

CHURCH OF CHRIST THE KING NEW VERNON, NJ

*We are a grateful and welcoming Catholic family of faith,
nourished by the Word and Eucharist,
called to serve as disciples of Christ, the King.*

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
June 16, 2019

Corpus Christi Food Collection

Saturday & Sunday, June 22-23



Our parish has been asked to provide:
Coffee (*instant or ground*), and
shelf-stable Milk (*powdered, canned, boxed*)
details inside



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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 7, 9 & 11 AM
Saturday (vigil) 5 PM

Weekdays

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 7 AM
Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday 9 AM

Most Holy Trinity

Our faith in a Triune God offers us a pathway home to the Father, to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.



Today, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. As we profess in our creed, we believe in one God, the Father almighty, in Jesus Christ his only begotten Son and in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of life. One God in three persons, in perfect, right relationship with one another.

The three Scripture texts for our liturgy give us insight into that Triune God, and demonstrate some of how they relate to us: the Wisdom of God, the human and divine natures of Jesus through whom we have peace with God, and the Holy Spirit who proceeds from them both and is the Spirit of truth. In the totality of Scripture, we can see the hand of our Triune God as he loves and cares for us.

All of the Hebrew Scriptures guide the people of Israel in coming to terms with the reality that there is but one God. God is seen as the Creator, as the Protector and as the Judge of all creation, especially the greatest of all of his creation – us. In the New Testament, we witness God's promise to bring about salvation become a reality in the person of Jesus Christ. As Jesus, the Son of God, is completing his mission on earth he makes another promise. He promises to send the Holy Spirit. The promise is kept, the Holy Spirit comes upon us and a new Church is born.

We believe in one God, a Trinity of Persons, working in perfect unison to offer us a way home. As rational beings we want to fully understand things, and from a theological standpoint the doctrine of the Trinity can be difficult to grasp. But having faith in, and being in a relationship with a Triune God need not be: for God is a God for us. He created us in his image, dwelt among us, and remains with us in truth and as our strength and guidance. Everything he does, he does for us. How could we not respond in kind to such a love?

So as we celebrate this doctrine of our faith, let us give thanks for the mystery of our redemption by God, through Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit. Let us give thanks for this divine outpouring of pure gift for our sake. And may we respond by glorifying God by living in right relationship with Him and with one another.

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 17

7am Joan Forrest

Tuesday, June 18

9am Frank & Michaelina Oberc; Rev. Thomas Lalley

Wednesday, June 19

7am Jozef Grabiec

Thursday, June 20

9am Joseph Narduzzi (*Living*)

Friday, June 21

7am Brett Rawdon

Saturday, June 22

9am Rizaldy D. Quintos

5pm Helen Muench

Sunday, June 23

7am Alfredo Oppedisano

9am Michael J. Sheppard, (Shep) Sr.

11am Patricia Cox

If you are a family member or friend of the person being remembered at Sunday Mass, please feel free to approach an usher and offer to bring up the gifts.

Pray for the Sick

Joan Dagostino, Kristen Johnson, Kathryn Olden, Grant Martin Scruggs, John Allen, Tawny Wamack, Theresa Padula, Susan Alai, James VanDerveer, Mary Borrello Cerrera, and all those listed in Our Lady's Chapel prayer book of intentions.

Collection

Last Weekend Collection: \$15,020.00*

*Included in this number is Faith Direct, electronic giving. The weekly average for electronic giving is \$5,476.00. For an easier more consistent way of supporting Christ the King, please consider using Faith Direct at www.faithdirect.net. Our parish code is **NJ658**.

Altar Linens Ministry

Volunteers Needed



If you would like to become more involved in your parish community but do not have much free time, you would be warmly welcomed by our Altar Linens Team. It is an easy, pre-chosen schedule to pick up, clean and return the altar linens 2-3 times every six months (and everyone is happy to accommodate unforeseen problems). For more information, please call Mary Lopez (973-840-0087) or mmalop6@gmail.com by June 16. Thank you.

Daily Reading

Find Today's Readings at www.bit.ly/2gGKsiU

Religious Education



Re-Registration Forms & Calendars

Re-Registration Forms and calendars for the 2019-20 school year were recently mailed to families who attended CTK Religious Education sessions in 2018-19 Thank you to all of the families that have already returned the necessary forms for next year's program. *We ask that you return your registration form to the parish office as soon as possible.*

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If you did not receive the re-registration mailing and your child will be entering **Kindergarten thru 8th grade** in September OR **if you are new to our Religious Education program**, please contact Erin by phone at 973-539-4955 ext.22 or email erin@chuchofchristtheking.org.

First Reconciliation & First Eucharist Registration

Sacrament preparation began at individual informal child & parent meetings. If you did NOT attend a meeting, please contact Erin at 973-539-4955 ext. 22 or erin@chuchofchristtheking.org. Preparation for First Reconciliation and First Eucharist is separate from your family's participation in our Family Based Religious Education program. If you are new to the Parish and have a child who will be in Second grade this September, please phone Erin at 973-539-4955 ext. 22 or erin@chuchofchristtheking.org.

Please note that the diocese asks that all children have two years of Religious Education prior to the reception of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist.

10 SIGNS OF A
SAFE PROGRAM
FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH

1. **Screening** of staff / volunteers.
2. Adults trained in **safe environment strategies** and signs of abuse.
3. **Code of conduct** enforced.
4. **Open Communication** between parents and staff / staff and children / children and parents.
5. **Parents** always Welcome.
6. Children educated in **right relationships** & what to do if a relationship isn't right.
7. All children treated with **Dignity and Respect**.
8. **Clear Rules and Expectations**. consistent reinforcement / consequences
9. **Adequate supervision of youth**. team approach — accountability — no 1:1 isolation
10. **All abuse is reported**.

Trinity Prayer

*God our Creator, you made us all that we are and gave us all that we possess.
Open our hearts so that we may live fully, in gratitude for the abundant gifts entrusted to us.*

*Jesus our Redeemer, you showed us how to attain eternal life by following in your footsteps,
and by our loving service to others; thereby proclaiming your Gospel in word and deed.*

*Holy Spirit, lift us up and be with us each day. Teach us, guide us and give us the courage
to embrace stewardship as a way of life in Christ as we journey along our pilgrim way back to the Father.*

*We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit,
One God, forever and ever. Amen.*

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PARISH DEVOTIONS

Novena Prayers in Honor of the Sacred Heart
First Fridays during morning Mass at 7 am.

Novena Prayer in Honor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal
Mondays after the 7 am Mass

Rosary

Tuesdays and Thursdays after the 9 am Mass

Holy Hour of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

First Wednesday of the month, 7 pm

Reconciliation (Individual Confession)

Saturday 9:30-10:15 am

BAPTISMS

Sundays after the 11 am Mass at 12:15 pm, schedule permitting. Please call the Parish Office to make the necessary arrangements for a Baptismal Preparation Session.

MARRIAGES

Please contact the Parish Office a year prior to the requested wedding date so the proper marriage preparation can be completed. Pre Cana takes place in the spring and fall.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Kindergarten

Optional program for families whose oldest child is in Kindergarten
Monthly on Sunday 10-10:45 am (as scheduled)

Family Based Model

Grade 5 may select FBRE or Jr. High option

Families with children K-5

Thursday 4-6 pm or Friday 6-8 pm, (monthly as scheduled)

Junior High - Grades 5-8

Sundays 5:30-8 pm (twice a month)

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA)

September—May

Adults interested in becoming Roman Catholic Christians should contact Sister Mary Joseph Schultz, SCC, ext. 13.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

Priests and Ministers of Communion are available to visit the sick and homebound. Please call the Parish Office to schedule.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome new parishioners to register at any time. Please call the Parish Office.

If any person may have been abused by any priest, they should immediately contact their local County Prosecutor's Office and the Diocese's Victims Assistant Coordinator: Dr. Ken McNiel at 973-879-1489. You may also be in touch with either of the Diocesan Response Officers: Rev. Msgr. James T. Mahoney, Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia, 973-777-8818 ext. 205 or Sister Joan Daniel Healy, S.C.C., Chancellor/Delegate for Religious, 973-777-8818 ext. 248. The entire text of the Policy of the Diocese of Paterson in Response to Complaints of Sexual Abuse is available on the diocesan website: www.patersondiocese.org

eNEWSLETTER (monthly)

Do you want to know more of what is happening in our parish community? **SIGN UP** to receive our parish eNewsletter at www.churchofchristtheking.org