development Committee

Bazaar (BBQ): Peggy Hubble, (661) 747-5942
phubble523@gmail.com

Greeters/Ushers - Kathy Haynes, (661) 588-8877

Music Ministry - Jim McClelland, (661) 472-1763

Carmelite Discalced Secular - 3rd Sunday 1:00 p.m.

McGovern Hall, Carole Souza, (559) 936-5432,
thelittleway73@gmail.com

Ladies Guild - 2nd Thursday (monthly) 6:00 p.m.,

McGovern Hall, Peggy Hubble, President (661) 747-5942,
phubble523@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus - 1st Thursday (monthly) 7:00 p.m.,

McGovern Hall, Al Perich, Grand Knight (661) 872-1494,
alperich049@gmail.com

Right to Life Rosary - 4th Thursday (monthly) 6:30 p.m.

Norm Reimers, ncreimers@att.net

Bible Study - Tuesday 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m., Room A

Spanish Prayer Group - Tuesday 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

McGovern Hall, Oscar Coreas, (661) 477-2252

Prayer Blanket Ministry - 1st and 3rd Wednesdays (monthly)

9:00 a.m. - Noon, Room B, Karen Flores, (661) 393-5171
Prayer Blankets are available in the parish office.

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Good Morning Dear Lord

Thank you for the precious gift You have given me this morning, my life, to live fully and joyfully one more day!

Please give me the grace to be kind and patient today that I may see beyond worldly appearances, so that I may encounter your holy presence in each person that I meet.

Close my ears dear Father to all gossip. Seal my lips to all judgments and criticisms that my words will only bless all about me and war the coldest heart.

Let my actions be so just, my feelings be so just, my feelings be so tender, my conduct be so humble and true to your will that through out this day I will be a reflection of your heavenly mercy and love,

Amen!

Buenos días Querido Señor

Gracias por el precioso regalo que me has dado esta mañana, mi vida, para vivir plenamente y con alegría un día más.

Por favor, dame la gracia de ser amable y paciente hoy para que pueda ver más allá de las apariencias mundanas, para que pueda encontrar tu santa presencia en cada persona que conozca.

Cierra mis oídos, querido Padre, a todos los chismes. Sella mis labios a todos los juicios y críticas para que mis palabras solo bendigan a todos a mi alrededor y calienten el corazón más frío

Que mis acciones sean tan justas, mis sentimientos tan tiernos, mi conducta tan humilde y fiel a tu voluntad que a lo largo de este día sea un reflejo de tu misericordia y amor celestial.

Amen!



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

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|-------------|---------|--|
| Sat Mar. 21 | 4 pm | +Genovevo Medina |
| Sun Mar. 22 | 7:45 am | Int. of Joanna Chapin & Family |
| | 9:30 am | Int. of Holiness & Sanctification of the Clergy |
| | 11 am | +Francisco Vera |
| Mon Mar. 23 | 8 am | COMMUNION SERVICE |
| Tue Mar. 24 | 8 am | Int. of Deacon Dan Rindge & Family |
| Wed Mar. 25 | 8 am | +Joan Ablar |
| Thu Mar. 26 | 8 am | +Susan Nilon No int. yet |
| Fri Mar. 27 | 8 am | Int. for all CTK ministries +Sean Michael O'Leary |
| Sat Mar. 28 | 4 pm | +Stephen Elcano |
| Sun Mar. 29 | 7:45 am | Int. of Mela Padilla |
| | 9:30 am | +Genovevo Medina |
| | 11 am | Int. of Jesús and Eleazer Hernandez's birthdays |



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Mahlon Eaton, Jerald Jenson & family, Noe Lagunas, Adonis & family, Stephanie Rahrig & family, Maddison Swim & family, Luis Ramirez Sanchez & family, Stephanie Gonzalez & family, Sabir & family, Jean Carlos & family, Consuelo & family, Maria Alt, Kelly O'Donnell, Elaine Sack, Araceli Cabrera, Moses Cabrera, Marissa Simmer & family, Sarah Halbur. All those who have been in our prior bulletins

REQUIESCAT IN PACE

REST IN PEACE

Joseph Jenson, Brock Tinoco

TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST, PLEASE
CONTACT: DAHLIA CABRERA -
dahlia@christtheking.ws



**Golden Empire Gleaners
Food Distribution**

*Hosted every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month
9:30AM-10:00AM in the Parish Hall
Please bring in dry goods from your cupboard to help.*

Next Date: March 24th

*Meeting on
March 24th
6— 7:30pm in Classroom B.
Contact:
Traci Peel @ (661) 859-4179*



PRO-LIFE ROSARY

**Come join us for the rosary
Thursday, March 26th
@ 6:30 PM in the Church**

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Meeting on **March 27th** starting at **6pm** in **Classroom A.**
Contact: Cinthya Reyes (661) 343-5911 or Natalie Olvera (661) 910-5090
youngadultministryctk@gmail.com



**NORTH OF THE RIVER
GOLDEN OLDIES**

Wednesday, March 25

11:00AM-1:00PM in the Parish Hall
\$13 for Lunch (**CASH ONLY**) **AT THE DOOR**
Prize donations welcome!
50/50 Raffle: Tickets 1/\$1; 6 for \$5, 15 for \$10 — **Cash only!**
Contact Trudy **661-428-1428**

Christ the King

**Knights of Columbus—Scholarship Fundraiser
Clam Chowder and Sourdough Dinner**



Friday, March 27th, 2026—5:00 pm—7:30 pm

CTK Parish Hall

Adults: \$10 Children: 6-12—\$5

Family Price: \$30 - Maximum of 2 adults



Lenten Smoothie

Banana-Avocado Smoothie

**1 frozen banana, 1/2 avocado, peeled,
1 cup milk, 1 tablespoon honey or maple
Syrup, ice cubes**

**Combine all the ingredients in a blender
And blend until smooth, pour into a
Glass and serve immediately.**



Weekly Inspiration

**“You can’t wear your old identity and walk in your new one.”
2 Corinthians 5:17- “Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!”**

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