

# CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

## CHRIST THE KING + HOLY TRINITY + ST. PATRICK

### One Body – One Faith – One Mission

March 31, 2024

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Year B



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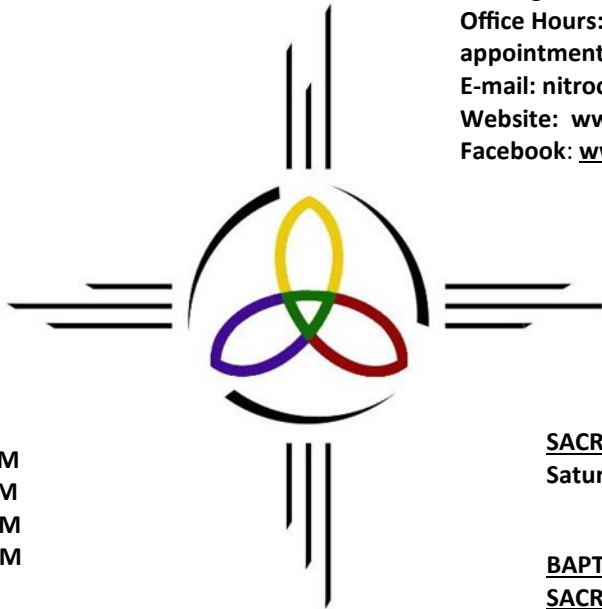
#### PASTORAL STAFF

**Pastor:** Rev. Fr. John Chapin Engler, Jr.  
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#### OFFICE INFORMATION

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#### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil at HT-----5:00 PM  
Sunday at SP -----8:00 AM  
Sunday at HT -----9:30 AM  
Sunday at CTK -----11:00 AM

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday at CTK-----6:00PM  
Wednesday at HT-----6:00PM  
(Suspended for the Winter)

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday at HT ----- 4:00 PM

**BAPTISM:** Please call the Church Office  
**SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:** Please call the Church Office at any time

**HOLY DAYS**—To be Announced

**MATRIMONY:** Call 6 months in advance

#### TRI-PARISH VISION

In the heart of our three churches resides the Triune God – Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Born of Divine Life our three churches unfold like leaves of one tree of life. Each church is unique in character, yet all are bonded in one baptismal call – becoming One Body, professing One Faith, and living One Mission. Encircled by wheels of collaboration in building the Kingdom of God, we reach out to all four corners of the world proclaiming by the testament of our lives the saving power of Christ’s Cross.

## Mass Schedule and Intentions



Sat, Mar 30 Easter Vigil	<u>HT</u> Chris Fugate (L) (Caoilainn Norton)	8:00PM
Sun, Mar 31 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord	<u>SP</u> Katie Muck (Buddie & Susie Clendenin)	8:00AM
	<u>HT</u> <u>CTK</u>	9:30AM 11:00AM
Mon, Apr 1		
Tues, Apr 2		
Wed, Apr 3		
Fri Apr 5		
Sat, Apr 6	<u>HT</u> Francisco Constantino (Hernandez Family)	8:00PM
Sun, Apr 7 Sunday of Divine Mercy	<u>SP</u> Joe Pringle (Doris Pringle)	8:00AM
	<u>HT</u> Thomas P. Donegan (Larry Donegan) <u>CTK</u>	9:30AM 11:00AM

### Prayer List for the Sick and Home Bound:

**CTK-** Frank Beach, Becky Feldhaus, Mary Kimble  
Christy Lucas, Carolyn Cannon, Danny Kimble, David  
Kingry, Sr. Rose Anne Krantz, Sr. Lu Haidnick, Val Nesser  
**HT-** Frances Sloan, Stephanie Pyles, Louise Papciak,  
Karen Andruzis, Caoilainn Norton, Mary Elaine Haynes  
**SP-** Ann Dean, Maria Pauline Bell.

To add a person or intention to the CTK Pray Chain, please  
Contact Cathy Carr (304-768-3878) Please contact the  
church office to remove names from this list.

### CTK Sanctuary Candlelight Intention

In Memory of Carol Price  
(Kathy Mobley))

### Total Contributions and Attendance for

March 16-17

Christ the King –\$1738.00 (79)  
Holy Trinity-(3/23) \$384.00 (52) (3/17) \$761.00 (75)  
St. Patrick – \$890.00 (46)



The Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston is committed to the protection of its children and young people. The Diocese complies with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* by maintaining an Office of Safe Environment. To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may confidentially contact the West Virginia Bureau for Children and Families/Child Protective Services by calling the Child Abuse Hotline at 800.352.6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact one of the Bishop's designees at 888.434.6237 (toll free) or 304.233.0880: Sister Ellen Dunn, ext. 264; Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Mr. Tim Bishop, ext. 353; Fr. Dennis Schuelkens, ext. 270 or call the Office of Safe Environment at 304.230.1504. For more information on the Diocese's Office of Safe Environment, please go to [www.dwc.org](http://www.dwc.org), then click the "Diocese" tab, then click "Office of Safe Environment" under the "Offices" menu. To learn more about the Catholic Church's efforts in preventing sexual abuse of children in the United States, please visit <http://www.usccb.org>. Under "Issues and Action," click "Child and Youth Protection" from the drop down menu.

## Daily Readings

**Monday, April 1– 1st Reading, Acts 2:14, 22-33 Gospel, Matthew 28:8-15**

**Tuesday, April 2– 1st Reading, Acts 2:36-41 Gospel, John 20:11-18**

**Wednesday, April 3- 1st Reading, Acts 3:1-10 Gospel, Luke 24:13-35**

**Thursday, April 4– 1st Reading, Acts 3:11-26, Gospel, Luke 24:35-48**

**Friday, April 5– 1st Reading, Acts 4:1-12, Gospel, John 21:1-14**

## Tri Parish News

**Please Keep Fr. Chapin in your prayers as he battles his illness. If you would like to send a card, please send it to the PO Box 339, Nitro, WV 25143. Angie will be sending a package weekly to Fr. Chapin.**

## Diocesan News

There will be a **Second Collection on Good Friday for the Holy Land– The Pontifical Good Friday for the Holy Land Collection**– offers support of the Holy Places, but above all for those pastoral, charitable, educational and social works which the Church supports in the Holy Land for the welfare of their Christian brethren and of the local communities.

**Summary of Catholic Social Teaching:** A four-week course is being offered through the University of Dayton's Virtual Learning Community for Faith Formation (VLCFF). This is an in-person course which is being held at Ascension Parish in Hurricane, WV, on four consecutive Wednesdays from April 10 – May 1, 2024. Two class times will be offered: 5:00pm-6:30pm and 7:00pm-8:30pm. The course, *Summary of Catholic Social Teaching*, is a basic introduction to the Church's "best kept secret". The course is being underwritten by the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston's Office of Evangelization & Catechesis, who pays 100% of the tuition and the cost of any materials associated with the course. The course facilitator is Gerri Wright. To register or for questions, please contact Gerri at [gwright@dwc.org](mailto:gwright@dwc.org) or 304.342.0507 with your name, address, phone number, and email. Please register as soon as possible, but no later than Friday, April 5, 2024. There are limited spots available in each section.

## Christ the King News

[WELCOME Haley Miller and Kayla St. George](#) who joined the Catholic Faith at Easter Vigil.

**Ministers for April** – Lector Mary Beth Mather; Ushers Alicia DiPietro and Val Nesser; Sacristan Theresa Haid; Ushers Bob Barrett and Joe Balkey

Join us each Sunday at 10:35 AM to recite the **Rosary before Mass**. These rosaries are offered for Fr. Chapin's healing. Cathy Carr will lead on 4/7.

Saturday, 4/6, 11 AM-1 PM, is the **Community Luncheon** at the Presbyterian Church. Our parish is responsible for desserts; they can be dropped off at the Presbyterian Church after 10:30 AM. This event is open to everyone and is a wonderful opportunity to socialize.

**Murder Mystery Dinner** will be Friday, 4/26 - Dinner at 6:30 PM - Show at 7 PM. Theme is "The Great Huntington Raid." Tickets are \$50/person. Please see Mary Beth Mather to purchase. Since this is a Church fundraiser, donations for food will be greatly appreciated.

We would like to revive the **Choir at Christ the King!** It will be informal—no prior experience needed. Time commitment might be an hour during the week and singing on Sundays and special services. If interested, contact Denise Ferris, home (304) 982-5158 or cell (304) 377-3158 (text ok).

If you would like to have a **Mass** said for a **person/intention**, the following dates are open – April 7 – 14 – 21 and May 5. Please fill out an envelope in the Gathering Area and put it in the collection basket.

**Living Faith Meditation Booklets** for April-May-June are in the Gathering Area.

**Remember to Bring** – Canned (lasagna, ravioli) or dry pasta on April 7 for the Food Pantry  
White cotton socks for men/women/children for the 1st Presbyterian Church to distribute  
Personal care and individual snack items for male & female Veterans

## Holy Trinity News

Thank you to all who baked wonderful desserts for our **Annual Palm Sunday Bake Sale** and to our congregation who so generously bought the goodies. We raised \$712!!! These funds will be donated to the **Spinabifida Prom-Fund**.

Next HTC Women's Meeting will be April 4, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. in the hall. Light meal will be served.

Holy Trinity Women's Guild is having a Murder Mystery Dinner on Friday, May 3, 2024. The Mystery is titled **Marriage, Mob, and Murder!** Tickets are \$40.00 each and this includes your dinner as well as an entertaining Murder Mystery. BYOB (Wine or Beer). All proceeds will go to the **Spinabifida Prom Fund**. For tickets, please see Pam Perkins.

## Saint Patrick News

**Lector Dates** are as follows: March 31-Lisa, April 7-Ed, April 14-David, April 21-Doris, April 28-Todd

CONGRATUTIONS to Michael Adkins who joined our church family last night at the Easter Vigil Mass. We will celebrate with Michael after mass on Sunday, April 7th. Please stay and help us welcome Michael.

Our Almsgiving project was a huge success. Thank you to everyone who participated.