

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

**COMMISSION CHAIRPERSONS:**

Admin/Maintenance  
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Liturgy  
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Parish Life  
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Deacon Dr. Steve Tjia, 794-2134  
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**BISHOP OF LUBBOCK DIOCESE:** Most Reverend Plácido Rodríguez

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

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**ASSOCIATE PASTOR:**

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Sr. Evangeline C. Olarte, MSLT - ext. 222

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

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)

**FAMILY OUTREACH MINISTRY:**

Charlotte Amato - ext. 218 Email: [camato@ctkcathedral.org](mailto:camato@ctkcathedral.org)

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

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

**EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT CENTER:**

Director, Katie Huey, 771-9654

**MUSIC MINISTRY:**

Chancel Choir

Celebration Choir

Organist

**LIFE TEEN:**

Sue Arnold, Director, 797-4367

Dr. Jackie Quitevis, 795-4297

Eduardo Alcayaga, 441-4499

Audrey Pekowski, 785-2528

**ORGANIZATIONS and MINISTRIES**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Coordinators

Altar Assistant

Altar Care

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Lectors

Ushers

Parish Visitation Team

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to Homebound

Catherine Tjia, 794-2134

Linda Markusen, 792-6746

Matta Burns, 795-9220

Kim Sipowicz, 799-1824

Libby White, 698-8276

Deacon Randy Canale, 797-2210

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Rita Stevens, 799-5836, Karen Keel, 794-4130

Senior Citizens Group

Annah Thomas, 795-0952

Barbara McKenna, 793-0945

Gary Simmons, 794-4384

Roy Moritz, 799-5043

Pres., Alex Ambriz, 745-5088

Pres., Patty Shipton, 798-7001

Pres., Rufus Mark, 725-7931

Micheline Hyacinthe, 773-7130

Rosalie Martin, 763-8312

Marc Shipton, Cub Master, 798-7001

Jim Ambrose, Scout Master, 543-8450

Suzanne Thomas, 796-2521

Emma Childs, 793-6106

Francisco Sotelo, 795-4710

Bill Youngren, 746-5317

Lawrence D'Souza, 794-6553

Mary Lou Trelford, 794-5387

John Gaschen, 792-8893

Carl Sundell, 368-6550

Jeff Malpiede, 765-8475

Mary & Larry Boone, 763-8416

Covenant Lakeside Aux.

Seniors for Service

Serra Club of Lubbock

Catholic Family Service

Engaged Sponsor Couples

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Lubbock Catholic War Veterans

Pro-Life

Religious Vocations

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CTK School Board

CTK Home & School Assoc.

CTK School Foundation

CTK Cursillo Movement

Adopt-A-Student Program

Cub Scouts

Boy Scouts

Girl Scouts

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## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### SUNDAY, MARCH 2

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

9:15 a.m. RCIA 2nd Scrutiny & Dismissal (MC Room)

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

11:00 a.m. CCE Student Safe Environment (Cafe)

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

11:00 a.m. Old Testament Scripture Study (PFC)

2:00 p.m. Adult Confirmation Class #3 (PFC)

4:00 p.m. Life Night (JPYC)

5:30 p.m. Life Teen Mass (Church)

### MONDAY, MARCH 3 (St. Katharine Drexel)

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

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

7:00 p.m. Pre-Catechumenate Inquiry Class #1 (PFC)

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

### TUESDAY, MARCH 4 (St. Casimir)

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

5:15 p.m. School Board Meeting (Library)

6:45 p.m. DivorceCare & DCK4 Ministry (PFC/Parlor)

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

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

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5

*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. Men's Spirituality (MC Room)

7:00 p.m. Women's Organization (Meet in Parking Lot)

7:00 p.m. Catechumenate #11 (PFC)

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

### THURSDAY, MARCH 6

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

7:00 p.m. Pre-Cana Marriage Class #2 (PFC)

7:00 p.m. Cursillo Prayer Group (MC Room)

7:00 p.m. Life Teen Band Rehearsal (Church)

### FRIDAY, MARCH 7 Day of Abstinence

(St. Perpetua & St. Felicity)

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

12:00 noon AA Meeting (Rm off Kitch)

6:00 p.m. Fish Dinner (Cafe)

6:30 p.m. School Rosary (Parlor)

**7:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross (Church)**

### SATURDAY, MARCH 8 (St. John of God)

9:00 a.m. Lector Training (Church)

3:30-5:00 p.m. Confessions (Church)

### MASSES and SCRIPTURE READINGS

*Monday, March 3, Isaiah 66:17-21, John 4:43-54*

6:55 a.m. Spec Int Ellis & Rose Family by Donna & Larry Ellis

8:15 a.m. Spec Int Crystal Miro by Mr/Mrs Bobby McMillian

*Tuesday, March 4, Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12, John 5:1-16*

6:55 a.m. Communion Service

8:15 a.m. Spec Int Anita Weaver by Mr/Mrs Bobby McMillian

*Wednesday, March 5, Isaiah 49:8-15, John 5:17-30*

6:55 a.m. + John Fisher

8:15 a.m. Spec Int Matta Burns by Mr/Mrs Bobby McMillian

*Thursday, March 6, Exodus 32:7-14, John 5:31-47*

6:55 a.m. Special Int Msgr. Ben by Burdette & Pearl Berres

8:15 a.m. Spec Int Abraham Mata by Mr/Mrs Bobby McMillian

*Friday, March 7, Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22, John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30*

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

8:15 a.m. Thanksgiving by Ian & Donna

*Saturday, March 8, Jeremiah 11:18-20, John 7:40-53*

8:00 a.m. Spec Int Msgr. Ben Kasteel by CTK Staff

5:30 p.m. + Juan Alonzo by His Children

*SUNDAY, MARCH 9, EZEKIEL 37:12-14, PSALM 130*

*ROMANS 8:8-11, JOHN 11:1-45*

8:00 a.m. + Heather Hall by Charles & Jane Hall

9:15 a.m. + Ralph Armenta by Gloria Armenta

11:00 a.m. Spec Int Msgr. Ben Kasteel by Roy & Alice Moritz

5:30 p.m. Spec Int for Members of Christ the King Cathedral

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

Loraine Rice

+ Glayds Hoelscher, aunt of Mary Boone

Our Prayer Line has the complete list of prayer requests.

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN INQUIRING**

**ABOUT CATHOLIC FAITH?**



Inquiry Sessions for adults 18 years of age and older will begin **Monday, March 3** and childcare will be available. **DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE** who has an interest in us? Call Pat in the parish office (792-6168) for more information.

**PROCLAIMER (Lector) TRAINING SESSION**

Would you like to be a Proclaimer of the Word? The next training session and commissioning for new proclaimers is scheduled for Saturday, March 8, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon in the church. The session is for anyone who has received the Sacrament of Confirmation, 9th grade students and adults. Please call Kathy Felts at 796-0319 to register and so that prepared copies may be made.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

Lent is a time for being recreated. We are invited to take a close look at our lives and our relationships with Christ, with our families, friends, and all of humanity. The Liturgy Commission is sponsoring a celebration of the Stations of the Cross each Friday of Lent at 7:30 p.m. in the Cathedral. Each Friday, a different parish organization will lead the Stations.

## FOURTH SUNDAY of LENT

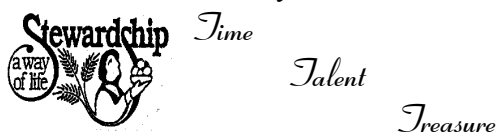
### RETURN GIFTS & OFFERINGS

**February 24, 2008**

Envelopes .....	\$13,960.00
† Gift-Direct .....	320.00
18 Children Envelopes + Cash .....	91.27
Plate .....	1,343.76
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$15,715.03</b>
Miscellaneous .....	399.24
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$16,114.27</b>
Catholic Education Appeal .....	\$ 2,365.17
330 Identifiable Donors	
Building Fund .....	\$ 59.00

Average Needed Each Week: \$18,350.00

*Please remember CTK in your Will.*



### FLOWERS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY:

#### *In Memory of:*

George Peng by PSNA

Family Members by Don & Gaynell Donaldson

Michel & Trelford Families by Mary Lou Trelford

Ventura Cavazos by Jesus & Carmen Cavazos

Villalobos Family by David & Beatrice Villalobos

#### *In Honor of:*

Catechumens & Candidates by Gerald & Trica Billingsley

Our Lady Queen of Victory by Maria Apodaca

Our Virgin of Guadalupe by Jesus & Carmen Cavazos

If you would like to offer the flowers in the sanctuary for the month of March place your offering in an envelope marked *March* 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.***

***On the last day of Jesus's life, he made a final accounting to God of his stewardship. (John 17)***

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

The blind man was willing to let Jesus minister to him and willingly did all that Jesus asked of him. The Pharisees were more resistant to His message, spending their time and energy to disprove the miracle. Which am I more like, the man born blind or the Pharisees?

### VOCATION AWARENESS VIEW:

Clear the mud from your eyes and see! The one who heals also calls us to follow. Live your life as a witness to God's healing, saving touch (John 9:1-14) -Vocations Committee

### 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-other Friday (during the winter months) at 10:00 a.m. with activities for all age groups. March 7 meet at the nursery for our Easter party. Each family is asked to bring a food item of some sort and 1-doz plastic eggs to hide. Juice will be provided. Call Kim Sipowicz, 799-1824.

### WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION

We would like to invite you to an Evening of Spirituality on Wednesday, March 2, at the Mother House, Our Lady of the Angels Convent, 8202 CR 7700, Wolforth. We will leave the church parking lot, in front of the PFC, promptly at 6:30 p.m. in a caravan. Please don't worry if you are not familiar with the directions, we will have maps to hand out and there will be plenty of room to ride with someone if you don't want to drive yourself. The sisters have graciously invited the Women's Organization to share in fellowship and prayer. Please bring a dozen cookies for refreshments. We plan to return to the church parking lot no later than 9:00 p.m.

The annual luncheon and fashion show will be held at LakeRidge Country Club on Saturday, April 5, at 11:00 a.m. Fashions will be provided by Malouf's.

### CTK GIRLS SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE MARCH 14

CTK Women's Organization will again offer scholarships to graduating senior girls who are members of CTK parish. Application forms are available from any Women's Org member or at the parish office. For more information, contact Grace Laski, 793-2163, scholarship committee chairperson.

### DIVORCECARE & DIVORCECARE for KIDS

In a bad marriage; pondering divorce? Divorced or separated and hurt to the core? Just had a breakup and no one understands? No matter what the circumstances the splitting of a relationship is a painful process. We want to invite you to DivorceCare, at 13-week 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. We meet on Tuesdays at 6:45 p.m. in the Parish Family Center. Workbook fee is \$12.

Along with the 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 program follows along with DivorceCare. The children view videos, have discussions and go home with a Parent Page that tells you what your children are learning in DC4K. 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.



**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):** Wednesday, March 5 "Simon of Cyrene-The cross bearer" - Being more aware of the crosses other people carry in their lives. Please bring snacks.

**EDGE (5-8th):** Wednesday, March 5, "Simon of Cyrene-The cross bearer" - Being more aware of the crosses other people carry in their lives. Please bring snacks.

**Prayer for the week:** *Heavenly Father, thank You for these 40 days to reflect on Your Grace. As we journey closer to Holy Week help us to understand that we are all chosen. May we gather to celebrate the Eucharist and receive forgiveness in Reconciliation. Help us know that we must keep trying and never let ourselves stay in the darkness of our own moments of failure or sin. Amen.*

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** May we all be passionate witnesses of Christ.

**Reflection:** God first said "let there be light". The journey back to Him is an invitation (baptism) to live in that light and turn away from the darkness (sin).

**Thought for the day:** "Courage is fear that has said it's prayers."

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**Sanctuary-LIFE TEEN Band:** Contact Rose, 792-6198, or Audrey, 785-2528, for additional information or to check the band's schedule.

**LIFE TEEN MASS:** The First Sunday of each month at 5:30 p.m. The next Life Teen Mass is **TODAY, MARCH 2**. Please make every effort to attend and support YOUth Ministry. We would like for all of us to sit together, so please come early.

**LIFE NIGHT (9-12th):** **TODAY, March 2** at 4:00 p.m. in the JPYC. "Pick a Clique". Were there cliques in Jesus' time?

**LIFE TEEN CORE:** Must be 19 years and older to be considered for this ministry. Background check and Safe Environment Training required.

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**Youth Ministry Core** needs you to prepare the hearts of the young, so that the Lord can plant seeds of faith. Please consider helping the Dogs & Frogs and Edge Ministries. All current leaders will be moving up with their children. We need to start training leaders for next year's Ministry.

**Parents for LIFE:** We continue to pray for this intention until the seeds of Parents for LIFE are planted. Interested in getting involved with Parents for Life? This ministry is for the parents by the parents. 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 "masses" (all lower case) within this bulletin will receive a \$50 scholarship towards their summer youth trip plans. Call 792-

6198 and leave the information or see Rose at Mass.

**Groom, Texas:** Thank you to everyone who spent the day reflecting on the Passion and sharing your Lenten Journey with us. May the Lord bless and keep you.

**"Praying in the Spirit" Praise & Worship Service:** Due to scheduling conflicts we will not have a Praise & Worship Service in March. Our next service will be April 24 at 7:00 p.m. Please join us for an hour of Praise & Worship, Scripture, Testimonies, Adoration, Healing, Prayer and worshipping God. Singing His praise is praying twice.

**Labyrinth Prayer Path Experience:** Thank you to everyone who came and experience the Labyrinth. We pray that you enjoyed the experience.

**Easter Lily Sale:** You may pick up your Lily/ies on Palm Sunday from the JPYC. Thank you for your order.

**The Movie PASSION:** Youth Ministry will be sponsoring lunch and a movie on Palm Sunday, March 16, starting at 12:00 noon with lunch: brisket sandwiches and hotdogs; movie begins at 1:00 p.m. Tickets will be available after all Masses on March 8/9: cost \$7 for lunch and the movie is FREE. Spend Palm Sunday experiencing first hand the LOVE of Christ. We will have a FREE Disney movie in the JPYC for children 5 years and older. BYOC (bring your own chairs).

**Good Friday Stations:** The Youth & Ministry Team of CTK will be doing the Stations of the Cross on Good Friday, March 21, at 3:00 p.m. Please sign up today to be a reader, usher or greeter. This is the day of Jesus suffering. Please come and reflect on His Passion for YOU! We will practice Monday, March 17, at 6:00 p.m. in the church. This will be our only practice so we need everyone there.

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**CUB SCOUTS PACK 513:** CTK Cub Scout Pack 513 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 Mark Shipton, 773-5436 or 798-7001 to find out when we have our next meeting.

**BOY SCOUT TROOP 513:** Do you like hiking, fishing, camping, bicycling, campfire 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 Jim Ambrose, 780-7617(H), 543-8450(C) [jimatroop513@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jimatroop513@sbcglobal.net) or Richard Scheppler at 790-0160.

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**ATTENTION STUDENTS PLANNING to ATTEND  
a CATHOLIC COLLEGE**

The Margaret Maher Foundation will award a scholarship to a deserving individual who wishes to attend a Catholic College or University. The criteria for selection will include both academic achievement and the financial need of the individual. Contact Margaret Beauchamp at 795-9415 for more information.

## FOURTH SUNDAY of LENT

### YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

Do you know of anyone in our parish community who is sick, elderly, or homebound? We are in great need of people who will notify us of parishioners who might want to be visited, and/or receive Holy Communion especially during this Lenten Season and the upcoming Easter Season. There is no way that the church can be aware of these people unless we are contacted by a relative or friend. Please call us if you know of someone who might want to be visited, and/or receive Holy Communion. Parish Office at 792-6168, Catherine Tjia at 794-2134, or Randy Canale at 797-2210.



**SUPER AUCTION!**  
**DATE: April 19, 2008**  
**PLACE: Christ the King**  
**Cathedral School**  
**TIME: 6:30 p.m.**

**Put on your wooden shoes and join us for "A Touch of Dutch" honoring Msgr. Ben Kasteel.**

**Come prepared for a fun-filled evening!**



### KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS COUNCIL 3008

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

We are forming a softball team for our Council 3008. We will need at least 14 Brothers to participate. Please contact Pete Lara, 470-1970, or aralee1@swbell.net if you are interested.

### ADORERS NEEDED

Jesus is asking us, "Could you not watch ONE HOUR with me?". We currently have hours in need of adorers. If you can help in any way, please contact or E-mail Lyle or Nancy Fetterly, 798-7158, or E-mail nanfett@sbcglobal.net

### FAMILY OUTREACH MINISTRY HERE to HELP

Do you have a child, spouse or relative in a residential center such as a State School, State Hospital, Nursing Home, Alcohol/Drug Treatment Center or Mental Health Center? Do you have a child, spouse or relative in jail or prison? Do you have a child in Special Education classes or have a child with special needs who is not receiving all the services they require? Do you have a disability and need assistance with having your needs met? If you have any of these needs or you know someone who does, please contact Charlotte Amato, Director of Family Outreach Ministries at 792-6168, ext. 218 or email camato@ctkcathedral.org.

### FISH DINNER

The Knights of Columbus #3008 will hold 5 fish dinners (baked & fried), including all trimmings and dessert on Fridays during the season of Lent through March 14 in the school cafeteria from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. Cost \$7 for adults; \$4 for children under 12. Proceeds benefit the Knights of Columbus/John Domansky Endowed College Scholarship for CTK School seniors high students.

### GENESIS TO JESUS BIBLE STUDY: ALL in ONE DAY

**Saturday, March 8, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

**Holy Spirit Catholic Church, McGivney Hall**

Genesis to Jesus is a Bible study that teaches the panoramic view of God's plan of Salvation. You will learn scripture through the heart of the church to find how God's loving plan is one story, hidden in the Old Testament and revealed in the New Testament. **Limited Space - must call or email to confirm.** Cost \$10 includes lunch. Call David Powell, 239-0804 or email david@realtylubbock.com.

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAM

..... for CONVALIDATION

The Lubbock Diocese Family Life Ministry will have five sessions in preparation for convalidation of marriages **beginning March 11.** Couples will not be admitted without written or verbal approval from their pastor to the Family Life Office. For registration or information, please call Deacon Jesse Esquivel in the Family Life Ministry Office at 792-2234, or Pat in the parish office at 792-6168.

### CURSILLO in ENGLISH

**Cursillo for Women March 27-30, 2008**

For more information or an application, please call Micheline Hyacinthe, 773-7130.

### EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Christ the King Cathedral is proud to announce the opening of our new ECDC. Katie Huey, the current Assistant Principal of CTK School, has been named the Center Director. With our mission, Beginning with the Word, the ECDC is committed to building a nurturing and safe environment for babies and toddlers. At this time we are taking inquiries for babies from 6-weeks old to toddlers at 35 months old. We will open age groups as the need arises. We have a projected opening of August 2008. If you would like more information on our new facility or would like to pre-register your child, please call Mrs. Huey at 771-9654. We look forward to this new opportunity to serve the babies and toddlers of CTK and the surrounding community.

**FREE PARENTING CLASSES:** Family Outreach Center of Lubbock Free Parenting Classes will be offered on March 6, #5 Briercroft Office Park, by Sara Wilson, LISD Educator. Learn how to "rethink" the way you deal with problems and situations that cause you anger. Discuss ways to recognize anger, deal with anger and how to get your needs met without causing harm to self or others from violence. All classes begin promptly at 6:30 p.m. and are over at 8:30 p.m. No child care is provided. For more information or to register for the class, call 747-5577.

**CFS THRIFT STORE TRUCK:** As you are thinking of doing some "spring cleaning" projects, remember that the truck from Catholic Family Service will have their Thrift Store truck on the parking lot from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Sunday, March 30. Donations of small appliances, good used furniture, household items, toys, etc.

-SOCIAL MINISTRIES



### *Welcome to Our Church House*

For most of us who have "been around the block more than once" we can relate to the following clichés. "If you can't say something nice about someone, don't say anything." "Don't put off until tomorrow what you can do today." "A chain is only as strong as it's weakest link." "Any friend of yours is a friend of mine." The most recognized is the Golden Rule: "Do unto others as we would have them do unto us". Our society has gotten away from these sayings and I wouldn't be surprised if our younger generation is not familiar with the true meaning of what these clichés imply. A poll by

the Associated-Press Ipsos reported that nearly 70% of people think that people are ruder than they were 20 or 30 years ago and 93% blame parents for not teaching their children proper manners. Another poll by the ABC News reported "What Brothers us Most" as: 84% people who are rude and disrespectful; 87% people who use their cell phones in a loud or annoying manner in public areas; 75% people who answer their cell phones or email while in a conversation with other people; 80% people who use bad or rude language out in public; 77% people who substitute words like "freaking" or "B.S" for swear words. The source of how a lack of manners is introduced is from the television, radio, movies and the internet (blogs, chat rooms, texting and instant messages) just to name a few sources. Today's society has gone to the extreme of entertaining the masses with sensationalism that either hurts or takes advantage of another's pain. For the person who is being spoken about the comments hurt and can possibly bring about serious consequences. For the person who is spreading the information they experience a feeling better attitude that someone else is feeling down. The real question that we must keep in mind is "how does our criticism impact our character and that of the individual whom we are speaking about"? The more that we continue to comment on someone else's down-falls, short-comings or character the more our actions affect our souls. Our society places enough obstacles in our children's lives. We must, as parents, take the initiative to teach our children that being "unkind" to another does not only bring unhappiness to the other person but eventually makes them a servant of sin. Galatians 6:7 tell us "Make no mistake: God is not mocked, for a person will reap only what he sows". Blessed Teresa of Calcutta said: "If you think well of others, you will also speak well of others and to others. From the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks. If your heart is full of love, you will speak of love." -Latha Tucker, Communications, 783-0668

### **CHRIST THE KING CATHEDRAL SCHOOL on TOP in DISTRICT TAPPS ACADEMIC MEET**

Congratulations to the students on their district win in the district TAPPS academic meet. We placed first overall in the competition with 283 points. Ascension Academy from Amarillo placed 2nd and Plainview Christian Academy placed 3rd. Individually our high school students will be competing in 35 (!) competitions at the state academic meet on April 4 and 5 at Concordia University in Austin. 1st place winners who will advance to state competition include: Abigail Thomas, Prose Interpretation; Brady Garza, Persuasive Speaking; Allison Pyle, Spelling; Matthew Dooley, Current Events; Nick Mark, Solo Acting; Samantha DeLaCerdar, Spanish; John Huey & Guillermo Gonzales, Duet Acting; Kiefer Waight, Computer Science; Daniel McDonald, Poetry Interpretation; Miranda DeLaCruz, Original Oratory. Placing 2nd and qualifying for state completion are: Regina Aberle, Prose Interpretation; Daniele Beltran, Persuasive Speaking; Tyler Tech, Spelling; Calvin Leatherwood, Current Events; Samantha DeLaCerde, Solo Acting; Rachel Duran, Number Sense; Grant Murray, Mathematics; Kevin Mantooh, Computer Science; Michael Davis, Poetry Interpretation; Samantha DeLaCerde, Original Oratory. 3rd place winners will also compete at the state competition: Justin Gray, Science; Amber Pekowski, Prose Interpretation; Chelsea Limboy, Spelling; Abigail Thomas, Current Events; Grant Murray, Number Sense; Michael Duran, Advanced Math; Jacie Vowels, Spanish; Justin Turney, Poetry Interpretation; Jaslyn Diaz, Original Oratory.

-Christine Wanjura, Principal

### **DAILY and WEEKEND MASS INTENTIONS**

We are getting low on Mass Intentions for the deceased, special intention for those who are ill, or for another reason (i.e. Thanksgiving). If you would like to make an offering to have a Mass said, please contact Margo Gonzalez in the parish office, E-mail at [mgonzalez@ctkcathedral.org](mailto:mgonzalez@ctkcathedral.org), or 792-6168. You will also find Mass Intention envelopes on the Prayer Intercession table in the gathering space. The stipend for a Daily Mass is \$5.00 and \$10.00 for weekend.

### **OPERATION RICE BOWL**

As Jesus transformed the life of the blind man, so Catholic Relief Services transforms the lives of rural farmers. By giving through Operation Rice Bowl and purchasing Fair Trade products you support the dignity of workers by ensuring just wages and economic self-sufficiency.

### **ADOPT-A-STUDENT: The "God-Parents"**



God knew some children would always need someone to show the way.  
A special someone warm and kind to care for them each day.  
Some children would also need a person to take their hand to teach them in God's ways and help them understand.  
Some children would always need a very special love from someone kind enough to share their blessings from above.  
And that's why you are "Godparents".  
Thank you for your generosity!  
Adopt-A-Student Program, Rosalie Martin, chair