

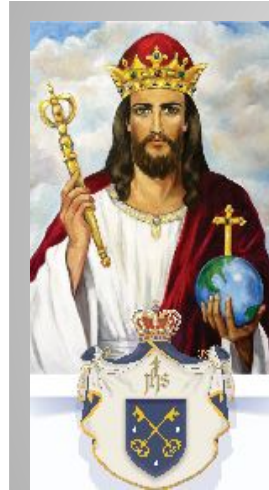
March is the month dedicated to St. Joseph

"Thus in giving Joseph the Blessed Virgin as spouse, God appointed him to be not only her life's companion, the witness of her maidenhood, the protector of her honor, but also, by virtue of the conjugal tie, a participator in her sublime dignity. And Joseph shines among all mankind by the most august dignity, since by divine will, he was the guardian of the Son of God and reputed as His father among men. Hence it came about that the Word of God was humbly subject to Joseph, that He obeyed him, and that He rendered to him all those offices that children are bound to render to their parents. From this two-fold dignity flowed the obligation which nature lays upon the head of families, so that Joseph became the guardian, the administrator, and the legal defender of the divine house whose chief he was. And during the whole course of his life he fulfilled those charges and those duties. ...It is, then, natural and worthy that as the Blessed Joseph ministered to all the needs of the family at Nazareth and girt it about with his protection, he should now cover with the cloak of his heavenly patronage and defend the Church of Jesus Christ." - Quoniam Pluries, Encyclical Letter of Pope Leo XII on devotion to St. Joseph

"...I took for my patron and lord the glorious St. Joseph, and recommended myself earnestly to him. I saw clearly that both out of this my present trouble, and out of others of greater importance, relating to my honor and the loss of my soul, this my father and lord delivered me, and rendered me greater services than I knew how to ask for. I cannot call to mind that I have ever asked him at any time for anything which he has not granted; and I am filled with amazement when I consider the great favors which God has given me through this blessed Saint; the dangers from which he has delivered me, both of body and of soul. As His Majesty was himself subject to St. Joseph while on earth, recognizing in him the authority of foster father and guardian, so now in heaven he is pleased to grant all his requests... Would that I could persuade all men to be devoted to this glorious Saint, for I know by long experience what blessings he can obtain for us from God. I have never known anyone who was truly devoted to him and honored him by particular services who did not advance greatly in virtue: for he helps in a special way those souls who commend themselves to him. It is now very many years since I began asking him for something on his feast, and I have always received it. If the petition was in any way amiss, he rectified it for my greater good. . . . I ask for the love of God that he who does not believe me will make the trial for himself—then he will find out by experience the great good that results from commending oneself to this glorious Patriarch and in being devoted to him." - St. Theresa of Avila

"Ite ad Joseph. Go to Joseph with extreme confidence, because I do not remember having asked anything from St. Joseph, without having obtained it readily." - St. Padre Pio

Capital Campaign - "Do This in Memory of Me": Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, Thank you very much for your generosity! For those who have not yet pledged, please consider doing so. Please keep praying our campaign prayer to St. Joseph! Yours in Christ, - Fr. Huber



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3rd Sunday of Lent

March 8, 2026

"For know you this and understand, that no fornicator, or unclean, or covetous person (which is a serving of idols), hath inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God...For you were heretofore darkness, but now light in the Lord. Walk then as children of the light." - Ephesians 5:5-8

Secretary: Susan Hemeryck
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Office Hours: 10am-3pm, Mon-Fri

Masses

Sunday: 7:00am, 8:30am,
10:30am (high), 1:00pm

Monday: 12:00pm
Tues, Wed, Thur: 7:00am & 9:00am
Friday: 9:00am & 6:30pm.
Saturday: 9:00 am.

Ocala:

Sunday: 4:30pm
Monday: 7:00am.

Confession: 30 min before Mass

Adoration: Fri 10am-6:15pm

Date and Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
3-8	7:00 AM	FSSP
	8:30 AM	Brianne, Bianca & Andrew
	10:30 AM	<i>Pro-populo</i>
	1:00 PM	Chris Shehwen Sr. & family
3-9	12:00 PM	Lucy Gatza+
3-10	7:00 AM	Helen F. Botti+
	9:00 AM	Cerie Wade
3-11	7:00 AM	Mary Jo Sciscenti
	9:00 AM	Elizabeth Hofmeister
3-12	7:00 AM	Maureen Hallagan+
	9:00 AM	William W. Strong+
3-13	9:00 AM	David Bednarz
	6:30 PM	Sylvia Pryzwalny
3-14	9:00 AM	Peter Boivin+
3-15	7:00 AM	Ron Perri
	8:30 AM	Devin & Melissa Jones & family
	10:30 AM	<i>Pro-populo</i>
	1:00 PM	Anne Marie Slovak

“If all the prayers of loving hearts from the beginning of the world, and all the seraphic worship of the thrones and principalities of heaven, and the burning devotion and love of the Virgin Mother of God, and the voices of the all creatures of heaven and earth were offered up in one universal and harmonious act of praise and adoration, they would not equal or even approach in value and efficacy the infinite worth of a SINGLE MASS.”

Weekly Schedule	
Holy Face Devotions	Tue, Mar 10, 10:15 AM
Women's Book Club	Tue, Mar 10, 6:30-8 PM
Youth Catechism	Thur, Mar 12, 5-6 PM
Lenten Soup Meal	Fri, Mar 13, 7:30 PM
Set-Up St. Joseph Altar	Fri-Sat, Mar 13-14, 10 AM
Server Practice	Sat, Mar 14, 10:00 AM
Pro-Life Meeting	Sat, Mar 14, 10:00 AM

Prayer Corner
Please pray for: Maryanne VanGelderren; Sciscenti family; Patricia Furlong; Nguyen Pham; Debora Came; Cindy Lane, Robert Anstead, Richard B; Nicole Romano, Shehwen family, Scott Greenwood; Antonio Negrin; Meadows family; Michelle McConville; Stacy Steindorf, Terry Angley, Amanda Smith, Robert M; Wis family; McNamara family

The 40 Days for Life Spring Campaign is underway! Christ the King has committed to praying outside Planned Parenthood on Saturday, March 21, from 7am-7pm. We need your prayerful presence! The sign-up sheet and more information can be found in the vestibule.

We will have a **Lenten Mission** preached by Fr. Joseph Favole, FSSP: Tues March 17 - 6:30pm talk followed by adoration w/ confessions; Wed March 18 - 6:30pm talk followed by adoration w/ confessions; Thur March 19 - 5:30pm adoration w/ confessions & 6:30pm Mass of St. Joseph w/ sermon. (everything will be streamed at livemass.net)

Saturday March 28th, come meet the seminarians and learn about the solemn Mass! 6pm sung vespers, 6:30pm light refreshments, 7:15pm talk by Fr. Eichman about the solemn Mass.

Save the date: Fr. Josef Bisig, one of the founders of the FSSP, and rector of our seminary in Nebraska, will be here to give a talk Wednesday evening April 8th, on the history of our foundation.

Stations of the cross are being held on Fridays of Lent at 5:30pm. We will continue the tradition of **penitential potluck soup dinners** in the parish hall Friday evenings following the 6:30pm Mass.

Parish Groups

- St. Joseph’s Guild
- St. Theresa Devotions Guild
- Respect Life
- Altar Servers
- Choir
- Youth Catechism
- Youth Group
- Holy Face Archconfraternity
- Women’s Book Club
- Women’s Lectio Divina Prayer Group

1962 Liturgical Calendar

3-8	3rd Sunday of Lent	1	V
3-9	Feria of Lent	3	V St. Frances of Rome, Widow
3-10	Feria of Lent	3	V The Forty Holy Martyrs
3-11	Feria of Lent	3	V
3-12	Feria of Lent	3	V St. Gregory, Pope, Confessor & Doctor of the Church
3-13	Feria of Lent	3	V
3-14	Feria of Lent	3	V
3-15	4th Sunday of Lent	1	V

From the Choir Loft: Sunday 3/8/26: 3rd Sunday of Lent; Entr: Ave Regina Caelorum SEC 951; Asperges SEC 567; Mass XVII SEC 762; Credo I SEC 768; Exit: Forty Days and Forty Nights SEC 829
Théodore Dubois (1837-1924), French composer, organist, and pedagogue, studied with the cathedral organist at Rheims and at the Paris Conservatoire. He was organist or choirmaster at several major churches in Paris. He also taught at the Conservatoire and was its director from 1905-1906. The choir performs his motet Adoramus Te during the Offertory today. (We adore Thee, O Christ and bless Thee because by Thy holy Cross Thou hast redeemed the world.)

Finances

Last Sunday’s collection: cash \$5,701.75; on-line \$4,028.00; **CFA:** \$8,800;
Do This in Memory of Me: cash \$28,700.00; online \$6,355.96

2026 CFA status at CtK as of February 28, 2026: \$96,000.00 assessment; \$41,095.00 pledged (42.81% of goal); from 13.45% of 242 households; \$8,800.00 paid. **Thank you for your support!**

Mass Attendance
March 1 - 516 souls
7am- 74
8:30 am- 157
10:30 am- 195
1:00 pm- 90
Ocala- 316