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November 28th, 2021
First Sunday in Advent

Presiding Minister:
Pastor Jackie Cook

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Christ the King's doors are open, and we invite you and your neighbors to come!

Mission Statement: Alive and Growing through God's Grace

Celebrating our Connection to Christ

Please join us for worship!

Connect with God, each other, and our community on **Sundays at 9:00am.**

Join us for an EPIC Family Worship and Education Hour at 10:30am.

Be filled with the spirit and grow with us through fellowship.

Check out our upcoming events and Outreach Ministries.

All are welcome!

We hold in our prayers all those impacted by the incident at the Waukesha Christmas Parade. May God surround those affected with assurance of God's presence, support and healing.

Times like these affect our sense of safety and security. Here are ways you can access help:

- Call the church office at Christ the King Lutheran in Delafield to set up an appointment with me, Pastor Jackie Cook.
- Your local church pastor or counselor.
- Waukesha Department of Health Services has also offered 24/7 counseling at 800-985-5990.
- The city of Waukesha has encouraged those who have witnessed the traumatic event to reach out and talk with someone as needed. The number 211 (or 877-947-2211) is in place for those counseling services and other essential community

services.

Christ the King will continue to pray for all those affected by the event. We thank God for those who provided medical care and first responders. Let's join together in surrounding the community of Waukesha with support and compassion.

Shalom,
Pr. Jackie Cook



Building a Solid Foundation

STEWARDSHIP APPEAL 2022

Building a strong foundation, moving forward in faith.

"On behalf of the CTK council, it is with great excitement and hope for the future that we present our 2022 Ministry Initiatives. These were birthed out of listening the hopes and dreams of committees and members as well as the changing church environment..."

Click below to continue reading a letter from Pastor Jackie.

**A Letter from Pastor
Jackie**



Special Worship Dates

December 24th

**Christmas Eve services at 3pm
and 8pm**

**There will be NO Christmas Day
services**

December 26th

Traditional Worship at 9am

Come be filled with the Spirit in worship, gain wisdom and knowledge in education opportunities, and grow with us through fellowship events.

Join us as you are able. All are welcome!

Weekly Worship

Sunday @ 9:00 AM - Traditional Worship

Sunday @ 10:30 AM - EPIC Family Worship and Education Hour

Upcoming Special Worship and Events

Wednesday @ 6:00 PM - Meal and Discipleship Training (Confirmation) for 7th and 8th

Wednesday @ 6:00 PM - Royal Bells

Christmas Eve @ 3:00 PM & 8:00 PM

Thursday, November 25--Thanksgiving

OFFICE CLOSED - No Thanksgiving Eve Services

Sunday, November 28--First Sunday in Advent

Sunday, December 5--Stewardship commitment Sunday

Sunday, December 5--Gingerbread House Day

Sunday, December 12--EPIC Christmas Program and Jesus' Birthday Party
Monday, December 13--Women's Christmas Gathering
Sunday, December 19--Royal Bells will play during 9am worship
5:00 PM-Christmas Carols, Cocoa, & Cookies
Friday, December 24--Christmas Eve Communion services 3pm & 8pm

*Please remember events and times are subject to change due to local COVID safety measures.
Please see the CTK calendar on the website for updates!*



SUNDAYS AT 10:30 AM

**COME FOR A SHORTENED, UNIQUE WORSHIP SERVICE FOCUSED ON KIDS, YOUTH,
FAMILIES, AND GOD!**

**HEAR GOD'S WORD THROUGH STORY
SING SONGS**

LEARN ABOUT PRAYER

**DO A HANDS-ON ACTIVITY TOGETHER
FOCUS ON CHILDREN AND FAMILIES**

Click here for more information.

**We need children, youth and adults to participate in
the EPIC program on December 12th!!!**

**Join us for practices Sundays at 10:30am EPIC,
or email [Summer](#) for more info.**

Upcoming Christmas Activities

November 28: Epic Hour @10:30 AM - Worship, songs, and Advent craft

December 5: EPIC Hour and Ginger Bread Day @ 10:30 AM

December 12: EPIC Christmas Program @ 9:00 AM

December 19: CTK Bells @ 9:00 AM

December 19: Carols and Cocoa @ 5:00 PM

(We'll make a special ornament craft at this worship!)

December 24: Christmas Worship @ 3:00 PM and 8:00 PM

(On Christmas Eve, we'll have a small special gift for each of you to help make our worship interactive!)

Dec 19, Dec 26, and Jan 2 = NO EPIC Hour

Join us at 9:00 AM for traditional worship!

Celebrating our Connection to Each Other

PRAYERS

Individual Prayers: Amira and her family, the family of Valerie, Marge, Alina, Betty, and Judy

Ongoing Prayers: Irene, Emil, Tom and Jeanne, Juanita, Dan and Family; Jan and her son, Marley; and Dolores

The grieving families and friends of Hap Stein & Roger Knutson



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

For the work of our Global Partners: The Evangelical Lutheran Churches in El Salvador & their Bishop Medardo Gómez, & in Tanzania & their Bishop Elias Kitoi Nasari. For those who are imprisoned, addicted, estranged, lonely, or abused.

Open Positions

CTK is seeking a Director of Music Ministry and an Office Coordinator.

[Both job descriptions can be found here.](#)

If you or someone you know would be interested, please encourage them to apply!

Please contact personnel@ctkdelafield.org with any questions.



Prayer Zoom Meeting

Sylvia and Vicky will continue to offer an open prayer meeting to all who wish to join. The meetings will be via Zoom on the **fourth Monday of each month at 7pm.**

Click here for more information.

[Click Here to join Zoom meeting](#)

Committee Meetings

Building and Grounds: Mondays at 6:30PM

Re-entry: 1st Monday of the month at 6:30 PM

Worship and Music: 2nd Monday of the month at 6:30 PM

Executive Team: 1st Tuesday of the month at 6:30 PM

Church Council: 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:30 PM

Education: 3rd Tuesday of the month at 5:30 PM

Outreach: 2nd Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM

Men's Bible Study: Fridays at 7:00 AM

Boys' Breakfast Bible Study: 1st & 3rd Saturdays at 8:00 AM (at CTK & via Zoom)

Feel free to attend a committee meeting of your choice to be part of the exciting things happening at CTK!

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Please see the CTK calendar on the website for updates!

Not sure which room your meeting is being held in?

Visit ctkdelafield.org, click on "About CTK" at the top, and then "Room Assignments."

Dementia Friendly Church

CTK council voted to become a dementia friendly church. We have had one visit and an assessment from Jennifer Harders from Waukesha County Department of Health. The result of that assessment was that signage with directions and icons be placed in strategic locations.

Signage was created, laminated and hung in October. Unfortunately, that signage is now taken down and missing.

If anyone knows where it is, please let me know.
~ Pastor Jackie



Poinsettias for Christmas!

[Click here](#) to order your poinsettias for Christmas!

Orders must be in by December 5th.

Order forms also available at church.



All are welcome to join us for fun and fellowship!

Tim Knopps will again be baking all of the gingerbread and making the frosting for our favorite event.

This even marks the beginning of Advent - a season of preparation and waiting for the coming of christ which will be celebrated on Christmas Eve.

We have received a Thrivent action grant to help support our activity, making each house \$15 this year.

Click here to reserve your house(s)
now!

You can also sign up at church by filling out a form and placing it in the gingerbread house located near the welcome center (see right).

Please make checks payable to *Christ the King Lutheran Church*, and submit payment along with form to CTK by **Tuesday, November 30th**.

Contact [Laurie Wilson](#) with any questions.



Christmas Gathering at CTK!

Christ the King's **Women's Christmas Gathering*** will be held on Monday, December 13th.

Doors will open at 5:30pm, dinner is planned for 6:00pm, and entertainment by the Watertown High School Carolers will begin at 7:00pm.

Please RSVP to Bev Waltz at bevwaltz410@gmail.com if you would like to attend.

**The gathering is subject to rescheduling in the event that the COVID-19 situation worsens. This would be in an effort to protect the health and safety of all. This applies to all events that are currently being planned.*

Christmas Carols, Cocoa, & Cookies Sunday, December 19th at 5pm

Join the fun! Vote for your favorite Christmas Carol from the cranberry hymnal (ELW) or blue hymnal (With One Voice), both located near the Welcome Table. Place your vote in the decorated box.

Votes will be tallied on Monday, November 29th, and CTK's top 10 Christmas hymns will be revealed at the sing-along on the 19th led by Grace Ohm!

Hot cocoa and cookies fellowship afterward...maybe a craft, too!

All are welcome!

Bring family and friends to celebrate the reason for this season!

Celebrating our Connection to Community

OUTREACH MINISTRIES and COMMUNITY EVENTS

REMINDER:
Shorehaven Giving Tree



The last day to bring your unwrapped gifts for the Shorehaven Outreach Christmas is **Sunday, December 5th.**

There are a few gift ideas hanging on the Christmas Tree in the narthex and there is a list of gift ideas under the tree.

Thank you for helping make the residents of Shorehaven feel the Christmas Spirit.

-The Outreach Committee

[Click here for more information.](#)



Coats for the Cold

Thanks to you, we reached our goal!

This November, Outreach for Hope has asked for your help to raise \$4,000 for the purchase of 525 children's and adult winter coats, to be given away via our Ministry Partners throughout the Greater Milwaukee Synod, ELCA.

Thanks to your generous gifts, we have officially reached our goal!! THANK YOU to everyone who supported this drive and helped to make it a success.

Christmas Project for The Women's Center in Waukesha

Since 1977, the mission of the Women's Center has been 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.

Outreach would like to support The Women's Center again this year by purchasing Christmas gifts for families. We hope to support one to three families by purchasing gifts from their wish lists. Many times, these wish lists not only include gifts but necessities such as winter coats, hats and other clothing items.

The best way to help these families is through monetary donations. Outreach would then do the shopping purchasing the specific items on the families' lists.

Please remit checks to Christ the King with "Women's Center" noted on the memo line by

Sunday, November 28th. Any excess funds collected will either be used to adopt more families or to purchase food for the families.

Thank you for helping some of our local families have a happier Christmas.

Outreach for Hope – A ministry that helps provide resources to inner-city and struggling congregations in our synod.

Family Promise - Homeless prevention program & services for homeless families.

Reformation Lutheran – A Milwaukee inner-city congregation.

We will see you Thursday at 10 am for ZOOM Community Bible Study. Printed below is our "Jesus The link for ZOOM or call in **Join our Cloud HD Video Meeting**.

Serenity Inn – a drug and alcohol rehabilitation house for men in Milwaukee. Monthly, we prepare meals and enjoy a time of fellowship with men at the inn.

Boy Scout Troop #20

The Mt. Meru Coffee Store | Order Here

Upcoming Events & Meetings

Breakfast with Reindeer

December 4, 2021

8:00 AM- Noon

****TICKETS ALMOST SOLD OUT****

4th Annual 10K Drawing

December 9, 2021

9:00 AM

Great Harvest Bread Company

Ladies Night Out

December 9, 2021

5:00 PM - 8:30 PM



**CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR AN
EXCLUSIVE TICKET BUNDLE OPPORTUNITY!**



PHOTOS with SANTA

All Children + Families Welcome! | Enjoy Snacks & Hot Cocoa

Schedule Now to ensure your spot on the nice list

DECEMBER 14
4:00pm - 6:00pm

LAKE COUNTRY HEALTH CENTER
Dr. Daniel Murray, Dr. Brandon Meye, & Associates
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For more information & to schedule your session visit:
www.drdanielmurray.com/santa

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