CHRIST THE KING UNIVERSITY PARISH

## February 19 & 26, 2023



7th Sunday of Ordinary Time / 1st Sunday of Lent 1400 Gerald Avenue, Missoula, MT 59801



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Weekend Mass Times: Sat. 5:15 PM • Sun. 10:00 AM & 7:00 PM Daily Mass Times: Tues., Wed. & Th. 5:15 PM • Fri. 12:15 PM

Reconciliation Times: Sun. 6 PM to 6:45 PM • Th. during Adoration 5:45 PM to 7 PM

# In Prayerful Preparation for Lent

you must return to your God; maintain love and justice, and wait for your God always

The Sunday liturgy is the greatest form of prayer because together we receive the gift of the Holy Eucharist — the very real presence of the Risen Christ.



Throughout the season of Lent, we are called to deepen our prayer life. For some of us, this means beginning a habit of daily prayer, setting aside time each day to share our hopes, joys, fears and frustrations with God. Praying first thing in the morning, while the house is still quiet, or talking to God while on your commute to work are simple ways to integrate prayer into everyday life. Praying the Rosary, visiting the Blessed Sacrament or attending a daylong silent retreat may bring you to new places in your relationship with God.

Lent is a time to fast from those things or habits that may have become a roadblock to our relationship with Christ.

In the Western world, fasting from food is a reminder of our abundance and a way to walk in solidarity with people around the world who struggle with daily hunger and starvation. Pause to remember families that face hunger as you fast.

Limiting social-media exposure or fasting from the 24-hour news networks are ways to guiet our minds and open our hearts to transformation. We might also strive to fast from anger, road rage, workaholism, judgment or jealousy.



How Giving Sharing our material goods is often just the beginning of real Christian giving.



The Lenten call to almsgiving means making the needs of other people our own. One of the central lessons of the cross is compassion; the heavy burdens we carry help us to appreciate the suffering in others.

> Outside the box ideas for giving: increasing your volunteer time signing up for a new ministry at your parish increasing your donation to your parish



CTK IS HOSTING @
THE MEADOWLARK
FEB. 27TH-MAR. 5
& WE NEED YOU!

Assistance is needed:
Salads, Fruits, Desserts
Kitchen Helpers
Evening Host
Laundry

To offer your service: Sign up with the link:

:://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0D4FA4A62BA1F58-family

#### or contact:

Molly Howard - 406-544-2517 m.howard4944@gmail.com Stacey Hauck - 702-622-9012 staceyhauck4@gmail.com

# MARDI GRAS

WHOLE PARISH CELEBRATION

FAT TUESDAY, FEB 21ST @ 6PM

NEED HELP WITH FOOD, SET UP AND CLEAN UP. SIGN UP BY THE FRONT DOORS OF THE CHURCH.



# OFFERTORY UPDATE

	2/5/23	1/9/22
Amount Needed	\$6,705.88	\$6,705.88
Amount Received	\$7,085.11	\$10,661.00
Difference	\$379.23	\$3,955.12
YTD deficit or surplus	\$20,088.26	\$6,415.37

We give thanks and praise for all of the donations, attendance, encouragement, and prayers given to Christ the King University Parish. Help us to recognize your guidance, provision and love in these gifts.

We thank you, Lord ...

To whom much is given, much will be required (Luke 12:48).



### Saturday, February 18

**5:15PM** In Memory of Helga Marie Vinso

### Sunday, February 19

**10AM** For the Living and Deceased Members of Christ the King Parish **7PM** In Memory of Theresa House

## Saturday, February 25

**5:15PM** For Those Listed in the Book of Remembrance

#### Sunday, February 26

10AM For the Living and DeceasedMembers of Christ the King Parish7PM For Those Listed in theBook of Remembrance

# HIGH SCHOOL BIBLE STUDY WHERE: Break Espresso

WHEN: Sundays @ 1pm WHO: All High School Youth



Bring a Bible and a friend!

Contact Heidi Gengo @ hgengo@ctkmsla.org if you have any questions!

#### **Online Giving**



Thank you for your giving commitment. Please considering giving through our new online platform. Just scan the QR code



Mike & Kase McNulty Realtors

Our Sponsor's help cover the cost of printing the Bulletin.





#### Street-walks

Outreach to the poor Every Friday after 12:15 Mass Meet at CtK



We typically head over to the Johnson Street Homeless Shelter and meet beautiful people. We hand out hats, socks, gloves, sleeping bags, food, hot cocoa and conversation.

Join us in this outreach.

# WE ARE SO GRATEFUL FOR THE FOUNDATION

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# An Opportunity to Help Your Parish!

It's time for the **ANNUAL PARISH ENDOWMENT MATCH** program!

\$300 Is how much the FOUNDATION will give each parish endowment.

\$300 If a parish receives \$300 worth of gifts to the church endowment by March 31, 2023, the church will receive another . . .

+\$300 matching gift from the FOUNDATION!

Will be <u>added to your parish endowment</u> to help perpetuate our faith for generations to come!

Last year the FOUNDATION gave \$30,000 to our parishes through these grants and matches!

Mail your tax deductible donation to **FDOH**, **PO Box 1729**, **Helena**, **MT**59624 and put the name of your parish on the memo line, or **donate**online at **fdoh.org/giving**. Questions? Contact the Foundation at 406-389-7050.

Match donations must be postmarked by March 31, 2023.



Since the Foundation's Grant Program began in 2007.

CHRIST THE KING PARISH has received a total of

\$18,674.65

including . . .

#### \$5,000 awarded in August

to create programs and events for college students.

The Foundation gave
31 grants
for a total of
\$100,720
in this grant cycle.

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