September 22, 2019

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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"If, therefore, you are not trustworthy with dishonest wealth, who will trust you with true wealth?" - Lk 16:11

PARISH STAFF

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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Christ the King Worship Site Saturday 3:30 - 4:20 PM Sacred Heart Worship Site Saturday 8:30 - 9:00 AM - Our Lady of Czestochowa Chapel

CONFESSION

(English & Polish) Christ the King Worship Site Monday - Friday 6:30 AM Sacred Heart Worship Site Wednesday & First Friday 6:30 - 7:00 PM Saturdays 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM & 3:45 - 4:45 PM

OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9:00AM to 3:30PM. Office closed on Thursdays. Saturdays and Evenings: By Appointment.



S MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, September 23 (Poniedziałek) Pius of Pietrelcina

CTK - 7:00AM †Joe Tomko r/o Nancy Tigue SH - 8:00AM †Marcin Wierzba r/o Stefania Dmochowski SH - 11:00AM †Andre Maziarzewski r/o wife

Tuesday, September 24 (Wtorek)

CTK - 7:00AM For the People of the Parish SH - 8:00AM †Kazimierz Wołek r/o Bujak Family SH - 11:00AM OLPH Novena in English

Wednesday, September 25 (Środa)

CTK - 7:00ÅM Health of Ryan McKee r/o mother & family

- SH 11:00AM +Padre Pio r/o Buongiovani Family
- SH 11:30AM Exposition and Rosary
- SH 7:00PM OLPH Novena in Polish

Thursday, September 26 (Czwartek) - Cosmas & Damian; Bl. Kaspar Stanggassinger, C.Ss.R.

CTK - 7:00AM God's Blessing for Ann Dorsa r/o sister SH - 8:00AM †Marcin Wierzba r/o Bujak Family

SH - 11:00AM **†**Jacqueline Vesce r/o parents

Friday, September 27 (Piątek) - Vincent de Paul

CTK - 7:00AM †John, Anna, Edward & Henry Krysinski r/o estate SH - 11:00AM †John Mehalik r/o Marlene & Bernie Narolewski

- SH 11:30AM Divine Mercy Devotions
- SH 7:00PM †Roman Strzelecki r/o friend

Saturday, September 28 (Sobota) - Wenceslaus; Lawrence Ruiz & Companions

- SH 8:00AM +Waclaw Puzio r/o Maria & Marian Puzio
- SH 11:00AM †Joyce Czaplicki r/o Betty & Norman Domitrowski
- SH 5:00PM †Charles Zwerko r/o Lois & Greg Zwerko

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Sept. 29 (Niedziela)

- SH 7:00AM †Maria & Wojciech Palka r/o family
- CTK 8:30AM †Istvan & Terez Keglovich r/o John & Terezia Tardy
- SH 10:00AM God's Blessing for Fr. Wojtek
- SH 11:30AM God's Blessing for Fr. Wojtek

The Sanctuary Lamp in Sacred Heart will burn this week for the repose of the soul of **Sophie Onka** at the request of her daughter, Celeste.

The Altar Bread & Wine in Sacred Heart is consecrated this week in memory of **Joe Wolinski** at the request of his wife & family.





"No servant can serve two masters." We struggle with where we put and give our allegiance. Who has the ultimate authority and claim over us? While our minds want to answer "God," our lives often reveal other conflicting allegiances. Because we are made in the image of God, we are not given a ticket of entitlement or privilege. On the contrary, we are given a level playing field where we are one among many and called to live just and trustworthy lives. To serve God is to serve others and to see the primary purpose and focus of our lives as being good stewards. As God lifts up the poor, so too do we. As much as we want the world and God to serve our own self advancement, we have to resist this temptation at all costs. Injustice has no place in the kingdom of God.

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Compartmentalization or consistency? In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus tells a strange story of a sneaky, savvy steward that raises questions about our personal virtue. "How much do you owe? Here is your promissory note, write one for eighty." This parable isn't advice for money management. Historically, there were many positions that acted on behalf of their masters regarding money, like customs agents, household stewards, and tax collectors. Often these workers over-charged and skimmed off the top.

Usurious practices like this were not in line with the traditional Jewish understanding of money lending, which strictly forbade them from to taking interest or making a profit off of their own people. As the steward reduced the debt, he was likely writing out the amount he originally intended to take for himself. Before the steward can be commended, he needs to right the wrong done.

"The person who is trustworthy in very small matters is also trustworthy in great ones; and the person who is dishonest in very small matters is also dishonest in great ones." This parable contains an important self-check. We have a great many things we're responsible for that seem to have nothing to do with the kingdom of God. How do we interact in those spaces? Are we trustworthy in our dealings at work and at home? Are we honest and faithful to our commitments to family and friends? Are we honest with our money and prudent with how we spend our time?

Jesus calls his disciples to consistency. How often do we expect that we can be one person one place, yet shrug off that persona in a new situation? "No servant can serve two masters." These week, take stock of your life. All of your life. Are you living the Gospel values wherever you go?



TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES - Christ the King School - 5:30 - 6:45PM.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

ADULT CHOIR PRACTICE – 7:30PM in Sacred Heart Church.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

ANNUAL PET BLESSING – Sacred Heart Church grounds 1:30-2PM. All pets must be leashed or in cages.

NEXT WEEKEND, SEPTEMBER 28 & 29

END OF THE MONTH ADORATION - there will be a short adoration after each Mass.

Ogłoszenia Parafialne

WTOREK, 24 WRZESIEŃ KATECHEZA – Christ the King School – 5:30-6:45PM.

Sobota, 28 wrzesień

BŁOGOSŁAWIEŃSTWO ZWIERZĄT - godz. 13:30 przed kościołem Sacred Heart. Wszystkie zwierzęta musza być na smyczy lub w klatce.

NIEDZIELA, 29 WRZESIEŃ

W ostatnią Niedzielę miesiąca – krótka adoracja na zakończenie każdej Mszy świętej

VOLUNTEEROPPORTUNITIES

We are in need of people to help with funerals. This would entail setting up, lectoring and serving at the Funeral Mass. If interested please call the parish office for details.

Divine Mercy Choir Members needed for funerals which take place at Christ the King Church. If you would like to become a member of this ministry, please call the parish office. There are no rehearsals.



III. Krzysztof Wierzba & Angelika Karbowniczek

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE TRAVELING KIT



Through prayer and consecration, Bishop Checchio is hoping to light a fire in the hearts of the faithful to live the Gospel message and the enthusiastic willingness to share that message. He is asking for the graces to achieve this new Evangelization under the patronage of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Our parish has a traveling kit that includes the image of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

We are encouraging parishioners to sign up to take this beautiful image home for a week at a time to prayerfully participate in this Consecration. To schedule your week please contact the parish office at 908-725-0072.



LIFE CHOICES OCTOBER 12



Walk for Life Take a Walk, Save a Life! Saturday, October 12, 2019 9am-12pm

Merrill Park, Iselin (Rain or Shine) Benefitting the lifesaving work of Life Choices Resource Center

CCD Hours!

DJ, Refreshments, Games – Family Fun No Distance or Time Restrictions!
Don't walk alone - create your own TEAM! Be a HERO and Make the Difference in the Life of an unborn child

Register today @ <u>www.LifeChoicesRC.com</u> or download a pledge form.

\$200 raised provides 1 free ultrasound! Call (732) 516-0911 or TEXT with Questions



Thank you for your continued support of Caritas. The Caritas Team collects food every week at the church. Desperately needed items: Spaghetti Sauce, Soup, Cereal, Macaroni and Cheese,

Dried Potato Mixes, Rice, Canned Meat-Ham, Tuna, Chicken, Canned Fruit, Peanut Butter and Jelly. The Caritas Team also collect monetary donations and on-line through our church website.

The Knights of Columbus (KofC) Saint Jude Council # 6573



Council Meetings and Social Gatherings: Held monthly on 1st and 3rd Tuesday, respectively at 7:00 pm; Saint John Neumann Center at Christ the Redeemer Parish, Manville N.J. Catholic men 18+ who are not fellow knights but may have an interest to join are invited to the social

events.

BIBLE STUDY - 7pm in "the little red schoolhouse" in Sacred Heart parking lot. You don't have to be a "Knight" or even a parishioner to stop in. You just have to have a longing to learn the Word of God. Feel free to invite friends.

- September 26th Lectio Divina and Your Spiritual Life video with Dr. Brant Pitre - Free
- October 3rd-January 23rd Gospel of Luke(13weeks) -\$30 and includes videos and study book

We always have update on our Facebook Page - https:// www.facebook.com/kofc6573biblestudy/

CLOTHING DRIVE - October 12th. Clothing, textiles, stuffed animals, etc. can be dropped off at the St. John Neumann Center from 9AM to 12Noon.

SPAGHETTI DINNER/TRICKY TRAY - October 12th - Christ the King School - Advance tickets - \$15; at the door - \$20.. Tickets/Questions/Donations Contact: Tony Toporowski ww.facebook.com/tony.topo.5 - atop124@yahoo.com

60'S PLUS CLUB GOOD FOOD. GOOD CONVERSA-TION. GOOD FRIENDS.

The next 60's Plus meeting will be held on October 13th @ St. John Neumann Center - 2-4PM. All parishioners aged 60 and over are invited to a complimentary dinner. Please call Kathy at 908-874-8323 if you will be attending.



The next Altar Rosary Society Mass \bigvee will be held on **September 22nd** at **SOCIETY** 10:00AM.

The next FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS to Our Lady of Fatima will take place on **October 5th**.

PRAYER & PRAISE GROUP



The next Prayer & Praise Group Meeting will be held on October 21st in Christ the King Church at 12:30PM.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The next Holy Name Society Meeting will be held on **Octo-**ber 7th in the St. John Neumann

Center at 6PM.

Silver & Gold Wedding Anniversary Celebration

You are cordially invited to celebrate your 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary with the Church of Metuchen and renew your marriage vows with Bishop James F. Checchio at a special Evening Prayer Service at the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi in Metuchen on Sunday, October 27, 2019 at 4:00 PM. Registration is required. Please register online at: diometuchen.org/silver-and-gold. If you are unable to access, please contact your parish secretary or the 732-562-1543 Family Life Office at or amarshall@diometuchen.org. Registration will close on October 11, 2019. Although no fee is required, in the past many Jubilarian couples have given a donation of gratitude to the Church in memory of this special occasion. Donations of Gratitude may be made online or calling 732-562-1543.

Weekly Vocation Prayer Schedule

Sunday:	K.K.
Monday:	Theresa Evans & John Strollo
Tuesday:	Gerald Pepe
Wednesday:	Betty Rybski
Thursday:	John Tardy & Sharon Liszczak
Friday:	Terezia Tardy
Saturday:	Katlyn Hart

Minister Schedule for September 28 & 29					
	5:00PM SH	7:00AM SH	8:30AM CTK	10:00AM SH	11:30AM PL-SH
Lectors	R. Trksak	K. Dziwak E. Poplawski	M. Bellamy	A. Scarpantonio	Z. Walczyszyn Z. Wlodarska
Extra-ordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharistic	J. Sharbaugh B. Chernesky M. Urbaniak	A. Niecikowski B. Nowak	S. Kosensky M. Tabbit K. Tartaglione	S. Klein A. Szczecina M. Cebula	H. Brandt M. Wojtach



We ask you for your prayers for the health of those in need, especially: Toni Antonelli, Evelyn Appenzeller, Cheryl Argento, Jean Barney, John Bartley, Jean Batula, Billy Bird, Jane Borowski, Shawn

Brickley, Denise Buanano, Lorraine Burkoski, Jason Cebula, Chester Cejnowski, Luke Chartowich, Palo Cizmar, Pat Cobo, Allison Collins, Kaiden Crothwer, Bill and Denise Davidson, Marge Demski, Dorothy Dinsmore, Heather Drodz, Mary Evancho, Bernice Fatto, Dorothy Fedorczyk, Maureen Femiano, Nancy Franklin, Karter Fridlund, Marian Gano, Helen Gazo, Helen Gilmore, Dorothy Gluch, Dolores Hart, Marvann Hughes, Marge Iarkowski, Maria Inglot, Raul Jaime, Dennis Koslowski, Ed Kawalchuk, Theresa Kraska, John Krasnansky, Wiktoria Lach, Rita Lagasse, Ken Lake, Janice Lallev, Donna Lawler, Judy Lentzsch, Antoinette Leotti, Cheyenne Liccardi, Rachel Lukacs, Jerry Mamola, Joe Matisak, Quaid Mobus, Alexander Monto, Ed Nawracaj, Mai Nguyen, Hunter Norz, Joseph Patero, Steven Pirello, Mary Poltarek, Joseph G. & Mark Pschar, Carolyn Puia, Kathy Ravaioli, Robert Regnar, Anita Richmond, Chelsea Rivard, Laura Rodaman, Mary Rogalski, Marie Rogusky, Sylvia Rubito, Jerry Russell, Jr., Dolores Serra, Irene Shelcusky, Pat Sherwood, Eric Slaight, Charlotte Snow, Victoria Soika, Albert Stanski, Bonnie Tietjen, Michelle Tranter, David Urban, Frances Viola, Irena Walczak, Cindy Weigel, Peggy White, Cathy Wildgust, Stacey Willard, Raymond Wisniewski, Barbara Wrigil, Michael Zamorsky, Maria Zurawiecki, and Regina Zydalis.

God of all consolation give life and health to our sisters and brothers for whom we pray in your Holy Name. Amen.



Our Men and Women in the Service

Please pray for all of our men and women serving in the Armed forces, especially

Pvt. Christopher Foley PFC Joshua Hussey Major James A. Jablonski Jr. Master Sergeant Kimberly Kaminski USAF 2nd Lieutenant John Limyansky USAF First Sergeant Jeff Morella USMC SR Jerry Lee Rogalski Commander Peter G. Rybski, Jr. PFC Steven Ubry Staff Sergeant Lindsay Zaccardi USAF PFC Brian J. Zarnowski SPC Christopher Elsen

Please let us know if you have a family member who is serving in the military and we will acknowledge them in our weekly bulletin. Please share the good news with us when one of the above soldiers returns home!



Mega Raffle Barbecue & Dance

Music provided by FAMILY TRADITION October 20, 2019 1:00 - 5:00PM



St. Peter by the Sea Orchestra Moved from September 28th to November 24, 2019

Scrip Cards - Great Gifts For School



It is time for many of you to get your children ready for school. Whether they are attending classes for the first time or if they are on their way to college, what better way to send them off than to have some script cards for them to use. We offer a wide assortment of cards that can easily be used by children of almost any age in case of an emergency. Students would welcome having a gas, grocery, pizza, school supply, clothing card in their backpack or wallets in

case they run low on funds. What better, safer way to equip your children then by giving them a variety of scrip cards instead of cash. Order forms can be found at the back of the Christ The King and Sacred Heart worship sites. Not only will the purchase of these cards help our young parishioners get through school, but a % of the money comes back to our Parish. It is a win/win for everyone.



Report of Sunday Offerings in Support of our Parish The Christ the Redeemer collection for the weekend of September 15, 2019

Offertory	\$ 7,238.00
Mail-Ins	\$ 1,023.00
Air Conditioning	\$ 3,307.00
On-line Giving	\$ 834.00
Children's donations	\$ 30.00
Total	\$ 12,432.00
Collection for the same week last year	\$ 13,476.00

Thank you for your generosity and support. May God bless you. Fr. Stan

"No servant can serve two masters. He will hate one and love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon (wealth)." (Luke 16:13)

Is money a "god" that you put before God? Giving money to support the Church and other charity is a pillar of our faith, just like attending Mass every Sunday and participating in parish ministry. Giving money frees us from being a slave to money. It increases our dependence on God and our trust that God will provide all that we need.

OUR CHILDREN'S GIFTS TO CHRIST THE REDEEMER PARISH

My Good Deed was when I:

helped my family.	Marilyn
helped my friend with homework & gave my frien	d
company.	Hannah
praved the rosarv.	Jayden
gave people high fives to brighten up their day.	Zana
took out the trash.	David
took care of my mom.	Veronika



Please visit our parish website:

www.ctrmanville.com

up-to-date information, schedules, church bulletins, pictures from parish events and much more...

Be sure to check out our video reflections on the Sunday Readings each week. This week Jay Sharbaugh will be presenting the reflections and next week Roberta Caswell will be the presenter.

Have parish newsletter delivered to your email. Sign up for our newsletter on the website.

Readings for the Week of September 22, 2019

Sunday: Am 8:4-7/Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8 [cf. 1a, 7b]/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13

Monday: Ezr 1:1-6/Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [1]/Lk 8:19-21

- Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9/Tb 13:2, 3-4a, 4befghn, 7-8 [1b]/Lk 9:1-6
- **Thursday:** Hg 1:1-8/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Hg 2:1-9/Ps 43:1, 2, 3, 4 [5]/Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a/Jer 31:10, 11-12a, 13 [cf. 10d]/Lk 9:43b-45

Next Sunday: Am 6:1a, 4-7/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b]/1 Tm 6:11-16/Lk 16:19-31

The daily Scripture references are printed here. If you find it helpful and have internet access, you can find the complete Daily Scripture Readings at http://www.usccb.org/nab/.

MEGA RAFFLE ORDER FORM

Drawing will take place on October 20, 2019 at Christ The King School Tickets can also be ordered On-Line at <u>www.ctrmanville.com</u>

First Name:	
Last Name:	
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
Phone #:	
Email Address:	
# of Tickets @ \$50.00 ea	
Make check payable/send to or deposit your order form/payment in the weekly collection basket.	Christ The Redeemer Parish PO Box 924, Manville, NJ 08835