

CHURCH OF CHRIST THE KING

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Municipal Parking Lot on west side of Church
As well as neighbouring parking lots. Free on
Saturday and Sundays.

SITE ADDRESS

30 Beech Street, Sudbury, ON

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Raymond Akor - Pastor
Rev. Mr. Roland Muzzatti - Deacon
Wanda Sutton - Music Director & Coordinator
Andrea Rivette - Parish Secretary

IN RESIDENCE

Fr. Vince Fiore
Pastor of the Mater Dei Traditional Latin Mass
Community of Sudbury

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 10:15 am
Tuesday to Friday 12:05 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every last Friday of the month from 1-2pm in the back
of the church. Please enter through the ramp door
from the rear parking lot or by appointment - please
contact the parish office.

MARRIAGE

Please contact the pastor six months to one year
prior to the intended day of marriage.

THE SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION

Please call the Parish Office for more information.

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Please call the Parish Office if you require prayers
for the sick.

VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

For information, contact Fr. Daniele Muscolino at
the Vocations Office at 705-495-1501 or at
d.muscolino@ssmd.ca or check out their
website at www.beapriest.ca

Second Sunday of Advent December 10, 2023



Fourth Sunday in Advent Mass:

Saturday, December 23rd - 5:00pm

Sunday, December 24th - 10:15am

Christmas Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve Mass - Sunday, Dec. 24th

5:00PM, 8:00PM & 12:00AM (Midnight)

Christmas Day Mass: Monday, Dec. 25th - 10:15AM

There will be **NO MASS** on the following days:
(the parish office will be closed)

Tuesday, December 26th

Wednesday, December 27th

Thursday, December 28th

Friday, December 29th

Masses will resume:

Feast of The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph –

Saturday, December 30, 2023 – 5:00pm

Sunday, December 31 – 10:15am

New Years Eve Mass:

Sunday, December 31, 2023 - 5:00pm

New Years Day Mass:

Monday, January 1, 2024 - 10:15am

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ;

As we enter into advent and this most blessed season of Christmas many of you may be thinking of Christmas gifts for your friends and family. We would like to invite you to offer the precious gift of prayer. What better way than to offer up a mass for the special people in your life. Not only will a mass be said for them, you will also be reminding them of your faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. Mass request envelopes are available at the entrances of the church or you can contact the parish office. Mass intention cards are available, if you would like to include them in your Christmas cards.



Weekly Collection Report	Actual	Budget
Sunday Collection	\$3,141.90	\$5,730.00
Building Envelope (Green)	\$417.00	\$443.00
TOTAL	\$3,558.90	\$6,173.00
Stair Project		Actual
Last week's donations		\$176.00
Plus: Previous Donations		\$244,433.67
Total Raised to Date:		\$244,609.67
GOAL		\$600,000.00
Loonies and Toonies for ROOF LOAN		Actual
Last week's donations		\$263.75
Plus: Previous Donations		\$36,393.07
Total Raised to Date:		\$36,656.82
GOAL		\$128,691.02
Monthly BINGO Revenue		
October 2023	\$5,505.06	

Thank you to all who donate to our parish family of
Christ the King! Thank you!

Sponsors of Monthly Parish Breakfasts

	SPONSOR	
Sept 24, 2023	Dr. Ajueze & Family	
Oct 29, 2023	Holy Trinity Men's Club	
Nov 26, 2023	Anonymous Individual	
December 17, 2023	Sponsored – Anonymous Individual	
Parish Breakfast Revenue from sponsors, meal tickets & donations - less expenses for food and kitchen supplies		Net Proceeds
June 2023		\$575.24
September 2023		\$1,138.00
October 2023		\$397.46
November 2023		\$650.00

Sponsor a Parish Brunch in the New Year!
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Adoration Every Wednesday

Adoration and Exposition of

The Blessed Sacrament starts
at 11:00am, right before the Rosary



Reflection: The mission and ministry of John the Baptist, the Precursor of the Lord, are announced to us today.



John is the voice of one crying in the wilderness: 'Prepare the way of the Lord, make His path straight'.

This herald of Christ preaches a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. Whatever is crooked in our lives, making us aimlessly meander and saunter, must be straightened. Some of us have mountains and hills of pride, arrogance and insolence that are to be made low if we wish the Lord to come our way.

There are also some rough edges in our lives that we have to make smooth. We ought to fill up every valley of emptiness in our souls by the gracious Word of God and do its bidding. Obviously, timely preparedness by all the faithful remains a fundamental attitude for this Advent season. Like John, we should lead others to Christ the Lord.

The Church, as the Sacrament of Christ's love for humanity, urges us to open our hearts to receive the inner grace of sanctification for our souls. Come O Lord, and dwell in us! *'God's Word, Daily Reflections 2023.'*

MASS INTENTIONS

Our Masses are on [YouTube.com](https://www.youtube.com) please search:
'Fr. Raymond at Christ the King, Sudbury' -OR-
Google Search: [mcnmedia.tv](https://www.mcnmedia.tv) - then choose
'Sudbury' and click on picture of Christ the King.

Weekday Mass times:

Tuesday – Friday at 12:05pm

Weekend Mass times:

Saturday at 5:00pm & Sunday at 10:15am

Monday, December 11, 2023

~Private Mass in Rectory Chapel~

Isaiah 35.1-10; Luke 5.17-26

(INT) Intentions of the Parishioners

by the Pastor, Fr. Raymond Akor

Tuesday, December 12, 2023

Feast – Our Lady of Guadalupe

Zechariah 2.10-13; Luke 1.39-47

+ Lyn Andrews by Mary Diamond

Wednesday, December 13, 2023

Memorial – St. Lucy

Isaiah 40.25-31; Matthew 11.28-30

**+ Melody Cappelletti-Cotnam, Nonna Rosa &
Nonna Leda by Robert & Roberta**

Thursday, December 14, 2023

Memorial – St. John of the Cross

Isaiah 41.13-20; Matthew 11.11-15

+Earl Radey by Moe Bradley

Friday, December 15, 2023

Isaiah 48.17-19; Matthew 11.16-19

+ Ivan Robert by Linda

Saturday, December 16, 2023

Third Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 61.1-2a, 10-11; 1Thessalonians 5.16-24;

John 1.6-8, 19-28

**+ Vincenzo & Italia Caporale by Vanda, Mario &
Grace Caporale**

+ Justin Stankus by Briuta Stankus

Sunday, December 17, 2023

Third Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 61.1-2a, 10-11; 1Thessalonians 5.16-24;

John 1.6-8, 19-28

**(INT)CWL members & families by Catherine
Luoma, CWL President**

+ Ryan Kirkwood by Jenn Kirkwood

Penitential Service

at Christ the King Church

Wednesday,

December 13, 2023

6:30PM



On this, the second Sunday of Advent we learned about John the Baptist who came to prepare the way for Jesus. He invited people to turn away from their lives of sin and to live according to God's laws of love. Pray with our children for the grace to accept John the Baptist's invitation to make our world a better place, as we "prepare the way" for Christmas.



"Jesse Tree" The Jesse Tree is a long-time tradition at Christ the King Parish. This year the Liturgy Committee invites you to help support the Blue Door Soup Kitchen. Help us bring the joy of Christmas to those in need in our community. Please take an envelope from the tree and place your donation envelope in the collection basket. The deadline for the gifts and cash donations is December 22nd.

DECEMBER VIRTUE OF THE MONTH

During the month of December, our Catholic Schools will examine the value of **PATIENCE**.

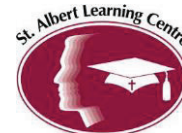
Patience is especially important during the important time of Advent. Ecclesiastes reminds that "for everything there is a season, a time for every matter under heaven..." As we wait patiently for Jesus' arrival, we take the time to develop patience. Through classroom activities, discussions and school liturgies, the students will have the opportunity to explore and reflect on this value. Please help us by praying for the staff and students as we explore this PATIENCE in waiting baby Jesus.

"The seeds that fall in good soil stand for those who hear the message and retain it in a good and patient heart, and they persist until they bear fruit." Luke 8:15

The members of the Catholic Women's League would like to sincerely thank the students of the PEACE program at St. Alberts Adult High School for their generous, very festive and very tasty contributions to the bake sale



held in conjunction with the November parish brunch last weekend. We would also like to thank Fr. Raymond and the generous parishioners of Christ the King church for their support.



PARISH BREAKFAST!

December 17, 2023

**Following the 10:15am Mass.
Downstairs in the Memorial Hall**

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