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Christ the King Cathedral School

CTK Connection

February 8, 2018

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Sunday, February 11, 2018
6th Sunday of Ordinary Time
Gospel Reading: Mark 1:40-45

Often one of our human weaknesses has to do with us believing or thinking we know better than God in relation to what we do and what we do in relation to others. Of course, part of that has to do with our failure to pray and consult the Lord, or even more to make no effort to understand what God may be telling us.

In this Sunday's Gospel Reading from St. Mark, we will hear about Jesus curing a

leper. In His instructions to the cured man, He says, "See that you tell no one anything," Of course, the man pays no attention to this instruction from the Lord. Instead, "The man went away and began to publicize the whole matter." Surely the man meant well; in fact, he probably thought he was helping Jesus, but the reality as stated in the Gospel is that his disobedience hindered the ministry of Jesus, "so that it was impossible for Jesus to enter a town openly." We need to obey the Lord, and we should never think we have a better plan than He does.

Even the eminent scientist Albert Einstein recognized how important Jesus' teachings are. Einstein said, "As a child I received instruction both in the Bible and in the Talmud. I am a Jew, but I am enthralled by the luminous figure of the Nazarene - no one can read the Gospels without feeling the actual presence of Jesus. His personality pulsates in every word. No myth is filled with such life."

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ALL ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR
ALL-SCHOOL MASS
TOMORROW, FRIDAY, 2/9, @ 8:15AM
Mass uniforms required!

REMINDER!!
Next Wednesday, 2/14/18, is Ash Wednesday which results in the following:
- Elementary Valentine's Day Parties will be held on Tuesday, 2/13, at 2:30pm
- All-School Mass @ 8:15am on Wed., 2/14 Mass uniform required!
- 2pm Dismissal on Wed., 2/14, but NO free dress
- Ice Cream Sale for February is moved to Wed., 2/21, after school.

CSW Sock Hop Proceeds Provide Gift Cards for Buckner's Children's Home

During Catholic Schools Week, elementary students enjoyed a sock hop while raising funds for Buckner's Children's Home! Entry fees for the sock hop were used to purchase gift cards for teenagers who are aging out of Buckner's services. A total of

$928.77 was donated to Buckner's representatives to assist over 100 teenagers in upcoming months. […] …»

Treats for Your Valentine! Orders DUE

TOMORROW, Friday, 2/9/18!

Last chance to place your order - DUE TOMORROW, Friday, 2/9! The Class of 2019 is here to help you treat your Valentine! They are selling small stuffed toy bears with candy for $5 each or candy roses for $2 each. Orders should be placed no later than Friday, 2/9/18. Items will be delivered on […] …»

Jr. High Valentine's Dance

TONIGHT, Thursday, 2/8/18, 6:30pm-9pm

in the CTK Café

Sunday Best Dress

$3 Admission

Deadline to sign up Non-CTK student guests was yesterday, Wed., 2/7!

CTK Students Participate in the South Plains Regional Science Fair TOMORROW, Friday, 2/9!

CTK students who placed 1st - 5th & Honorable Mention in the school science fair last month will be participating with hundreds of others from around the panhandle & south plains region in the South Plains Regional Science & Engineering Fair at Texas Tech's United Spirit Arena on Friday, February 9th. Awards ceremony will be held Friday evening at […] …»

Congratulations to Our Adventure Awaits! Raffle Winners & Thanks to Our Sponsors!

The CTK Home & School Association announced the winners of this year's largest fundraiser, the Adventure Awaits! Raffle, at the Catholic Schools Week Celebration Dinner & Dance on January 27th. Congratulations to Raul Camo, Jr. who won the Disney World trip, James Bennett who won the Zion National Park trip, Daniel Martinez who won the […] …»

First Semester Outstanding Students Announced

First semester outstanding students were announced during last Friday's All-School Mass at the end of Catholic Schools Mass. These students were selected by the faculty & staff for their leadership skills, citizenship with classmates, academic success, dedication to their faith as well as involvement in activities in & out of school (for older students). Congratulations […] …»

Pre-Order Your Breakfast Burritos for Next Thursday, 2/15!

The February breakfast burrito sale is

coming up next Thursday, 2/15, before school. Burritos have been selling out, so guarantee your breakfast by pre-ordering! Click here for order …»

Urgent Volunteer Opportunities:

See the Volunteer Opportunities Section below for many ways to fulfill your required service hours or ways to help our school community. These are the urgent needs at this time:

* The **Spring Book Fair** has many open slots for volunteers throughout **next week**. Click on this link to sign up:
http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0e4ba5a823abf49-book

* The **CTK Garden** needs some extra hands for the next Jr. High/High School Community Service Day the morning on **Friday, March 2nd**. Contact Jessica Caroom at jessicatullar@gmail.com if you are available on March 2nd or anytime (including weekends!) to help.

Sponsorships Sought for '18-'19 Bookcovers and Folders

Each year, H.R. Graphics solicits sponsors to cover the cost of bookcovers and folders that are distributed each school year to students. Our representative is currently looking for companies and/or individuals for the 2018-2019 school year. Bookcovers are used to protect student textbooks throughout the school, and folders are used for homework, special assignments and […] …»

Diocesan Lenten Opportunities; Retreats, Stations of the Cross & Lenten Meals

There are many Lenten opportunities across the Diocese of Lubbock over the next several weeks. We are providing a list of Ash Wednesday services, penance services, Lenten retreats, Stations of the Cross for Fridays of Lent and various meals so that you can take part in our faith community. Click here for a schedule of […] …»

SCRIP Continues to Benefit the CTKC School Community!

CTK Home & School Association has partnered with SCRIP for an easy fundraising program! You are invited to buy gift cards for over 300 major retailers to use for your own day-to-day purchases or give them as gifts! Visit shopwithscrip.com for a full list of retailers. What a great way to help our school while [...] ...»

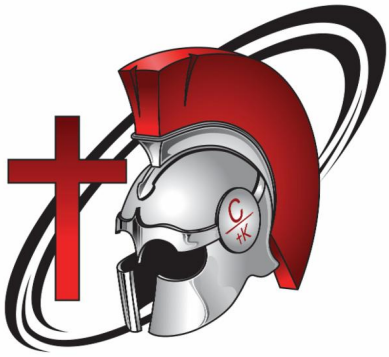
Online Safe Environment Training Program Now Available!

Do you still need to take a safe environment training class so you can be more involved with youth & school activities? Here is a great new program for you to take at your convenience! The Diocese of Lubbock announces our affiliation with VIRTUS; an internationally known and well respected best practices platform for Safe [...] ...»

TROJAN BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Friday - SENIOR RECOGNITION NIGHT (come out & show your appreciation for our senior players!):
Varsity Basketball v. Plainview Christian (HOME - Lady Trojans-6pm/Trojans-7:30pm)

Saturday - JH Basketball (8th grade boys' & girls' teams) @ WTCAA End of Season Tournament (Championship Round in Amarillo)



Calendar Dates: *dates/times are accurate at time of publication but are subject to change*

Today - JH Valentine's Dance, 6:30pm-9pm

Fri. - 8:15am-All-School Mass; South Plains Regional Science & Engineering Fair at TTU; Science Fair Awards at United Spirit Arena @ 7:30pm; **SENIOR RECOGNITION-** Varsity Basketball v. Plainview Christian

Sat. - WTCAA Jr. High Basketball Tournament Championship Round (Amarillo)

Mon.-Fri. - Scholastic Book Fair in the Shipton Library, 9am-3pm daily

Tues. - Pre-K & Kindergarten Mardi Gras hall parade; Elementary Valentines parties @ 2:30pm

Wed. - 8:15am-All-School Mass for Ash Wednesday (MASS UNIFORM required); 2pm Early Dismissal for Faculty Faith Formation; no after school ice cream sales (moved to 2/21)

Thurs., 2/15 - Junior Class Breakfast Burritos before school (pre-order form above)

Fri., 2/16 - 8:15am-All-School Mass; Chinese New Year parade during afternoon

Mon., 2/19 - Presidents' Day - School Holiday!

Mark Your Calendar.:
2/21 - Ice Cream Sale after school; H&S Board meeting @ 5:30pm

2/22 - Author Visit with 1st/2nd grades

2/23 -All-School Mass; Knights of Columbus #3008 Fish Fry in FAC

(HOME-6/7:30)

2/24 - PSIA District Academic Meet @ All Saints (1st-8th)

Volunteer Opportunities

NEW Volunteer Opportunities Announced! All CTK families are required to complete 20 service hours (10 hours for single parents) for the 2017-18 school year. To help you [...] ...»

BOX TOPS COLLECTION UPDATE!

400 box tops were collected in January. Currently, Mrs. Klein's class has collected the most, with Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Lozada close behind! Remember- the class that collects the most will earn a snow cone party!

CTK CAFÉ NEWS & DEADLINES!

CTK Café lunch orders are due each Wednesday for the following week of lunches.

All lunch orders should be placed by logging into your parent RenWeb account and [...] ...»

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