Upcoming Events

- **There will be no First Friday Mass for the month of August** due to the change of location and the traveling of the canons.

⇒ First Friday Mass will **resume in September at Our Lady of Czestochowa**. Mass at 6:30 pm.

- **Sunday, August 3rd:** Social Hour after Mass at Millennium Hall.

⇒ **Please consider a $2 donation per person to help cover expenses.**

- **Sunday, August 10th:** Blessing Sunday, Blessings of religious articles will be given after Holy Mass.

⇒ **Please plan accordingly as parking will be out in the fields due to the Annual Polish Walking Pilgrimage this weekend.**

- **Friday, August 15th:** Feast of the Assumption, Confessions at 6:00 pm, Mass at 6:30 pm in Merrillville.

⇒ **This will be Canon Bredemann's, first Mass, followed by Priestly blessing.**

American Heritage Girls Coffee Social

American Heritage Girls (AHG) was founded in 1995 by a group of parents wanting a faith-based, scout-type character development program for their daughters.

Thanks to Michelle Wilson & Mary Dustin we have one in NWI for girls ages 5-18! Learn more at the August Coffee Social after mass, or call Michelle at 219.689.7882 - Hope to see you & your daughter soon!

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Rev. Canon Luke V Zignego, Chaplain

Sunday, July 27th, 2025
Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Introit

All you peoples clap your hands, shout to God with cries of gladness! For the Lord, the Most High, the awesome, is the great King over all the earth.
Glory be to the Father . . .
All you peoples clap your hands . . .

Collect

O God, Whose providence never fails to set things in order, we humbly beseech Thee to remove from us whatever is harmful and grant whatever is for our benefit. Through our Lord . . .

Epistle

Romans 6:19-23
Brethren: I speak in a human way because of the weakness of your flesh; for as you yielded your members as slaves of uncleanness and iniquity unto iniquity, so now yield your members as slaves of justice unto sanctification. For when you were slaves of sin, you were free as regards justice. But what fruit had you then from those things of which you are now ashamed? For the end of these things is death. But now set free from sin and become slaves to God, you have your fruit unto sanctification, and as your end, life everlasting.
For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is life everlasting in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Gradual & Alleluia

Come, children, hear me; I will teach you the fear of the Lord. Look to Him that you may be radiant with joy, and your faces may not blush with shame. Alleluia, alleluia. All you peoples, clap your hands, shout to God with cries of gladness. Alleluia.

Gospel

Matthew 7:15-21

At that time, Jesus said to His disciples: Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly are ravenous wolves. By their fruits you will know them. Do men gather grapes from thorns, or figs from thistles? Even so, every good tree bears good fruit, but the bad tree bears bad fruit. A good tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor can a bad tree bear good fruit. Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. Therefore, by their fruits you will know them. Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven; but he who does the will of My Father in heaven shall enter the kingdom of heaven.

Offertory

Make As though it were holocausts of rams and bullocks, or thousands of fat lambs, so let our sacrifice be in Thy presence today, that it may please Thee; for those who trust in Thee cannot be put to shame, O Lord.

Secret

O God, Who hast given us in one perfect sacrifice the fulfillment of the various sacrifices made under the Old Law, accept these sacrificial gifts offered Thee by Thy devoted servants, and make them Holy as Thou didst the gifts of Abel, so that what each one of us has offered in praise of Thy majesty may profit for the salvation of all. Through our Lord. . .

Communion

Incline Thine ear to me, make haste to deliver me.

Post Communion

May Thy healing action, O Lord, mercifully rid us of our evil inclinations and lead us to do what is good. Through our Lord. . .

Wisdom from St. Francis de Sales

"God has guarded you until the present. Hold fast by the hand of His Providence, and He will assist you on all occasions. Where you cannot walk, He will carry you."

A Royal Ball in honor of the Kingship of Christ

Join us for a Royal Ball in honor of Christ the King

Organized by One Dance At A Time

Saturday October 18, 2025

5:00-11:00 pm

Click on the QR code for more details. Please email Denise Garcia at onedanceatatime@gmail.com with any questions

Bursar's Box

Sunday, July 6th: $ 5, 282.00

Sunday, July 13th: $ 3, 903.00

Sunday, July 20th: $ 4, 581.00

Total for the Month of: $ 13, 766.00

Please make checks payable to "Institute of Christ the King" with *Oratory* on the memo line.

All checks made out to "Our Lady of Częstochowa " are given to the Salvatorian Fathers. By order of the bishop, $1100/ week is given in rent to the Salvatorian Fathers.

Thank you for your generosity!