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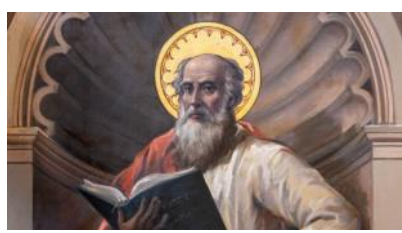
Today's readings take us back to some basics of stewardship living and demonstrate the genius of this way of life.

Our First Reading, from 2 Kings, shows us the necessity and power of hospitality. It recounts the story of a woman who showed loving hospitality to a visitor, inviting him to dinner with her family and arranging a room for him in their home so that he would have a comfortable place to stay during his travels through her town. She reached out to the man in a simple and practical manner to make him feel welcome and was rewarded in an extraordinary way.

In our Second Reading, from the Letter to the Romans, St. Paul reminds us of the power of our Baptism and how this sacrament makes us disciples. What does that mean for us here and now? St. Paul tells us very clearly: "You must think of yourselves as dead to sin and living for God in Christ Jesus." We must live for Christ! Nothing less will do.

Our Lord proclaims this same instruction in a rather shocking way in our Gospel passage from Matthew: "Whoever finds his life [by living for oneself] will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it." But how do we lose our life? Precisely through loving actions towards others, loving them as if they were Christ. "Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple... he will surely not lose his reward."

The simple brilliance of stewardship living — only our infinitely creative and compassionate God could conceive it!



CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH

June 28, 2026



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MASS SCHEDULE AT CHRIST THE KING	
WEEKLY	
Saturday	7:00pm (Spanish)
Sunday	10:15 am
Wednesday	4:00 pm
Wednesday	7:00pm (Spanish)
First Fridays	
Holy Days of Obligation	4:00 pm
Reconciliation	
Wednesday	3:45 pm
Sunday	9:45 am or by appointment

MASS SCHEDULE AT BLESSED TRINITY	
WEEKEND	
Saturday	4:00 pm and 6:00 pm
Sunday	7:10 am, 8:45 am, 11:00 am, 1:00 pm Spanish, 5:00pm LifeTeen
DAILY	
Monday—Friday	7:10 am and 5:30 pm
Wednesday	8:15 am (follows school schedule)
Thursday	6:30 pm Spanish
Saturday	8:00 am
MASS SCHEDULE AT LA GUADALUPANA	
Tuesday	7:00 pm Spanish
Sunday	7:00 pm Spanish

PARISH LIFE

JUNE 28, 2026 — THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the community of Christ the King Catholic Church, are committed to following Christ's teachings of loving God and our neighbors, through faith, service and worship. Our mission is to seek the kingdom of God and to be an example to everyone, of God's unending love and mercy, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

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Travelers' Information		410.676.6000
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NEW PARISHIONERS and WINTER VISITORS

are requested to register soon after arrival. Registration forms are available in the foyer of the Church. Completed registration forms should be placed in the collection basket.

BAPTISM: We are pleased to help your family prepare for the special event of your child's entrance into our faith community. To help parents and godparents prepare, a class (English) is held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30pm in the Community Center at Blessed Trinity and in Spanish the 2nd Saturday of each month, at 9:00am at La Guadalupana. Parents and Godparents must attend this class prior to scheduling baptism.

MARRIAGES: If you are planning to be married your preparation process should begin at least four (4) months prior to desired date. We look forward to helping you during your time of engagement and preparation for the vocation of Christian marriage. Call the Blessed Trinity Church Office at 352.629.8092 for an appointment with one of our priests.

SICK CALLS AND HOSPITAL VISITS: If you or a family member are in a local hospital or homebound and would like to receive Communion or Sacrament of the Sick, please call 506.0282 and key in your number or contact Blessed Trinity office at 629.8092. When registering at the hospital, put your name on the Catholic List.

HALL RENTALS: Having a Baby Shower, Birthday Party or Anniversary Party? The hall is available for rental. Please call 352.484.5619 for more information.

STEWARDSHIP BY THE BOOK

Both the first reading and the Gospel today speak of hospitality and welcome. Our ministers of hospitality are a most visible example of using one's time and talents to welcome the people of God. But the Gospel assures us that all who give even just "a cup of cold water" to one of His lowliest ones will be rewarded.

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is actively seeking new members. Please contact Sandie Maguire at 352.466.3977 for more information.

Welcome

LIFE TEEN

JOIN US FOR...



Scripture

RSVP FOR
JUNE 28



MOST SUNDAYS THIS SUMMER
KING OF KINGS / 6-7:30PM

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

Zec 9:9-10

Rom 8:9, 11-13

Mt 11:25-30



MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday, July 1 The Gouvia Family †

Sunday, July 5 Alan Schlossberg †

Please contact Sandra Hajal at 867.1810 or email nhajal@aol.com to request a Mass for a loved one.

PRAYER LIST FOR THE SICK

We are asked to remember members of the Parish or a member's family/friends in our prayers that they may have a speedy and complete recovery. Please enter their names in the white book in the foyer and they will be presented at Mass.

Recently deceased—

CTK ONGOING EVENTS

Legion of Mary meets each Wednesday before Mass. Contact Sandie Maguire at 352.466.3977

Rosary is said Sunday mornings at 9:30am

Online Rosary - Visit www.comepraytherosary.org

Coffee/Donuts served after Sunday Mass in the hall.

Soup Kitchen is open on Tuesday from 12:00pm-2:00pm. Soup, sandwiches, drinks, stories, smiles, laughs and dessert.

Altar Flowers contact Sose Gaudet at 622.3589 to place flowers on the altar with (1) week notice.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Council 16413 meets the 3rd Thursday of every month at 7:00pm in Oschman Hall. For more information contact Grand Knight, Bruce Burlison 352.812.1313.

Bulletin Advertising contact Melinda Gunn at 629.8092. Space is available. The semi-annual rate is \$80.00 for 6 months.

Parish App: myparishapp.com or the app store

Hall Rental: Contact Steve Floyd at 352.484.5619

Our Catholic Appeal

We continue to get pledges each week. We have had 35 families respond.

As mentioned already, we are getting ready to mail a letter to all our families who have not yet responded. We will wait one more week. Help us save the cost of a stamp!

Our assessment is \$14,734! If we exceed that number we get to keep two thirds of the excess and the other third goes to the care of sick and retired priests. It is all about making the fullness of the Gospel available here locally, in our diocese and worldwide.

God appreciates your active participation.



CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH SOUP KITCHEN

June Menu

- 6/2 - Pickled Ham sandwiches/chips
- 6/9 - Little smokies and beans w/ Brown bread
- 6/16- Hotdogs (grilled) w/ Tator tots
- 6/23 - Bbq Chicken sandwiches/roasted potatoes
- 6/30 surprise

Assorted desserts, coffee and various soft drinks.

Meals are free every Tuesday 12pm-2pm

Perpetual Adoration

Be a "Buddy Adorer" for:

Sundays: Midnight-Monday 1:00am

Tuesdays: 4:00am - 5:00am

Wednesdays: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Thursdays: 11:00am - Noon

Saturdays: 10:00pm - 11:00pm

Also in need of substitutes, especially between Midnight and 5:00am

Our stewardship way of life here at BT encourages each family to commit one hour a week to the adoration chapel.

The Lord looks forward to your visit!

For your special hour of praise before the Blessed Sacrament call or email: Carol Blackstock 352-622-7348 or 352-425-8638, carolblackstock@gmail.com.



Rosary Rally For America

Please join Knights of Columbus at a public rosary rally taking place at 12 noon, Saturday July 11 at the Ocala Police Department on Pine Ave.



On this country's 250th birthday, we will pray for the repentance and conversion of our great nation, asking God to save America through the rosary of His Most Holy Mother.

For God and country, come and pray with us.

St. Peregrine Mass

Please join us in praying for a cure for cancer. The monthly devotional Mass to St. Peregrine, the patron saint of cancer patients, will be Thursday, July 2, at the 5:30pm Mass at Blessed Trinity. Medals and holy cards are available before or after Mass. Please come and pray with us.

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

In today's gospel reading the twelve hear Jesus speak these words: "Whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me." This is the first time Matthew mentions the word "cross" in his Gospel, and it is not in direct reference to Jesus' crucifixion but as a prerequisite to following him. Good stewards recognize that the call to discipleship requires them to "take up the cross" and align their goals in life and their fate with that of Jesus, that is, with suffering, opposition, resistance and even death. Reflect this week on the crosses you need to take up daily in order to comprehend the way of Jesus Christ.

Knights of Columbus

We are looking for good, Catholic men over the age of 18 to join Council 16413 here at Christ the King.

See grand knight Bruce Burleson for additional information or call, 352.812.1313.

Fish Fry Leaders Needed!

Do you love the annual Fish Fry? Are you looking to get more involved at church? This is your time!



We are looking for a few people to head up our Lenten fish fry. You will have lots of volunteer help but we need someone to take the lead.

If you are interested, see Deacon Steve after Mass.

First Saturday Devotion

All members of the parish are invited to attend the First Saturday Devotion in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.



The next devotion will be on July 4, 2026 following the 8am Mass at Blessed Trinity.

New Youth Director Needed!

Our very own youth director, Lydia Ross, has to move in mid-July to Colorado.

Her husband got a decent job there. She also got a job in the new parish the family will be attending.

Lydia has done an excellent job as parish youth director. She has been very open and helpful on all aspects of our Catholic teens lives. Under her leadership the parish teen activities have grown. Not only with teens, she also worked well with the parents, the parish staff, the schools and the diocese. She also was a positive part of Edge. She taught two teen confirmation classes and one adult OCIA class. Our parish will truly miss her.

The Youth Ministry Director is responsible for fostering the spiritual growth of our parish youth by developing, organizing, and leading programs, events, and activities that encourage young people to deepen their relationship with Christ and actively participate in the life of the Church.

Now we are open to accepting applications for parish youth director. If anyone needs a job description, please call Kathryn or Melinda at the church office.

Peter's Pence Collection

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Leo XIV. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Leo XIV to be a sign of hope to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today.

For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.

Marriage Rediscovery

If your marriage has become troubled and stressed, unloving or uncaring; if you have grown cold and distant; even if you are divorced or separated, or are thinking about it; Retrouvaille can help. It has helped thousands. Our next program begins July 17-19, 2026.

For more information call 352.274.4614. Not counseling or group therapy. All calls and names held in strictest confidence. We invite you to visit our website at marriagerediscovery.org



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