

The Messenger



Christ the King Catholic Community
A Roman Catholic Parish
of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Las Vegas
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January 31, 2016 ~ Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Readings

First Reading —
God appoints
Jeremiah as
prophet to the
nations (Jeremiah
1:4-5, 17-19).

Psalm — I will sing
of your salvation
(Psalm 71).

Second Reading
— Love with its
many facets is the
most important of
the virtues (1
Corinthians 12:31
— 13:13 [13:4-13]).

Gospel — When
Jesus claims his
salvific mission is
for all people, not
just the Jews, he is
expelled by the
enraged members
of the Nazarean
synagogue (Luke
4:21-30).

MASS TIMES

SATURDAY:
4:00 pm

SUNDAY:
7:30, 9:30, 11:30 am,
1:30 pm (Misa en Español)
4:00 pm

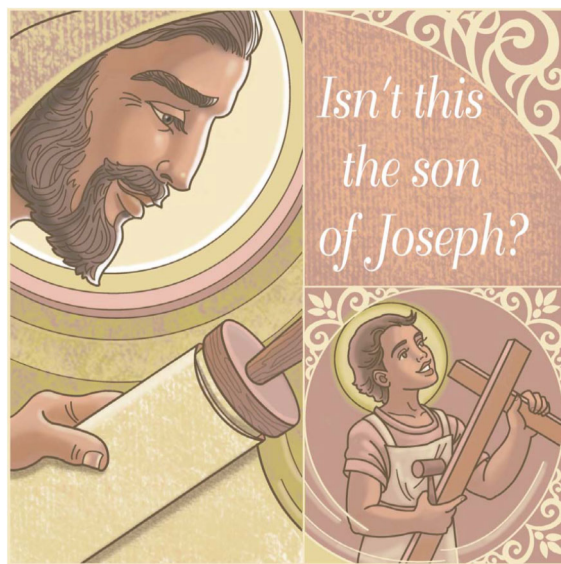
WEEKDAYS:
Mon - Sat ~ 8:00 am

HOLY DAYS:
8:00 am and 7:00 pm

THE GREAT HYMN TO LOVE

It is doubtful that Saint Paul, when he sat down to write what we now know as the thirteenth chapter of First Corinthians, knew that he was penning what was to become one of the keystones of Christian ethics. In this brief passage, he set down ideals about love that have held fast through the centuries. Sometimes we may think that because these are ideals to which we aspire, we are excused from them in our daily living.

But what Paul was writing was a letter to his friends, providing them with some sound advice about what it meant—and still means—to live in love, day by day, as a follower of Christ. We find in his words to his friends a broadening of the great commands of Jesus to love God and neighbor. Today we hear what this love must look like in our own actions, and how it ought to guide our relationships with others.



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EL GRAN HIMNO AL AMOR

Cabe dudar que, cuando san Pablo se sentó a escribir lo que ahora conocemos como el capítulo trece de la primera carta a los corintios, supiera que lo que estaba escribiendo se convertiría en una clave principal de la ética cristiana. En este breve pasaje, ha consignado ideales sobre el amor que se han mantenido firmes en el transcurso de los siglos. A veces pensamos que porque estos son sólo ideales a los que uno aspira, estamos libres de no practicarlos en nuestra vida diaria.

Lo que Pablo estaba escribiendo era una carta a sus amigos, dándoles buenos consejos sobre lo que significaba —y todavía significa— vivir en el amor, día a día, en seguimiento de Cristo. Encontramos en las palabras a sus amigos una ampliación del gran mandamiento de Jesús de amar a Dios y al prójimo. Hoy en día escuchamos cómo este amor debe expresarse en nuestras acciones, y cómo debe regir nuestras relaciones con los demás.

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Daily Bible Readings

Monday, February 1: 2 Samuel 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-7; Mark 5:1-20
Tuesday, February 2: Malachi 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Hebrews 2:14-18; Luke 2:22-40 [22-32]
Wednesday, February 3: 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mark 6:1-6
Thursday, February 4: 1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chronicles 29:10-12; Mark 6:7-13
Friday, February 5: Sirach 47:2-11; Ps 18:31, 47, 50, 51; Mark 6:14-29
Saturday, February 6: 1 Kings 3:4-13; Ps 119:9-14; Mark 6:30-34
Sunday, February 7: Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138:1-5, 7-8; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Luke 5:1-11

MASS INTENTIONS

If you want the name of your loved ones to be read aloud during mass or written in our weekly bulletin it must be turned in to the front desk at least two weeks in advance.

Saturday	January 30
8:00 am	†Rose Amico
4:00 pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	January 31
7:30 am	†Harley Parvin
9:30 am	†Vicente Mendoca
11:30 am	†Margo & Buenvenida Ryder
1:30 pm	†George Amplement
4:00 pm	†Sandra Arguello
Monday	February 1
8:00 am	†Jonathan Lopez
Tuesday	February 2
8:00 am	†Socorro de Guzman Smith
Wednesday	February 3
8:00 am	†Nilda Burdick
Thursday	February 4
8:00 am	†Joyce Briones Abiera
Friday	February 5
8:00 am	†Casiana Gallego
Saturday	February 6
8:00 am	†Joey Piccoli
4:00 pm	†Vivencio H Magno
Sunday	February 7
7:30 am	†Richard & Tillie Kucinski
9:30 am	†Rosanne Licata
11:30 am	†Mercedes Silverio
1:30 pm	Maria Meza
4:00 pm	†Edgardo & Analee Lopez



FINANCES

Sunday Collection Jan 16/17/2016	\$13,561.50
E-Tithing	\$ 3,058.24
Total	\$16,619.74
Necessary weekly budgeted amount	\$20,000.00
Plus/Minus amount for this week	\$ 3,380.26
Debt Owed to Diocese	\$275,000.00
Debt Reduction-This Week \$1,099 Total	\$ 64,166.00
Balance	\$210,834.00

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Prayer List

Join us in Community Prayer for parishioners and their family members who are seriously ill. If you or your immediate family member is seriously ill and would like to be added to our prayer list please e-mail the name to jacobf@ctkccnv.org or call the office at 871-1904.

Manuel S. Alba	Julian Leos, Jr.
Coral Aponte	Grace Leva
Darlene Blanchard	Michael Lorenzo
Carmen Bonilla	Tex Luminarias
Maritess R. Boribon	Isabelle Mann
Anthony Brasich	Kerry Mann
Pat Bremer	Brittany Marshall
Peggy Bremer	Steven Marshall
Jacqueline T. Cagampang	Marie McCarty
Angelie A. Canto	Hortensia Garcia Mesta
Jose & Cora Canto	Robert Millianta
James Celestino	Bernadette Morley
Cathy Checkler	Amilita Morrison
Eleanor Constantino	Annie Nelson
Barbara Corrales	George B Noyes
Leo Coughlin	Logan Noyes
Rogelio Delarosa	John O'Connor
Rosita Delarosa	Cooper Owen
Vernon Dickinson	Mary Perrin
Carol Flynn Donahue	Noel Pineda
Juan Enriquez	Perla A. Pinuela
Sam Falbo	Romeo Pulido
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David Flores	Billy Ramirez
Bob Foti	Minda Ramirez
Mary Fulton	Joseph Reynolds
Emma Jane Garcia	Mary Ricciardi
Heidi Gatacha Lian	Richie Rivera
Maria Gerlacforgione	Ramon Rodriguez
Fred Gavitt	Remedios Rodriguez
Maureen Hart	Sidney L. Rollins
Doreen Hasselman	Liam Rooney
Adrian Herrera	Pacita Sabanal
Pat Holbury	Fe Sales
Ellie Hunsberger	Cheyenne Scott
Cathy Janis	Andrea Sevilla
Tammy Janis	Erena Ellen Sedge
Alyssa Jones	Milana Staklef
Renato Judalena	Debby Taber
Mel Kleinschmit	Tom Thorne Jr.
Maria Gladio LaGadia	Marcela Tumang
Bob LaPorte	Ava Urrea
Mary LaSalle	Marco Vidauri II
Carla Lawler	Geno Wiczek
Mary LaSalle	Rebecca Wiczek
Terri Lehner	Donald

A Word from Fr. Ray

It's hard to believe that it is already the last day of January, 2016. We're well into the new year now and I hope that 2016 got off to a good start for all of you. I want to thank all of you that were able to keep your pledges up-to-date for CSA 2015, and many thanks to you that have already started the 2016 campaign pledges. I hope that we can do as well or better this year with your diligent contributions for CSA 2016.

We hope to have at least two 50/40/10 raffles again during the year which is the limit we would be allowed according to Nevada Gaming regulations. As a reminder, the raffle proceeds will go into a restricted fund towards our debt reduction. In order for this to be successful, we are asking as many of our parishioners that are able to please sell a minimum of 10 raffle tickets and perhaps purchase a minimum of ten raffle tickets as well. This raffle has the potential to raise a considerable amount of funds toward our debt reduction. Again, thank you for your support and participation in all of our fundraisers; we truly would not be able to have accomplished the many projects over the past years without your contributions towards these projects which rely on fundraisers for their success.

I'm grateful to Mary Ryan for making an appeal to our CTK community to think about getting involved in a ministry. Many of you come to Mass Sunday after Sunday and enjoy the benefit of our many ministries. However, it's time for many of you to start benefiting others by giving yourself the opportunity to minister back. We are in desperate need to fill in the gaps at all of our Masses especially the Saturday 4:00 pm and Sunday 4:00 pm Masses. Table Coordinators and Hospitality Ministries are especially lacking in volunteers at these Masses, and the pool of Extraordinary Ministers and Readers needs replenishing in a huge way. Please help us out to maintain the quality of Liturgy that we are so notoriously known for, and be part of the service to each other that Jesus calls us to.

With much love and gratitude, Fr. Ray

Una Palabra de P. Ray

Es difícil de creer que ya es el último día de enero del 2016. Estamos bien entrados en el año nuevo y espero que 2016 haiga tenido un buen comienzo para todos ustedes. Quiero agradecer a todos los que fueron capaces de cumplir sus promesas del CSA 2015, y muchas gracias a ustedes que ya han comenzado las promesas de campaña del 2016. Espero que podamos hacer tan bien o mejor este año con sus contribuciones diligentes para CSA 2016.

Esperamos tener de nuevo al menos dos 50/40/10 rifas durante el año, que es el límite que se nos permitiría conforme a las disposiciones de Juego de Nevada. Como recordatorio, las ganancias de la rifa se destinarán a un fondo restringido hacia nuestra reducción de la deuda. Para que esto tenga éxito, estamos pidiendo que muchos de nuestros feligreses sean capaces de vender un mínimo de 10 boletos de la rifa y tal vez comprar un mínimo de diez boletos de la rifa también. Este sorteo tiene el potencial de recaudar una cantidad considerable de fondos hacia nuestra reducción de la deuda. Una vez más, gracias por su apoyo y participación en todos nuestros eventos para recaudar fondos; realmente no podríamos haber logrado los muchos proyectos en los últimos años sin que sus contribuciones a estos proyectos que se basan en la recaudación de fondos para su éxito.

Estoy agradecido a María Ryan por hacer una llamada a nuestra comunidad de CTK para involucrarse en un ministerio. Muchos de ustedes vienen a misa domingo tras domingo y disfrutamos el beneficio de nuestros muchos ministerios. Sin embargo, este es el momento para muchos de ustedes para empezar a beneficiar a otros dándose la oportunidad de darle a los de mas. Estamos desesperados de llenar los ministerios vacíos en todas nuestras Misas en especial el Sábado 4:00 pm y Domingo 4:00 pm. Los organizadores de mesa y Ministerios Hospitalidad carecen especialmente de voluntarios en estas misas, y la piscina de Ministros Extraordinarios, lectores necesidades de reposición de una manera enorme. Por favor, ayúdanos a mantener la calidad de la liturgia que estamos tan notoriamente conocidos por, y ser parte del servicio el uno al otro que Jesús nos llama a.

Con mucho amor y gratitud, Padre Ray

LITURGY CORNER

We continue our reflection as we Walk the Road with Christ ...

January 30-31, 2016 (4th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Today we hear the message of Christ clearly in the gospel: the choice is always ours to follow him or not, to believe or not, to accept or not. The people were with him, then they were against him. On your faith journey, *have you ever found yourself being "with Christ" one minute and then "against Christ" the next in the way you acted and thought? Are you growing in your relationship and discipleship or stagnating? Do you pick and choose which parts of the Catholic faith to follow?*

31 de Enero 2016 (4to Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario)

Hoy escuchamos el mensaje de Cristo claramente en el Evangelio: la elección es siempre nuestra para seguirlo o no, creer o no, para aceptar o no. El pueblo estaba con él, y después estaba en contra de él. En tu viaje de fe, ¿alguna vez has encontrado "con Cristo" un minuto y "contra Cristo" el próximo en la forma en que actuabas y pensabas? ¿Estás creciendo en tu relación y discipulado o estas estancado? ¿Escoges las partes de la fe que quieres seguir?

OUTREACH

WHOM DID WE SERVE?

January 19 to January 21, 2016
46 Households
77 Adults and 38 Children
Hours: Monday to Thursday 10:00 am until noon
Located in the Parish Office

MAKE STEW FOR THE HOMELESS IN FEBRUARY

Wednesday February 3rd, 4-6 pm

We'll be in the Community Center again on Wednesday, Feb. 3rd, making a meal for the homeless served by the Catholic Worker. Plan on joining us for a couple of hours to help prepare a warm meal for those who sleep outside in the cold.

FAMILY PROMISE

Families Coming
February 7th - 14th

We will be hosting guests experiencing homelessness beginning next weekend. In order to serve in this ministry, you must have taken the diocesan mandated "Protecting God's Children" seminar (you register for it at www.virtus.org) and been fingerprinted by Gina in our parish office. If you would like to learn more about this ministry, call Jane (702) 871-1904, or email: janef@ctkccnv.org



Our Explore Family will do a "SOUPER" BOWL FUND and FOOD RAISER at the masses on February 6th and 7th (excluding the 4 pm Sunday). Please come prepared to donate as you enter the gathering space. This will benefit the Manna Cupboard!

Upcoming EVENTS

FUNDRAISING CONCERT FOR NEVADANS FOR THE COMMON GOOD TODAY!

We appreciate also those of you who plan on attending the concert fund raiser **TODAY**, Sunday, January 31st beginning at 2:30 p.m. It begins with a Silent Auction, with a live Auction at 4:00 p.m. and the concert at 4:15 p.m. The location is at Ner Tamid in Henderson, 55 No. Valle Verde Drive. For tickets, call Jane in the parish office or email: janef@ctkccnv.org

An important element of Christ the King's Social Action ministry is our participation with 39 other faith and non-profit communities in the NCG. This organization played a strong role in passing a 2014 landmark law tightening the laws and consequences to people engaged in human trafficking. We also recently supported and passed the Care Act in 2015 which mandated that hospitals must provide follow-up care procedures to medical providers after patients are released from hospitals. We recently lobbied to get expanded Medicaid Waiver slots to enable 173 low-income seniors to continue living in their community. Right now, the crucial issues on the NCG's agenda are to research and support better education in Nevada and to keep us apprised of immigration policies going forward.

Maintaining Christ the King participation in the NCG requires modest financial support to replace start-up grants from the Diocesan Campaign for Human Development and other sources which can't be renewed this year. Individual parishioners can help this important ministry in three ways:

1. Attend workshops and public meetings to show community officials that NCG represents an informed voice on critical issues.
2. Attend a fundraising concert with silent auction on Jan. 31st.
3. Make a donation to help pay the CTK annual membership dues.

For tickets or more information, call Jane in the parish office or email: janef@ctkccnv.org



**Next Sunday
February 7**

*Start your day with a
"WINNING" meal!*
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REMINDER

LENTEN MINISTRY NIGHT

Tuesday, February 2 at 7:00 pm (gather in church)

PART I ~ "Walking the Road of MERCY and CHANGE of HEART"

Prayer Service with Fr. Ray Rioux

PART II ~ "The Body of Christ"

This presentation given by Lydia Wiltse will take us on that walk to Emmaus, opening our eyes a little more to the true presence of Christ in the breaking of the bread and in our lives.

PART III ~ Individual Ministry group meetings

Please make this a *priority* to receive the information you need for the season of Lent and for your ministry area. Your attendance is *vital* to keeping our ministries running as smoothly as possible. Please inform your Coordinator if you are unable to attend:

Mass & Table Coordinators – Mary Ryan bbb58@ctkccnv.org

Cathy Bruzzese cathyb@ctkccnv.org

or (702) 871-1904

Readers – Mike Dunegan - pookad@embarqmail.com

or (702) 461-7842

Eucharistic Ministers ~ Luanne Wagner - LWTeach9m@gmail.com

or (702) 279-2137

Hospitality Ministers ~ Teresa Fawley - tmfavon@aol.com

or (702) 953-6332

Musicians - Cathy Bruzzese - cathyb@ctkccnv.org

or (702) 871-1904

Sound/Lighting - Bob LaPorte - (702) 454-1954

Treasures from Our Tradition

For the first four centuries or so, there seems not to have been a sense of marriage as a church institution. Christians followed civil law, which kept the wedding in a family setting. Bishops wanted people to be good citizens insofar as possible, and so they recognized the government's role in marriage. In general, they expected Christians to know that marriage was good, that marriage to other Christians was best, and to take it easy on the wild wedding parties. They agreed that marriage was a divine institution, that Christ blessed it especially, and they loved referring to the miracle at the wedding feast of Cana. Still, even when Christianity became the official religion of the empire in 380, marriage remained a family matter.

On wedding days people gathered in the bride's house, where the father would "give her hand" to her husband, draping a garland of flowers over the couple. There were no official words to say, there was no blessing to be given. Everyone walked in procession to the bride's new home for the concluding rites and the feast. In the Eastern Empire, it soon became customary to invite a priest or bishop to give a blessing at the meal or the day before. It was a nice thing to do, completely optional, but had a "photo-op" feel to it that was widely emulated. Before long, at least in the East, it looked as if the priest were joining the couple in marriage and blessing the union. --Rev. James Field, Copyright

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

It is doubtful that Paul, when he sat down to write what we now know as the thirteenth chapter of First Corinthians, knew that he was penning what was to become one of the keystones of Christian ethics. In this brief passage, he set down ideals about love that have held fast through the centuries. Sometimes we think that because these are ideals that we aspire to, we are excused from them in our daily living.

But what Paul was writing was a letter to his friends, providing them with some sound advice about what it meant--and still means--to live in love, day by day, as a follower of Jesus Christ. We find in his words to his friends a broadening of the great commands of Jesus to love God and neighbor. Today we hear what this love must look like in our own actions, and how it ought to guide our relationships with others.

Famous First Words . . .

Today's readings are filled with some of the phrases from the scriptures that have become some of

the best-known and best-loved: "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you" (Jeremiah 1:4), "Put aside childish things" (1 Corinthians 13:11), "No prophet is accepted in his own native place" (Luke 4:24). All three come from books of the scripture that bear the names of God's messengers, all of whom have one thing in common. Jeremiah, Paul, and Jesus began their ministries with enthusiasm and energy, but soon encountered opposition. Nonetheless, we still know their words and lives, and so they provide inspiration and hope for us to continue doggedly on with the mission or ministry--whatever it may be--which God has granted us. Will living the life to which God calls us be easy and perfectly smooth? Of course not! Do we have reason to continue on in faith? Of course!

And Last Things

All three of these figures, in the course of their mission, endured trial, hardship, and ultimately, death. Jesus, especially when speaking of his fate to suffer, quotes Jeremiah more than any other prophet. And it is the death of Jesus on the cross that Luke once again foretells in his passage today. Though the Nazarenes would have had to lead Jesus a long, long way to a hill (Nazareth is a very flat place), his concern is not geography, but destiny. This passage looks forward to the time when Jesus, rejected by his own, will be "cast out" not just from a city, but from Israel itself. Once again it will take place on a hill, where he will die on a cross. But our own hope of overcoming adversity is also foreshadowed today when Jesus passes through their midst, as he will pass through the clutches of death. How blessed are we, then, to have Jeremiah, Paul, and Jesus to guide us and offer us strength to persevere in our own call to be faithful to God's will for us.

Tradiciones de Nuestra Fe

En muchos hogares latinos el tiempo de Navidad terminó el día dos de febrero con la levantada del Niño Dios en la fiesta de la Candelaria. Es interesante como el pueblo cristiano tiene un cierto afecto para Jesús en su aspecto de niño. Desde hace siglos con el evangelista Lucas y la virgen María la imaginación cristiana ha ido buscando al Divino Niño en el templo; con san Cristóbal lleva cargando al Niño Dios sobre los hombros mientras cruza el río de la vida y san Antonio de Lisboa juega con el Niñito Jesús sobre un libro teológico mientras estudia la Palabra de Dios.

Fueron los monjes cistercienses del siglo XII quienes primero

desarrollaron esta devoción al Niño Jesús. En su afán por conocer mejor al Dios hecho humano entraban por medio de la meditación imaginativa en los cuatro evangelios. Esta meditación es un entrar en la vida de Jesús de tal manera que vives los eventos en tu corazón y desarrollar así una relación afectiva con el Señor. La devoción al Niño Dios debe ser acompañada de la lectio divina.

--Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glitz, OFM, Copyright

Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Primeras Palabras Famosas . . .

Las lecturas de hoy están llenas de frases de la Sagrada Escritura que se han hecho famosas y muy queridas: "Desde antes de formarte en el seno materno, te conozco", "Hice a un lado las cosas de niño", "Nadie es profeta en su tierra". Las tres vienen de libros de la Escritura que llevan el nombre de mensajeros de Dios, y todos tienen algo en común. Jeremías, Pablo y Jesús empezaron sus ministerios con entusiasmo y energía, pero pronto encontraron oposición. Sin embargo, todavía conocemos sus palabras y vidas, y nos dan inspiración y esperanza para que nosotros perseveremos en la misión o ministerio -sea cual fuera- que Dios nos ha encomendado. ¿Será fácil y suave vivir la vida a la que Dios nos llama? ¡Claro que no! ¿Tenemos motivos para continuar adelante en fe? ¡Por supuesto!

Y LAS ÚLTIMAS COSAS

Todos esos personajes, en el curso de su misión, aguantaron pruebas, dificultades y finalmente la muerte. Jesús, especialmente cuando hablaba de que su destino era sufrir, cita a Jeremías más que a cualquier otro de los profetas. Y es la muerte de Jesús en la cruz que Lucas predice una vez más en el pasaje de hoy. Aunque la gente de Nazaret tuvo que andar un largo trecho para llevar a Jesús a un monte (Nazaret es un lugar muy llano), Lucas no está interesado en la geografía, sino en el destino. Este pasaje es una anticipación del tiempo cuando Jesús, rechazado por los suyos, será "eliminado", no sólo de la ciudad, sino de su propio país. Una vez más tendrá lugar en un monte, donde morirá en una cruz. Pero nuestra esperanza de superar las adversidades es también prevista hoy cuando Jesús pasa entre ellos, como pasará por las garras de la muerte. Qué dichosos somos, de tener a Jeremías, a Pablo y a Jesús para que nos guíen y nos den fuerza para perseverar en el cumplimiento de nuestra llamada a ser fieles a la voluntad de Dios para nosotros. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Company

The Week Ahead



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

Monday, February 1

- 1:00 pm Sack Lunches - Room 1
- 7:00 pm Readers Study - Room 3
- 7:00 pm Alpha Baptism Class - Room 1

Tuesday, February 2

- 8:45 am Centering Prayer - Daily Chapel
- 4:00 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry - Room 1
- 6:00 pm Middle School Religious Education
- 7:00 pm Lenten Ministry Night - Church, Rooms 1-5

Wednesday, February 3

- 8:30 am Our Lady of Perpetual Devotion - Church
- 9:00 am CTK Seniors - Room 1
- 4:00 pm Stew for Catholic Worker - Comm - CTR
- 4:00 pm Elementary School

Thursday, February 4

- 6:30 pm YMAC - Youth Lounge
- 7:00 pm Prayer and Life Workshop - Room 6
- 7:30 pm Al-Anon - Room 2

Friday, February 5

- 8:30 am Divine Mercy Devotion

Saturday, February 6

- 11:00 am K of C Dinner Show - Community Center

Sunday, February 7

- 10:30 am Bake Sale - Community Center
- 1:30 pm Misa en Español
- 5:30 pm Confirmation I & II
- 5:30 pm Financial Peace University - Community Center

Family Prayer Suggestions for February

Whoever is moved by love begins to perceive what "life" really is. He begins to perceive the meaning of the word of hope that we encountered in the Baptismal Rite: from faith I await "eternal life" -- the true life which, whole and unthreatened, in all its fullness, is simply life. Jesus, who said that he had come so that we might have life and have it in its fullness, in abundance, has also explained to us what "life means: "this is eternal life, that they know you those only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent" (John 17:3). Life in its true sense is not something we have exclusively in or from ourselves: it is a relationship. Life in totality is a relationship with him who is the source of life. If we are in relation with him who does not die, who is Life itself and Love itself, then we are in life. Then we "live".

Pope Benedict XVI

Because love is filled with hope when it is communicated, our family wants to promote the life-giving spirit of our families.

Discussion Questions (after prayer):

1. How would our family life be different if we did not love at all?
2. In what areas have the faith and God's love shown me how to love?
3. Why is living in relationship with God so important to really "living"?



Faith, hope, and love remain, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

-- 1 Corinthians 13:13

"Prayer and Life Workshop"

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Starts: Thursday, Jan. 28th, 2016



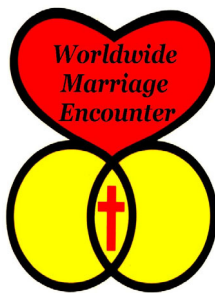
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Ven y ten una experiencia que cambiará tu vida. ¡Experimenta el gozo de orar; vive una nueva vida en Cristo!

Inicia: Lunes 1ero de febrero, 2016

Love is patient, kind, not jealous or pompous, not inflated, rude or quick-tempered. How are you doing when it comes to loving others, especially your spouse? The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter



Weekends are on February 19-21st, May 20-22nd and August 12-14th. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information, call Steve and Terri Sharp at (702) 589-0068 or go to www.lvloveyourspouse.org. For information on Spanish-language weekends, call Javier and Maria Lopez at (702) 243-5934 or (702) 206-4270.

High School Happenin's

Beth Thompson Director of Christian Formation
betht@ctkccnv.org
871-1904 x 230

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A REMINDER to parents and students:

Sunday mass AT CHRIST THE KING is a MANDATORY part of the Confirmation Requirements.

NO CONFIRMATION CLASS THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

2/7 - Superbowl on 02/07

2/14 - President's Day

Please be sure to attend mass.

Anaheim Youth Day will be Wednesday and Thursday, February 24th and 25th 2016. The cost will be \$235 per person which will include transportation, room, most meals, t-shirt, Knottsberry Farm and Youth Day Registration.

Available spaces are filling fast. Come by the Religious Education office to reserve your spot now with a \$50 deposit. We accept all major credit and debit cards.

YMAC

(Youth Ministry After Confirmation)

Thursdays

6:30pm - 8pm

in the Youth Lounge

**For all juniors, seniors,
college-age students.**

We meet every Thursday

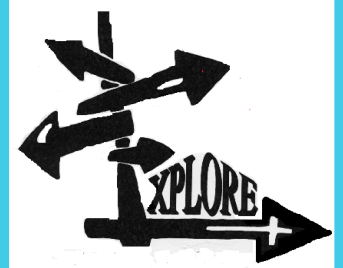
**We will continue the tradition of YMAC
and meet on Thursdays in the Youth Room.
Looking forward to seeing you there!**

Middle School

Youth Ministry

Beth Thompson
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Explore Calendar

All classes are on Tuesday nights 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm

Next Class
2/2/16

Dear Explore Family,

Just Five Days is coming next summer. Mark your calendars now for June 20th through the 24th. The cost is \$285 per student.

This would be a great gift for your student! It is a wonderful week of community building while serving others.

Fun, service prayer and reflection.

Registrations are coming in. Come by the Religious Ed office this week to secure your student's spot with at \$50 deposit.

We accept MasterCard, Visa, AmEx and Discover.

Our Explore Family will do a SOUPER BOWL FUND and FOOD RAISER at the masses on February 6th and 7th (excluding the 4 pm Sunday). Please come prepared to donate as you enter the gathering space.

This will benefit the Manna Cupboard!

Thank you

If your Middle School aged student needs either/both

First Communion or Baptism

**Please contact Robyn in the Religious Ed Office
(702) 871-1904 ext. 232**

Christian Formation

Beth Thompson
871-1904
betht@ctkccnv.org

Interested in Becoming Catholic?

If you think you would like to become Catholic, or if you would just like to learn about Catholicism, we offer weekly opportunities to learn about the Catholic faith. These informal gatherings for coffee and conversation are held **7:00 pm each Thursday** (except major holidays) in **Room 5** of the Activity Center. If, due to your schedule, you can't join us at our regular Thursday night sessions, please call the parish office at (702) 871-1904 and leave your name and phone number. We will do our best to accommodate you. Please contact Beth Thompson at (702) 871-1904 ext. 230 if you have any questions.

Seeking Baptism for your Child?

Please contact our office for information.

(702) 871-1904
ext. 230 or 232

No Baptisms may be scheduled until sessions and requirements are completed.

Religious Education Grades 1-5
First Communion
Baptism of older children
How do I enroll my child?
Elementary Registration for 2015/16 year
Grades 1-5 in the Religious Ed Office
M-TH 8-4:00 pm - Closed from 12-1:00 pm
A BAPTISM CERTIFICATE is required for each child being registered.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Family must be registered at Christ the King
- Family must be worshipping at Christ the King at our weekend liturgy
- Past due balances from the previous Religious Education year must be paid prior to registering

When are classes held?

Classes are held on Wednesdays at either 4:00 or 6:00 pm

SACRAMENTS

(1st Communion, Baptism)

REQUIREMENTS:

- Same as for Religious Education Registration plus:
 - Child is in second grade or above
 - Child is enrolled in and attending weekly age-level Religious Education classes on a regular basis
 - Unbaptized children must attend one full year of Religious Education first
- Our sacrament preparation is a family preparation process that requires the participation of the child and a parent or guardian in monthly sessions.

Attendance at these sessions is mandatory.

Elementary Religious Education

- 02/03 - No Classes - Family Lenten Night for all Elementary Students and Parents from 6:00 until 8:00 pm in the Community Center
- 02/10 - No Classes - Ash Wednesday
- 02/17 - Regular Classes

Schedules for the year are available in the Religious Ed Office or check our on-line calendar at ctklv.org

Be sure you update your e-mail address with us to receive important class notices

If you have any questions please contact Robyn at 871-1904 ext. 232 or robyn@ctkccnv.org

Adult Confirmation

Next Adult Confirmation Sessions
TBA

Requirements:

- Adults who are age 18 and above and graduated
- Adults who have been baptized in the Roman Catholic Faith

Please contact Beth Thompson if you have any questions
(702) 871-1904 ext. 230

Elementary First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion Mandatory Meetings



Wednesday, March 9 - Parent/Student First Holy Communion Meeting at either 4:00 or 6:00 pm in the Community Center

Wednesday, April 6 - Parent/Student First Holy Communion Meeting at either 4:00 or 6:00 pm in the Community Center

Meetings are for Elementary Students registered in their 2nd year only of Sacramental Preparation.

If you have any questions please contact Robyn at 871-1904 ext. 232 or robyn@ctkccnv.org

Small Church Communities; a way of being Church

"Where ordinary people connect life and faith on a regular basis."

Small Church Communities are groups of 6 to 8 people who gather in homes to reflect on the scriptures of the upcoming Sunday and their significance in their lives. All ministries and organizations connected to Christ the King are asked to use a simple formula for prayer as they gather: Read one of the scriptures for the upcoming Sunday. Take a few moments to reflect on one of the questions related to the scripture (in Fr. Ray's column). Invite individuals to share their response with the person next to them; encourage people to share with someone they do not know well. Before we know it we have grown closer as a community!

Please call Chris at (702) 378-5622 or e-mail at sellmanc@cox.net

February 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 8:00 DN	2 8:00 RR	3 8:00 RR	4 8:00 RR	5 8:00 AK	6 8:00 DR 4:00 RR
7 7:30 RR 9:30 RR 11:30 MO 1:30 MO 4:00 BH	8 8:00 DN	9 8:00 RR	10 8:00 RR Ash Wednesday Miércoles de Ceniza	11 8:00 RR	12 8:00 DN	13 8:00 DR 4:00 JA
14 7:30 RR 9:30 RR 11:30 DN 1:30 AK 4:00 AK	15 8:00 DN	16 8:00 RR	17 8:00 RR	18 8:00 RR	19 8:00 AK	20 8:00 DR 4:00 RR
21 7:30 AK 9:30 MO 11:30 MO 1:30 RR 4:00 RR	22 8:00 DN	23 8:00 DN	24 8:00 DN	25 8:00 DN	26 8:00 AK	27 8:00 AK 4:00 AK
28 7:30 BH 9:30 BH 11:30 BH 1:30 MO 4:00 MO	29 8:00 DN					

**Please call the Parish Office
(702) 871-1904**

**FOR YOUR END OF THE YEAR
TAX STATEMENT**

Please supply your full name and envelope number.