



CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:30 pm Vigil Mass

Confessions- Saturday, 4:00-5:15 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 11:00 am, 5 pm

Bilingual Mass First Sunday of each month 1 pm

Nursery Available 8:30 & 11:00 Mass in Immaculata Cnt

WEEKDAY MASS

(Monday-Friday) 7:00 am (Saturday) 8:00 am

School Mass

(August– May)

Wednesdays 8:00 am (First Friday Only 8 am)

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Missy Schmidt 251-626-7427

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Pastor.....Reverend Matthew J. O'Connor
Parochial Vicar.....Reverend Daniel Good, JCL
Deacon.....Walt Crimmins
Deacon.....Bill Robinson
Deacon.....Malcolm Zellner
Director of Religious Education.....Sam Di Benedetto
Youth DirectorKristen Lazarine
Edge DirectorSarah Wiese
Pre K 3 & 4 Principal.....Maxwell Crain
School PrincipalMaxwell Crain
Bookkeeper (School/Church).....Kathy Barr
Church Secretary.....Kim Walker



CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES

DECEMBER 24TH

4:00 pm Gym, 4:00pm (Children's Mass, Church), 6pm, 8pm, and 10pm

CHRISTMAS DAY MASS

DECEMBER 25TH 9am

Solemnity of Mary

**(Not a holy day of obligation this year)
January 1st 9am (only)**

*****The Church office will be closed
December 25th, 26th and 27th and
January 1st *****

**Fourth Sunday of Advent
December 24, 2017**



**The child to be born will
be called holy, the Son of God.**

—Luke 1:35



Merry Christmas

Father O'Connor, Father Dan, Deacons and Staff of Christ the King would like to wish everyone a Joyous Christmas Season.



NO Coffee Social today.

There will be **NO** nursery this Sunday morning or evening, December 24th. The nursery will be available on December 31st at the regular Mass times.



Perpetual Adoration Chapel Closing for Christmas 2017

Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on December 23 following the 8am Mass.

There will be NO Adoration from Saturday, December 23rd at 9am through Tuesday, December 26th at 7am.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will resume on December 26th following the 7am Mass.

Next Sunday, December 31st, weekend Masses will be celebrated at our regular weekend Mass times. Monday, January 1st is **not** a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass on Monday, January 1st will be celebrated at 9am instead of 7am.

REMINDER: Please call Kim Walker at the church office to reserve all buildings for any meeting, prayer group, school activities, etc. You must be on the calendar in order to use the building. If you have any questions, call **Kim** at the church office 626-2343.



PERPETUAL ADORATION

Hours in Need (12/1/17)

Sun-11am, 12pm, 5pm, 10pm

Mon-11pm

Tues-2am, 3am, 10pm, 11pm

Wed-1am, 2am, 11am

Thur-1am, 3am, 4am, 4pm, 8pm!!

Fri-1am, 4am, 11pm

Sat-2am, 1pm, 7pm, 9pm, 11pm

To commit to an hour, call Missy Schmidt at 626-7427

Be a Catholic: When you kneel before an altar, do it in such a way that others may be able to recognize that you know before whom you kneel."

— St. Maximilian Kolbe

FAREWELL RECEPTION for FATHER DAN SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31

in the Gym

after the 7 am & 8:30 am Mass

Everyone is invited to come as we wish Father Dan farewell and abundant blessings as he begins his mission as pastor.

LADIES SODALITY MEETING

All ladies of the parish are invited to the Ladies Sodality Meeting, Tuesday, January 2nd at 12:30 pm in Assumption Hall. Refreshments will be served.

Honor your loved ones by donating the altar flowers the weekend of your choosing. For more information call Suzanne Rowan at 621-6603.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

KNIGHT'S CORNER

Help Us Help Others

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM YOUR KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS, COUNCIL 2737.

IT IS OFFICIAL!!! EXTRAVANGANZA II is coming Saturday April 28, 2018. CTK GYM Great Food and Beverages; Bigger Prizes and more FUN!!! GUARANTEED. Keep watching the KNIGHTS' Corner for details. And mark your calendar.

HAVE YOU CONSIDERED BECOMING A KNIGHT?

Membership in the Knights of Columbus is open to men 18 years of age or older who are practical (that is practicing) Catholics in union with the Holy See. This means that an applicant or member accepts the teaching authority of the Catholic Church on matters of faith and morals, aspires to live in accord with the precepts of the Catholic Church, and is in good standing in the Catholic Church.

PLANNING A FAMILY GATHERING OR HOLIDAY PARTY? DOES YOUR ORGANIZATION NEED A HALL FOR A MEETING, PARTY or OTHER GATHERING? CONTACT THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

The Knights of Columbus Hall is a perfect place and location for any celebration/meeting. Located on the corner of Main and Ryan, Daphne; our building can hold over 100 guests and we have a full kitchen, a covered bar-b-que and plenty of tables, chairs and parking. Contact: John Ballard: 251.421.1954

FELLOW KNIGHTS: OUR LAST QUARTERLY MASS FOR 2017 IS THE 8:30 MASS ON SUNDAY DECEMBER 31ST. PLEASE WEAR YOUR KOC SHIRT AND WE ENCOURAGE ALL KNIGHTS TO SIT TOGETHER.

Our 1st meeting of 2018 is: Wednesday January 10, 2018 at the KOC Hall. Dinner: 6:30PM, Business Meeting: 7:00PM Property Association: 8:00PM (Please note the time changes on the agenda.)



Pray for our country. God bless America.

LIFE TEEN

Life Teen is the Youth Ministry program for high school students at Christ the King Parish. All youth of this age are welcome at Life Teen events.

SUNDAY LIFE NIGHTS

All High School students are invited to Life Teen on Sunday Nights. Meetings are held from 6:00-8:00 pm following the 5:00pm Life Teen Mass. Dinner is served.

There will be no Life Teen TONIGHT, Sunday, December 24th or December 31st. Life Teen will resume on January 7th.

Christmas Blessings!

Christmas Party Bow Tag

CTK Life Teen will be holding a special Christmas party this Thursday, December 28 from 4-7pm.

Teens will be participating in a game of Christmas Bow-Tag. Teens are invited to form teams of 5-6 players, come up with a Christmas team name and dress in costume (Santa, elves, tacky sweaters, etc) to play a special game of Christmas archery. Cost of the event is free but you will need a permission form.

Not sure what Bow-Tag is? Go to www.bow-tag.com

MLK Bowling Day

Monday, January 15 1-3pm Meet at Eastern Shore Lanes

Cost is \$20. Permission forms can be found at

www.ctkdaphne.org and are due with payment by Friday, January 12.

EDGE

Edge is the Youth Ministry program for 6th, 7th and 8th graders at Christ the King Parish.

Merry Christmas!

Hopes for a prayerful and safe Christmas Season.

New Year XLT

January 5 7-9pm in CTK Church

A night of praise/worship and Adoration to pray for our year. Enjoy worship music, a reflection, Scripture meditation, prayer time, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation for all youth.

For information about the Youth Ministry program at Christ the King Church, please contact our Youth Ministers, Kristen Lazarine and Sarah Wiese at youth@ctkdaphne.org.

CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

"The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; upon those who dwelt in the land of gloom a light has shone. You have brought them abundant joy and great rejoicing....*Isaiah 9:1-2*

We wish all our CTKCS families a very Merry Christmas!

Tithing change for Christ the King School and St. Michael Catholic High School

The contributing Catholic tuition rate for Christ the King Catholic School and St. Michael Catholic High School is given to registered families that are active and regular contributors of at least **\$1600** per year. This increase will go into effect in 2017 for the 2018/19 school year.

St. Michael Catholic High School ADMISSIONS: Our incoming 9th, 10th, and 11th grade classes are growing! If you know of anyone that may be interested in a tour of the school and/or shadow day, please have them contact Jenny Kopf at 459-0210 or jkopf@stmichaelchs.org

Youth Ministry Office Hours: The youth ministry office, located next to the Alley, will be opened Tuesday and Thursdays from 8am-5pm. The office number is 626-3992.

† CHRIST THE KING CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION †

Faith Formation Classes—September-April

PreK-3 and 4: Sunday, 8:30 to 9:30 a.m., Immaculata Center.

Kindergarten-8th Grade: Sunday, 9:30 to 10:45 a.m., School Classrooms.

More information or to volunteer: Sam Di Benedetto, Director of Religious Education, 251-626-2343, sam@ctkdaphne.org.

Children's Liturgy of the Word—September-April: (Kindergarten-2nd Grade): Sunday during the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

More information or to volunteer: Rebecca DeVaney, rdevaney@bcbe.org.

Class Schedule

December 24: NO CLASS—*Christmas Break*

December 31: NO CLASS—*New Year's Break*

January 7: Class; EQUIP Session

January 14: Class

Upcoming Events

Merry Christmas!

Celebrate the great gift of God's Son, Jesus!

Please pray for those in the military, especially our parishioners serving overseas.



James Arnold
 Captain Patrick Brown
 Matthew Carey
 Jon Chytka
 Dominick Corelli
 Kathleen Crimmins
 Ryan Cummings
 Ryan Delaney
 Matthew R. Duff
 Jonathan Garey
 Timothy Goolsby
 Sam Hopton
 Bart Jeffrey, Jr.
 James Michael McGinnis
 Ian Roche
 Zane M. Sanchez
 Jacob Seitz
 Brian Smicklas
 Timothy Thornsteins
 Tamaruice Tolbert
 Cody Vincent
 Clint Wall
 Peter Zellner

Please call the church office, 626-2343, to add someone to the prayer list or military list. Names are kept on the prayer list for 4 weeks and the military list until they come home.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Vigil: Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27-29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25 [18-25]
During the Night: Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-3, 11-13; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14
Dawn: Is 62:11-12; Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3:4-7; Lk 2:15-20
Day: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18 [1-5, 9-14]

Tuesday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 8ab, 16bc, 17; Mt 10:17-22

Wednesday: 1 Jn 1:1-4; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Jn 20:1a, 2-8

Thursday: 1 Jn 1:5 — 2:2; Ps 124:2-5, 7cd-8; Mt 2:13-18

Friday: 1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-3, 5b-6; Lk 2:22-35

Saturday: 1 Jn 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-10; Lk 2:36-40

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3; Ps 128:1-5 or Ps 105:1-6, 8-9; Col 3:12-21 [12-17] or Hb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19; Lk 2:22-40 [22, 39-40]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Advent
 Monday: The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)
 Tuesday: St. Stephen; Kwanzaa begins
 Wednesday: St. John
 Thursday: The Holy Innocents
 Friday: Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord; St. Thomas Becket
 Saturday: Sixth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord

Weekly Collections

Collection December 17th—\$34,534.00

Second Collection 12/24—CTK Building Fund

ACH and credit card processing and online giving is available for Christ the King Parishioners. Call the church office if interested.

BUILDING FUND. There will be a second collection at every Sunday Mass (for the CTK building fund) that does not already have a designated second collection. We have building fund envelopes available.

Please pray for the sick in our parish:

Jerry Alexander, Bob Beach, Caroline Berry, Pam Bitowf, Kaitlyn Branscum, Donna Brantley, Michelle Castelle, Wayne Clark, Donna Creel, Donna Mallory Davenport, Mendel Deas, Nancy Deas, Eli Deese, Drew Dollison, Mary Dreller, Michael Duchesne, Chrissy Dunn, George Dyson, Katie Grace Emerson, Lois Felsman, Matthew Fradella, Anne Freibert, Mary Freibert, Jessica Gibson, Karen Globetti, David Green, Brennan Griffin, Misty Hickman, Peggy Horton, Leo Jacob, David "Buck" Knizley, Donna Korbe, Beth Lazzari, Faye Lazzari, Nung Le, Jim Meyer, Jane Mooney, Marian Moity, Michael Muller, Tenley Norman, James Odom, Paco Posada, Kelly Powell, Rosemary Probst, Bob Probst, Richard Robinson, Raymond Rohe, Jr., Vincent Russo, Kevin Sanders, Travis Shambo, Richard Shelby, John Sheldon, Susan Slay, Sam Standar, Jim Staudt, John Stein, Connie Stejskal, Jim Turk, J. R. Vaughan, JoAnn Wilson, Tom Yeend, Rick Zwickey

We at Christ the King are happy to pray for all who are sick and in need of special prayers. We would like to keep this list current and updated. Please call the office with any updates—626-2343.

Please pray for the faithful departed, especially Leo Jacob, that they may see the face of God.

MASS INTENTIONS—December 23rd-30th

Saturday	5:30 pm	F. Louis Duff +
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Sunday	8:00 am	Joan Guarisco
Sunday	10:00 am	William Boulet +
Sunday	4:00 pm	CTK Priests & Their Families
Sunday	6:00 pm	Ruth Skinner +
Sunday	8:00 pm	John & Nonnie Crane+
Sunday	10:00 pm	Christopher Brockman+
Monday	9:00 am	CTK Priests & Their Families
Tuesday	7:00 am	Kathleen Ellis +
Tuesday	7:00 am	Larry & Rose Arcement
Wednesday	7:00 am	Mr. & Mrs. William G. Millette
Thursday	7:00 am	Liz Maradik
Friday	7:00 am	Lynn Howard +
Saturday	8:00 am	Fr. Nicholas Napolitano
Saturday	5:30 pm	Oliver Bertagnolli +

(December 23rd-30th)

+ Deceased

LITURGY SCHEDULE

December 24th-Fourth Sunday of Advent

Sign up Sheet in Sacristy

December 24th & 25th-Christmas

Sign up Sheet in Sacristy

December 31st- Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers~Please sign up in Sacristy

Ministry of Rosary before Funeral Mass

Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos Prayer Group at Christ the King meets **Thursdays, 11am** in the Church Cry Room and is also available to lead the rosary before a Funeral Mass. Call BLESSED SEELOS GROUP—Ethel Smith at 625 -1605 or the church office 626-2343. A second Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos Prayer Group meets Tuesdays, **6:20am** in the Church Cry Room.

The Marian Society of Christ the King meets every Monday at 6 pm in Assumption Hall. The mission of the Marian Society is to follow the example of our Blessed Mother through education, evangelization, and acts of charity. All parishioners are welcome. Contact Stephanie Argiro at 591-5508.

"Are you a man looking for something to offer up? Try something new with an early morning, 6:15am meeting. The Men of St. Joseph is a lay ministry who meet weekly (Tuesday mornings, 6 am in the Immaculata Center to pray together, discuss the upcoming Sunday's Gospel, discuss current events, and work to facilitate spiritual leadership in family and community life. www.menofstjoseph.com or email Mike Mahoney at mahoney6@bellsouth.net"

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

The Society of St. Vincent DePaul offers assistance to those in need in our parish and community. For assistance, please call 251 348-8326.

The Prison Ministry supports the Mobile County Metro Jail and the prison in Atmore. If you have any old Magnificats, bibles, or other religious reading materials, please bring to the side bins of the church and mark — *prison ministry*.

Prison Ministry

God calls through the corporal works of mercy to visit those imprisoned.....

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

If you are interested in helping with the prison ministry, please call Bernie Scott at 626-5802 for more information.

Tennies for McKemie Homeless Women's Shelter

Supplies are needed for the Women's Shelter in Mobile: gently used tennis shoes, ladies socks, new underwear, gently used towels, washcloths, feminine products, etc. Call Susan Williams for more information at 490.7893.



Would you like abundant blessings on ALL your undertakings?

Jesus made a promise to those who would have a devotion to His most Sacred Heart to help with just that! Contact Chuck Badalamenti at 401-6833 for more information or for your home enthronement and family consecration.

**Stewardship of Time and Talent
December 24th-31st**

The Week Ahead

**Sun: No Coffee Social Christmas Break
No CFF Classes—Christmas Break**

Christmas Eve Mass Times: 4pm Church, 4pm Gym, 6pm Church, 8pm Church, 10pm Church; Christmas Day 9am Church

Tues: Blessed Seelos Mtg 6:15am Cry Room

Thurs: Blessed Seelos 11am Cry Room

**Sun: Coffee Social after the 7 & 8:30 Mass Gym
No CFF Classes-Holiday Break**

Eucharist Ministers: If you are scheduled for Mass, please sign in on the sign up sheet in the sacristy at least **10 minutes** before Mass begins.

Ladies Sodality—1st Tuesday 12:30 pm in Assumption Hall

K of C—2nd Wednesday 7:30 pm KC Hall

Parish Council—3rd Wednesday 6 :30pm

Large Conference Room

RCIA Classes—Sept.-Easter, Thurs, 6:30 –7:30 pm in AH

St. Vincent de Paul Society— 1st Monday 7 pm Imm Center

CTK Vocations—a Breakfast Meeting following 1st Sat Mass and a Meeting on the 3rd Tuesday

We need your help! There is a work order book in the library. If you find a broken pew, kneeler, door, etc., in the church, please write it in the work order book with the location and the issue. The book will be checked daily.

We all appreciate a clean and neat pew for Mass

Please consider the following:

1. Did you put the music books and missals back in the holder?
2. Do you have your bulletin or any other papers that were given to you before mass?
3. Did you gather all your children's belongings and trash?

Thank you

The Ladies Sodality—Altar Guild

JUST SO YOU KNOW: All announcements, pamphlets, brochures, or communications, to be put in the vestibule of the church, must go through the parish office to be approved by Father O'Connor.

Bulletin items deadline—the bulletin is sent to the printer each Tuesday by 10 am. Please have your items to the church office by Monday at 9am; email to Kim Walker @ kim@ctkdaphne.org.

Your cooperation is needed! Please note the driveway to the Immaculata Center is not the property of Christ the King Parish. Please do not park on the grass or drive on the grass.

CTK Ministry contacts: (area code 251)

Adult Formation	John Hart	367-4799
Altar Servers	Father Dan	626-2343
CYO Athletics	Patrick McGovern	
Baptisms	Sam Di Benedetto	626-2343
Bilingual Mass	Maria Conchita Mendez	689-0005
and	Maria Cazalas	954-536-4655
Blessed Seelos	Ethel Smith	625-1605
Breakfast Club	Ann Hartwell	490-4550
Children's Liturgy	Rebecca DeVaney	656-4881
Bereavement Luncheon	Margo Blackmon	401-3396
Contemporary Choir	Mary Francis	626-8019
Elijah Cup	Roy Reid	625-1775
E-Mail Prayer Chain	Betty Yandrasits	626-0879
Eucharistic Adoration	Missy Schmidt	626-7427
Eucharistic Ministers	Leon Hrabovsky	621-8940
Finance Council	Taylor Waite	621-0843
Greeters	Margo Blackmon	401-3396
Ladies Sodality	Cheryl Miller	490-2803
Lectors	Julie Jaksen	625-0466
Lifeteen Music	Office	626-2343
Liturgy Committee	Mary Francis	626-8019
Marian Society	Stephanie Argiro	591-5508
Ministry to the Homebound	Bill Robinson	626-2343
Parish Council	Derek Roh	621-1399
RCIA	Margo Blackmon	401-3396
Religious Education	Sam Di Benedetto	626-2343
Sanctuary Cleaners	Theresa Reid	367-0218
Silver Saints	Jacque Odom	626-2932
Social Events	Margo Blackmon	401-3396
Sunday AM Nursery	Connie Kennedy	404-0776
Sunrise Singers (7am)	Jeanne O'Connell	928-2055
Traditional Choir	Theresa McGonagle	626-0266
Ushers	Deacon Zellner	626-0167
Vacation Bible School	Alyssa Morisani	709-7944
Vocations	Elizabeth Hall	626-9251
Welcome Committee	Margo Blackmon	401-3396
Youth Ministry	Kristen Lazarine	626-3992
Jr. High Youth Ministry	Sarah Wiese	626-3992

OTHER COMMUNITY MINISTRY CONTACTS: (251)

Alcoholics Anonymous		626-2343
Apostolate for the Disabled	Bill Robinson	626-2343
Catholic Charities		434-1556
Catholic Social Services	Jacque Odom	626-2335
Cursillo/Ultreya	Mike & Shelley Mahoney	605-8090
Engaged Encounter	Stan & Lisa Wiese	626-7663
Family Promise	Sally Halliday	626-3837
Knights of Columbus	George Huth	753-5501
Men of the Sacred Heart	Chuck Badalamenti	928-9433
McKemie Place	Phyllis Hood	990-9847
Men of St. Joseph	Mike Mahoney	605-8090
St. Vincent de Paul Helpline		348-8326