If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, “Be uprooted and planted in the sea,” and it would obey you.

Luke 17:6

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, 10/2
- CLOW, 9:15 mass
- 3 yr. old, Pre-K, K, Parish Hall 9:15

Monday, 10/3
- Grief Support, Min. Ctr Chapel 7 pm

Tuesday, 10/4
- RE Grds 1-3, School 3:30 - 5 pm
- RE Grds 4-5, Parish Hall 3:30 - 5 pm
- RE Grds 7-8, Parish Hall 7 - 8:15 pm
- Perpetual Help Devotion, Church 7 pm
- Knights of Columbus, Min. Ctr 7 pm

Wednesday, 10/5
- Sewing Ministry A/B 9 am
- RE Grds 1-3, School 3:30 - 5 pm
- RE Grds 4-5, Parish Hall 3:30 - 5 pm
- RE Grds 6, Parish Hall 7 - 8:15 pm
- St. Vincent DePaul, Min. Ctr 7 pm
- Young Adults, Youth House 7 pm

Thursday, 10/6
- Centering Prayer, Min. Ctr 10 am
- RCIA, Min. Ctr Chapel 7 pm
- Youth Grp, Parish Hall 7:30 pm

Friday, 10/7
- First Friday Mass 6 pm

Saturday, 10/8
- Men’s Fellowship, Chapel 7:30 am

Sunday, 10/9
- CLOW, 9:15 mass
- 3 yr. old, Pre-K, K, Parish Hall 9:15
- Confirmation, Parish Hall 7 pm

To Hear the Gospel and Make a Difference
Dear Friends,

We welcome back Fr. Paulson this weekend and maybe we will hear in coming days how he did in the mountains of Peru practicing his Spanish. We can imagine how he did without having WiFi and internet access - and no electricity. However, I am sure he made many new friends and learned much about Peru and its culture.

That leads me to reflect on the advantage of having new experiences, especially when they give us new insights and new outlooks. These moments of awareness can come to us by reading a good book, hearing a great speech, having a moment of clarity or a spiritual awakening. Quite often, I would imagine, they come to us through others.

Isn’t that how God works? He works through others - the apostles, the saints, our parents, our children, our co-workers, neighbors and friends. God works through others!

Naturally, we have to have an open mind and an open heart - and that’s not always easy. Perhaps this can be part of our prayer today and during the week.

In God’s love and mine,

Fr. Vince

CTK Random Act of Mercy Of the Week:
A 93 year old woman, leaving Wendy’s restaurant, juggling 2 salad plates, a cane and a purse. A young man approaches and says, “Mam, can I help you carry those to your car?”. I hesitate, but say “yes!”. He escorts me to my car. I say, “thank you” and this 12 year old young man and I share a hug and he goes on his way.
The SPIRIT is willing, are YOU? The Holy Spirit will abound at the ChristLight weekend, Nov. 4 - 6. Don’t miss this unique experience to renew your faith, make new friends and have some fun. Sign up this weekend after all the masses. Questions, call Blaine at 963-6168 or Nancy at 360-7285. “ChristLight is AWESOME; so glad I went!”… a ChristLight participant.

Save The Date! Christ the King’s annual auction will take place on Sat., Feb. 11 at 5 pm at the Pleasant Hill Community Center. Tickets go on sale late October. Community support is needed to make this night a huge success! The auction committee is looking for donations and services. Sports tickets, gift cards and family outings are always a hit! Donor forms are in the church vestibule or can be downloaded at ctkschool.org.

If you are in your 20’s or 30’s, please join us Wednesday, October 5 from 7 - 9 pm in the youth house for our monthly meet up. We will begin with a short prayer service and then have time for socializing. We provide soda, beer and wine - you bring an appetizer or dessert to share!

Carondelet High School’s 27th Annual Vision of Christmas. Kick off your holiday season by enjoying one of five holiday teas, a fashion show, a community open house, and breakfast with Santa. All events feature a beautiful boutique and silent auction. Don’t miss your chance to win one of 5 extravagant, spectacularly themed Christmas trees with fabulous prizes. For information and to register visit carondelet.org/visions.

It is altar server recruitment time of year! All children in grades 4-8 are invited to attend the training and serve at masses. Call Mary Jo at 925-285-4337 or email at maryjorobinson1941@gmail.com for more information. We need many more servers!

Invitation to Prayer - One of the rich spiritual practices of the Christian faith is a silent form of prayer called Centering Prayer. Although an ancient tradition, its practice has been revitalized in recent decades. Here at CTK we meet Thursdays at 10 am in the ministry center. You are invited to “come and see”. For more information, email pstevens6604@sbcglobal.net.

First Friday mass will be celebrated this Friday, October 7. Join us for exposition of the Blessed Sacrament beginning at noon to 5:45 pm, with mass beginning at 6 pm.

Pray for Our Sick
May you be wrapped up in God’s love, Found deep in His everlasting wings, Carried and kept, safe and cherished. May the healing power of Christ breathe across your being now.

Maya Cardin-Bosworth, Olivia Lovett, Neave Murphy Alderson, Cathal Timoney, Philip Telucci, Laura Najar Brown, Al Kutchins.

Join us for our 2016 Blue Mass honoring first responders and their families. Friday, October 14 at 10 am, Cathedral of Christ the Light. The service will include memorial prayers for those who lost their lives in the line of duty in the past year. This is an interfaith event; all are welcome. First responders are invited to attend in uniform. Lunch will follow. RSVP at oakdiocese.org/BlueMass2016.

Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick/Homebound - We are in need of parishioners to visit the sick and homebound to bring them Holy Communion. Are you willing to join this team of ministers? We have more and more requests from families whose loved ones need this spiritual care. It is a beautiful way to share our faith and the many blessings God has given us. Contact Bev at 825-4269 or bevyprosek@gmail.com.

Respect Life Sunday is Oct. 2nd. Join us at the information table after mass where you may learn more about the vital Respect Life issues of our time. Questions: Charlotte Graham at csgraham228@yahoo.com.

If you are a Registered Voter with availability on Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 8 from 6am to 9pm, We Want You! Be a poll worker for a day. Stipend $125. Sign up at cocovote.us/get-involved/poll-worker-program.

If you are spending your following morning mass until noon, “Seeking Wisdom of the Heart”. Facilitated by Susan Caldera, MA, this retreat morning will be a time to spend with Sophia, Divine Wisdom. She who beacons us to listen to the promptings of our heart; She who encourages us to reclaim our inner knowing; She who desires us to celebrate our inner strength. More information coming.
Christ the King is a proud member of Jubilee USA Network, an alliance of more than 75 US organizations, 550 faith communities and 50 Jubilee global partners. We work to create an international financial system that protects and ensures participation of the most vulnerable within the context of human rights.

**Next weekend is Jubilee Weekend!**

We will celebrate with a special homilist—our second collection will be for Jubilee USA. (Catholic Voice collection will move to the following weekend)

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A few of our wonderful peer leaders for the Confirmation Program!

If you are a sophomore, junior or senior in high school and haven’t signed up to be confirmed this year, this is your last chance!

Sign up today by filling out a registration form that can be found in the vestibule or downloaded from ctkym.org.

Next class is October 9.

**Sign up today!**