



CHRIST THE KING

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FOR YOU ARE *DUST*
AND TO DUST YOU
SHALL RETURN





THE 40 DAYS OF LENT

EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT

(STARTING NOW UNTIL MARCH 22)

Mass at 6pm

**Stations of the Cross,
Eucharistic Adoration &
Confession after Mass**

2024 BENTON COUNCIL OF CHURCHES LENTEN SERVICES

SUNDAYS AT 7:00 P.M.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>THEME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
2/18/24	PROBATION WILDERNESS, FASTING & TESTING	ASSEMBLY OF GOD
2/25/24	PERSECUTION HEROD & JERUSALEM, PURSUE THE PROPHET	ST. GABRIEL CHURCH
3/3/24	PENITENCE THE PURSUIT OF REPENTANCE: PILATE, PILLARS & FIGS	BENTON CHRISTIAN
3/10/24	PRODIGIOUS WELCOME & DINE WITH SINNERS	CHRIST THE KING CHURCH
3/17/24	PERFUME MARY'S COSTLY PERFUME	UMC WALLER

- February 18th: Christ the King Choir
- March 10th: Christ the King is the Host
- March 17th: Father Andrew St. Hilaire is the Speaker

**STEWARDSHIP
FEBRUARY 11**

Report will be in next weekend's bulletin

HALLOW APP

JOIN THE LENT PRAY40 CHALLENGE

Dive deeper into prayer this Lent with Hallow, a Catholic prayer and meditation app that helps us all find peace in God. Free to the Parishioners of Christ the King along with your friends/family.

If you have questions see Ken Houck or call him at 570-951-2608

In Your Prayers, Please Remember:

Intentions of the Holy Father,

All Priests including:

**Fr. Mowery
Fr. St. Hilaire
Fr. Sola**

**Michael Bardi
Maureen Beck
Lorena Bennet
Sue Berger
Christina Capriola
Russell Castrogiovanni
Cobert Family
Ryan Dell
Anne Eustice
Chris Ertwine
Farwell Family
Vivian Whitenight Hynick
Bob Kalie
Margaret Kalie
Austin Kelsey
Joseph LaBonte
Mary Ann Levan
Mary Ellen Neal
Dorothy O'Handley
Nancy Oman
Rich Scavone
Jackie Scherer
Judy Serra
Mark & Patricia Sullivan
Sharon Tishler
Lena Tunaitis
Verbyla Family
Mike Vertucci
Marisa & Ted Whitenight
Nancy Wisbar
Sonny Womelsdorf
Mary Ann Zevency**



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 17
People of the Parish

Sunday, February 18
Justin Kozak by Lee Ann & Joe Boiwka

Monday, February 19
People of the Parish

Friday, February 23
People of the Parish

Saturday, February 24
Doreen Dougherty by Don & Mary Wilce

Sunday, February 25
Deb Haden by Sue & Steve Root

Mass intentions are available in memory of, or in honor of a loved one. The donation for having a Mass said for a personal request is \$10.00. You can drop your request in the collection or contact the parish office.

LITURGICAL ROLES

Lector	Extraordinary Minister
Feb 18 - Barb Treier	Feb 18 - Lee Ann Boiwka
Feb 25 - Stephen Root	Feb 25 - Mark Sullivan

Collection Stewards
Feb 18 - Lee Ann Boiwka & Sharon Tishler
Feb 25 - Patricia & Mark Sullivan

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Repent, and believe in the gospel.

To repent means to feel regret and sorrow and to change, or "turn from" what is evil. Gospel is a word meaning "good news." To "repent and believe in the Gospel" is the twofold call of the Christian, which is brought into profound relief during the Lenten season. This time of prayer and preparation for Easter shows there is indeed cause for regret and sorrow, and a need for change. And yet, what we are turning toward as we turn from sin is always cause for joy and hope.

In the first reading, God makes a covenant with Noah. In the second reading, Peter reflects on how the waters of the flood prefigured baptism. In the Gospel, Jesus is driven into the desert for 40 days before beginning to preach: The kingdom of God is hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel.

REPORT CHILD ABUSE

To report suspected abuse of a minor by a church official, employee or volunteer, please call the Diocese of Harrisburg Youth Protection Hotline: 1-800-626-1608 or email: ReportAbuse@hbgiocese.org.

Whenever someone reports suspected sexual abuse of a minor to the Diocese, whether a recent or past occurrence, the Diocese will act quickly and decisively in justice for all concerned and in complete compliance with both canon and civil law.

To report suspected abuse of a minor, call the toll free PA Child Abuse Hotline: 1-800-932-0313 or <https://www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis/public/home>.



CYE News

Thanks to all that helped with the Mardi Gras. It was a lot of fun and a success.

MEN'S CONFERENCE - APRIL 20 7:30 A.M. - 3:30 P.M. DIOCESAN CENTER

The 2024 theme is "St. Joseph: The Carpenter's Table."

Keynote Speaker is Jon Leonetti.
Breakout - Rev. Joshua Cavender &
Deacon Armando Torres

To learn more and to register: www.hbgiocese.org/men.

UNBORN CANDLE DONATIONS

\$3.00/ week,
\$5.00/ 2 weeks or
\$10.00/ month
Month of February - Richard & Tamara Lindner

BENTON FOOD BANK

For the month of January - February we will be collecting tissues due by February 18th . The Food Bank at the N4C's is the 3rd Tuesday of every month.

FOR LENT, FOR LIFE CRS RICE BOWL

Through CRS Rice Bowl, you help reach more than 250 million people with lifesaving support. 75% of your donation supports Catholic Relief Services' work around the world. 25% helps fight hunger and poverty in your own community.

Thank you for Changing lives this Lent!

Rice Bowls are on the table at the entrance of the church.

98TH ANNUAL CONVENTION BE STILL & LISTEN

Annie McHugh's love for Christ and the Catholic faith has led her to work for the Church as a parish youth minister and for the Domestic Church. Annie and her husband Mike work in youth ministry at two parishes, run the Rockville Catholic Summer Program, and give talks about life and love through their family ministry, "Mike and Annie Talk."

Save the date:
Saturday, April 6, 2024
at the Roman Catholic Diocesan Center, Harrisburg, PA.

Registration and continental breakfast begin at 8:00 am with closing prayer at 2:30 pm.

For more information about the convention visit <https://hdccw.webs.com/hdcccw-convention>

"Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him..."
Psalm 37:7