DISTRIBUTION OF
HOLY COMMUNION
SUNDAYS
11:45 AM - 12:30 PM

IN LOVING MEMORY

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of:

Thomas Reilly, Samuel Deptula, Fran & Sully Xenos, Edward F. Doyle, Amelia Curtin, Vincent Maio and Family, Diane Braga, Penny Rogers, Stephen Delaney, Henri Jolicoeur, The Karcz and Serba Family, Donald Jaques, and Paul Alessi

Saturday, November 7, 2026
8:30AM Fr. M. Chmurski
All Benefactors of Christ the King
4:00 PM Msgr. J. Darcy
The People of the Parish

Sunday, November 8, 2026
8:30AM Fr. J. Prusaitis
Vincent Maio and Family
10:30 AM Fr. M. Chmurski
All Benefactors of Christ the King
5:30 PM Fr. M. Chmurski
Diane Braga

Monday, November 9, 2026
8:30 AM Msgr. J. Darcy
Penny Rogers

Tuesday, November 10, 2026
8:30 AM Msgr. J. Darcy
All the Faithful Departed

Wednesday, November 11, 2026
8:30 AM Fr. M. Chmurski
For all Veterans

Thursday, November 12, 2026
8:30 AM Fr. M. Chmurski
Stephen Delaney

Friday, November 13, 2026
8:30 AM Fr. M. Chmurski
Henri Jolicoeur

Saturday, November 14, 2026
4:00 PM Fr. J. Prusaitis
The Karcz and Serba Family

Sunday, November 15, 2026
8:30AM Fr. E. Healey
Donald Jaques
10:30 AM Fr. M. Chmurski
The People of the Parish
5:30 PM Fr. E. Healey
Paul Alessi

BAPTISM

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH FAMILY

CALEB FRANCIS COGSWELL

The Pastor's Pen

THE WEEKLY COLUMN BY FR. EDWARD HEALEY

Veterans Day: The annual observance of Veterans Day, November 11th, always falls during that special time between the Feast of All Saints and Thanksgiving Day, when we as Catholics especially remember and pray for all who have died. This year that will certainly be the case, as some among us, joining me on pilgrimage to the Shrines of France, will be visiting and celebrating a Mass for the Dead at the American Cemetery at Normandy. There on a bluff above the English Channel, stand neat rows of white Crosses or Stars of David to honor all whose lives were lost there beginning on June 6th, 1944, with the D-Day landings. Buried in that now peaceful cemetery above Omaha Beach are nearly 9,400 American service members, and on memorial walls are inscribed the names of nearly 1,600 whose bodies were never found, and so appropriately these are known as Walls of the Missing. Today, all there is peaceful and serene, a place approached instinctively with a reverent silence, but that was not the case 82 years ago when a most challenging plan was being carried out to begin liberating Europe from Nazi control. I had an uncle, my mother's brother, James Murray, who, as a member of the U.S. Army, participated in the D-Day landing, and by good fortune survived. One thing that I remember about him is that even when pressed to recall it, he never really wanted to talk about it. That was true also of a deacon, Ralph Cox, with whom I served at Holy Trinity at West Harwich. As he turned 90, I suggested that maybe he would write his memoir about arriving several days after the initial landing; he said he didn't want to call up the memories of what he saw there. Indeed, war exacts a terrible toll, certainly in the cost of so many young lives lost, but also in the emotional wounds its horror can inflict on the survivors. At this cemetery in Normandy, we as pilgrims will be far from home, and it reminds us that all of these fallen soldiers buried here were as well on the day they died. As we remember their courage and their sacrifice, we also remember the grief of their families and friends back home who would never see them again. It is unlikely that a visit to this cemetery doesn't include a lump in one's throat and an ache in one's heart. Ours will also include the prayer that is the Mass, and thus the great hope that is ours in Jesus Christ alone, that those whose bodies rest here have now been happily reunited with many of the loved ones who so long missed them. Indeed, they will now live together in the peace of a promised kingdom where there is no threat of war ever again. As throughout November it is our custom to remember and pray for the dead, please join us who are on pilgrimage in spirit this Veterans Day to pray for all deceased veterans. Let us pray especially for those who paid the ultimate price, wherever in this world their bodies may rest, that their brave and generous souls will be forever at peace in the hands of God.

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Collection
Totals for the weekend of
October 31st and November 1

First Collection	Second Collection
Offertory	Building & Maintenance
$6966.00	$3291.00

Online Giving
October 26th, 2026

First Collection:	$2,081.00
Annual Collection:	$50.00
Second Collection:	$1,065.00
Faith Formation:	$10.00
Matthew 25:	$780.00
CTK Pantry Project:	$150.00
Building/Grounds:	$190.00
Total:	$4,326.00

Thank You for Your Continued Support!
Consider using online giving to donate to the Weekly Collections, Scan the QR Code to donate.

Sanctuary Lights
November 8 ~ 14
Church
A Special Intention
Chapel
A Special Intention



THE JERICHO GROUP
A Men's Ministry at Christ the King Parish

The Jericho Group allows men to deepen their faith and further their relationships with Jesus Christ, while discerning the greater purpose in their lives in the context of other men of the community.

To learn more go to
www.christthekingparish.com/the-jericho-group/

WHAT'S MISSING?

Do you have questions about your Catholic faith
Do you know why you are Catholic?
Religion and faith may at times be confusing.
Of course, God is mystery, and not all questions have an answer.

However, the idea is to explore that area between black and white, to find the spiritual rainbow who is our Lord, Jesus Christ.
Please join us for discussion and prayer.

This process is for those who want to bridge the gaps in their journey of faith.

The next meeting will be November 19 at 9:30 am in classroom A.

Little Saint's on All Saint's Day



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 13388
CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER, 2026
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BLOOD DRIVE
9:40 AM – 4:00 PM
MONDAY, November 23, 2026
BY APPOINTMENT ONLY
CALL 508-862-5378
"COME JOIN US"
CONTACT GRAND KNIGHT
JOE MOONEY ~ 610-283-1983

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SO MUCH MORE THAN A BIBLE STUDY

Email Carlene:
CTKWWP@Gmail.com

Mary, Undoer of Knots



Holy Mary, Mother of God, you who undo the knots that trouble your children, place my needs into your loving hands. Intercede for me before your Son, Jesus, and help me to trust in God's mercy and divine providence.
Mary, Undoer of Knots, pray for us. Amen.

Join us as we learn more about our Spiritual Mother Mary in our weekly Bible study.
Classes have started but there is always a seat for you! We meet Tuesdays at 9:30am OR Thursdays at 7:00pm

Christ the King Catholic Women's Club Annual Christmas Fair

Christ the King Parish Hall
Saturday, December 5, 2026
9 AM – 3 PM

DONATIONS REQUESTED

BOUTIQUE - Donations of gift baskets of many themes…value not to exceed $40. Be sure when making a basket to attach a list of items contained in the basket. Also, handmade articles (knitted or crocheted), kitchen items, children's clothing, Christmas ornaments, decorator pillows and bedroom items are welcomed for the Boutique.New Items Only. Donations may be dropped off in the Parish Center on Friday, December 4, 2026.

JEWELRY TABLE – Donations of "Better Jewelry"(costume or otherwise), along with donations of jewelry boxes will be appreciated and may be dropped off at the Parish Office by Friday, November 27, 2026.

CHILDREN'S SHOPPING ROOM
Scarves, jewelry, mugs gift bags of various sizes would be greatly appreciated. Please leave donations in the Parish Office prior to Friday, December 4, 2026

BAKE TABLE – Donated baked goods and other treats may be brought to the Parish Center Conference Room from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm on Friday, December 4, 2026.

Make your raffle returns…you might be a lucky winner! If you need more chance books they can be obtained in the Parish Office. Many other prizes to win.

THANK YOU AND HOPE TO SEE YOU AT THE FAIR!

St John of the Cross Lay Carmelites meet at 11:30 every third Sunday.

Please call Pam for more info: 508-681-8299

FAITH Sharing GROUP

A peer-to-peer group where you can share your life challenges and apply your Christian faith. All Are Welcome! 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month 4:00pm - 5:00pm Classroom A
Sponsored by the Mental Health Ministry

Caring
FOR THOSE WHO CARE

The Parish Nurses are piloting a faith-based caregiver support group for those caring for family members or friends. The program will run for 6 weekly sessions in Classroom A on Wednesdays from 1:15 to 2:30 PM beginning December 2nd thru January 13th. No meeting is planned during Christmas week.

Space is limited. Please contact the office to register to attend. 508-477-7700 or office@christthekingparish.com

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

A special book listing all those parishioners who have died since November 1, 2025 to October 31, 2026 will be displayed in the church until November 22 when we will have our mass of remembrance. The parish has only records of those whose funerals were held here in the parish, names of those parishioners whose funerals were held elsewhere, should be given to Kellie in the parish office for inclusion in this memorial listing.

SCHEDULING LITURGICAL MINISTERS

The scheduling for Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers will start **November 10** for the **December** schedule.

All requests for dates you are unable to serve for the next schedule, should be made by leaving a message at **508-477-7700, ext. 28** or by email to ***carol@christthekingparish.com***



HELPING OTHERS AT Thanksgiving

THANKSGIVING GIFT CARDS 2026

Our annual distribution of gift cards from local Supermarkets for Thanksgiving is in need of your help. The ideal dollar amount per card is $25. We hope to provide two $25 cards to every family, and extra cards to families of four or more. The gift cards and turkey will be distributed on the Tuesday before Thanksgiving, November 24th.

Cards can be dropped in the collection basket or the parish office anytime before November 22nd.



This program helped family with the opportunity to enjoy a traditional Thanksgiving, turkey dinner with their families. *Thank you for generously helping others in our community.*

Giving Out of Gratitude: In this season of gratitude and giving, we invite you to be mindful of those who struggle with Food Insecurity who seek the help of our weekly Food Pantry, and also at times the help of our Financial and Resource Assistance Ministry. The Food Pantry will be collecting gift cards to local grocery stores in amounts of $25 to award at least two per household to help people provide a dinner for their families on Thanksgiving. The FARA Ministry will be collecting money through the annual Giving Tree Project to purchase $50 gift cards to Walmart to distribute to households with children at Christmas. This enables their parents or guardians to purchase a gift in that amount to place under the Christmas Tree. So if you would be mindful of those in need when grocery shopping and purchase a $25 gift card or two from Stop & Shop or Roche Bros and place these in the collection basket for the parish to support the Food Pantry's provisions for Thanksgiving that will be greatly appreciated, Donations in any amount to the Giving Tree Project which will officially begin on Thanksgiving weekend to help buy the Walmart Gift Cards will also be greatly appreciated. As we count our own blessings, may our desire to be as generous with the poor as God is with us because those in need will be grateful this season as well!

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St. John Paul II School
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Join Us:
St. John Paul II School MiniOpen House on November 13!

Discover the power of an 8-year Catholic educational journey. St. John Paul II School invites prospective families with students entering grades 5–12 to our upcoming Mini- Open House on Friday, November 13. Come discover what the JPII community is all about. We can't wait to meet you!

Grades 5-8: 9:00 AM 33 Cross Street, Hyannis
Grades 9-12: 10:00 AM 120 High School Road, Hyannis

RSVP: Secure your spot at: https://bit.ly/Nov13MiniOpenHouse

CTK CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Lift up your Hearts in Praise!

All are welcome!

Please join us in the Praise and Worship of our Lord and the intercession for our Parish and the World

Monday, 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM classroom C
For more information call
Marie 508-539-4926 or Pam 508-681-8299

Respect Life Ministry
respect love protect

"What matters most is not occupying positions of power or defending cultural strongholds, but initiating good processes and enabling them to mature. In this way, the truth of the Gospel is not imposed from above, but grows over time within the concrete interweaving of lives, communities and cultures. This is not a truth that fears diversity, but instead welcomes and guides it. It does not eliminate conflicts, but transforms them, reuniting that which history tends to scatter."

Pope Leo XIV

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No Donations
11/12 to 11/21

Closed 11/17, 11/26 and 11/28

Christmas Bazaar
11/19, \11/20 and 11/21

WEEKLY READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 8, 2026

BE MERCIFUL, JUST AS YOUR FATHER IS MERCIFUL. (LK 6)

SUNDAY WIS 6: 12-16/ PS 63/ 1THESS 4: 13-18/ MT 25: 1-13
MONDAY EZEK 47: 1-2, 8-9-12/ PS 46/ 1COR 3: 9C-11, 16-17/ JN 2: 13-22
TUESDAY TI 2: 1-8, 11-14/ PS 37/ LK 17: 7-10
WEDNESDAY TI 3: 1-7/ PS 23/ LK 17: 11-19
THURSDAY PHLM 7-20/ PS 146/ LK 17: 20-25
FRIDAY 2JN 4-9/ PS 119/ LK 17: 26-37
SATURDAY 3JN 5-8/ PS 112/ LK 18: 1-8
NEXT SUNDAY PROV 31: 10-13, 19-20, 30-31/ PS 128/ 1THESS 5: 1-6/MT 25: 14-30

The New American Bible