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Today we celebrate the feast of the Most Holy Trinity. What we are commemorating is a central reality of our Christian faith, that God is Trinitarian in nature — three distinct persons in one God.

The Church calls this truth a mystery, as indeed it is. Some have said that “mystery” in this context is “not a wall to run up against but an ocean in which to swim.” Contemplating the “ocean depths” of this mystery can make us humans feel so small, and almighty God so far from us. Yet nothing could be further from the truth as today’s readings demonstrate.

In the second reading, St. Paul reminds us that God is intimately connected to us. “The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.” God wants live in the very depths of our being and in all the intimate details of our lives if we will let Him.

And in the Gospel from St. John, we learn that God holds back nothing of Himself from us. Jesus tells His disciples (this includes us!) that the Holy Spirit “will take from what is mine and declare it to you. Everything the Father has is mine.” Thus, we find ourselves drawn right into the midst of this Trinitarian love. In fact, if the mystery of Holy Trinity is an ocean which to swim, the “water” that makes up that ocean is love.

What then should be the response of the Christian steward to this sublime mystery? All we can do is worship. And offer our lives back to God in total gratitude for calling us to live in the richness of such unfathomable love.



# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH

June 15, 2025



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MASS SCHEDULE AT CHRIST THE KING	
<b>WEEKLY</b>	
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
<b>Reconciliation</b>	
Wednesday	3:45 pm
Sunday	9:45 am or by appointment

MASS SCHEDULE AT BLESSED TRINITY	
<b>WEEKEND</b>	
Saturday	4:00 pm and 6:00 pm
Sunday	7:10 am, 8:45 am, 11:00 am, 1:00 pm Spanish, 5:00pm LifeTeen
<b>DAILY</b>	
Monday—Friday	7:10 am and 5:30 pm
Wednesday	8:15 am (follows school schedule)
Thursday	6:30 pm Spanish
Saturday	8:00 am
<b>MASS SCHEDULE AT LA GUADALUPANA</b>	
Tuesday	7:00 pm Spanish
Sunday	7:00 pm Spanish

PARISH LIFE

JUNE 15, 2025 — THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

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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Father Patrick Sheedy	Blessed Trinity	629.8092
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Sose Gaudet	Flowers, Decorations	622.3589
Sandie Maguire	Kitchen, Soup Kitchen	466.3977
	Legion of Mary	
Glen & Ethel Alder	Mobile Home Tenants	239.1299
	Brothers Keeper	817.7447
Salvador Tobar	Ushers	512-5800
Spanish Community		622.4500
Travelers’ Information		410.676.6000
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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

Today’s psalm reminds us that we have been crowned with glory and honor and given rule over the works of God’s hands. But we must be good stewards, for the Lord will surely hold us accountable for the use of those gifts!

Weekly Offering  
June 8, 2025  
\$1,519.00

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

Charismatic ???

The Charismatic Renewal gets its name from the “*charisms*” or “Gifts” of the Holy Spirit which are being poured anew upon our Church today. This outpouring of Grace is merely the unfolding of Pentecost into the lives of everyday Believers.

The “Fountains of Living Water” prayer group, is part of this Charismatic Renewal. Mother Mary is our role model. Her “yes” to the Holy Spirit, not only changed her life, but re-defined humanity. We invoke her to lead us ever deeper into a life surrendered into the grace of the Holy Spirit.

Join us as we seek to avail our lives to God’s plan for us, and to the charisms He is offering us to accomplish His work.

We meet every Thur., 7-8:30pm in the Adult Day Care. For info: Richard@ 352-342-2982 or Katy@352-342-2983 or email i2bxtn@gmail.com.

Fountains of Living Water Prayer Group

**A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT**

In today’s Gospel Jesus talks about life with his Father and the Spirit. He tells his disciples that what belongs to the Father belongs to him, and that the Spirit will take from what is his and give it to them. Jesus helps us understand that the relationship between Father, Son and Spirit is one of perfect sharing and loving generosity. This shared life is the foundation for what we now understand as part of living life in the Trinity. The abundant generosity of those who are good stewards of the gifts entrusted to them give us a glimpse into the love of the Triune God. Does the extent of our generosity give others a glimpse of God’s life within us?

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK



Gn 14:18-20  
Cor 11:23-26  
Lk 9:11b-17

MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday, June 18 William Votino †  
Sunday, June 22 Barbara & Ted 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](http://www.comepraytherosary.org)  
**Coffee/Donuts** served after Sunday Mass in the hall.  
**Soup Kitchen** is open on Tuesday from 12:00pm-2:00pm. 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 Melinda Gunn 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





# Marriage Retreat

## A Marriage Rediscovery Retrouvaille Weekend Retreat may be just what your marriage needs!

Spend a weekend away focusing on your marriage and learn how to reconnect with each other.

Retrouvaille is a marriage program that teaches a way to communicate with your spouse on a feeling level. The weekend will provide encouragement, hope, and practical tools to help rebuild a disconnected marriage.

### What will we learn?

- A communication technique that will be marriage changing
- To express feelings in a way your spouse can better understand
- Work to resolve conflict in healthier, more productive ways
- To forgive freely and completely by rebuilding trust
- Increase your commitment—and your closeness to each other

Register Today at [MarriageLifeline.org](http://MarriageLifeline.org)

For More Info Call

Registration Line: 866-470-2243



### Saving Mercy Homeless Houses

Construction has proceeded rapidly for Saving Mercy's 20 transition homes (10 duplexes) for chronic homeless.

These homes are now ready to be furnished and gotten ready for homeless people.

If you would like to help furnish one of these or part of one, here are the financial details:

1 bathroom—\$100

1 bedroom—\$700

Kitchen—\$300

Living Space—\$500

Full unit—\$1,600

The big news is—whatever donations we get to furnish these homeless duplexes, it will be doubled by one of our very interested donors. So every dollar you donate will be doubled.

Thanks!

### Eucharistic Minister Training

For everyone that had their first training with the diocese, we have set up one more opportunity for you to get your final training.

Friday, June 20 at 6:30pm in the church.  
Both at Blessed Trinity.

Please contact Dee McNeal to sign up at:  
352.817.0837 or  
[deemcneal38@yahoo.com](mailto:deemcneal38@yahoo.com)



### CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH SOUP KITCHEN

### June Menu

6/3 Tuna Salad Sandwiches

6/10 Chicken Salad Sandwiches

6/17 Beans and Weenys

6/24 Egg Salad Sandwiches

Assorted desserts, coffee  
and various soft drinks.

Meals are free every Tuesday  
12pm-2pm



## WANTED: Positive Male Role Models

Father's Day reminds us that fathers are a tremendous source of love, strength and protection for a child. Notwithstanding the faithful and heroic efforts of single moms bringing up children in today's society, children still need to be around Christian men who are positive role models; men who are actively involved in their life of faith, possess spiritual passion, and are faithful fathers and husbands.

Undoubtedly, parishes need more men to be involved in the spiritual development of young people.

Males bring a unique contribution that cannot be successfully substituted by females. Only men can serve as male role models and communicate the model of God as a loving father to children.

In today's society, for a number of reasons, many children grow up in single-parent homes, nurtured by their mothers. The parish or school may be the only place where these children have an opportunity to interact with men who model the loving, caring, and nurturing values of Christian manhood. Children can benefit from having a positive and responsible male role model in their lives.

It is said of young males that they are naturally more attentive to men when being taught good manners and respect for others. Men are generally better able to get young males unhooked from video games and involved in athletic competitions and outdoor activities so they can experience a wider world, and do things that are physically demanding; thus realizing a host of virtues. Adolescent males appear to develop emotional literacy, social skills, and Christian values more readily from men. And the presence of a Christian man helps reduce the possibility of a young male becoming disaffected, socially isolated, and more prone to embracing at-risk behaviors.



Of course, much of the above can be said for the importance of men in the lives of young women as well. But men can offer a unique Christian witness to young women in a culture that is so focused on young females as sex objects. It is important for girls to experience positive male role models; Christian men who see young women as children of God and are interested in what they say, think and feel as they grow in their spiritual lives.

Young people need both male and female role models. But adult males are fewer to be found. Let Father's Day remind us to find ways to connect with fathers and invite other positive male role models into the faith formation of our young people. Let's encourage men to get more involved in the parish as mentors, tutors, catechists and other ministries. Let's help young people see first-hand how Christian men follow Jesus Christ and live as His disciples in today's world.

## THE OCALA YOUNG ADULT CATHOLICS INVITE YOU TO The Theology of Addiction



"The Temptation of St. Anthony," David Teniers the Younger

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25, 6 PM

CARRABBA'S ITALIAN GRILL (2370 SW COLLEGE RD)

Join the Ocala Young Adult Catholics for the monthly Theology on Tap series. June features Father Patrick J. O'Doherty of Queen of Peace, who will share his story of recovery and the Catholic perspective on disordered desire, free will, and grace.

To RSVP, contact Shelby Kearns at 361-449-6896 or shelbytkearns@gmail.com

## .....A PRAYER FOR..... Father's DAY

Gracious God,  
bless fathers and all father  
figures with such love and  
faithfulness that children  
flourish and grow in  
uprightness and joy.  
Bless those who long to be  
fathers and those for whom  
this day is difficult.  
Amen.

## Carlo Acutis: Saint In Waiting

On Thursday, June 19th at 11am and 7:00pm in the King of Kings building, Dr. Barry Meehan will present a talk on Carlo Acutis: Saint In Waiting, outlining the extraordinary life of this young computer whizz who catalogued all the eucharistic miracles recorded in the church before he died of leukemia in 2006 at the age of 15.

Blessed Carlo and Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati will be the first saints canonized by Pope Leo XIV later this year.

