2023 CFA status at CtK as of March **25**, **2023** : \$123,000.00 assessed by the diocese; \$46,671.00 pledged (37.92% of goal); from 23.74% of 198 households; \$19,439.00 paid. (from dioceseofvenice.org) Thank you for your support!

Last Sunday's Collection: cash \$7,336.10; on-line \$2,235.00; CFA \$370.00. Total souls: 459 (7 am-50; 8:30 am-118; 10:30 am-204; 12:30 pm-87). *Ocala* (303)

Please pray for: Meadows family, Cecilia Khoei, Pat Delio, Cristina Walker (4/2); Giordano Scarano, Julie Johnson, Scott Funderburk (3/26); Dr Manish Kapadia family, & Tran family (3/19); Angelo Manganello, Roberta Speer, McNamara family, Victor Milana, Avery Ledger & Louis Tobola (3/12).

As part of the Safe Environment Program, the Diocese of Venice requires all employees and volunteers who work with children and/or vulnerable adults be fingerprinted and trained in Safe Environment. For further information, contact the parish office. Report any abuse against minors to the Florida Department of Children and Families at 800-962-2873. To report abuse by Diocesan personnel or volunteers also notify the Diocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator, Susan Benton, at 941-416-6114. Please visit the Diocese of Venice website for scheduled training dates.

Things to Know at Christ the King (CtK)

Sunday Best: Sunday is a day given especially to almighty God. In part, we show this by how we dress at the holy Sacrifice of the Mass on this day. When sitting, a woman's dress should reach below her knees, cover her shoulders, and rest near the pit of the throat; a man should wear a suit & tie, or, at least, a collared shirt & clean slacks.

Baptism: we ask that all families be active, registered parishioners 6 months prior to receiving this Sacrament.

First Holy Communion & Confirmation: your child's regular attendance at our catechism classes is anticipated of them before receiving these sacraments.

Matrimony: arrangements with the parish should be made at least 6 months in advance of a wedding date; participation in a priest conducted marriage preparation program is required.

Regarding Confession, as often time is limited to deal with situations in Confession, please know that the priests at CtK are available to meet with you outside confession times to help you with your spiritual dilemmas; simply call the office to arrange an appointment with either priest.

If you are new to the parish, it would please the pastor to meet with you; you may arrange an appointment through the secretary.

Thinking of joining the Catholic Church? Please contact the office; individual instruction will be arranged with our priests.



CHRIST THE KING Catholic Church

An apostolate of the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter preaching the Gospel & sanctifying souls according to the liturgical books of 1962.

Palm Sunday

April 2, 2023, A.D.

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The Daily Mass Schedule is:

Monday at 12 noon.

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at 7:00 am and 9:00 am.

Friday at 9:00 am and 6:30 pm. (On Friday, a 5:30 pm Holy Hour & confession

time, precedes the 6:30 pm Mass.) Saturday at 9:00 am.

Sacramental Emergency: 941-400-5415

The Sunday Mass Schedule is:

7:00 am low; 8:30 am low; & 10:30 am sung & a seasonal 12:30 pm low Mass.

Items on the "Blessing Table" in the hall are blessed after the last Sunday Mass.

Confessions are heard in the confessional box $\frac{1}{2}$ hour before Mass.

Sarasota "Lost & Found" now located in the office

In Ocala:

Sunday Mass at 4:30 pm Monday Mass at 7 am. 1st Saturday Mass at 10:30 am.



Liturgical Calendar for the Upcoming Week

DATE	FEAST CLA	ASS/COLOR	COMMEMORATION
Sun 04-02	Palm Sunday	1/V	
Mon 04-03	Monday in Holy Week	3/V	The Martin
Tues 04-04	Tuesday of Holy Week	3/V	CA DECEMPERATION AS
Wed 04-05	Wednesday of Holy We	eek 1/V	
Thu 04-06	Holy Thursday	1/W&V	
Fri 04-07	Good Friday	1/B&V	A States and a state of the sta
Sat 04-08	Holy Saturday	1/V&W	
Sun 04-09	Easter	1/W	
Mass Intentions for the Upcoming Week in Sarasota			
Sun 04-02 (7 am) CtK volunteers			
((8:30 am) Ryan Beggy	rb Begg	gy family
((10:30 am) Pro-populo		
((12:30 pm) Vladimir Putin	n	rb M/M J Mikluscak
Mon 04-03 ((12 pm) Anthony Tien Tr	uong	rb N Truong
Tues 04-04 ((7 am) Conversion of a lo	ved one	rb anonymous
((9 am) Lisa King	rb C Sc	hiffgens
Wed 04-05 ((7 am) Jack Kennedy	rb M&l	K Weber
((9 am) Fr Bartholomew	rb Ang	ley family
Thu 04-06 ((7 pm) Pro-populo		
Fri 04-07 ((3 pm) Mass of the Presanctified		
Sat 04-08 ((10 pm) Pro-populo		
Sun 04-09 (in 04-09 (8:30 am) intentions of the pastor rb a tertiary		
(10:30 am) The Holy Father			
(12:30 pm) FssP & the preservation of TLM			

Today's 10:30 am Mass: Enter: *Hosanna Filio David*, **Procession**: *Gloria Laus et Honor* (handout); Mass XVII, #762 & Credo I, #768; Exit: silent

Holy Thursday 4/6: Mass IV, #710; Procession: Pange Lingua (handout)

Also, today, only at the 10:30 am Mass will palms be blessed (in the church) followed by an outdoor procession (good weather permitting); blessed palms will be available after this ceremony through Easter Sunday; please don't hog them.

This Holy Week, Holy Monday, no St Theresa Guild (it will meet April 10), staff meeting (3:30 pm), Vespers (4:30 pm), server practice for the Triduum (5:30-7 pm); Holy Tuesday, Holy Face devotions (10:15 am); Spy Wednesday, Vespers (4:30 pm), server practice for the Triduum (5:30-7 pm); (for the rest of the holy Week, see Triduum Schedule.)

On Thursday, Friday & Saturday of Holy Week, from between 10-11:45 am, Fr Hathaway <u>invites you</u> to join him for *Tenebrae*, the Office of Matins & Lauds prayed on these three holy days. In this Office, the Church mourns the sufferings & death of Jesus Christ, the Savior of the world, in pleas & dirges, with Psalms of sorrow. In the Roman Catholic Daily Missal, this prayer begins on page 1694.

Palm Power! know the benefits of your blessed palm:

The Blessing of Palms before processing:

Bless, + we beseech Thee, O Lord, these branches of palm: and grant that what Thy people today bodily perform for Thy honor, they may perfect spiritually with the utmost devotion, by *gaining the victory over the enemy*, and *ardently loving every work of mercy*. Per Dominum nostrum.

Blessing of Palms after processing

O Lord Jesus Christ, our King and Redeemer, in Whose honor we have borne these palms and gone on praising Thee with song and solemnity: mercifully grant that *whithersoever these palms are taken*, there the grace of Thy blessing may descend, and *may every wickedness* and *trickery of the demons be frustrated*; and may Thy right hand *protect those it hath redeemed*. Qui vivis et regnas.

Again, while you may not have actually borne a palm in honor of our King and Redeemer, your desire will suffice for this permissible neglect. Note further the blessing: "whithersoever these palms are taken, there the grace of Thy blessing may descend." Blessed palms may be put behind a crucifix in one's room or made into ornate crosses for the same purpose. But the phrase, "whithersoever these palms are taken" suggests traveling with them. And "taking them whithersoever" what do we ask of God? That "there the grace of Thy blessing may descend." For what purpose? That "every wickedness and trickery of the demons be frustrated" and that the right hand of God "protect those it has redeemed." In virtue of these observations, may I suggest you make a small cross from your blessed palm and, using the wider-sized clear tape, attach this on the underside of your front windshield, off to the driver's side to avoid blocking your view. And sandwich another palm cross between two pieces of clear tape and put this in your wallet or purse. In this way, "whithersoever" you go, by car, foot or kayak, you will have this wonderful blessing & protection with you. How empoweringly cool!

Triduum Schedule - Sarasota: Holy Thursday, Tenebrae (10-11:15 am), server practice (2-4 pm) & Mass of the Last Supper (7 pm); Good Friday, Tenebrae (10-11:20 am), server practice (1-2 pm), Confessions (2:30 pm), Stations (2:30 pm) & Good Friday Service (3 pm) [Divine Mercy Novena begins]; Holy Saturday, Tenebrae (10-11:45 am), server practice (2:30-4:30 pm) & Easter Vigil Mass (10 pm); Easter Sunday, Low Masses at 8:30 am, 10:30 am, & 12:30 pm. Ocala: Holy Thursday (4 pm); Good Friday (12 pm); Holy Saturday (nothing); Easter Sunday (1:30 pm).