The prayer of the lowly pierces the clouds; it does not rest until it reaches its goal, nor will it withdraw till the Most High responds.

-Sirach 35:17-18a

# Christ the King Parish





Christ the King Church

123 Good Street · Houtzdale, PA 16651

Immaculate Conception Mission Church
408 Stone Street · Osceola Mills, PA 16666

#### Clergy

Rev. Johnathan Schmolt, Pastor Deacon Eugene J. Miller, Deacon Assistant Rev. Joseph Staszewski, Retired

#### Office Hours at Christ the King

Monday-Friday 9am until 1pm

Phone 814-378-7653
Email office@ctk-ic.org
Website ctk-ic.org
Facebook facebook.com/ctkic

Marriages: Contact the office at least 6 months prior to anticipated date.

**Baptisms:** Call rectory for appointment.

Anointing: Call if you have a desire for yourself or a loved one to receive the sacrament.

#### **Mass Schedule**

Sunday: 9am (CTK); 11am (St. Agnes)
Saturday: Mass 4pm; Confession 3-3:30pm (CTK)

Weekdays: Monday 12pm (St. Agnes); Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 8:30am (CTK); Thursday 5:30pm: 10/30 Immaculate Conception, 11/6 St. Mary of the Assumption; 11/13 St. Severin

30th Sunday in Ordinary Times

Oct. 26, 2025



#### **Bulletin Announcements**

Please submit all bulletin announcements in writing to office@ctk-ic.org at least **two** weeks prior to the anticipated date.

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# PRAYERS REQUESTED

Christ the King Parish would like to use the power of prayer to help all those in need. If you or a loved one is in need of prayer, please contact the rectory. Names will remain on the list for three months, at which time they will be removed to allow space for more names. If someone is still in need of prayer, call to renew that name. Please pray for Steve Banks, Donna Kasubick, Kristi Twoey, Lucy Weis, Chester Thompson, Sharon Lance, Tony Kost, Jaime Olson, Kathy Grace, and Jared Gmerek.

## **Sanctuary Lamp**



The Sanctuary Lamp burns for Jennifer Kokoskie by Tony, Natalie and Adam.

## Homebound?

If you or a loved one are homebound, but wish to receive Communion and keep up with church news by receiving a mailed bulletin please call the rectory during business hours. Father Johnathan will add you to his Communion Call list.

## Weekly Schedule

#### Sunday, October 26

**10 a.m.** • Coffee and donuts after the 9 a.m. Mass (CTK)

#### Tuesday, October 28

**6 p.m.** • The Chosen

#### Wednesday, October 29

1 p.m. • Red Cross Blood Drive (CTK)

#### Thursday, October 30

**5:30 p.m.** • Immaculate Conception Mass—Soup and Sandwich social to follow

#### Friday, October 31

9 a.m. • Adoration

#### Sunday, November 2

9:30 a.m.- 2 p.m. • Fall Bazaar (IC)

### **In Memoriam**



We remember Lord, those who have died before us marked with the sign of the cross, especially *Nancy June Hughes* of Immaculate Conception. May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace.

## **Mass Intentions**

#### Tuesday, October 28

8:30am • Johanna Dietrick by Joe Cervenak

#### Wednesday, October 29

8:30am • Ann Richstcheit by Joanne Richstcheit

#### Thursday, October 30

5:30pm • Mary Mital by Bernie and Pat Ropchock

#### Friday, October 31

**8:30am •** Tim Supenia by Laura and John Lukens & Cindy Supenia

#### Saturday, November 1

**4pm** • Helen and John Kokosko by John and Rosemary Kasubick

#### Sunday, November 2

9 am • People of the Parish by the Pastor

#### **Lector Handbooks Available**

The new lector handbooks are in the sacristy and can be picked up after Mass.



## **CONGRAUTLATIONS!**

We wish to congratulate **Ashby Marino** and **Kayla Hollibaugh** of Christ the King parish, who were married at Christ the King on October 15, 2025. May their years ahead be filled with the blessings of the Lord.









### **Upcoming Events**

#### Wednesday, November 5

6:30 p.m. • K of C Meeting (CTK)

#### Thursday, November 6

2 p.m. • Altar Rosary Meeting (IC)

6 p.m. • Finance Council (CTK)

#### Friday, November 7

6:30 p.m. • Confession and Adoration (CTK)

#### Saturday, November 8

**5p.m.** • Turkey Bingo (CTK)

#### Sunday, November 9

11 a.m. • Viewing of St. Carlos Acutis (CTK)

Tuesday, November 18 Community Dinner (IC)

## Stewardship

Your generous gifts of time, talent, and treasure.

#### **Sunday & Holy Days**

Actual 10/19/25	Actual Total Fiscal YTD	Budgeted Fiscal YTD	Percentage Over (Under)
\$3,376	\$73,247	\$113,616	(-35.53%)

Count of Envelopes: 140 Catholic Education: \$55 Mission Sunday: \$1,172

Weekly Budgeted Offertory: \$7,101

#### Catholic Services Appeal 2025

Actual 10/19/2025	Actual Total to Date	Parish Goal	Percentage Over (Under)
\$385	\$44,380	\$72,000	(-38.36%)
Total Pledges: 129		Total Pledged: \$46,411.00	

Please make all checks payable to Christ the King.







# 21 Club Grand Prize Winners October 18, 2025

Amount	Ticket #	Name	Seller
\$2,000	194	Shirley McClelland, Ramey	John Mahute
\$1,000	1020	Joann Orndorf, Centre Hall	Michelle Stine
\$500	315	Bette Dixon, Bigler	Robert Yebernetsky
\$500	54	Barry Kanouff & Emily Supenia, Houtzdale	Tom Fulare
\$500	497	Ron Demko, Houtzdale	John Mahute
\$500	1105	S. Paul Yastro, Halfmoon Bay, CA	John Mahute
\$250	377	Cathy Anderson, Bellefonte	Alvin Gmerek
\$250	1025	Lynn Marie Puvine, Philipsburg	Michelle Stine
\$250	643	Jane Tibbens, Bellefonte	Leon Hansel
\$250	208	David Coval, Centre Hall	Leon Hansel
\$125	261	Mike Zakutney, Houtzdale	Elaine Murawski
\$125	999	Kathleen Fisher, Palmyra	John Mahute
\$125	476	Glenn Walstrom, Houtzdale	John Mahute
\$125	121	Caryn Southern, Houtzdale	Elaine Murawski

### 2025 Octoberfest

SS. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 400 S. 4th St., Philipsburg is having its Octoberfest, Sunday, Oct. 26 from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will be an \$8 brunch buffet served from 8:30 a.m. -12 p.m. There will be raffle baskets, gift card trees, kids games & more!

## **BASKET RAFFLE** DONATIONS NEEDED

Donations and gift cards are needed for the Fall Bazaar Basket Raffle at Immaculate Conception Church.

Donations can be placed in the box in the back of church. Gift cards can be placed in the collection basket. For questions call Jenny

Leskovansky (814) 577-8176

Join us to watch *The Chosen* at 6 p.m. Tuesdays at **Christ the King Parish Center** 





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## BLOOD DR

The blood drive will be held at Christ the King Parish.

OCT. 29 1 P.M. - 6 P.M.

To make an appointment to donate, please call 1-800-RED-CROSS

Soup and Sandwiches will be served after the 5:30 p.m. Mass at Immaculate Conception Thursday, Oct. 30. Everyone welcome!

