Our Mission

Christ the Servant Parish is a welcoming Catholic faith community gathered together to gratefully share and live the Eucharist, the inspiration of the Gospel, the presence of the Holy Spirit, and to follow Christ's example in service of others.
Pope Francis’ Tweet for the Week

I sincerely appreciate the prayers and numerous expressions of closeness and affection received in the past few days. I am praying for everyone, especially those who suffer. I ask you to keep me in your prayers.

At this time, we continue to record the mass for people who are not able to make it to church, posting it by 4:30 pm Saturdays on the YouTube channel christtheservant.

CASH FOR FOOD
Saturday, June 24 and Sunday, June 25
CHRIST THE SERVANT continues to support the West Suburban Food Pantry, Downers Grove Area FISH (includes Woodridge), and Blue Jeans for the Homeless.

Food items are very welcome including canned goods, rice, peanut butter, etc. as well as personal care and paper products.

Please drop off your food and product items in the parking lot before each Mass. Cash donations are most appreciated. Any cash amount is welcome! A Cash for Food Blue Donation Box will be available in the Narthex for your convenience.

Please make checks payable to: Christ the Servant. All cash and checks will be converted to food donations and distributed promptly.

Thank you for attending to the needs of those less fortunate.

Calling All Bakers

Our newly formed Fellowship Committee would love to include you in the rotation for providing treats/baked goods for our Fellowship events four (4) times a year. If you are interested in helping, please call or email the CTS office and ask to be added to our list. Past bakers from a year or so ago, please provide the office with your current contact information.

Past and new bakers, we will need your name, phone number and email address. Please complete the yellow volunteer form in the narthex or email the parish office at: Bryn@ctswoodridge.org

Wedding Blessings to Danielle Vrankin and Benny Border

Danielle is the granddaughter of Mary Ellen Vrankin. Danielle & Benny lovingly exchanged wedding vows at their grandmother’s church.

Find us (and like us!) on Facebook. www.facebook.com.
Type “Christ the Servant Catholic Church” into the search bar.
Ladies June Lunch

Ladies June lunch will be at:
**Carabba’s Italian Grill**
1001 75th St., Woodridge
**Tuesday, June 27th at 1:00 pm**
R.S.V.P. by Sunday, June 25th to,
Barb Gutman at 630-863-6160 or
Gloria Dusatko at 331-201-6193

Sacramental Information

**Rites of Christian Initiation** Adults interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, the celebration of Baptism, Eucharist and/or Confirmation are invited to contact the parish office.

**Baptism of Infants** Baptisms are usually celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month (except during Lent) at 11:00 AM. A Baptism Preparation Class must be attended if you are planning your first child’s baptism or if three years have passed since your last child was baptized. Call the Parish Office to register and to check whether adjustments have been made to the schedule.

**Marriage** Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months in advance by contacting the Parish Office to set the date and reserve the church. Reserve the church before you reserve the reception hall.

**Holy Orders** Are you thinking of becoming a priest or religious? Talk with Fr. Bob or email Fr. Steven Borello vocations@dioceseofjoliet.org.

**Reconciliation** Available Saturdays from 4:00-4:30 pm (except Holy Saturday), or by appointment with Fr. Bob.

**Pastoral Care of the Sick** Please contact the parish office for a visit from a priest when sickness occurs or death is imminent for the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. To arrange for Communion to be brought to the sick/homebound members of the parish community, please call Alie Phillips at 630-649-3466.

**Funerals** Arrangements for funerals are usually made in cooperation with the attending funeral home. Contact the parish office for pre-planning of funerals.

**Baptism Preparation Class:**
Thursday, July 6, 7:00 PM

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**National Eucharistic Revival**

Let weak and frail man come here suppliantly to adore the Sacrament of Christ, not to discuss high things, or wish to penetrate difficulties, but to bow down to secret things in humble veneration.

**2023 Father’s Day Collection** On June 18, we celebrate some special men in our lives, our fathers. The faithful family members who provide for us, guide us, and protect us. Happy Father’s Day! As Catholics, we are blessed to have a second set of fathers in our lives — our spiritual fathers — by way of our priests. Our “Father’s Day Collection for Infirm & Retired Priests” helps meet the medical needs of our senior priests within the Diocese.

**Land for Sale**

Christ the Servant (CTS) has received preliminary approval by the Diocese of Joliet to sell the vacant lot across the street from the CTS church. The corner lot is at the northeast corner of Havens Drive and Oakville Drive, (Downers Grove High School District 99) and is adjacent to the houses currently under construction.

**Lot size:** 102.48 x 122.64

A member of the Administration/Finance Commission, Greg Feltz, will compile a list of all reasonable offers emailed to: feltzgreg@gmail.com. Greg will also accept calls or texts that include your name to cell phone number 630-235-5667. Thank you!

**Hotline Numbers for Help**

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Religious Formation News

Last chance to register for Vacation Bible School!

Join us for Vacation Bible School
June 19-23
9:30-11:45

Call Christine at 630-910-0770
for more information

New friends • Amazing experiments • Creative games
Super-fun snacks • Surprising adventures
• Incredible music

At Stellar VBS, kids discover how they can shine Jesus’ love and hope in everyday life! Stellar is for kids from kindergarten to 4th grade and will run from 9:30 to 11:45 each day. The cost is $60 and includes a T-shirt. (Kids 5th grade and older are welcomed to join us as team leaders and are Free!!)

RF registration information can be found at www.ctswoodridge.org and in the Narthex.

For more information call Christine at 630-910-0770 or email at cgoba@rcdoj.org
**Hurry and Register!!**

**Tuition Increases**
July 1, 2023

**Early Registration for Religious Formation**
This year we are providing early registering for the 2023-2024 Religious Formation classes and at a discount!

**Tuition for students registered for classes**

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**Whatever it takes, we are committed to helping your child come to know and love God and to help your family grow in their faith.**

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**2023 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal**
Diocese of Joliet

2023 GOAL $43,500
AMOUNT PLEDGED: $39,805 as of June 11, 2023
AMOUNT PAID: $32,826
REMAINING BALANCE: $6,979
DONORS THIS YEAR: 203
2023 REBATE AMOUNT: $0
Thank you so much for your generosity! God bless you!!!

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**GRADUATING SENIORS CONNECT HERE**
Join your Catholic faith community on campus today.

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**Thank you to everyone who participated in this year’s Corpus Christi Procession!**
The tabernacle light burns this week in loving memory of someone special.

Andrew McGraw, nephew of Ann & Mike Andreshak
Nolan Bowers, grandson of Daniel & Karen Bowers
Christopher Durkovic, grandson of Joan Kurtz
Chase Halik, son of Tim & Peggy Halik
Avery Jackson, grandson of Steve & Karen Jackson
Ben Jalove, nephew of Chuck & Linda Jalove
Brock Ketcham, cousin of Jean Durran
Kade Ketcham, cousin of Jean Durran
Joshua Plucinski, grandson of Joan Kurtz
Raleigh Redinger, nephew of Mike Magee
Dan Ward, nephew of Sister Rosemary Ward

If you have a family member serving overseas, please let us know. Please also let us know when they return home.

Bible Readings June 18—June 25

**SUNDAY**: Ex 19:2-6a/Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36—10:8 (91)
**MONDAY**: 2 Cor 6:1-10/Mt 5:38-42 (365)
**TUESDAY**: 2 Cor 8:1-9/Mt 5:43-48 (366)
**WEDNESDAY**: 2 Cor 9:6-11/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 (367)
**THURSDAY**: 2 Cor 11:1-11/Mt 6:7-15 (368)
**FRIDAY**: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Mt 6:19-23 (369)

SUNDAY: Jer 20:10-13/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33 (94)
Office Hours & Staff

8700 Havens Drive
Woodridge, Illinois
60517
Phone: (630) 910-0770
Fax: (630) 910-6060
www.ctswoodridge.org

Office Hours
Monday—Thursday 8:30 AM—4:30 PM
Friday 8:30 AM—1:30 PM

Mass Schedule
Monday through Thursday 8:30 AM
Friday Communion Service 8:30 AM
The Rosary is recited following daily Mass.
Saturday 4:45 PM
Sunday 8:30 and 10:00 AM
Holy Days...consult bulletin or call

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday, 4:00-4:30 or by appointment

Pastoral Staff
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Nova Baranski, Bookkeeper Ext. 102

Calendar of Events

Sunday, June 18
Father’s Day
8:30 am—mass
10:00 am—mass
11:00 am—baptism

Monday, June 19
8:30 am—mass

Tuesday, June 20
8:30 am—daily mass

Wednesday, June 21
8:30 am—daily mass

Thursday, June 22
8:30 am—mass
9:30 am—yoga

Friday, June 23
8:30 am—communion service

Cash for Food donation weekend
Friday, June 23
4:45 pm—mass

Cash for Food donation weekend
Saturday, June 24
8:30 am—daily mass

Sunday, June 25
8:30 am—mass
10:00 am—mass

Parish Giving

How many of us live day-to-day not being aware of what we do or perhaps even who we are? Living a conscious, purposeful life takes a lot of energy and commitment. Jesus came into our world to teach us how to live such a life as His Stewards. He reached out to everyone, even those who were considered outside of the acceptable community life.

NEEDED WEEKLY: 2022-2023
Parish Expenses $ 7,700.00
Debt Payment 2,600.00
Total Needed $ 10,300.00

CONTRIBUTIONS: June 7—June 13
Sunday $ 4,561.00
Sunday other forms $ 2,877.00
General Funds $ 155.00
Restricted $ 450.00
Debt Reduction $ 381.00
Total Contributed 8,424.00

Differential this period:
Neeed $ 10,300.00
Reported $ 8,424.00
Differential this period: $ 1,876.00

General Funds includes Holy Days, All Souls, mass intentions, etc.

OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS:
Good Friday $50.00
Easter $100.00
Priest Retirement Fund $ 235.00
Home Missions $ 10.00
Rice Bowl $ 22.00

Debt to Diocese 5/31/2023
$58,895.00

Registered Households—784
God bless you, and thank you for your generous support!

Did you know...To donate stocks, visit www.dioceseofjoliet.org and click on “Donate”, then click on “Stock Donations or call the Development office at 815-221-6100 for information. A free, online will-writing tool is available through the Diocese of Joliet. Visit FreeWill.com/DioceseofJoliet. You can avoid paying taxes on your IRA disbursements by having the check mailed directly to the church. Consult with your financial advisor for information. You can avoid paying taxes on your IRA disbursements by having the check mailed directly to the church. As Catholics, we are called to plan ahead and share the blessings of our lives with our loved ones and future generations. To help you be a steward of everything God has entrusted to your care, Christ the Servant is sharing a free, online will-writing tool. It is cost-free and takes 20 minutes or less to protect your family and your assets and create a gift to pass the Catholic faith onto future generations and strengthen Christ the Servant. Get started at FreeWill.com/DioceseofJoliet. Leave a Legacy.

Composting

Food scraps and yard waste currently make up about 30 percent of what we throw away, so consider composting instead. Making compost keeps these materials out of landfills where they take up space and release methane, a potent greenhouse gas. Your compost can then be used to enrich soil and reduce the need for fertilizer. For convenience, try using an airtight receptacle in your kitchen for interim storage of scraps to reduce trips to your outdoor composter. More info at https://www.epa.gov/recycle/composting-home

“The most profound and serious indication of the moral implications underlying the ecological problem is the lack of respect for life…” Pope John Paul II

Creation Care Corner

Upcoming Events
June 18: Father’s Day and Collection for Retired Priests
June 19-23: Vacation Bible School
June 19: P&SJ meeting 7 pm
June 24/25: Vacation Bible School
June 24: PPC meeting 7 pm
June 26: PLC meeting 6:30 pm
June 26: PPSJ meeting 7 pm
July 2: Baptism 11:00 am
July 4: no daily mass & offices are closed.
July 6: baptism preparation class

Leave a Legacy

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