

Important Information

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President	Rev. Michael King, Pastor	410-257-3810 x20	pastor@ccjgs.org

Accounting, Bookkeeping and Collection Counting

Questions concerning contribution record keeping call our bookkeeper,
Mrs. Pam Huseman, 301 257-3810 x36 — accounting@ccjgs.org

Events Coordinator for our Centre

Mrs. Tracy Pike, 410 257 3810 x24 — tracypike@verizon.net

Provides information and planning for receptions and other large events held in the Centre.
Assists with our own catering service.

Family Center, Fields and Pavilion

ALL use of these areas must be approved by Mrs. Theresa Mills, Coordinator at 410 257-3810 x25
familycenter@ccjgs.org

Meeting Space and Events

Church groups needing space for meetings should call for room allocations. Space for approved meetings/events for meeting areas in the buildings are scheduled by our Church Secretaries:

Mrs. Sharon Fulton, 410 257-3810 x15 — secretary@ccjgs.org

Mary Otranto, 410 257-3810 x10 — receptionist@ccjgs.org

Bulletin Information

Announcements for the bulletin must be submitted before noon on Tuesday to:
Sharon Fulton, 410 257-3810 x15 — secretary@ccjgs.org

Church Staff

- Reverend Michael J. King, Pastor, 410 257-3810 X20 — pastor@ccjgs.org
- Rev. Mr. Chad Martin, Deacon, 410 257-7177 — deaconchad@chesapeake.net
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- Mrs. Pamela Huseman, Bookkeeper/Administrative Assistant,
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- Mrs. Theresa Mills, Coordinator of Family Center, Fields, And Pavilion,
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- Mrs. Mary Otranto, Church Secretary,
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Cardinal Hickey Academy Staff

- Sister Mary Juliana Cox, O.P., Principal
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- Mrs. Margie Catterton, Secretary, 410 286-0404 OR 301 812-0404
- Mrs. Gloria Wilkerson, Secretary, 410 286-0404 OR 301 812-0404



Frequently Asked Questions

1. What is the purpose of the Covenant Scroll?

Taking the time and attention to prayerfully complete your Covenant Scroll helps to focus your life and plan how to give significantly of your time, treasure and talent to the Lord. **Beginning this year, we will “sign up” to help our chosen ministries directly at the Ministry Fair which will be held for three consecutive weekends on September 5, 12 and 19.** Then, bringing these completed scrolls to the Altar on Covenant Sunday becomes a powerful symbol of your commitment to the work of the Lord.

2. How will I be able to decide what to sign up for during the Ministry Fair?

This booklet contains a list of the 115 ministries and small groups at Jesus the Good Shepherd. If you read the brief descriptions of those ministries, you will discover what the ministry would entail and how much time you might expect to devote to that activity. You can get further information by attending the Ministry Fair, or contacting the facilitator listed for each ministry.

3. Is everything at Jesus the Good Shepherd a ministry?

We consider all activities at Jesus the Good Shepherd to be a ministry of some kind under the virtues of Hospitality, Spirituality and Stewardship.

4. Can I sign up for more than one ministry?

Yes, but be a good steward of your time. Many parishioners are already involved in one or more ministries of Hospitality, Spirituality and Stewardship. For example, someone could be a lector, provide after-Mass refreshments and also volunteer to work at our monthly SHARE food program. It's not important how many ministries for which you sign up, but rather, the time, effort and love you put into those ministries.

5. How will I know that my offer to become involved has been reviewed by someone?

Shortly after Covenant Sunday, you should receive an email note or a phone call from each ministry coordinator that you signed up with during the Ministry Fair.

6. What if I don't hear from anyone concerning commitments I make?

If you do not receive an email or a call from the ministry coordinators by October 15, please contact the ministry coordinator listed in this booklet or call Sharon Fulton, 410 257-3810 x15.

7. Is the Ministry Fair the only time I will be able to sign up to help with something?

No. Throughout the year there are always opportunities for parishioners to become involved in various activities. The bulletin, pulpit announcements and our website (www.ccjgs.org) will highlight these activities.

8. My schedule does not permit me to attend many meetings. Is there something I could do at home?

There are a number of activities that could be done in your home, such as making phone calls, desktop publishing, baking, etc. Talk to the people at the Ministry Fair or call the coordinator listed here.

9. I plan to continue the same activities at Jesus the Good Shepherd, should I still sign up at the Ministry Fair?

Yes, please sign up so that the ministry coordinator knows of your continued involvement and has your current contact information.

10. What if I am not sure about what I might want to become involved in and just need some more information?

This *Covenant Booklet* indicates the name of the coordinator for each ministry and that person's phone number. If you give that person a call, you will be able to obtain the information you need. Information will also be available at the Ministry Fair held on the first three weekends in September.

11. Does each member in the family need to fill out a separate Covenant Scroll?

Yes. In fact, there are separate scrolls for children, teens and adults. Please help your children to fill out their scrolls. Parents may wish to share the contents of their own scrolls with their children who learn best from parental role modeling. When the scrolls are brought to the altar during the Mass on Covenant Sunday, we dedicate to the Lord, all that we have committed to do and to give of our time, talent and treasure during the coming year.

Fall Mass Schedule:

Beginning September 1st

Saturday:

Confessions: 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday:

Morning Masses 8:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

Evening Mass: 5:00 p.m.

Nursery: 7:45 to 12:15 a.m.

Daily Mass:

Monday, and Wednesday thru Friday 7:30 a.m.

Tuesday 8:45 a.m.

Saturday Morning 8:00 a.m.

Holy Day Masses: 7:30 am, Noon and 7:00 pm

Summer Mass Schedule:

Beginning in early Summer

Saturday:

Confessions: 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday:

Morning Masses: 8:00 a.m. and 9:45 a.m.

Evening Mass: 5:00 p.m.

Youth Covenant Sessions (Religious Education)

Elementary – PreK through Grade 6 Sunday, 9:20-10:20 a.m.

Family Sessions - 1st thru 8th Grades Every other Sunday 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Covenant Prayer

*Father, You have called us to be a People of the Covenant.
You sent your only begotten Son to be our Savior so that we might praise You,
proclaim your Word, encounter You in the sacraments, welcome each other,
share our faith, bring our sacrifices and be strengthened for your service.*

*We pray that we might be a source of compassion toward the poor,
justice for the oppressed, peace for the troubled, healing for the wounded,
and wisdom for the searching.*

*Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us that we might live the mystery of your love,
and fulfill the covenant we celebrate in the Eucharist.*

Father, we ask this in Jesus' Name.

Amen