



Roman Catholic Parishes of the South Interlake

Christ the King, Stonewall
St. John Vianney, Teulon
St. Joseph's, Stony Mountain

January 18, 2026
Second Sunday in
Ordinary Time

LORD'S DAY MASS TIMES:

SUNDAY at 8:30am (STONY MOUNTAIN), 10:00am (STONEWALL) & 11:30am (TEULON)
ROSARY: SUNDAY at 9:30am (STONEWALL)

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- **Sunday, January 18th**, *Christ the King Parish Hall*—after Mass—Pancake Breakfast sponsored by the Knights of Columbus
- **Tuesday, January 20th**, *Christ the King Church*—7:00pm—CTK Finance Council meeting
- **Wednesday, January 21st**, *Christ the King Church*—7:00pm—CTK Pastoral Council meeting

For news around the Archdiocese of Winnipeg,
go to: www.archwinnipeg.ca

Sacrament of Baptism

Please contact Fr. Nepolian regarding any upcoming baptism and arrange a time to meet for preparation.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Beginning 30 minutes before Mass on Tuesday at Christ the King Church.

Sacrament of the Sick

Please contact Fr. Nepolian in case of emergency.

Sacrament of Marriage

6 months notice is required prior to the wedding. A weekend retreat or 6 week preparation course is required prior to the marriage. Please contact Fr. Nepolian regarding preparation.

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Please submit information for the bulletin by **TUESDAY at NOON** to Ronda at: ckparish@mymts.net

If you choose not to take this bulletin home, kindly return it to the entrance of the church.

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, January 18th, 2026

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am, *Stony Mountain* -

For the intentions of all parishioners

10:00am, *Stonewall* -

† Tracey Mann

- requested by Maurice Carman &
Dianna Rothwell

11:30am, *Teulon* -

For the intentions of all parishioners

**Monday, January 19th to Saturday,
January 24th**

**** No Mass ****



Sunday, January 25th, 2026

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am, *Stony Mountain* -

For the intentions of all parishioners

10:00am, *Stonewall* -

For the intentions of all parishioners

11:30am, *Teulon* -

† Luc Collette

- requested by Jacqueline Collette &
family



PARISH NEWS

Pancake Breakfast at Christ the King Church

After Mass **TODAY, Sunday, January 18th** at Christ the King Church, the Knights of Columbus are hosting a Pancake Breakfast. Donation box at door. Hope to see you there!



Christ the King Parish Catechism

Catechism at Christ the King Church is after Sunday Mass on the following dates:

Jan. 18, Feb. 1, Feb. 15, Mar. 1, Mar. 15, and Apr. 19.

*** Parents must stay at the Church during class time. You are more than welcome to join us.



2026 Collection Envelopes



The 2026 Collection Envelopes are now available at St. John Vianney and Christ the King. Please pick them up at the entrance to the church.

If you are new to the Parish, please fill out a [purple Registration Form](#) available in the foyer and drop it in the Collection Basket. If you would like Donation Envelopes, please remember to check the box on the registration form. For those already registered, any changes such as your address, telephone number, etc., please contact the Parish Office at (204) 467-9016, or fill out a [blue Registered Parishioner Update Form](#) (also available in the foyer). Direct Deposit is a good option for your giving. Forms to begin using Direct Deposit are also available in the foyer at Christ the King Church.

DID YOU KNOW...

You can find the Reading schedules, Communion Minister schedules, and Collection Counting schedules on our parish website at www.christthekingchurch.ca under the tab "Schedules".

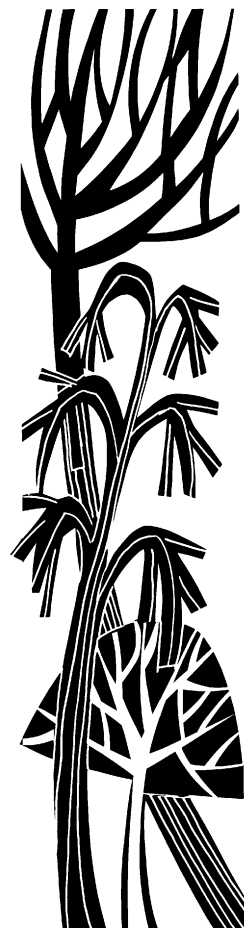


KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights would like to thank all those who took part in their Keep Christ in Christmas coloring contest. There were some excellent entries, and the winners will be forwarded to the state office to be part of the provincial competition. Even though we had excellent entrees, it would've been nice if all those eligible would have participated.

The contestants who this year will receive a cash prize and have their entries forwarded are: Liam Guenther, Emily Brunger, Zoey Good, Emmy Guenther, Olivia Guenther, Mya Good. Congratulations to you and hope you have success at the provincial level.

I would also like to remind and invite everyone to join us in our pancake breakfast **this Sunday after Mass, January 18th.**



PARISH NEWS

Food Bank Donations



There are bins at the entrances of Christ the King Church for donations of non-perishable food items for the Interlake Food Bank. Cash donations can be deposited in the Food Bank tins located at both entrances, or you may also mark your envelope "Food Bank" if donating during the Mass collection so that it will be included in your yearly tax receipt.

Christ the King Church



Please note: If you see something that needs to be fixed / maintenance at Christ the King Church, please contact Harry Hoff at (204) 461-1214, or Tracey Berg at (204) 467-7418.

Church Cleaning at Christ the King



If you would like to volunteer to clean the church, please sign up at the entrance, or contact Tracey at (204) 467-7418. I will be happy to clean with you and show you what's involved.

Weekly Parish Email



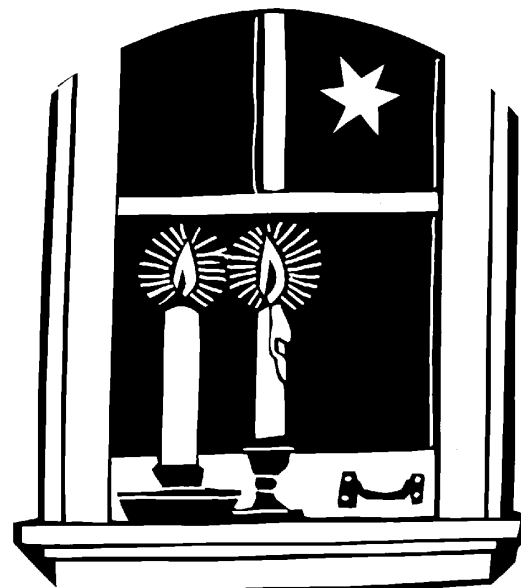
We weekly send out our bulletin. If you would like to get added onto our email list or if you need to update your contact information, please email the parish office at: ckparish@mymts.net.



Stewardship of Treasure
(Includes Visitor envelopes and pre-authorized contributions)
Thank you for your generosity!

January 11, 2026

Parish / Mission	Regular Offertory	Sharing God's Gifts	Building Fund	Initial Envelope	Boiler Fund	Food Bank
Christ the King	\$1215.01	\$138.75	\$58.76	\$20.00	\$50.00	\$20.00
St. John Vianney	\$235.00	\$40.00	-	-	-	-
St. Joseph's	\$285.00	-	-	-	-	-



DID YOU KNOW...

AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2025 - PLEASE RECYCLE ANY ENVELOPES DATED PRIOR TO 2026.

If you would like a box of envelopes, please contact the office.

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*"The Word became flesh and lived among us.
To all who received him, he gave the power to become
children of God."* (John 1.14, 12)



Bringing Home the Word

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

January 18, 2026

Who's Calling?

Fr. Joseph Juknialis

God called Isaiah: "You are my servant.... I will make you a light to the nations" (Isaiah 49:3, 6). God called John the Baptist: "The one who sent me to baptize with water" (John 1:33). God called St. Paul: "Called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus" (1 Corinthians 1:1). And Paul says God calls us: We are "called to be holy" (1 Corinthians 1:2). Given that call, the question is, "What are we called to do with our lives?"

Frederick Buechner, an author, suggests that we are called to wherever our deep hunger and the world's great need meet. As he explains, the world's

great need may be to feed the hungry and shelter the homeless, but if we become depressed helping the poor, that is not where God wants us to be. On the other hand, we may love designing sandcastles, but the world has no great need for sandcastles, so that surely is not what God calls us to do. Rather, God calls us to the place where what we love doing and what the world desperately needs intersect.

Adults are often inclined to ask children what they want to be or do when they grow up. Perhaps asking them what they think God wants them to do might be a question laced with greater wisdom. To turn the question may call forth a more thoughtful answer. †

Sunday Readings

Isaiah 49:3, 5–6

I will make you a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth.

1 Corinthians 1:1–3

Paul, called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God.

John 1:29–34

The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world."



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where what we love
doing and what the
world desperately needs
intersect.**

A Word from Pope Leo XIV

Ours is a time marked by a growing search for spirituality, particularly evident in young people, who are longing for authentic relationships and guides in life. Hence, it is important that the Christian community be farsighted in discerning the challenges of today's world and in nurturing the desire for faith present in the heart of every man and woman.

MESSAGE TO SEMINAR PARTICIPANTS,
ROME, MAY 28, 2025



REFLECTION QUESTIONS



- What is God calling you to do now?
- Has God's call changed over the years?



Restlessness as a Starting Point

Sr. Gemma Morató Sendra, OP

The first chapter of St. Augustine's *Confessions* begins, "You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our heart is restless until it rests in you." This phrase is not only the famed opening of one of the foundational works of Christian spirituality but also, above all, an existential confession, the heartbeat of a soul that seeks meaning. Generation after generation, those who have felt the call of God as a loving unrest not calmed by superficial answers or dulled by easy certainties have recognized themselves in these words. Robert Francis Prevost also recognized himself in them, naturally and deeply. He perceived that same call not as a burden, but as a promise of fulfillment, and he lived it out by choosing life in a religious community.

Prevost did not enter the Order of Saint Augustine because of youthful impulse or passing enthusiasm. He was moved by a deeper, almost silent, intuition: the certainty that God is not

found in the noise of the world nor in immediate success, but in the deepest beat of the human heart. That inner conviction led him to embrace the Augustinian spiritual tradition not as a relic of the past, but as a living, possible, and necessary path.

From an early age, Prevost understood that the Augustinian way of life is indeed a path, but not a solitary one. It is a journey made at the pace of others, like pilgrims who do not rush, knowing that meaning lies in the path shared. The Augustinian

is not an isolated monk or a lone seeker of perfection. He is, above all, a brother—a companion in the search for God. A man who builds community through truth and charity. †

God is not found in the noise of the world, but in the deepest beat of the human heart.

From *Pope Leo XIV: Restless Heart, Faithful Shepherd* by Sr. Gemma Morató Sendra, OP, Liguori Publications (829000). To order, call 800-325-9521 or visit Liguori.org.

Wisdom from Catholic Update

From "*Many Faces, One Church: The Blessing and Challenge of Diversity*" by vănThanh Nguyễn, SVD

The Catholic Church in the United States is experiencing a profound demographic shift as communities of non-European origin are on the rise. We are living in a time when ethnic, cultural, and linguistic diversity is more evident and intense than ever. Diversity is not something to overcome, but is an essential component to foster. This can be an hour of great opportunity or an hour of tragic disaster. As a people of God, we must learn to pray, work, and live together as an intercultural (not just multicultural) Church in which diversity provides an opportunity for growth and enrichment rather than separation and disunity. Indeed, the Church is experiencing the dawn of a new day. We do not need to go far to find people "from every tribe and tongue." It's both a blessing and a challenge!

Catholic Update—a subscription newsletter published eleven times a year—explores Church tradition and teaching on contemporary topics. For more information, call 800-325-9521, or visit Liguori.org.



Creator God, help us to find holy balance as we seek to take care of others and ourselves. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

The Redemptorists

WEEKDAY READINGS

January 19–24

Monday, Weekday:

1 Sm 15:16–23 / Mk 2:18–22

Tuesday, Weekday:

1 Sm 16:1–13 / Mk 2:23–28

Wednesday, St. Agnes:

1 Sm 17:32–33, 37, 40–51 / Mk 3:1–6

Thursday, Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children:

1 Sm 18:6–9; 19:1–7 / Mk 3:7–12

Friday, Weekday: 1 Sm 24:3–21 / Mk 3:13–19

Saturday, St. Francis de Sales:

2 Sm 1:1–4, 11–12, 19, 23–27 / Mk 3:20–21



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