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THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mission Statement: *At St. Louis the King Parish, we are called to worship God and strengthen the faith by spreading God's word to the surrounding community and all those in need through prayer, charitable works, and positive action.*

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Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. and 11:15 a.m.

Daily Masses

Tuesday-Friday: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Days of Obligation Masses

Vigil: 7:00 p.m. (day before)

Holy Day: 9:00 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday 3:30

Sacraments

Baptisms are scheduled for registered and practicing members of the parish. A baptismal seminar is required. An appointment must be made at the Parish Office. Baptisms will be held during or after mass.

Marriages must be scheduled at least six months in advance of the desired wedding date. Couples must make arrangements at the Parish Office. For couples seeking marriage in the Church, it is assumed that they are trying to live their lives according to the teachings of the Church. The engaged couple's living situation should reflect the Church's belief in the sanctity of marriage.

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Phone _____

Registration form will be sent to you in the mail.

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Parish Family,

Our Word of God this weekend is clearly about the need for forgiveness as an essential part of life. Because we live in a world that is broken and burdened by sin, alienation is a reality that we live with and reconciliation is always an ongoing necessity. We often find ourselves alienated from God and from each other. Last weekend we were reminded that we as the Body of Christ must be proactive in the reconciliation process. The first step is forgiveness.

Forgiveness is not about the person that needs to be forgiven. It is not about the person that is perceived to be at fault in the situation. Forgiveness is about the person who needs to forgive, who needs to let go. Often people move through life unable to let go of wrongs that they have experienced. They often hold grudges and are unable to move on with life. It is like they are stuck.

Jesus gives us another wonderful parable to contemplate in our Gospel this weekend. It is the story of the servant who was forgiven a huge debt by his master and then he refuses to forgive his fellow servant a much smaller amount. Again, this parable has a shock value to those who would have heard it for the first time. The huge amount that the servant was forgiven was an amount that would equal over 300 years worth of wages. Given that the average lifespan back then was approximately 44 years, it was an amount that was impossible for the man to repay. The amount that the servant in turn refused to forgive his fellow servant was only several days' wages. The point is that we have been forgiven a debt by Jesus that we could never repay. By taking the sins of the whole world to the cross we are set free from the bondage of sin. In His role as the Lamb of God Jesus does what only He could do, He takes away the sins of the world. Even from the Cross He forgives those who were crucifying Him. We, in turn, are called to forgive each other in authentic love.

The good news is that we do not have to do it alone. The grace of God is with us if we call upon it. In a personal relationship with Jesus, in putting on the heart and mind of Jesus as St. Paul calls us to do, we become graced with the ability to forgive above and beyond our human ability to forgive and let go. So, as always, we pray: Come Holy Spirit fill the hearts of us Your faithful and enkindle within us the fire of Your love.

Yours in Christ,

MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

OF SEPT 17th

Sat., Sept. 16, Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 pm - Deceased Priests of the Diocese of Marquette
By Earl & Sharon Carlson

Sun., Sept. 17, Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am - John & Mary Wojcik 50th Anniversary by Jim & Natalie Patovisti

11:15 am - John T. Noble by Cathy St. John

Tues., Sept. 19, Weekday

9:00 am - Anne Strelick by Rick & Mary Kaye Schaefer

Wed., Sept. 20, Sts. Tae-gon, Ha-sang, and Companions

9:00 am - Scott Sundberg by Pattie & Frank Malette

Thurs., Sept. 21, St. Matthew, Apostle

9:00 am - John Barrette by Dan & Nancy Holdwick

Fri., Sept. 22, Weekday

9:00 am - Doris Greenleaf by Jeff & Mary Stevenson

Sat., Sept. 23, Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 pm - Nancy Sampson by Bill Sampson

Sun., Sept. 24, Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am - Joan Sartorelli by Mike & Germaine Stefanac

11:15 am - Dave Barto by Nancy Graves

MASS READINGS

Sun.: Sir 27: 30-28; 79/Rom 14: 7-9/Mt 18:21-35

Mon.: 1 Tim 2: 1-8/Lk 7: 1-10

Tues.: 1 Tim 3: 1-13/Lk 7: 11-17

Wed.: 1 Tim 3: 14-16/Lk 7: 31-35

Thurs.: Eph 4: 1-7, 11-13/Mt 9: 9-13

Fri.: 1 Tm 6: 2c-12/Lk 8: 1-3

Sat.: 1 Tm 6: 13-16/Lk 8: 4-15

Sun.: Is 55: 6-9/Phil 1: 20c-24, 27a/Mt 20: 1-16a

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sun.: 9:00 am - Mass

10:00 am - K of C Pancake Breakfast

11:15 am-Mass

Mon: 7:00 pm - Catechesis for Youth & Adults

Tues.: 9:00 am-Mass

10 am -5 pm & 6 -7 pm - Eucharistic Adoration

3:00 pm - Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Wed.: 5:45 am - Revelation Wellness Class

9:00 am - Mass

10:00 am - Share the Word

6:00 pm - Youth & Family Choir Practice

Thurs.: 9:00 am - Mass

7:00 pm - Catechesis for Youth & Adults

Fri.: 9:00 am - Mass

Sat: 3:30 pm - Adult Choir Practice

4:30 pm - Mass

Sun.: 9:00 am-Mass

11:15 am-Mass

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Sept 18: Catechesis for Youth & Adults

Sept 20: Widowed Friends Social

Sept 21: Catechesis for Youth & Adults

Sept 23: Women's Club Plant Exchange

Sept 25: Women's Club Craft Night

Oct 13-15: Koinonia Retreat

SEPTEMBER 17, 2017

PLEASE PRAY

For the sick: Jean Anys, Marvin & Judy Balbierz, Michael Barry, Susie Beaudin, Jude and Mary Ann Carriere, Ken Cheatham, Stacy Cowan, Jason Desparois, Mary Grimes, Ann Hannula, Daren Hillier, Vicki Jordens, Carole Johnson, Gordon & June Johnson, Margaret Keller, Chris Kocos, Steve Koski, Michael Launch, Julianne LeBoeuf, Darlene Lucas, Frankie Malette, Jr., Matt Obiden, Joy Polich, Rose Rosina, Jack Stanaway, Deacon Gregg St. John, Avett Sutton, JoAnn Thomas, Emma Toman, Jim Urban, Tina Urban, Tootie Vartti, Deacon Warren Vonck, Anna Wahlstrom, Maureen Ward, Joe & Edelgard Yakovich, Michelle Zimmerman, Larry Ziolkowski, Ron Zulkiewski.

For those **servng in the military**: Sgt. Jeff Beltz, Timothy Connors, CPO USN, Capt. Daniel Holdwick, Jr., Grayson Kidd, Brendon Lakenen, Garrett Schertz and Sgt. Loren Montcalm.

Please also remember in your prayers all those on our prayer chain.

CATECHESIS FOR YOUTH AND ADULTS

Are things not the way you want? Are you looking for more in life? "I have come that you might have life, and have it in abundance!" God loves you as you are and wants you to be truly happy! How? Come and Listen! Catechesis for youth and adults will be held at St. Louis the King on Mondays and Thursdays at 7 pm in the parish hall at NO CHARGE! Free babysitting will be provided!

WIDOWED FRIENDS SOCIAL

All widowed men and women are invited to dinner and game night on Wednesday, September 20 at 5pm in Gauthier Hall. Chili and cornbread will be followed by cards or board games. Please join us --bring a friend.

ST. LOUIS THE KING WOMEN'S CLUB PLANT EXCHANGE

St. Louis the King Women's Club will be hosting their free fall plant exchange on Saturday, September 30th beginning at 9:30 am rain or shine. All are welcome to bring seeds, house and garden plants, shrubs, etc.

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

To all the people who organized, set up, and cleaned up the Parish Picnic especially the members of the Knights of Columbus, Women's Club, and middle and high school youth programs! You worked hard and made a beautiful day full of fun, fellowship, full bellies, and one very wet Pastor!! We all appreciate your answer to the call to serve!

Thank you!

—Holly Bo-

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WELCOME! WELCOME! WELCOME!

St. Louis the King would like to welcome our newest members, Joseph and Christy Negrinelli and their daughter Emma. We are so excited to have you as a member of our parish family and community!

KOINONIA RETREAT

We are pleased to announce that we are scheduling another Koinonia Retreat to be held the weekend of October 13-15 here at St. Louis the King Parish. Koinonia is Greek for community. The Koinonia retreat is an invitation to encounter Jesus while continuing life's journey. It's a faith experience which cannot be explained. The weekend consists of talks, discussion, reflection, sharing, prayer, and liturgical celebration; calling for an active, community participation. The whole experience is led by a team of lay people, clergy and religious in an atmosphere of love, acceptance and fun. Applications are available in the Narthex. Registration is between 5:00 and 5:30 pm on Friday, followed by dinner, which will be provided along with all other meals for the weekend. The experience ends at approximately 6:00 pm on Sunday. We request a donation of \$35.00 per person, or \$60.00 per couple. Please call Matt Flynn at 906-942-7496 or Bill McKnight at 906-942-7130 with any questions or to register.

BAZAAR HELP NEEDED!

Who can believe it is that time of year again? Our annual bazaar! Each year it gets bigger and better and this year will be no different. We are in need of helpers in a couple of areas. I am leading the charge in the kitchen. If you are able to help in the kitchen, I would love to hear from you. Calling all Boy Scouts/Girl Scouts and Confirmation candidates who need service hours. We have plenty for you to help with from jewelry sales, to dining room service, to playing hostess to our vendors. Please contact me if you are able to assist in any way at 629-1376- work/942-7247-home. Thank you!

—Carol Mills

SILENT AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED

Silent Auction Items Needed: What treasures do you have that you can part with for the Women's Club silent auction at the bazaar on Nov. 11th? Please drop off at the church with a note for Silent Auction or call Mary Jane Lynch 360-5279.

5TH & 6TH GRADE HIKE

St. Louis the King will be taking a hiking trip to Laughing Whitefish Falls on Saturday, October 7th from 3:30-6:30 pm. All 6th and 7th grade students are invited to attend. We will all meet at the parking lot and depart at 3:30 pm. We will head to the falls and cook some food later. Contact Ben Bocklund with any questions at 360-5333.

THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY

The Thursday St. John Bible Study will resume on September 28th at 10:00 am. All are invited and welcome to attend!

PARISH OPERATIONS

Registered Families: 585

HOW WE SUPPORT

OUR PARISH

Sept 9/10

Sunday (138)	\$4,892.00
Loose	554.00
Other Receipt	311.81
Total	\$5,757.81
Weekly Expense	\$6,810.00

BUILDING FUND

Blue Envelopes	\$145.00
Children's Env	3.85
Month-to-Date	423.88

OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS

St. Vincent	\$229.00
333 Fund	32.49
Hurricane Relief	1,098.00

MASS ATTENDANCE

Masses

4:30 pm	140
9:00 am	187
11:15 am	267
Total	594

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sept 23/24	Team 4
Sept 30/Oct 1	Team 1
Oct 7/8	Team 2
Oct 14/15	Team 3

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Nov 3-5: Parish Retreat

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