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We are an amazing parish because we create and nurture joyful disciples of Christ. A Catholic becomes an *Intentional Disciple* after recognizing they have been *personally chosen* by the Lord to enter an intimate relationship with Him. This relationship relies on the Holy Spirit and embraces a lifelong sacramental journey of prayer, service, evangelization and communally receiving Jesus Christ through Scripture and Eucharist. Thus, an *Intentional Disciple* imitates Christ in everything we do on a daily basis.



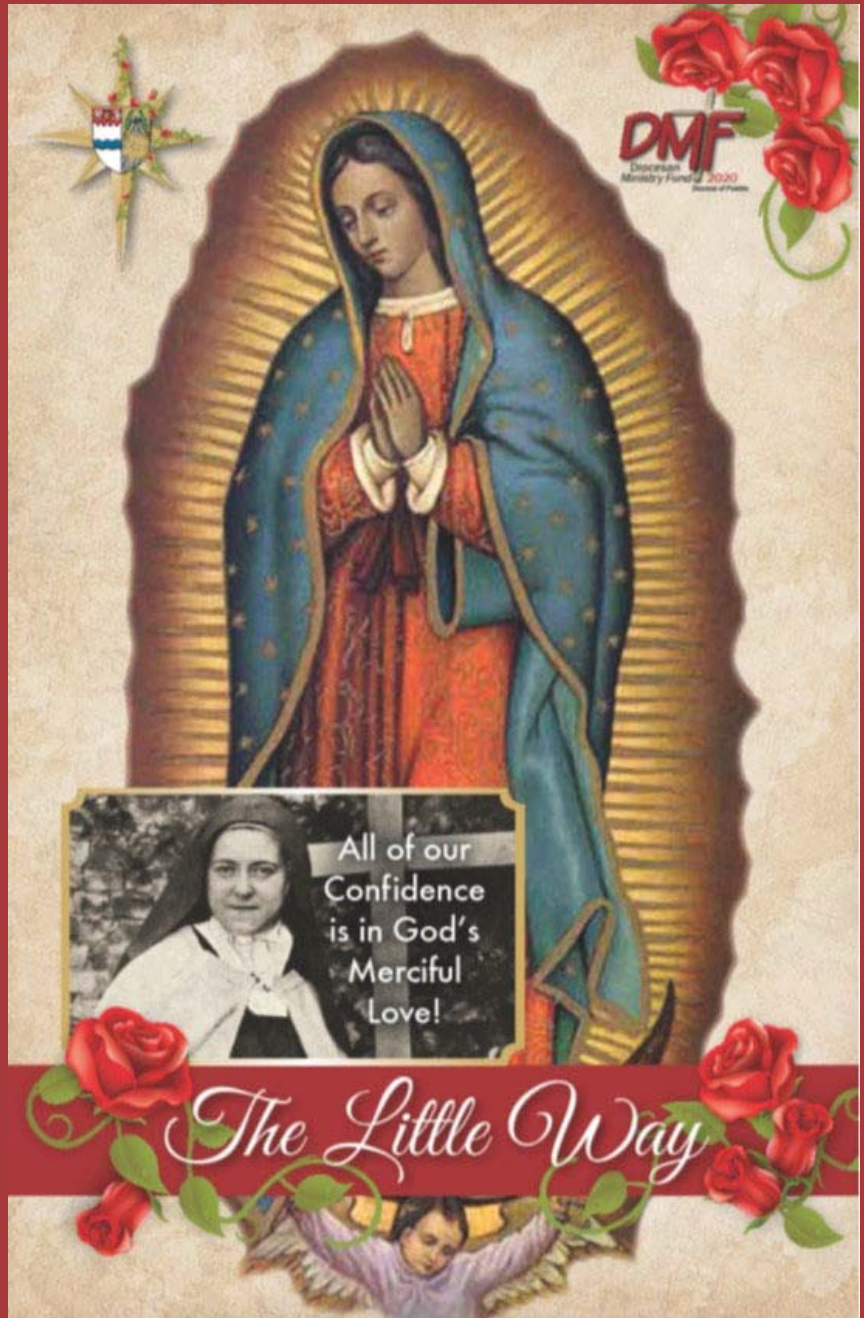
I'm launching our annual Diocesan Ministry Fund (DMF) appeal two weeks early because I'll be gone two weekends in February and don't want to burden Fr. Larry Solan (my substitute) with raising pledges. February 29 (it's a leap year) is still the official end of our pledge efforts.

First, thanks for everyone who pledges something extra, above and beyond their Christ the King contribution, to DMF. Your sacrifices are the reason we reach our goal. Please continue!

Second, I appeal to everyone else to at least pledge 25% of your Christ the King contribution to DMF on your envelopes. You will be the reason we get a DMF refund! And **please, if you contribute by check or in cash every week please pledge online at www.DiocesanMinistryFund.org.**

Thanks everybody!

– Fr. John O.



Staff Directory

If you forget the extension, you will be able to go to the staff directory by hitting 5. If further assistance is needed hit 7 for Mary Meissner.

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Saturday: 4:30 P.M.

Sunday: 8:15 A.M. and 10:45 A.M.

Monday:

7:15 A.M. Morning Prayer
7:30 A.M. Word Communion Service

Tuesday through Friday:

7:15 A.M. Morning Prayer
7:30 A.M. Mass

Saturday: Confessions at 3:00 P.M.



Prayer Line:

If you have a prayer request for yourself or for someone you know, please call Sarah at 542-9248, Ext. 121 or email her at snelson@ctkpueblo.org.



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25th—

Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle

4:30 P.M. — Cecelia Clapp, by Rose Hopper
Roberta Burns, by Burns Family

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26th —

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:15 A.M. — For our Amazing Parish Family
10:45 A.M. — Angela and Patrick McGillick,
by Mary McGillick

Molly Jagger, by Sue and Ed Mastro

MONDAY, JANUARY 27th

St. Angela Merici, Virgin and Religious Founder

7:30 A.M. Word Communion Service

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28th—

St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church

7:30 A.M. — Molly Jagger,
by Carol and Harold Robinson

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29th—

7:30 A.M. — Pete Nolan,
by Carol and Harold Robinson

Molly Jagger, by Martha Rael

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30th—

7:30 A.M. — Vicente Doan Trong Bihn,
by Tramahn David

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31st—

St. John Bosco, Priest

7:30 A.M. — Becky Arrigo,
by Rosetta and Tony Pecoraro

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1st —

4:30 P.M. — Johnny Sefcovic, by Rose Hopper
Roberta Burns, by Burns Family

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd —

The Presentation of the Lord

8:15 A.M. — Msgr. Howard Delaney,
by Milton and Margaret Trujillo

Linda Medina, by Mike and Cathy Cirullo

10:45 A.M. — For our Amazing Parish Family



This weekend, we take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America! Many people in Latin America and the Caribbean do not have access to church programs and ministries because of a rising secular culture, difficult rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers. Your generosity makes it possible for our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbean to share in the life of the Church and grow closer to Christ. Please be generous to the special collection! To learn more, please visit www.usccb.org/latin-america.

Envelopes are available in your packets and in the Narthex. Please make checks payable to Christ the King and place in the regular collection.

Financial Summary Thru December 31, 2019 YTD

| CATEGORY | ACTUAL YTD | BUDGETED YTD |
|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Collection Income | \$179,328 | \$209,379 |
| Total Income | \$234,127 | \$267,834 |
| Total Expenses | \$269,740 | \$268,160 |
| Net | (-\$36,614) | (-\$326) |

Our total income is better than it appears. Currently we are due a \$27,714 refund from the Diocesan Ministry Fund in May or June. That places us at \$5,993 short of the projected income we budgeted. We have maintained expenses well in-line; we're only \$580 in excess of our projection. With the DMF refund included, our net is actually \$7,900 in the red – not the \$36,614 indicated.

– Fr. John O.



Next Sunday is Candlemas!

Bring your candles with you to Mass to have them blessed for personal or family use.

This feast celebrates the purification of Mary and the first entry of Jesus, the Light of the world, into the Temple. Under Mosaic law, women had to present themselves and any male child in the Temple 40 days after giving birth for a purification rite (some prayers said for the mother by a priest). This is when the Holy Man Simeon and the prophetess Anna proclaimed that Jesus was the Messiah. Simeon called him the "Light of revelation for the Gentiles" and so this feast became associated with the Blessing of Candles.

And so we'll all light a candle next weekend, like we do at the Easter Vigil, to celebrate the Light of Christ, the Light of the world. The French traditionally celebrate this day with pancakes or crepes. Enjoy some yourself at home or at a restaurant after Mass!

COFFEE & DONUTS



Join us for Coffee and Donuts

Visitors and parishioners are welcome to join us for hospitality following the Sunday Masses in Adrians Hall. Make a new friend and introduce yourself to someone you haven't met yet!

"In essentials, unity; in nonessentials, liberty; in all things, charity."
—St. Augustine

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2020 DIOCESE OF PUEBLO COMMUNICATION TOUR

Mark your calendar for Friday, January 31st. That's when Bishop Berg and his leadership staff will provide an update on key initiatives and happenings in the Diocese of Pueblo at **St. Joseph's Church** at 6:00 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres at 5:30 p.m. The evening will include prayer, presentations, audio-visual, social time and food. Bishop Berg will be the highlight of the evening speaking on the successes, struggles, and the future of our local Church. This is an evening you will enjoy! Visit <https://diocesofpueblo.org/16-communications>.

"Through all the planning and progress of the past five years, it is you, our faithful people, who have been the heroes."

—Bishop Stephen J. Berg



Adult Confirmation Sessions:

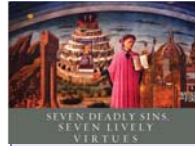
Begin on Sunday March 1st through May 24th, 2020
+ 12 Sessions + Confirmation on Pentecost May 31st, 2020 +
Sundays in Sister Joan's Room at 12: 00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

For Baptized Adult Catholics desiring Confirmation



**Catholic Fellowship Group
continues on Tuesdays
6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Formation Center in Sr. Joan's Room
Prophet Priest and King -
(12- Part Session)**

In Priest, Prophet, King, you'll discover Jesus as the Anointed One – the ultimate priest, prophet, and king foreshadowed throughout the Hebrew Scriptures. If you have questions please contact Gerald Garduno at 719-252-8508 or Rich Dudley at 719-369-9115.



**Woman's Bible Study Group
– Wednesdays
9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.
in Sister Joan's Room**

Seven Deadly Sins, Seven Lively Virtues
Join Bishop Robert Barron for this presentation of the seven deadly sins, those great spiritual blocks that inhibit our flourishing in relationship with God and one another. Pride, envy, anger, sloth, gluttony, avarice and lust are all presented as patterns of dysfunction within us that lead to unhappiness. Call Mickie Markowski at 719-545-6506 or Linda Gettler at 719-545-1058 (Leave voice message if no answer.)

Adult Confirmation

“Adult confirmation class truly elevated my lifelong journey through Christ. I hadn't been practicing for some time before I joined the class, and it re-energized my faith. I now have the same sense of “home” walking into Christ the King as I did while I was growing up. Confirmation is an important sacrament that should not be taken lightly, but once you've gone through it...your heart will forever be changed.” — Dakota Purkey (Confirmed in 2019)

Whether you have been away for a while, or would just like to re-connect more with the Catholic faith, we want to journey with you.

- **Has something sparked your interest to discover or re-discover more about the Catholic faith?**
- **Has it been many years since you spent time in Faith Formation?**
- **Were you Baptized Catholic as a child, but would now like to prepare to receive the Sacraments of Confession, Eucharist and Confirmation?**

Adult Sacramental Formation is designed for Catholic Baptized Adults who, after hearing the mystery of Christ proclaimed, consciously and freely seek the living God and enter the way of faith and conversion as the Holy Spirit opens their hearts. By God's help, they will be strengthened spiritually during their preparation and at the proper time will receive the Sacraments fruitful.

For more info contact Sarah Nelson at (719) 542-9248 x121, or email Sarah at snelson@ctkpueblo.org



Divine Mercy Charismatic Prayer Group

Monday, February 3rd

The Divine Mercy Charismatic Prayer Group usually meets on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Little Flower Formation Building (6th Grade Room-use entrance near Sister Joan's Room). The Prayer Gathering will include praise/worship music, teaching, and prayer. For more details please call Prayer Leader Leila Andrews at 773-931-5465.

St. Leander's Bingo every Thursday

from noon to 3:00 pm at the Bingo Palace on Club Manor Drive. (Across from Main Post Office).

Everyone is welcome to join them!



Weekly Calendar

Sunday, January 26, 2020

9:30am Catholic Connections—Formation Center

Noon High School Discipleship—HS Room

Tuesday, January 28, 2020

9:00am Men's Bible Study—Sr. Joan's Room

6:00pm Catholic Fellowship Group—Sr. Joan's Room

Wednesday, January 29, 2020

9:00am Women's Bible Study—Sr. Joan's Room

6:30pm Choir—Music Room

Sunday, February 2, 2020

9:30am Religious Formation—PreK-8

Noon High School Discipleship—HS Room



Catholic Connection Sundays resume this Sunday, January 26th at 9:30 am in the Little Flower Formation Center.

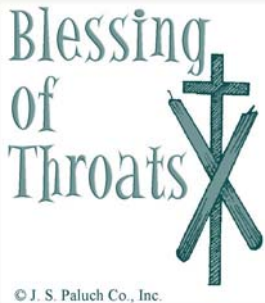
Join us for these opportunities for children, teens and adults to grow in faith. Parents of children/teens in sacramental formation are especially encouraged to join these sessions -- to deepen their faith and understanding during this crucial year of formation.

Future dates are **February 23, March 29 and April 26.**

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Altar & Rosary Society

The Altar & Rosary Society will meet on Monday, February 3rd at 1:30 p.m. in Sr. Joan's Room. All ladies in the parish are welcome to join us. We will be discussing the upcoming Bake Sale on February 8th and 9th. For information call Sandy Musso, President at 719-544-1741.



Feast Day of St. Blaise

**Blessing of Throats
at the end of Mass
next weekend,
on February 1 and 2.**

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**Mardi Gras Party
Saturday,
February 22nd
Adrians Hall
Watch for more
details next week!**

CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PARISH MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP NIGHTS

Dates:

**February 12th
(Wednesday)**

March 5th (Thursday)

April 1 (Wednesday)

Time:

6:30 P.M.—8:00 P.M.

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**Location: Sister Joan's Room
Little Flower Formation Building**

Save the Date



Sunday
February 9, 2020
9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

Sister Joan's Room
Christ the King Church

Please join representatives from
The Alliance to Combat Human Trafficking – Pueblo

- Learn more about Human Trafficking in Pueblo, Colorado, the United States and the World
- Find out what you can do to help prevent Human Trafficking
- Discover how you can support services for survivors of Human Trafficking

“Human trafficking is a crime against humanity. We must unite our efforts to free victims and stop this crime that’s become ever more aggressive, that threatens not just individuals, but the foundational values of society.” - Pope Francis

“No-one likes to acknowledge that in their own city, region or nation, there are new forms of slavery, yet we know that this wound afflicts almost all countries. We must denounce this terrible scourge in all its gravity.” – Pope Francis

CTK MINISTRY SCHEDULE

If you are unable to fulfill your assigned Mass, please get a substitute to fill in for you. The Ministry Schedule is posted at ctkpueblo.org.

Saturday, February 1, 2020 @ 4:30 p.m.

1st Proclaimer: Steve Oakes

2nd Proclaimer: Mary Jo Kessler

Bread: John Chavez

Cup: Rich Dudley, Theresa Dudley, Peggy Herman, Deacon

Servers: Mike Foss

Ushers: Jose Rosales, Marty Bechina, Michael Cafasso, Dr. Tim Cawlfeld

Greeters: Charlene Graham, Joey Coffey, Linda Marino **Gift Bearers:**

Weekend Ambassador: Louise Fuqua, Sandy Musso

Sacristans: Kath Redmond

Sunday, February 2, 2020 @ 8:15 a.m.

1st Proclaimer: Patricia Naccarato

2nd Proclaimer: Dustin Medina

Bread: Arnold Montoya

Cup: Juanita Montoya, Brandon Montoya, Colleen Russ, Deacon

Servers: Sean Cummings, Sebastian Cummings

Ushers: Roger Silva, Jason Brown, Chris Campos, Joe Carleo

Greeters: Gerald Garduno Family, Joe Gomez **Gift Bearers:**

Weekend Ambassador: Helen Caprioglio

Sacristans: Sam & Kay Corsi

Sunday, February 2, 2020 @10:45 a.m.

1st Proclaimer: Frank Romero

2nd Proclaimer: Richard Sandoval

Bread: Shawn Compton

Cup: Stephanie Compton, Colin Compton, Louise Compton, Deacon

Servers: James Escalera, Antero Rodriguez

Ushers: James Kramer, Wayne Martinez, Victor Padilla, John Solano

Greeters: Raymond Thomas, Andrada Family **Gift Bearers:**

Weekend Ambassador: Jodi & Becky Verner

Sacristans: Kath Redmond



Readings for the Week

Monday: 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Ps 89:20-22, 25-26;
Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday: 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Ps 24:7-10;
Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday: 2 Sm 7:4-17; Ps 89:4-5, 27-30; Mk 4:1-20

Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29; Ps 132:1-5, 11-14;
Mk 4:21-25

Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Ps 51:3-7, 10-11;
Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51:12-17;
Mk 4:35-41

Sunday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18;
Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]



The parish office is off of Horseshoe Drive next to the attached garage. Look for the sign and turn into parking lot.

Parish Office Hours

Monday thru Friday:

9:00 a.m. to Noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.



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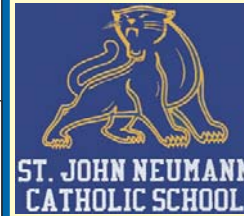


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