

## Enrichment Activities K - 8

## Band

Aside from a weekly music class, 5th graders and middle school students are offered the opportunity to participate in the school band, for a small additional fee. Fifth graders select an instrument and are instructed in both small instrument groups and as one large group, forming a separate 5<sup>th</sup> grade band. Band classes are usually held during the school day. Outside lessons are recommended, but not required.

The Middle School Band currently boasts 36 members in grades 6-8. The middle school band plays several concerts during the year, both on and off school grounds. The band also participates in the CYO Music Fest each year. Band is a very popular activity at Christ the King School. Band classes for the Middle School students are held as an elective during the school day.

## **Student Council**

Two members from each 4<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> grade homeroom are elected to represent their homeroom on the student council. The members work with a faculty advisor on fund raising and special activities. There is also an executive council made up of President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and the Commissioner of Religious Activities.

Extra Curricular Offerings At CKS Include:	CYO Sports as follows:
Academic Olympics* (gr 7 & 8)	Baseball* (boys gr 6-8)
Altar Servers (Catholics gr 5-8)	Basketball* (gr 4-8)
Band Performances (gr 5-8)	Cheerleading* (girls gr 3-8)
Brownies/Girl Scouts (gr K-6)	Cross Country* (gr 4-8)
Children's Choir (gr 1-8)	Football* (boys gr 3-8)
Geography Bee (gr 5-8)	Kickball* (girls gr 4-8)
Student Council* (gr 4-8)	Softball* (girls gr 7-8)
Robotics* (gr 3-8)	Track & Field* (gr 4-8)
School Play (gr 7)	Volleyball* (gr 4-8)
Spell Bowl Teams (gr 4-8 & 6-8)	Wrestling* (boys gr 1-8)
STEM Challenge Club (gr K-5)	
Student Council* (gr 4-8)	

\*Extra curricular offerings followed by an asterisk are subject to academic eligibility criteria as explained in the Parent/Student Handbook.

## **Field Trips**

Individual teachers determine field trips by grade. Most trips utilize parent volunteers to aide with planning, chaperoning, and driving; some trips utilize a bus. During the school year, the middle school students and individual grades might have the opportunity to attend one or more local area high school or theater groups plays, or visit museums and other sites of interest as a supplement to learning.