

CTK CONNECTIONS

The Staff at Christ the King Wish Everyone a Blessed Thanksgiving



Thanksgiving Eve Bulletin

Join us for an online

ECUMENICAL THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE

Wednesday, November 25th at 7pm

Participating Churches Include: Christ the King, Delafield Pastor Jackie Cook & Mark Gould, Music Director Delafield Presbyterian Church Pastor Nikki Blanks Kettle Moraine United Presbyterian Church Pastor Matt Lee St. Joan of Arc, Delafield Choir Leisha Smith, Director of Liturgy & Music St. Catherine, Mapleton Bill Frederick, Pastoral Associate



Services will be available on <u>Facebook</u> <u>You Tube</u> and CTK <u>Website</u>

Sunday, November 29 Online Worship at 9:00 am First Sunday in Advent "Watch" Pastor Jackie Cook

Children's Message- Summer Markham

Special Music- Mikaela Hanrahan vocals in German, Emilia Bale & Gary Fluaitt, Emmerson Neumiller, Peyton Goetz Music Director-Mark Gould

On-Line Holy Communion for Advent

During the month of Advent, CTK will be having on-line Communion during our Sunday worship services. All are invited to celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Children who have received their First Communion instructions are welcome to receive.

Before the service begins, you will want to prepare your elements: Bread and wine or grape juice. You may find it meaningful to set up a worship space in your home. Be creative! Here are some ideas:

- Tablecloth or placemat
- A plate (everyday or something that holds a memory) with the bread, covered by a cloth or napkin
- Wine glass or glass with wine or juice.
- · Candle
- · Cross, or picture of Jesus.
- · A symbol of your faith.

During the service you will experience a different Eucharistic prayer inviting you to partake in your homes, trusting that God is not limited to our sense of time and space and that Emmanuel---God is with us wherever we are. After the invitation to Communion, we will commune together. Parents can bless their children at this time.

I hope that you find this experience meaningful.

Pr. Jackie

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Online Worship Guide

Coming Up At Christ the King

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Sunday, November 29- First Sunday in Advent- Theme "Watch" Saturday, December 5- Finding Hope during "These" Holidays. Pastor Jackie will lead this time of processing grief and finding joy this Advent and Christmas season. 9:30 am via Zoom. Sunday, December 6-Second Sunday of Advent- Theme "Wait" Sunday, December 6-Drive up Communion 10:00-11am Drop off time for the Shorehaven Giving Tree collection, after Communion -More dates and details below. Sunday, December 13-Third Sunday in Advent-Theme "Wonder" Sunday, December 13- "Coffee and Christmas Customs with Pastor Jackie" Make yourself a warm beverage, share your decorating traditions, gather via zoom 10-11am. Sunday, December 13-Intergenerational Christmas Program Sunday, December 20-Fourth Sunday in Advent-Theme "Worship" Sunday, December 20-"Cookies and Cocoa (or coffee) with Pastor Jackie" Make yourself a warm beverage and grab some Christmas cookies to eat and to show. Sharing cookie recipes and Christmas stories via Zoom 10-11am. Sunday, December 20-Virtual "Christmas Around the World" Concert Monday, December 21- Ecumenical Blue Christmas Event- Details Below

Christmas Eve Service Times - To be announced soon.



Ecumenical Longest Night Prayer Labyrinth Blue Christmas

Christ the King will join with its partners on Monday, December 21 from 4-8pm in the Longest Night Prayer Labyrinth. Located at: Kettle Moraine United Presbyterian Church N66 W32690 County Hwy K, Hartland, WI 53029 (locate ¼ mile East of Stone Bank)

Stop at the parsonage on the way in for instructions for walking the prayer labyrinth.

A prayer labyrinth is the spiritual practice of meditation and praying while walking a lighted winding path. In this Blue Christmas labyrinth, Laying down our burdens we emerge with greater

strength and peace.

Click Here For The Latest Update On In Person Worship from Pastor Jackie



Private Memorial Service for Carl Scheid PENDING

(The December 6 date has been cancelled)



Did you know?

Congress passed provisions to encourage charitable contributions for 2020, a difficult year filled great need. For taxpayers who claim a standard deduction, a \$300 above-the-line deduction can be claimed for cash gifts to eligible charities. Itemizing taxpayers can deduct up to 100% of their adjusted gross income in cash contributions. Please

note that the gifts must be cash and must be given directly to an eligible charity. Christ the King appreciates your consideration as you plan year end gifts.

Shorehaven Giving Tree

Please consider purchasing a gift for the Shorehaven Outreach Christmas. Click on the link below to view a wish list of items that the Shorehaven residents would like to receive for their annual Christmas party. **Click Here for the wish list and drop off times.**



Outreach Christmas Project for The Women's Center in Waukesha

Since 1977, the mission of The Women's Center is to provide safety, shelter and support to empower all impacted by domestic abuse, sexual violence, child abuse and trafficking. As the only agency of its kind in Waukesha, they envision an engaged community that does not tolerate or accept interpersonal violence and provides abundant resources to ensure futures free from violence.

We feel the safest way for CTK to accomplish this, would be to collect monetary funds and have Outreach do the shopping.

We hope to support 1-3 families through these efforts, making sure families can celebrate a Christmas that includes gifts from their wish list.

• Please remit checks to "Christ the King", with "Women's Center" noted on the memo line, by November 30.

Any excess funds collected will be used to either adopt more families or purchase food for the families.

Individual Prayers: Theodore Michael Seubert, Grandson of Mike & Meredy Hase.

The Grieving Family: Carl Scheid, Tom Kreklow and Bob Audley (Jill Vento's Grandfather)



Ongoing Prayers: Juanita, Alice S., Karen N., Mike Corgiat, victims of human trafficking, those serving in the military, those who are incarcerated, and their families.

Thank you to all who offered prayers on our behalf. Shawn Williams, husband of Krista Grandy Williams, is recovering at home after spending 2 months in ICU.He has an artificial heart now and is on the heart transplant list.

Ministry Partners: Serenity Inn, Family Promise, Reformation Lutheran Church, Lutherdale Bible Camp, All God's Children, Mt. Meru Coffee Project & Outreach for Hope Congregations.

YOUTH AT CTK

URGENT NEED Prayer Partners to join us at Discipleship Training.

Prayer partners are adults who would like to share their faith with out students.

- We ask that you try to attend Discipleship Training Class once a week one hour on Wednesday.
- We also ask that partners check-in with their student at least twice a month outside of class via emails, texts, zoom etc.
- We'll give you some story points to get you started.

Please email Summer at summer@ctkdelafield.org for more information or to sign-up!



If you missed class or still do not have a kit, attached are the Turkey prayer games.

You roll a dice, look for the number that relates to that dice, and then look for the time you need to say you are thankful for. This could be a race to fill up the turkey between family members, or a do it yourself prayer.

for!

The idea is to remember that there is SO MUCH to be thankful to God



This week in digital (Click Here) Sunday School -Thanksgiving!

In today's Google classroom there are links to a Douglas Talk video that describes why we celebrate Thanksgiving, a link to a fun song about being thankful and grateful, a link to a blessing, and a link to a Kid President video about things to be thankful for. This week I encourage you to make a list, similar to Kid President, of all the things you are thankful for. Click on the bitmoji of me to get started, and then click around on the

photo to find the links. (turkey, banner, potatoes, and pie are the links this week.)

Live Zoom meeting at 11:00.

Time: 11:00 AM Every week on Sun, until Dec 6, 2020, 5 occurrence(s) Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87123309960?pwd=TmhBYWdSVIJBMTIzYjZ5SmhkMTNRQT09 Meeting ID: 871 2330 9960 Passcode: A87uR7

Advent Wreath Project

During the season of Advent, we invite our children, families, and individuals who enjoy our children's sermons to take a new look at the Advent Wreath.

If you do not have an advent wreath at home, we invite you to stop by the church and pick-up a makeyour-own mini Advent Wreath kit! Kits include candles, playdough, and information on how to use. We strongly encourage you to watch our online worship weekly to see how we use the candle.

Kits are outside the main door in a tub. If you notice they are gone before you get one, please let Vicky or Summer know!

Many Blessings, Summer Markham Faith Formation Coordinator

Christmas Is Coming! Intergenerational Christmas Program

- Our youth and education team is looking for children, youth, and adults of any age who would be interested in being in our Intergenerational Christmas Program.
- No memorization is needed-Special musical talents are also welcome!
- At this time due to COVID, we are planning on having a recorded service.

Recording can be done with family at home or in pre-arranged times a church.

If worship in person is happening in December, we will adjust to a live service. **Please email or call Summer:summer@ctkdelafield.org or 262-215-7866.**

FAMILY PROMISE -"The Friday Five"-Click Here

Rev. Marilyn Miller Sending Service- Click for Updated Details



CTK Treasurer Position Open

I have decided to step down as Treasurer effective when a replacement can be found and trained. Thank you all for your support during my time as Treasurer. If you know of someone that might be interested in the position please let me know. Mike Hase

Continuing Apocrypha Bible Study

The Apocrypha Bible Study will continue, via ZOOM, Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. Now through Christmas, (except Thanksgiving).

This is a continuing study which would have resumed last March but we were shut down due to COVID.

Good News Website

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