

UPCOMING EVENTS

Please note that all of the Canons will be away at the Mother House of the Institute in Gricigliano, Italy, following Mass today, August 24th through Friday, August 29th for the General Chapter of the Institute. Please keep them in your prayers.

- **Friday, September 5th:** First Friday of the Month. Confessions at 6:00 pm and Holy Mass at 6:30 pm at Our Lady of Czestochowa in Merrillville.
 - **Saturday, September 6th: Pray Together/Grill Together** with Canon Zignego. 12:30pm Rosary followed by cookout. Holy Family House, 6423 S Woodlawn, Chicago. Details to follow—check your flocknote!
 - **Sunday, September 7th: Welcome/Farewell Social Hour for Canon Le and Canon Zignego** after Mass at Millennium Hall.
- ⇒ Please consider a \$2 donation per person to help cover expenses.
- **Sunday, September 14th:** Blessing Sunday, Blessings of religious articles will be given after Holy Mass.

MASS INTENTIONS

The Provincial House of the Institute of Christ the King is currently accepting limited numbers of Mass intentions (no more than 5 per family). As the number of priests available to take these Masses is limited and have duties in other apostolates, we are, unfortunately, unable to accommodate requests for Novenas of Masses or Gregorian Masses.

We also are unable to schedule Masses for specific dates, but can assure you they will be offered within a year of receiving them.

Mass intentions and the corresponding stipends (\$10 minimum) may be placed in the Sunday collection. Please specify Mass intentions on the outside of your envelope.

Please do not delay as the 2025 Mass book may close quickly.



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Sunday, August 24th, 2025 Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

Introit

God is in His holy dwelling; God Who makes men of one mind to dwell in a house; He shall give power and strength to His people. Let God arise and let His enemies be scattered: and let them that hate Him flee from before His face.

Glory be to the Father . . .

God is in His holy dwelling . . .

Collect

Almighty, eternal God, Who in the abundance of Thy love always grant more than Thy humble petitioners deserve, and even more than they desire, pour forth Thy mercy upon us that Thou may forgive whatever our conscience dreads, and give in addition what our prayer does not venture to ask. Through our Lord . . .

Commemoration of St. Bartholemew

Almighty, eternal God, Who bestowed on us the devout and holy joy of this day to celebrate the feast of Thy blessed Apostle Bartholomew, grant unto Thy Church, we beseech Thee, both to love what he believed and to preach what he taught.

Epistle

1 Corinthians 15:1-10

Brethren: I recall to your minds the Gospel that I preached to you, which also you received, wherein also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold it fast, as I preached it to you—unless you have believed to no purpose. For I delivered to you first of all, what I also received, that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, and that He was buried, and that He rose again the third day, according to the Scriptures, and that He appeared to Cephas, and after that to the Eleven. Then He was seen by more than five hundred brethren at one time, many of whom are with us still, but some have fallen asleep. After that He was seen by James, then by the Apostles. And last of all, as by one born out of due time, He was seen also by me. For I am the least of the Apostles, and am not worthy to be called an Apostle, because I persecuted the Church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and His grace in me has not been fruitless.

Gradual & Alleluia

In God my heart trusts, and I find help; then my heart exults, and with my song I give Him thanks. To Thee, O Lord, I call; O my God, be not be deaf to me; depart not from me. Alleluia, alleluia. Sing joyfully to God our strength; acclaim the God of Jacob. Take up a pleasant psalm with the harp. Alleluia.

Gospel

Mark 7:31-37

At that time, Jesus departing from the district of Tyre came by way of Sidon to the sea of Galilee, through the midst of the district of Decapolis. And they brought to Him one deaf and dumb, and entreated Him to lay His hand upon him. And taking him aside from the crowd, He put His fingers into the man's ears, and spitting, He sighed, and said to him: Ephpheta, that is, Be opened. And his ears were at once opened, and the bond of his tongue was loosed, and he began to speak correctly. And He charged them to tell no one. But the more He charged them, so much the more did they continue to publish it. And so much the more did they wonder, saying: He has done all things well. He has made both the deaf to hear and the dumb to speak.

Offertory

I will extol Thee, O Lord, for Thou hast upheld me; and hast not made mine enemies to rejoice over me: O Lord, I have cried to Thee and Thou hast healed me.

Secret

Look with mercy, we beseech Thee, O Lord, upon our act of worship that the gift we offer may be acceptable to Thee and may support us in our frailty. Through our Lord . . .

Commemoration of St. Bartholemew We beseech Thee, O Lord, that we who keep the feast of Thy blessed Apostle Bartholomew, may, by his help, obtain Thy blessings, since we offer Thee this sacrifice of praise in his honor. Through our Lord . . .

Communion

Honor the Lord with thy substance, and with the first of all thy fruits: and thy barns will be filled with abundance, and thy presses shall run over with wine.

Post Communion

By receiving Thy Sacrament, O Lord, may we experience Thy help in mind and body, that being cured in both, we may glory in the full effect of the heavenly remedy. Through our Lord . . .

Commemoration of St. Bartholemew We have received, O Lord, the pledge of everlasting redemption; may it, by the intercession of blessed Bartholomew, Thy Apostle, be our help both now and in the life to come. Through our Lord . . .

BURSAR'S BOX

Sunday, August 3rd: \$ 4, 316.00

Sunday, August 10th: \$ 4, 995.00

Friday, August 15th: \$ 1, 456.00

Sunday, August 17th: \$ 3, 495.00

Total for the Month: \$ 14, 262.00

Please make checks payable to "Institute of Christ the King" with

Oratory on the memo line.

All checks made out to "Our Lady of Czestochowa" 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!