

## Christ The King Retreat Center

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## **MONTHLY NEWSLETTER**

## A Weekend Away for Men & Women-Aug 9-11

- Check-in on **Friday** after 4 pm, supper at 6 pm, welcome at 7 pm, Adoration at 7:30 pm.
- **Saturday**: Mass, 3 meals, personal time for prayer and reflection, optional guided meditation and holy hour with confessions and spiritual direction available.
- Sunday: breakfast at 8 am, Mass at 10 am with departure after Mass, grounds and public areas available until 3 pm.
- The value of this retreat is \$200 and includes 2 nights private accommodations and 5 meals.
- Registrations will be taken until Thursday, Aug 8
- Register now at <a href="https://kingshouse.com/event/a-weekend-away-guided-by-kings-house-retreat-staff/">https://kingshouse.com/event/a-weekend-away-guided-by-kings-house-retreat-staff/</a>
- Questions—Call Anita or Connie at 763-682-1394.



### This Month's 1-minute Retreat

## Call to Serve

#### John 12:26

Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves me.

Read the above scripture several times slowly and then listen in silence to hear God's voice.

#### Ecclesiastes 3:1

There is an appointed time for everything, and a time for every affair under the heavens.

## Do This in Memory of Me

Our reception of the holy Eucharist is a holy union with Jesus Christ and the Holy Trinity and others. Am I aware, intentional, devotional, in this event? How to improve? Join us as we prayerfully consider how Christ in the Eucharist is present in our daily routine.

Women's Silent Midweek Sept 24-26, Oct 8-10, Nov 5-7

Women's Silent Weekend — Sept 24-26

Men's Silent Weekend Retreats Sep 27-29, Nov 1-3, Dec 6-8

Married Couples Weekend - October 18-20



#### **Isaiah 40:31**

"They that hope in the Lord will renew their strength, they will soar on eagles' wings; they will run and not grow weary, walk and not grow faint."

Just as it seems all is going well, another matter needs attention. And just as these needs pop up, we trust in the prayer and dedication of our retreatants and benefactors to provide the means to aid in their resolution. Please add these needs to your prayers as we trust in the Lord to supply for our need.

- Shower Enclosures in Mary Hall:
  - 10 Rooms need 1 side panel—\$480 each
  - 4 Rooms need both side panels and a door—\$1,330 each
- Bedspreads and black-out curtains in Joseph Hall 7th Floor: \$4,000 (\$250 per room x 16 rooms)
- Sooner than we expected, we need a new A/C unit for Mary Hall, the Blue Room and Foyer by the Grand Stairway. We are getting quotes now.
- Future planning: Joseph Hall will need a new water heater soon—\$7,000; also, the roof over the Kitchen and dining rooms (4th Floor– Mary Hall) is over 30 years old and will need to be replaced soon.

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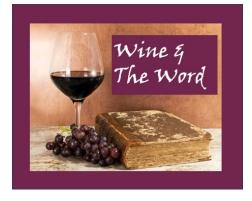
# 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 "Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."

It was decided to get Chokecherry Bushes for the street by the Moses Statue; these will be planted in the fall and will look beautiful in the spring, give fruit and create a natural enclosure for our quiet retreats.

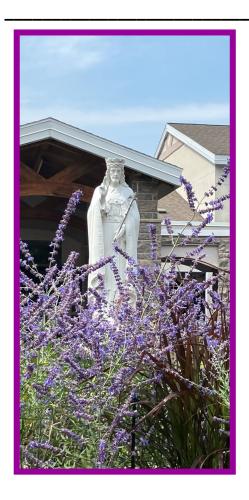
Thermal coating for Reconciliation Hallway windows—These were installed in late July and can already feel the A/C not working so hard in this area.

Shower Enclosures in Mary Hall —4 rooms are complete.

Stump grinding and fill for the 2 rotted trees is complete — Grass is now growing and looking beautiful. Bedspreads and black-out curtains to replace the blinds in Joseph Hall —5th & 6th floors are done.



Due to scheduling conflicts, our Sept-Oct-Nov, Wine & The Word series will not happen this fall. We are contemplating an Advent Wine & The Word on a Tuesday evening in late November / early December. Look for more information in the September email newsletter.



## 2024 Retreats with Special Presenters

August 23-25—"Unwrapped Presents" Silent Retreat for Men & Women presented by Fr. Charles Lachowitzer

October 4-6—Serenity 11th Step Retreat for Men & Women presented by Fr. Bill Sheehan, OMI

**November 8-10 "Living Inside our Hope"** Silent Weekend Retreat for Men & Women presented by Fr. Joseph Nassal, C.PP.S.

**November 22-24—Serra International Retreat** for Men and Women presented by Deacon Joseph Michalak, Director of Office of Discipleship & Evangelization

December 13-15 "Advent: A Season of Darkness and Light" Silent Retreat for Men & Women presented by Susan Stabile

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