

Welcome Visitors!

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questions or if you would

like to join Christ the King Church



Individual Prayers; For the family and loved ones of baby AK, Joyce, Brian, Chip & Noelle, Anna.

Ongoing Prayers: Elaine, Maddie, all those who struggle with mental wellness, all military persons and their families, all those who are in hospice and care facilities, and the healthcare workers who care for them and for the people of Ukraine and the Middle East.

Ministry Partners: The Evangelical Lutheran Churches in El Salvador and Tanzania and their Bishops, the Imbaseny parish and Pr. Cristine, Serenity Inn, Family Promise, Reformation Lutheran Church, Lutherdale Bible Camp, Lutheran Social Services, All God's Children, Mt. Meru Coffee Project & Outreach for Hope Congregations, and those who work to end human trafficking.

Usher Team: #2 Mel Kirsch's Team

Tech Team: Roland Broberg, Randy Gillen, Andy Justman, Paul Neumiller, Rich Quinlan, Luca Kalman, Bob Rooney, & Deane Jaeger

Thank you to those who prepare our fellowship time and make the Upper Sanctuary look beautiful!



Sunday School meets TODAY!
Confirmation Students meet today in person.

Our Spring flower sale is here! This year we have a new vendor and there are many varieties for decorating our sanctuary for Easter and for your yard. Please fill out the form below (click) and include payment when you return it to the church office or offering plate during worship. But hurry! The deadline to order is **March 30th**. Please print clearly if this is a memorial donation. Indicate if you will be taking the plants home following the services of Easter. Thank you for your generosity!

Coming up...

Book Study: *Centering Prayer & Inner Awakening* Starts March 27th from 4-5 pm
See Pr Jackie for details.

The Chosen Season 3 plays on Tuesdays at 11 am until April 22nd Watch the movie with discussion afterward.

Come to our new format with **"Dinner Church"**. Wednesdays through Lent. Dinner begins at 5:00 with devotion, discussion, song, and prayer. Invite a friend!



Mt. Meru Coffee available to order. See the display in the Upper Sanctuary.

Scripture for Next Sunday, April 6, 2025

Isaiah 43:16-21

Psalms 126

Philippians 3:4b-1

John 12:1-8



Sunday, March 30, 2025

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Presiding Minister: Pr. Jackie Cook
Music Ministry: Maria Tyksinski, Sanctuary Choir
and McKinley Palmer
Family Education Leader: Ms. Kristin Pfeil
Assisting Minister: Vicky Jaeger
Reader: Mary Totel
Communion Assistant: Nancy Ganung
***indicates to stand**

Please see an usher if you would like
a large print bulletin.

PRELUDE *O Mensch, Bewein' Dein' Sunde Gross (O Man Bewail Thy Grievous Fall)* Bach

WELCOME

*Confession & forgiveness
Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who forgives all our sin,
whose mercy endures forever. **Amen.**

Let us return to God, confessing our sin in the assurance of God's abiding love.

Compassionate One,
you are slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love,
but our lives do not always reflect you
and your love for the world.
We do not show others the tender compassion
you have shown to us.
We do not welcome others with the radical hospitality
you grant to all people.
We oppress others,
even though you have set us free again and again.
We squander the abundant gifts of the earth.
Transform our lives
and guide us again in the way of the cross. Amen.

Beloved in Christ,
God's arms are always stretched open wide
to welcome the wandering ones home.
In † Christ your sins are forgiven.
You have a place in God's house forever.
Amen.

*Opening Hymn *The Glory of These Forty Days* ELW #320
*Greeting The grace of our Lord ... **And also with you.**
*Kyrie *For the Troubles and the Suffering* ASC #1051 (on screen)
*Prayer of the Day

Let us pray: God of compassion, you welcome the wayward,
and you embrace us all with your mercy.
By our baptism clothe us with garments of your grace,
and feed us at the table of your love, through Jesus Christ,
our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

WORD

First Reading: Joshua 5:9-12 The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**
Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21 The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**
*Gospel Acclamation *Let Your Steadfast Love* ELW p. 189
*Gospel: Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32
The holy gospel according to Luke, **Glory to you, O Lord**
The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon Pr. Jackie Cook
*Hymn of the Day *Our Father, We Have Wandered* ELW #606
*Apostles' Creed
*Prayers of Intercession God, in your mercy, **receive our prayer.**
...who leads us from death to life. **Amen.**

MEAL

Offertory Music *Celtic Laud* Martin/Courtney
*Offering Prayer ...through our Savior, Jesus Christ. **Amen.**
*Great Thanksgiving
*Dialogue
*Preface
**Holy, Holy, Holy* ELW p. 190
*Words of Institution
*Lord's Prayer (modern)
Invitation To Communion—*All are welcome to receive the sacrament who believe
that Christ is present for you for the forgiveness of sin, regardless of church affiliation. Glu-
ten free wafers available upon request. Everyone is kindly asked to complete a Welcome
Card and put it with your offering into the plate as you come forward for communion. Sun-
day School students and Teachers will partake first then be dismissed to their classroom.*
Please wait for the direction of ushers.
Lamb of God ELW p. 191
Communion Music *Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)*
*Table Blessing **Amen.**
*Prayer After Communion Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**
*Blessing God our tender parent,
God the crucified one,
God the reconciling Spirit,
† bless you now and forever. **Amen.**
*Sending Song *My Life Flows on in Endless Song* ELW #763
Announcements
Dismissal: Go in peace. Care for others as God cares for you.
Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Thank you for worshipping with us today!