

# CHRIST THE KING CATHEDRAL



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OFFICE HOURS: 8:00 a.m. - Noon; 1:00-5:00 p.m. (weekdays) CLOSED WEDNESDAYS & SATURDAYS

**MASSES:** Saturday, 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, 8:00, 9:15, 11:00 a.m., and 5:30 p.m.

Nursery offered during 9:15 and 11:00 a.m. Mass. Age 35 mo. and under.

**RECONCILIATION:** Confession Saturday 3:30-5:00 p.m. or by appointment.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (children):** A series of 2 instructions with parents and godparents is necessary before Christian Baptism. Parents need to be registered members of Christ the King. These classes can be taken even before the baby is born.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:** Please do not make plans or finalize wedding date before visiting with Father Ben Kasteel or Deacon Randy Canale. Attendance at Pre-Cana Classes AND Engaged Encounter Weekend required.

**ANOINTING of the SICK:** Following the 11:00 a.m. Mass each Sunday. Otherwise, please inform the parish office when someone in your family desires the anointing.

**PASTORAL COUNCIL:** Meet the last Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Family Center.

President Marty Martin, 763-8312  
Vice-President Ken Kruczek, 794-5195

**COMMISSION CHAIRPERSONS:**

Admin/Maintenance Jack Pope, 796-0173  
Religious Education Roy Towle, 745-1820  
Liturgy Ken Kruczek, 794-5195  
Social Ministries Linda Markusen, 792-6746  
Parish Life Diane Acebedo, 791-2176  
Spiritual Life Deacon Dr. Steve Tjia, 794-2134  
Youth Ministry Terri Christensen, 798-1112

**BISHOP OF LUBBOCK DIOCESE:** Most Reverend Plácido Rodríguez

**RECTOR:** Reverend Monsignor Ben Kasteel - ext. 217

Email: [bkasteel@ctkcathedral.org](mailto:bkasteel@ctkcathedral.org)

**ASSOCIATE PASTOR:**

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**DIRECTOR:** Charlotte Amato - ext. 222 - [camato@ctkcathedral.org](mailto:camato@ctkcathedral.org)

**COORDINATOR:** Celida Hernandez

9:15 & 11:00 a.m. Sunday mornings

3 year old through Grade 12

**YOUTH MINISTRY:** 792-6198

**COORDINATOR:** Rose Donaldson - [rdonaldson@ctkcathedral.org](mailto:rdonaldson@ctkcathedral.org)

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**PRINCIPAL:** Mrs. Christine Wanjura - ext. 204

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**GRADES:** 3 year-old through 12th grade

**PHONE:** 795-6477 • **FAX Number:** 795-9715

**MUSIC MINISTRY:**

Chancel Choir Sue Arnold, Director, 797-4367

Celebration Choir Dr. Jackie Quitevis, 795-4297

Organist Eduardo Alcayaga, 441-4499

**LIFE TEEN:** Audrey Pekowski, 785-2528

**ORGANIZATIONS and MINISTRIES**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Coordinators

Altar Assistant Lyle & Nancy Fetterly, 798-7158

Altar Care Jeff Tucker, 783-0668

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Beverly Wink, 798-3030

Lectors Marty Martin, 763-8312

Ushers Kathy Felts, 796-0319

Parish Visitation Team Dan Kuss, 794-5727

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to Homebound

Transportation for Homebound to Mass Catherine Tjia, 794-2134

Prayer Line Linda Markusen, 792-6746

Mom's Group Matta Burns, 795-9220

Women's Organization Kim Sipowicz, 799-1824

Loss/Grief Support Group Libby White, 698-8276

Divorced/Separated Deacon Randy Canale, 797-2210

Senior Citizens Group Rita Stevens, 799-5836, Karen Keel, 794-4130

Religious Vocations Annah Thomas, 795-0952

Grounds Supervisor Barbara McKenna, 793-0945

CTK School Board Gary Simmons, 794-4384

CTK Home & School Assoc. Pres., Ralph Rosiles, 749-0147

CTK School Foundation Pres., Patty Shipton, 798-7001

CTK Cursillo Movement Pres., Rufus Mark, 725-7931

Adopt-A-Student Program Art Chavez, 793-0979

Cub Scouts Rosalie Martin, 763-8312

Boy Scouts Charles Leatherwood, Cub Master, 795-2203

Girl Scouts Jim Ambrose, Scout Master, 543-8450

Catholic Daughters of the Americas Suzanne Thomas, 796-2521

Knights of Columbus (Council #3008) Emma Childs, 793-6106

Lubbock Catholic War Veterans Francisco Sotelo, 795-4710

Pro-Life Bill Youngren, 746-5317

Covenant Lakeside Aux. Lawrence D'Souza, 794-6553

Seniors for Service Mary Lou Trelford, 794-5387

Serra Club of Lubbock John Gaschen, 792-8893

Catholic Family Service Carl Sundell, 368-6550

Engaged Sponsor Couples Jeff Malpiede, 765-8475

Mary & Larry Boone, 763-8416

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

*Perpetual Adoration 12:00 a.m. to 12:00 Midnight*

9:15 a.m. RCIA Dismissal (MC Room)

**11:00 a.m. CCE Classes: 3 year old-12 grade**

**11:00 a.m. Scripture Study (MC Room)**

4:00 p.m. Life Teen Mass (Church)

5:30 p.m. Life Night (JPYC)

### MONDAY, OCTOBER 1 (St. Therese of the Child of Jesus)

*Perpetual Adoration 12:00 a.m. to 12:00 Midnight*

5:30 p.m. Jubilee Liturgy Meeting (Rm off Kitch)

5:30 p.m. Home & School Association (Cafe)

6:00 p.m. Social Ministries (MC Room)

7:00 p.m. Spirituality for Women (Parlor)

7:00 p.m. Catechumenate Class #5 (PFC)

7:00 p.m. Children's Catechumenate #5 (Rm off Kitch)

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2 (Guardian Angels)

*Perpetual Adoration 12:00 a.m. to 12:00 Midnight*

5:00 p.m. School Board Meeting (Library)

6:45 p.m. DivorceCare (PFC)

6:45 p.m. DCK4-Kids (Parlor)

7:00 p.m. Life Teen Core (JPYC)

7:00 p.m. Spiritual Life Commission (MC Rm)

7:30 p.m. Celebration Choir Rehearsal (Church)

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3

*Perpetual Adoration 12:00 a.m. to 12:00 Midnight*

\*\*\*\*\* PARISH OFFICE CLOSED \*\*\*\*\*

9:00 a.m. Rosary (Parlor)

6:30 p.m. Youth Groups: 3-8th grade (JPYC)

7:00 p.m. Women's Organization (Parlor)

7:00 p.m. Pre-Catechumenate Inquiry Class #5 (PFC)

7:00 p.m. Men's Spirituality (MC Room)

7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Church)

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4 (St. Francis of Assisi)

*Perpetual Adoration 12:00 a.m. to 12:00 Midnight*

6:30 p.m. Life Teen Band Rehearsal (Church)

7:00 p.m. Cursillo Prayer Group (PFC)

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5 FIRST FRIDAY

*Perpetual Adoration 12:00 a.m. to 12:00 Midnight*

12:00 noon AA Meeting (Rm off Kitch)

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6 (St. Bruno)

(St. Michael, St. Gabriel, & St. Raphael Archangels)

*Perpetual Adoration 12:00 a.m. to 12:00 Midnight*

3:30 p.m. Confessions (Church)

### MASSES and SCRIPTURE READINGS

*Monday, October 2, Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14, John 1:47-51*

6:55 a.m. + Souraya Talamas by Bill & Jeanette Hardin

8:15 a.m. + Rolland Kuhn by Teo & Vi Kum

*Tuesday, October 2, Exodus 23:20-34, Matthew 18:1-5, 10*

6:55 a.m. Communion Service

8:15 a.m. In Honor of Saint Anthony by Katie Riley

*Wednesday, October 3, Nehemiah 2:1-8, Luke 9:57-62*

6:55 a.m. + Phil Bruedigam by Mary Lee Hoover

8:15 a.m. Special Intention Rowan Family by Jordan

*Thursday, Oct 4, Nehemiah 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12, Lk 10:1-12*

6:55 a.m. + Muriel Beale by Bill & Jeanette Hardin

8:15 a.m. + Jowang Park by Teresa Ok

*Friday, October 5, Baruch 1:15-22, Luke 10:13-16*

6:35 a.m. Rosary for Vocations; 6:55 Vocations by Serra Club

8:15 a.m. + Rev James P Delaney OMI by Mullen Family

*Saturday, October 6, Baruch 5:5-12, 27-29, Luke 10:17-24*

8:00 a.m. + Souraya Talamas by Steve & Catherine Tjia

5:30 p.m. + Dr. Angie Connor by Mullen Family

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7, HABAkkUK 1:2-3; 2:2-4,**

**PSALM 95, 2 TIMOTHY 1:6-8, 13-14, LUKE 17:5-10**

8:00 a.m. + Jeff Moritz by Roy & Alice Moritz

9:15 a.m. + Souraya Talamas by Paul & Mary Lou Mosser

11:00 a.m. + Dorothy Stinson by Ann Thomas

4:00 p.m. Life Teen Mass for Members of Christ the King

5:30 p.m. + Elizabeth Thuong thi Nguyen by Binh & Bao Tramle Tran

**SPECIAL REQUEST FOR PRAYERS** for this week are:

Dottie Paikowski, Jacob Williams

Our Prayer Line has the complete list of prayer requests.

### MAJOR UPCOMING EVENTS.....

Oct. 17 . . . . . 4th Annual Friends of the Foundation

Oct. 18 . . . . . Diocesan White Mass

Oct. 28 . . . . . Fall Festival 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Nov. 4, 5, & 6 . . . . . Parish Mission 7:00 p.m.

Nov. 10/11 . . . . . Ministry Fair Weekend

Nov. 10/11 . . . . . Soup Meal sponsored by Youth Ministry

Nov. 11 . . Memorial Service for Deceased Parishioners 7:00 p.m.

Nov. 24 . . . . . NO 5:30 p.m. Mass

Nov. 24 . . . . Christ the King Cathedral Golden Jubilee Gala

Nov. 25 . . . . . Cathedral Mass of Thanksgiving 11:00 a.m.

Feb. 1, 2008 . . . . . Homecoming Basketball Game

April 19, 2008 . . . . . Super Auction

June 20-21, 2008 . . . . . All Class Alumni Reunion

June 21, 2008 . . 25th Anniversary Mass of Lubbock Diocese

### WHERE WERE YOU IN 1957?????

Within a few months Christ the King Cathedral will celebrate its Golden Jubilee. If you were here at CTK in 1957 you are a "founding member" of Christ the King parish (even if you moved away and moved back or live out of town). Please contact the parish office, 792-6168, or Email pleach@ctkcathedral.org so that we may also celebrate you.

**Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**RETURN GIFTS & OFFERINGS**

**September 23, 2007**

Envelopes .....	\$11,780.50
† Gift-Direct .....	295.00
16 Children Envelopes + Cash .....	81.51
Plate .....	1,526.31
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$13,683.22</b>
Miscellaneous .....	397.36
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$14,080.58</b>

319 Identifiable Donors

Building Fund .....	\$	9.00
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Average Needed Each Week: \$18,350.00

*Please remember CTK in your Will.*



*Time*

*Talent*

*Treasure*

**FLOWERS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER:**



Thanksgiving by Childs Family

Dr. & Mrs. Ruben Villa

***In Memory of:***

Quenton Nolte by Ron & Tricia Vowles

Ronald Edwards by Jerry & Kathryn C De Baca

Ray Quintana by Vanessa, Matthew & Mariz Guzman

Ruben Anaya by Johnny & Yolanda Serrano

Neri Miras by Winston & Zenaida Whitt

Arthur & Louise Grant by Gerry & Sharon Grant

Our Parents by Bob & Dottie Paikowski

Barbara & Louis Synck by Steve Synck

***In Honor of:***

The Flacy Family by Linda Rangel

James & Risalda Garza by Frank & Vlasta Makovy

Our Military Men & Women by Eva Pierce

Christ the King Cathedral by Gerald & Tricia Billingsley

Iretta Simmons by Doris Fisher

If you would like to offer the flowers in the sanctuary for the month of October place your offering in an envelope marked *October* or use the envelope in your offertory envelope packet and place it in the collection basket. ***Your offering will be printed in the month that your envelope is received, unless otherwise designated.. . . . . Donation is \$25.***



The sin of the rich man in today's parable was not that he was rich, but that he failed to share his wealth with the beggar at his gate. He knew Lazarus, perhaps walked by him every time he came in or out, but did nothing to relieve his suffering. Is there a Lazarus in my life? What am I doing to help?

*Read a note from a leathery old westerner, Desert Pete.*

**Find it at our Website: [www.ctkcathedral.org](http://www.ctkcathedral.org)!**

**VOCATION AWARENESS VIEW**

Fight the good fight of faith. Take a firm hold on everlasting life to which you are called. Pray for those who are called to run the race as priests, sisters, and brothers.

(1 Timothy 6:11-16) -Vocations Committee

**DIVORCECARE & DC4K**

We want to invite you to DivorceCare, a video series featuring some of the nation's foremost experts on divorce and recovery topics. The videos, combined with confidential support group discussions, will help you see God's plan for you. Join us each Tuesday from 6:45-9:00 p.m. in the Parish Family Center. Workbook fee is \$12. Along with adult DivorceCare is DivorceCare for Kids (DC4K). DC4K provides a safe, fun place where your children ages 5-12 will learn to understand their feelings, express their emotions appropriately, feel better about themselves and develop coping skills. This is not for childcare. Parents must be attending DivorceCare before children can be left at DC4K. For more information call Rita Stevens, 799-5836, or Karen keel, 794-4130.

**MOM and ME:** If you have small children (newborn to pre-school) you might be interested in joining the Mom & Me Group. We meet every Friday at 10:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted with activities for all age groups. Call Kim Sipowicz 799-1824. Oct. 5 meet in the nursery. Bring a pot luck item.

**WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION**

Our next meeting is this Wednesday, October 3, at 7:00 p.m. in the church parlor. Rita Stevens will talk about divorce and separation. Come join us for refreshments, door prizes and fellowship.

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN INQUIRING**

**ABOUT CATHOLIC FAITH?**



Inquiry Sessions for adults 18 years of age and older are on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. **DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE** who has an interest in us? Childcare will be available. Call Pat in the parish office 792-6168, ext 221, for more information.

**R.C.I.A. ADAPTED FOR CHILDREN**

**CLASSES ARE FORMING**

Parents of children who are over the age of 7 and have not been baptized Catholic or who are between the ages of 14-17 and have not received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation, call Charlotte Amato, DRE, 792-6168 ext 222.

**THANK YOU**

I wish to thank my parish family for the prayers and cards following my recent accident. I would still enjoy hearing from you. My current **correct address** is 3203 Edgescreek, Houston, TX 77066 (my daughter Carol Koenig). May God Bless You,  
 -Emily Severe



Come Join Us In The  
**John-Paul Youth Center**  
For information about any of the following,  
please call Rose Donaldson at

792-6198 or E-mail [rdonaldson@ctkcathedral.org](mailto:rdonaldson@ctkcathedral.org)

**PARENTS: Drop off and pick up at the JPYC, unless otherwise noted.**

**Dogs & Frogs (3-4th):** Wed. Oct 3, Gift of the Holy Spirit - "Counsel". Please bring snacks.

**EDGE (5-8th):** Wed. Oct 3, Gift of the Holy Spirit, "Counsel". Please bring snacks

**Prayer for the week:** *Heavenly Father, we thank you for today's Gospel. May we all stop and reflect on this reading. We are all called to be compassionate, even to those that we think are unworthy. Inspire us not to judge others, but to be the friend to those who are in need. May we always check the doors of our heart and let the message in. Amen.*

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** What does adoration do for me? *It gives you a chance to speak to God in the stillness of His Presence.*

**Reflection:** God greets me in the mess of my life, in the unfix-ed-ness, in the brokenness. I used to think the opposite, that God got rid of all that stuff. But in the Bible God is constantly showing up in people's lives at the worst possible moment.  
-Michael Yaconelli

**LIFE TEEN Band:** Give glory and praise to God! We not only receive a new drummer, Marc Schoch, we received a substitute as well. God will provide! If you are 19 years of age or older with a gift of musical talent, the band is waiting for you! Contact Rose at 792-6198 or Audrey at 785-2528 for an audition.

**LIFE TEEN MASS: TODAY,** Sunday, Sept 30, at 4:00 p.m. If you signed up to serve at this Mass, please be here by 3:45. Please make every effort to attend the Mass for the young by the young.

**LIFE NIGHT (9-12th): TODAY,** Sunday, Sept 30, "Where to find me" at 5:30, following the 4:00 p.m. Mass. If you're lost, mercy has no boundaries!

**LIFE TEEN CORE:** Positions available for individuals who have a desire to minister to young people; must be 19 years and older to be considered for this ministry. Background check and Safe Environment Training required.

**Parents for LIFE:** Please pray for this ministry. We ask for parents to prayerfully reflect and ask yourself, what I can do for God and the young people. Contact Rose for details.

**CTK Website - Check it out:** [www.ctkcathedral.org](http://www.ctkcathedral.org)

**Seek and you shall find!** The first student who finds the word "far" within this bulletin will receive a prize.

**Upcoming Events:** Wednesday, Oct. 31, Trunk Trick or Treat; everyone's invited. Friday, November 9, at 7:00 p.m. Life Teen Band Sanctuary will be providing Praise & Worship for the Art Exhibit being held at the Diocese. Saturday/Sunday, Nov. 10/11, Soup Meal in the school cafeteria in connection

with the Ministry Fair.

**Youth Ministry Core:** Positions now available. We have Wednesday and Sunday night activities, retreats and relational ministry opportunities. Volunteering for the future is NOW!

**Thank you** Peggy Aguilar, Diane Alonzo, Paula Bradley and Corina Rasura for your commitment and dedication to Youth Ministry. This ministry is blessed to have all of you giving your precious time and talents for the young people of Christ the King. Abundant blessings!

**CUB SCOUTS PACK 513:** CTK Cub Scout Pack 513 Pack is open to all members of the parish. You do not have to attend CTK school to be a member of Pack 513; we welcome all. If you are in 1-5th grade, call Scout Master Charles Leatherwood 795-2203 to find out when we have our next meeting.

**BOY SCOUT TROOP 513:** Do you like hiking, fishing, camping, bicycling, camp fire cooking, rock climbing, rappelling, back packing? If you like any of these you need to join Boy Scout Troop 513. We are accepting new members. We meet every Monday at 7:15 in the school cafeteria. For information, please call Richard Scheppler at 790-0160 or Jim Ambrose, 780-7817.

**DONATE BLOOD SUNDAY, October 7**  
**8:45 a.m. to 1:45 p.m.**



**Parish Family Center**

Every three seconds someone in this nation needs blood. The United Blood Service and the Social Ministries Commission, K of C #3008 and Catholic War Veterans encourage Christ the King parishioners to donate blood to help maintain an adequate blood supply. Every donor receives a mini-physical which checks pulse, temperature and blood pressure.

**FLU SHOTS AVAILABLE @ CTK**

United Pharmacy Clinical Pharmacy will be at Christ the King on Sunday, October 21, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. with two influenza vaccines: traditional by injection (\$20) and FluMist (inserted nasally \$35); also pneumonia injections (\$45). In order that enough vaccines are available on that day, we are asking that you sign up on the sheet available in the gathering space and in the Parish Family Center.

**CHRIST THE KING CATHEDRAL PARISH**

*Serving Christ for Fifty Years*

*Golden Jubilee Celebration*

*November 24 & November 25, 2007*

Be sure to save these dates.

Your invitation will be mailed  
in the next few weeks.

## Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### SAVE-THE-DATE - - - - -

**More than Silver or Gold, our parish stewardship mission comes to Christ the King Cathedral with the weekend Masses on November 3 and 4.**

"Most people are convinced that Stewardship is a word that starts with the capital letter 'S' with a line running down the middle: \$. In the parish mission, you'll hear me set the record straight - for stewardship is about much more than silver or gold," says mission priest Father Daniel Mahan.

Father Mahan will preach at each of the weekend Masses and at the hour-long evening sessions held in the church at 7:00 p.m. on November 4 through 6. The Sunday evening session will conclude with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament followed by a parish social; Monday evening will conclude with the opportunity for confessions; Tuesday evening will conclude with the opportunity for an individual blessing.

Mark your calendar and plan to join your fellow parishioners to learn about stewardship as **a way of life - a spirituality** for busy people.

Contact the parish office for more information and to register for free child care.

### ADOPT-A-STUDENT PROGRAM

#### *Let Your Light Shine*



Stained-glass windows in a church usually look dull and uninteresting when seen from the outside. But, step inside and one will see the transformation as bright sunlight streams through the windows. Likewise, when the seeds of faith and love are nurtured in a child, their beauty will shine in the lives of others. Thank you for nurturing a child's faith.

-Rosalie Martin, Chairperson

### ADORERS NEEDED

We have several hours in need of a scheduled adorer. Please call or Email Lyle or Nancy Fetterly, 798-7158, or Email [nanfett@sbcglobal.net](mailto:nanfett@sbcglobal.net)

### CHECKLIST from Alliance to Save Energy

Some consideration when purchasing items which can help save our environment: *Hi-efficiency furnace/air conditioner or heat pump, programmable thermostat, energy-efficient refrigerator, dishwasher that saves water & energy, clothes dryer with moisture control, clothes washer that saves water and energy.*

-Social Ministries



### KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS COUNCIL 3008

Serve your church, community, family, and youth by becoming a Brother Knight. Contact Francisco Sotelo, 795-4710, for membership information.

Check our Website: [www.ctkcathedral.org](http://www.ctkcathedral.org)  
for a weekly inspirational prayer.

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### AROUND THE DIOCESE

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#### 40 HOURS DEVOTION to END ABORTION

Friday, October 5, Mass at 6:00 p.m. and first hour of devotion begins at 7:00 p.m. at St. John Neumann chapel, 5802 22nd St. Call Rita Schumacher, 796-1181, to sign up for an hour of prayer.

#### MAKING LOVING DECISIONS for YOU and YOUR FAMILY

Arimathea House, A Pro-Life Center invites you to its 2nd annual conference "End of Life" Some Questions this conference can answer for you: *What is the Church's stand on euthanasia? Will my doctor abide by my end of life decision? What must I do to prepare for end of life issues?* Our Lady of Grace, 3111 Erskine, Saturday, October 6, 8:45 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Cost \$5.00; scholarships available. Call 789-6364 for more information.

#### WHITE MASS

Health care professionals, workers and medical students are invited to the Fourth Annual Diocesan White Mass on Thursday, October 18, at 6:30 p.m. in the Cathedral followed by a reception in the school gym. Sponsored by the Catholic Medical Association

#### LUBBOCK ACTS RETREAT

..... Adoration, Community, Theology and Service - A Catholic retreat for women or men who desire a closer look at the sacraments of our Church or a closer relationship with Jesus. The next ACTS retreat for women will be October 25-28 at Mercy Center, Slaton. For more information call Andy Balderrama, 792-5842 or visit [www.catholiclubbock.org/mercycenter](http://www.catholiclubbock.org/mercycenter) and click on the ACTS icon. It would be a good idea to sign up as soon as possible.

#### CURSILLO in ENGLISH

The Lord is calling you, all of you, because he wants you to live a life of grace with him.

#### Cursillo for Women November 15-18, 2007

For more information or an application, please call Art Chavez at 793-0979 (home), 791-0077 (office) or 777-6989 (cell).

#### JOB OPENING

The Catholic Center is seeking a Receptionist/Clerical Assistant. Qualified applicants must have switchboard, clerical and customer services experience, High School Diploma or equivalent, and type accurately at 50 wpm. Candidates should have working knowledge of Microsoft Word or Word Perfect and Outlook. If you are interested, please contact Judy at 792-3943.



#### NURSERY OFFERED

During the 9:15 & 11:00 Mass

Please ask the Usher for Directions.

Please register 3 year olds in the CCE Program.

### *Welcome to Our Church House*



It was the Edict of Milan in 315, published by Emperor Constantine, that our Catholic liturgical life emerged the development of the liturgical calendar. The time line of vestments worn by priests and deacons traces back to emperors of Rome. Christian bishops, priests and deacons were known to wear white at the altar. Clergy wore white to denote that they were the teachers of the faithful and the rulers of the Church. During the fourth century Christmas and Epiphany were added to the liturgical calendar with Christians in Asia Minor celebrating the Assumption of Our Lady during the fifth century. By the 1200's the Roman Catholic churches in the West began using the colors of red, white,

green, violet or purple and black as its main color for vestments. To date these five colors are still the predominate colors that represent our liturgical calendar. A recent article in Our Sunday Visitor explained the following about vestment colors: *Red* represents the burning love of the Holy Spirit. Red vestments are worn on Palm Sunday, Good Friday, all feasts of Our Lord's Passion, on Pentecost and on the feast days of martyrs. *White* vestments represent joy, innocence, purity and glory and worn at Christmas and Easter, on all feast of Our Lord, feast of the Blessed Virgin, the angels and those saints who weren't martyrs. *Violet* or purple represents sorrow and penitence. A priest will normally wear a purple vestment during confessions and at Advent and during the season of Lent. *Green* vestments are worn during the liturgical season known as ordinary time. Green represents the color of rebirth and offers us the hope for eternal life. Only twice a year the color *Rose* is worn on Gaudete Sunday, the Third Sunday of Lent, and Laetare Sunday, the Fourth Sunday of Lent. The rose vestment is viewed as a joyful color and serves as a reminder that Christmas and Easter are not far away. *Gold* vestments are used at solemn Masses (midnight Mass). *Black or purple* vestments are worn for funeral Masses as the color black represents mourning. Just like the colors of the vestments that are worn by priests and deacons these same colors are applied to the environment of our Catholic Church as well. Over the last several years our CTK altar servers have also incorporated the use of liturgical color by wearing matching altar server sashes. Interesting note about the liturgical colors used by the Roman Catholic Churches of the West is that the vestment colors differ from those of the Eastern Rite Churches, which follows a different tradition of liturgical colors. -Latha Tucker, Communications, 783-0668

### **CHRIST THE KING CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS**

*"I ask that supplications, prayers, petitions and thanksgiving be offered for everyone, for kings and for all in authority, that we may lead a quiet and tranquil life..."* 1 Timothy 2:1-8. One of the important lessons that we can teach our children is to pray with a grateful heart. We, at Christ the King Cathedral School, are truly blessed and truly grateful. We are grateful for our parents, teachers, administration and clergy who sacrifice their time, their talent and their treasures to ensure that our children are blessed with a Catholic education. It is important for us to continue to pray for those in authority in our parish and in our school, that we may continue to be blessed with God's most abundant graces. Two weekends ago we kicked off our year long celebration of 50 years of Excellence in Catholic Education. We are grateful to all who so generously supported our Gala and to our special guest. Special thanks to the clergy in attendance: Sister Kit Gray, General Provincial from the Sisters of St. Joseph of Orange, Sister Martha Schwertner, Sister of St. Joseph of Orange, Bishop Plácido Rodríguez, Msgr. Ben Kasteel and Msgr. Gene Driscoll. We are especially grateful to our 50th anniversary committee: Msgr. Ben Kasteel, Betty Bessire, Barbara Buescher, Angie Canale, Roberta Meyer, Scott Piercy, Evelyn Schmoekel, Kim Sipowicz, Kathy Thomas and Beverly Wink. The evening celebration certainly would not have been possible without Christy Duran, Development Director of Christ the King Cathedral School. She spent countless hours attending to every detail to ensure that the evening was a success. -Christine Wanjura, Principal

### **CASA of THE SOUTH PLAINS**

#### **VOLUNTEERS DESPERATELY NEEDED**

We are a non-profit volunteer organization whose mission is to provide community volunteers to serve as independent voices in court for abused and/or neglected children in the South Plains. While the time commitment is not huge, 5-15 hours a month, the impact CASA volunteers have on these children's lives is immeasurable. All CASA volunteers must participate in an initial 30-hour training curriculum to become a CASA volunteer. Please consider making a difference in abused/neglected children's lives. Contact Peggy at 763-2272 at your earliest convenience or [peggye@lubbockcasa.org](mailto:peggye@lubbockcasa.org).

### **BOXTOPS & CAMPBELL LABELS**

General Mills "Box Tops\$ for Education" and "Campbell's" products will help CTK school earn the cash they need to purchase whatever they want or need. There are many products which have the Box Tops\$ coupon on them. **THE RULES FOR CAMPBELL SOUP LABELS HAS CHANGED.** The front panels are no longer accepted by Campbell. They only accept UPC codes. You may place the UPC codes and the Box Top\$ coupons in the collection bin in the school office or the plastic bin marked soup labels/box tops in the church parlor. A poster near the school office will show other items besides the soup. Questions - call Patty Shipton 798-7001.