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Our readings today teach us what it means to bear fruit as disciples of Christ. We hear in each of our readings that it is from the Lord that good effects will be produced in our lives.

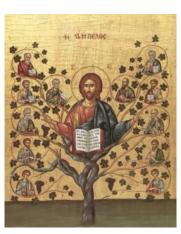
In our first reading, we hear about disciples that were preaching the Good News and defending the faith. The work they were doing was "with the consolation of the Holy Spirit." It was not their work alone, but the work of God.

We must ask ourselves, 'how is God bearing fruit in my life?' and 'have I invited the Holy Spirit to work in me?' The more we try to produce good effects in our lives, the more we will become disappointed if all we are relying on is our own efforts. It is only by inviting the Holy Spirit into our everyday moments that we will see goodness poured out.

Jesus clearly tells us how to do this in our Gospel. He says, "I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit." We can remain in Christ by staying faithful to His commandments and frequently receiving the sacraments. And our day to day moments should be a reflection of those commitments.

That could mean opening our day with a prayer of thanksgiving, smiling at those we see on the street, asking God for help as we begin our workday, praising God in moments of trial, taking time to listen to our spouse after a long day. To remain in Christ means, in all that we do, we do it with the Lord.

When we live a life like that — as a branch never separated from its vine — God will produce bountiful fruit in our lives.



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CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH

April 28, 2024

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MASS SCHEDULE AT CHRIST THE KING

WEEKLY

Saturday 7:00pm (Spanish)

Sunday 10:15 am Wednesday 4:00 pm

Wednesday 7:00pm (Spanish)

First Fridays

Holy Days of Obligation 4:00 pm

Reconciliation

Wednesday 5:15 pm

9:45 am or by appointment

MASS SCHEDULE AT BLESSED TRINITY

WEEKEND

Saturday 4:00 pm and 6:00 pm Sundav 7:10 am, 8:45 am, 11:00 am,

1:00 pm Spanish, 5:00pm LifeTeen

DAILY

Monday—Friday 7:10 am and 5:30 pm

8:15 am (follows school schedule) Wednesday

Thursday 6:30 pm Spanish

Saturday 8:00 am

MASS SCHEDULE AT LA GUADALUPANA

7:00 pm Spanish Tuesday

7:00 pm Spanish Sunday

PARISH LIFE

APRIL 28, 2024 — FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the community of Christ the King Catholic Church, are committed to following Christ's teachings of loving God and our neighbors, through faith, service and worship. Our mission is to seek the kingdom of God and to be an example to everyone, of God's unending love and mercy, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

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NEW PARISHIONERS and **WINTER VISITORS** are

requested to register soon after arrival. Registration forms are available in the foyer of the Church. Completed registration forms should be placed in the collection basket.

BAPTISM: We are pleased to help your family prepare for the special event of your child's entrance into our faith community. To help parents and godparents prepare, a class (English) is held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30pm in the Community Center at Blessed Trinity and in Spanish the 2nd Saturday of each month, at 9:00am at La Guadalupana Parents and Godparents must attend this class prior to scheduling baptism.

MARRIAGES: If you are planning to be married your preparation process should begin at least four (4) months prior to desired date. We look forward to helping you during your time of engagement and preparation for the vocation of Christian marriage. Call the Blessed Trinity Church Office at 352.629.8092 for an appointment with one of our priests.

SICK CALLS AND HOSPITAL VISITS: If you or a family member are in a local hospital or homebound and would like to receive Communion or Sacrament of the Sick, please call 506.0282 and key in your number or contact Blessed Trinity office at 629.8092. When registering at the hospital, put your name on the Catholic List.

HALL RENTALS: Having a Baby Shower, Birthday Party or Anniversary Party? The hall is available for rental. Please call 352.484.5619 for more information.

STEWARDSHIP BY THE BOOK

The good steward lives the advice of St. John, loving in deed and in truth, rather than just talking about it.

Weekly Offering

April 21, 2024

\$2,363.25

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is actively seeking new members. Please contact Sandie Maguire at 352.466.3977 for more information.

Legion of Mary Mother's Day Tea

We welcome all mothers, daughters, grandmothers, granddaughters, friends and neighbors to Christ the King Catholic Mission Church, Oschman Hall on Saturday, May 12 at 12 noon.

Please bring your favorite teacup or mug and a dish to share!

RSVP to Maggie McDonald, 352.812.4640

MOVIE NIGHT

Next month's movie will be "Miracle from Heaven" in the Oschman Hall on Thursday, May 9th at 7:00pm.

Come join us!

Vacation Bible School at Blessed Trinity

This year VBS will be held during the week

of JUNE 10-14th from 8.30 a.m. – noon in the

King of Kings building for students **K-3**. This year for the first time, VBS will also be offered in Spanish at La Guadalupana and Christ the King, also in the month of June.

Once again, we are asking for volunteers

to help with activities each day. Registration begins in May.

For more information, please contact Dr. Meehan

at

bmeehan@blessedtrinity.org or at 325 629 8092 ext. 3207.



READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48



Jn 4:7-10 Jn 15:9-17

MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday, May 1 Catrina Hajal—Birthday

Sunday, May 5 Teddy Elliot (L)

Please contact Sandra Hajal at 867.1810 or email nhajal@aol.com to request a Mass for a loved one.

PRAYER LIST FOR THE SICK

We are asked to remember members of the Parish or a member's family/friends in our prayers that they may have a speedy and complete recovery. Please enter their names in the white book in the foyer and they will be presented at Mass.

Recently deceased-

CTK ONGOING EVENTS

Legion of Mary meets each Wednesday before Mass. Contact Sandie Maguire at 352.466.3977
Rosary is said Sunday mornings at 9:30am
Online Rosary - Visit www.comepraytherosary.org
Religious Articles Shop is open Sundays after Mass.
Coffee/Donuts served after Sunday Mass in the hall.
Soup Kitchen is open on Tuesday from 12:00pm2:00pm. Soup, sandwiches, drinks, stories, smiles, laughs and dessert.

Altar Flowers contact Sose Gaudet at 622.3589 to place flowers on the altar with (1) week notice.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Council 16413 meets the 3rd Thursday of every month at 7:00pm in Oschman Hall. For more information contact Grand Knight, Bruce Burleson 352.812.1313.

Bulletin Advertising contact Katherine Baker at 629.8092. Space is available. The semi-annual rate is \$80.00 for 6 months.

Parish App: myparishapp.com or the app store **Hall Rental:** Contact Steve Floyd at 352.484.5619

Joyful Again, Orlando!

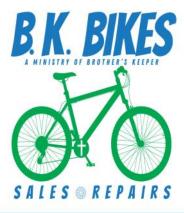
Retreat for Widows and Widowers

Being widowed is a special loss. This retreat is especially designed to help the widowed (6 months or more) to find hope and joy again.

May 25-26, 2024

San Pedro Retreat Center 95 Bishop Grady Lane Winter Park, Fl. 32792

Space is limited—register early. Call Sharon at 386.717.4452 for more information and to register.



OPENING MAY 1st

If you ride around on two wheels, once in a while or daily, or if you will be soon, you have friends at Brother's Keeper, who can help you maintain your bike.

We offer repairs and tune-ups at affordable prices.

Check out our selection of refurbished child and adult bicycles.

MONDAY

9, - 12,

WEDNESDAY 9, - 25%

FRIDAY

9, - 12,





Fundraiser for Uganda Ministry –

Saturday, June 1, 2024

Sunday, June 2, 2024

Here's how YOU can help make this event a success:

Your gently used, good condition donations of household items, religious items, artwork, kitchen accessories, tools, jewelry, toys, books, etc. will be appreciated.

We cannot accept major appliances (stoves, refrigerators, washers, dryers, air conditioners, etc.), construction materials, or upholstered furniture.

Drop-Offs will be in at the Parish Hall:

Sat. June 1st, 10 am – 2 pm

<u>Sale Days</u>: In front of Parish Hall on sidewalk leading to the church

Saturday, June 1st after the 4 Mass

Sunday, June 2nd after the 7:10 am, 8:45 am, 11 am, 1 pm and 5 pm Masses

Volunteers are welcome during the pre-sale drop-off, and during the sale.

This is also an opportunity for students to earn service hours!

All proceeds from this fundraiser will fund school supplies, textbooks and desks for the BT Mission.

For more information or to volunteer please contact **Gisela Salas**, **352-433-5111**

or Sister Juliet, 352-629-8092.

Hope to see you there! Thank you for your continued support.

The Synod & The Eucharistic Revival

Bishop Andrew Cozzens and Bishop Daniel Flores will lead a webinar on Wednesday, May 1st, from 4-5:00pm. Please use the link to register—https://usccb.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_zDrqR6hqStCXYqZ1zzxtKQ



BISHOP DANIEL FLORES

DIOCESE OF BROWNSVILLE

BISHOP ANDREW COZZENS



DIOCESE OF CROOKSTON

Please consider donating to our food pantry

Spaghetti Sauce Diapers (sizes 4,5,6)

Spaghetti Noodles Baby Wipes
Tuna Helper Toilet Paper
Hamburger Helper Laundry Soap
Pork & Beans Dish Soap
Beef Stew (canned) Razors

Soups (canned) Razors
Soups (canned) Shampoo
Cereal Toothpaste
Oatmeal Bar Soap

Deodorant (men and women)

Macaroni & Cheese

Peanut Butter and Jelly

Canned fruit (all kinds)
Tea-Coffee-Gatorade

Powdered or canned milk

Broth (beef, chicken, veg)

FISH FRY UPDATE

The Fish Fry did amazing! We served 1,003 dinners over 5 nights and made a profit of \$8,047.58!

Thank you to everyone that helped cook, serve, take money, etc... and thank you to everyone that came and ate! Your support is very much appreciated.





Free Soup Kitchen Every Tuesday From 12:00pm - 2:00pm

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WE FEED YOUR HUNGRY HEART AND SOUL AT OUR SOUP KITCHEN !!!!!

Menu

4/2 Egg and cheese casserole 4/9 Baked Fish 4/16 Chicken Pot Pie 4/23 Bean Soup 4/30 Sloppy Joes

Assorted desserts, coffee and various soft drinks

Meals are Free Every Tuesday From 12pm-2pm

Perpetual Adoration at Blessed Trinity

The following hours need to be filled:

Sundays: 6:00am - 7:00am Tuesdays: 1:00am - 2:00am Fridays: 5:00am - 6:00am

Our stewardship way of life at BT encourages each family to commit one hour a week to the adoration chapel; please prayerfully consider this ministry's needs and if you are unable to serve, please pray that God will send individuals to sustain this core ministry.

The Lord looks forward to your visit!

For your special hour of praise before the Blessed Sacrament, call or email Carol Blackstock, Adoration Coordinator at 352.622.7348 or 352.425.8638.

carolblackstock@gmail.com.

"People as me: 'What will convert America and save the world? My answer is prayer. What we need is for every parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in Holy Hours of prayer."

~ Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Jesus offers a quintessential stewardship statement in today's Gospel reading: "Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing." Jesus Christ offers us the fullness of eternal life. Do our lives reveal that this is what we want? Do we believe that by hearing the Word of the Lord and responding we not only produce "good fruit," but abide in the very life of God?

THE ELIJAH CUP-TRAVELING CHALICE

One of the great needs of the Church is the ongoing need for prayer for vocations to the priesthood, sisterhood and brotherhood. In the US, overall, the Church is doing relatively well with the number of men entering the seminary. We need to do even better. We get many foreign vocations. That is most helpful. Of course the long range goal would be not only to produce enough vocations for the Catholic Church in the US but also to be able to send out missionaries to countries who have a shortage.

Most parishes now have a vocations committee. One of the big efforts of our parish vocations committee to raise awareness for religious vocations is the use of the traveling Chalice or Elijah Cup. At the English Mass, one family or person at the end of Mass receives the Elijah Cup and takes it home and that family prays especially for vocations at their family prayer time. They then bring it back the following weekend. Children love to bring the Elijah Cup home. Generally there is a race to the altar to see who gets the cup. While all that is nice, the result is most of the parishioners are excluded from taking the cup home.

If you wish to take the cup home and commit to praying especially for vocations you do not have to run to the altar. Just raise your hand and we will bring the Chalice/Elijah Cup to you.

In your prayer for vocations include the following:

- Pray for priests, sisters, brothers and seminarians who have already accepted God's call to the religious life.
- Pray that those who are being called by God will have the faith, courage and commitment to respond to God's call.
- Pray for families, especially parents, that they will encourage vocations to the religious life in their own family.
- Pray for priests, brothers and sisters who have misused their privileged positions. Pray for their conversion and their forgiveness.
- Pray for the success, worldwide of the mission Jesus entrusted to His Church.

