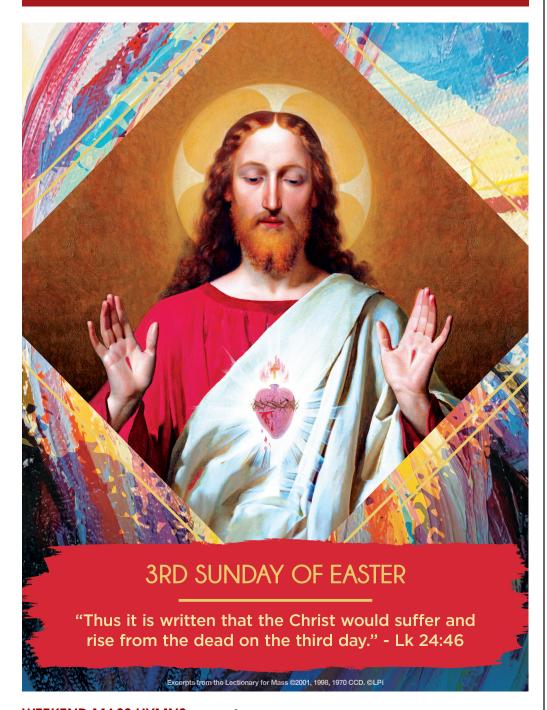


# CHRIST THE KING PARISH

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER | 46TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST | APRIL 14, 2024



**WEEKEND MASS HYMNS:** 179, 167, 537, 175

WEEKEND MASS SETTING: Mass of the Resurrection #866

#### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**



#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### Saturday, April 13

4:00 PM: +Paul Spaulding, by Joanne +Herbert Quinn, by Family

#### Sunday, April 14

7:00 AM: +Rose Borrelli, by Vera Buck Intentions of Don Segundo Delgado 9:00 AM: +Gloria Morin, by Christina LeBrun +Yvonne Gleason, by Albee Family +Frances Cruz, by Family 11:00 AM: +James Michael Bittman

#### Monday, April 15

12:10 PM: Intentions of Anne, Timothy, and Zara +Ducey & Valliere Families, by Estate

+All Souls Day Mass Intentions

## Wednesday, April 17

12:10 PM: +Barry A. Welch, by Terry Welch

#### Thursday, April 18

5:30 PM: +Rev. Marcel Allard Intentions of Mike, Peter, and Autumn

#### Friday, April 19

12:10 PM: Intentions of Michelle Dokka, by Parish Staff

#### Saturday, April 20

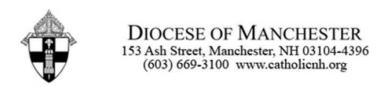
4:00 PM: +Timothy Sobozenski +Don LeBrun, by Donna Geary +Susan Smith, by Family

#### Sunday, April 21

7:00 AM: People of Christ the King Parish 9:00 AM: +Elizabeth Lachance, by Judd Family 11:00 AM: +Joseph R. Berube, by Catherine

+Herb Geary, Jr., by Family

Would you like to have a Mass offered for a deceased loved one, a special occassion (i.e. wedding anniversary or birthday), or for a special intention? Request your Mass intention by calling the Parish Office at **603-224-2328**.



## DIOCESE OF MANCHESTER ADDS TO LIST OF CLERGY ACCUSED OF SEXUALABUSE OF A MINOR

On April 10, 2024, the Diocese of Manchester added three priests to its list of clergy accused of sexual abuse of a minor as part of its continuing effort and commitment to protecting children and young people. The information, assignment histories, and additional resources are available at **catholicnh.org/restoringtrust**.

Reverend George Desjardins has been listed on the Restoring Trust website under the category "Cases Concluded" for a report of abuse that took place more than forty years ago that was received recently. Fr. Desjardins is alive and has been retired since 2002. He is prohibited from ministry.

Reverend Matthew Schultz has been listed on the Restoring Trust website under the category "Cases in Process," which are cases involving living Diocesan priests, but where the canonical proceedings are not yet complete. Fr. Schultz is prohibited from ministry. Out of respect for those involved and because the case is still in process, no further information will be disclosed at this time.

Reverend André Thibodeau has been listed on the Restoring Trust website of the Diocese of Manchester as a Deceased Priest accused of sexual abuse of a minor for a report received after his death. Fr. Thibodeau died in 2015.

Law enforcement has been notified of the reports concerning all three priests. Whenever it becomes aware of a report of sexual abuse of a minor by a priest, deacon, diocesan employee, or volunteer, the Diocese ensures that the New Hampshire Attorney General's office is notified, even if the misconduct took place many years ago.

Anyone with information pertaining to sexual abuse in the Church is encouraged to make a report to law enforcement. For information on how to report abuse, to request counseling or other services, or to learn more about how the Diocese of Manchester works to create a safe environment in all our ministries, visit **catholicnh.org/safety**.

# HOW TO REPORT SUSPECTED ABUSE

If you know of or suspect abuse or neglect of a minor (a person under 18), you must report it to the NH Division for Children, Youth and Families at 1-800-894-5533 or 603-271-6556.

If you are a volunteer in the Catholic Church in New Hampshire, in addition to reporting to DCYF, if you know of or suspect sexual abuse of a minor by Church personnel you must also report it to:

- Local law enforcement and the Delegate for Ministerial Conduct if the abuse involves a minor
- Delegate for Ministerial Conduct if the abuse involves a person who is no longer a minor

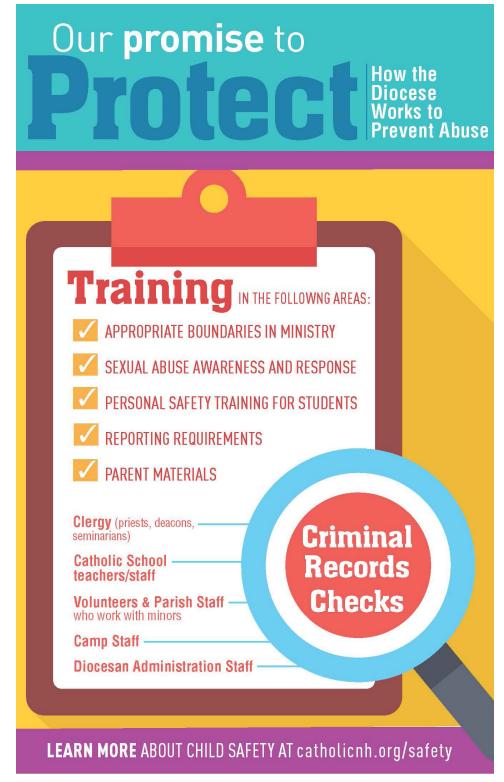
Delegate for Ministerial Conduct - 603-669-3100

# APRIL IS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

The month of April is designated as Child Abuse Prevention Month in the United States. The Diocese of Manchester provides child safety articles, parent guides, and other helpful information about child protection on its website. For more information, please visit www.catholicnh.org/safety during April and share this information with others.

#### ABUSE AWARENESS TRAINING

The Diocese of Manchester requires all those who work with children and youth in our parishes, schools, and camps to complete "safe environment" training. This training teaches adults to recognize and report suspected abuse and boundary violations. Training is offered free of charge to all NH Catholic adults and is available online at https://manchester.cmgconnect.org



## CODE OF CONDUCT

The Diocese of Manchester has established a Code of Conduct, known as Serving Christ, Serving Others, which requires that all "Church personnel" (priests, deacons, religious men and women, and laypeople who work or volunteer at diocesan parishes, schools, administration,

etc.) exhibit the highest ethical standards and personal integrity at all times. The Code includes, among other things, standards for appropriate conduct and boundaries when working with minors. The Serving Christ, Serving Others Code of Conduct is available here: www.catholicnh.org/code

## DISCIPLESHIP COURSE: WE ARE AN EASTER PEOPLE

These words from Saint Augustine capture the theme of three presentations on Easter as the "origin story" of Christians. The presentations will rely heavily on sacred art and photos of the Holy Land to explore the Easter Mysteries as the fulfillment of the Old Testament, the birth of a new creation, and the beginning of paradise. The sessions will be from 6:30-8:00 pm in Barry Hall (second floor) on Wednesday, April 17, April 24, and May 1. The presentations, suitable for adults and children, will be made by Mark Gillis, who holds an Apostolic Catechetical Diploma from the Vatican. To RSVP or for questions, email Mark at mgillis@ holyfamilyacademy.org.

# DISCIPLESHIP COURSE: THE ART OF LIVING

The Art of Living, by Dietrich von Hildebrand Christ the King Parish Reading Group, Mondays, 6:30-7:30 pm, starting Monday, April 22. The reading group will be led by Jim Beauregard, a member of Christ the King Parish, who is an Associated Scholar at the Hildebrand Project at Franciscan University. More info, visit christthekingnh.org/discipleship-courses

#### TRIVIA NIGHT

Back by popular demand! The Social Committee will be hosting a Trivia Night. We can't wait to see you! When: Thursday April 18, 2024,

6:30-8:30 pm

Where: Parish Activity Center

Ages: 16+

# PRAISE AND WORSHIP PRAYER SERVICE

Please join us for our monthly Praise and Worship Prayer Service at Christ the King on Sunday, April 21, at 5:30 pm. These services include Praise and Worship music led by our Raised in Glory Band, scripture, prayer, and healing. The services will begin at 5:30 pm on the third Sunday of each month.

#### **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

Please join us this summer for our Christ the King Vacation Bible School! Kiddos ages 4-12 are welcome to join the fun playing games, doing skits, and singing songs, all while growing in faith and in their relationship with Jesus. The program will run June 24-28, 9:00 am-1:00 pm daily. Teen and adult volunteers are needed as well. Contact Jen Albee at jen@christthekingnh.org.

#### **REQUEST A PRAYER SHAWL**

Could you, or someone you know, benefit from our prayers? There are prayer shawls for anyone you think could be helped by this gift. The crafter prays while fashioning the shawl or blanket and Father Rich blesses each one before it is presented. Think of them as God's warm embrace in a time of need and a "hug" from our parish community. If you would like to request a shawl for someone or for yourself, please contact the parish office at 603.224.2328 or parish@ christthekingnh.org.

#### **RETROUVAILLE**

Do you know someone in a struggling marriage or considering divorce? Retrouvaille is a nationwide, three-phase program that offers a lifeline for married couples. The program includes a weekend experience, 12 post-sessions, and monthly meetings for marriage enrichment. For more information about upcoming weekends, visit **helpourmarriage. org** or email hope@helpourmarriage. org.

#### SEND US YOUR PRAYER REQUESTS

Are you or someone you know going through difficult times? Ste. Thérèse Intercessory Prayer Ministry brings together those needing prayer and 50+ parishioners who offer prayers through our ministry. All information is kept confidential and only what you submit for posting is revealed to prayer ministers. If you or a friend could use support, contact the ministry at prayer@christthekingnh. org or 603.224.2328.

**WEEKEND STAFF:** Kathy Planchet is here this weekend to answer your questions about the parish.

#### **STAY UP-TO-DATE**

Sign up for Parish Happenings using the form at the bottom of the homepage at **christthekingnh.org**.

## ¿HABLA ESPAÑOL?

iBienvenidos/as! Hay misales para la misa en español en el vestíbulo. Unidos en Cristo.

#### **GIVING**

There are many ways to give to your parish:

**Mail:** Mail your check to: 72 South Main Street, Concord, NH 03301

**Offertory:** The offertory basket is passed during weekend Masses.

Online: Visit christthekingnh. org/give or scan the QR code below:



#### MASS & RECONCILIATION TIMES

#### **Weekend Masses**

Sat: 4:00 pm Sun: 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am

#### **Weekday Masses**

Mon, Wed, Fri: 12:10 pm Thurs: 5:30 pm

#### **Reconciliation/Confession**

Thurs: 4:45-5:15 pm Sat: 2:30-3:30 pm

#### **Adoration**

Wed: 7:00-8:00 pm

#### **Christ the King Parish**

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