

CTK CONNECTIONS

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CTK Announces In-Person Services for March

Isaiah 43:19

¹⁹ I am about to do a new thing;
now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?
I will make a way in the wilderness
and rivers in the desert

The pandemic has persisted and we have learned a great deal regarding transmission and protective behaviors. We have also learned that it is not going away any time soon! Our "God wants us to carry one another's burdens; in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ." (Galatians 5:13) We are more and more aware of the long-term impact of isolation on many of our parishioners and want to serve their needs. With the current downward trend in the numbers, we believe that it is time to offer in-person worship beginning on March 7, 2021. Love for our neighbors will look like limited attendance at in-person worship with safety precautions and continued online worship services

After long, prayerful and loving discernment the Re-Entry Team created several plans and phases for opening our doors for in-person services. This is Phase 1. In Phase 1---only Sunday services will be held in-person. Mid-week Lent services will be online. All meetings, Bible Study, etc. will remain online. Our building will remain closed to outside groups and meetings. The re-entry team will continue to assess when we move to the next phase. We appreciate your anticipated flexibility as plans will adjust with the changing environment.

Each person is asked to review the required protective behaviors below and then prayerfully determine if you feel comfortable returning for in-person services. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the members of the team listed below.

Covenant of Care for Phase 1 of IN-PERSON SERVICES

- If you are experiencing any symptoms of Covid, have recently been in contact with someone who has Covid, feel ill, please do not attend in-person worship but instead join us on-line this week.
- Pre-registration is required – on-line OR email/call the Jill in the office or Vicky Jaeger
- Masks required while inside.
- Hand sanitizer available upon entry.
- No congregational singing/choral speaking/responses.
- You are encouraged to be seated, so as to prepare for the service.
- Please maintain the social distancing of 6 feet.
- Please notify our office if you test positive for Covid after being at CTK.

The first in-person service on Sunday, March 7th. In this phase, registration will be capped at 75 congregants for this initial phase during the month of March. That number does not include staff and lay

assistants. The total number of people in the building will be approximately 90. The team will continually review safety protocols and adjust accordingly.

***If there is a COVID outbreak or exposure and worship needs to be cancelled, word will spread through the Connections, Facebook, and on our website.

We continue to hold all of you in our prayers as God does a new thing in each of us.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact one of the team.

Re-Entry Team: Vicky Jaeger, Andy Justman, Paul Neumiller, Carol White, Paul Sternemann, Summer Markham, Mark Gould, Laurie Wilson, Mark Scheftner, Pr. Jackie and Bob Rooney

**COVID-19 Mitigation Plan for Phase 1
IN-PERSON SERVICES March 2021**

The only entrance and exit will be through the two main doors off the parking lot/front of the building/ West Entrance. All other doors will be locked from the outside. The doors will be open if weather permits.

To keep people on the sanctuary side of the building signs will be posted on the other outside doors to direct people to the WEST entrance.

Hand sanitizer is available at the main entrances.

We will not use the coat closets; keep all winter clothing in the pews.

The pews have been repositioned so that there will be six feet from the back of the pew to the back of the 2nd pew behind it.

We will use every other pew, starting with the front row on the side aisles and with the 2^d row in the middle section. That will give us every other row pattern. The unavailable pews will be marked off with tulle.

This six-foot distance between seated people front to back seats 65 in the main sanctuary and 10 in the upper sanctuary. Parishioner attendance is limited to 75. Pre-Registration is required. The registration cap is firm. If there are any no-shows, we can allow walk-ins to register on-site.

We will limit lay assistants to approximately 15 which includes the staff, musicians, AV Team, and ushers. (No Assistant Minister, Lector, Communion Assistants or Acolytes).

Ushers will fill the seats beginning with the front pew to the back pew AND exit the service from the back row to the front.

Bulletins may be set in the pews to identify where the available seats are located.

The ushers make sure that people are spaced out appropriately within each pew.

Communion combo cups will on a table near the sanctuary entrance. Parishioners will take one as they enter the sanctuary. We will do communion while seated in the pews.

Hymnals, communion cards and other flyers have been removed from the sanctuary

Offering plates will be on tables at the top of the stairs. They will not be passed during the service.

The service will be shortened to last no more than 30-35 minutes.

Pastor will remain behind the rail throughout the service. Summer will remain in front of the rail approaching from a front pew or side ramp entrance to do her children's message OR pre-record it.

Mark and 3 musicians/singers may be in the choir loft with social distancing. The musicians are the only people allowed to sing during the service.

In phase 1: All singers, musicians, staff, volunteers and attendees will be masked at all times. All brass instruments are to have bell covers. No flutes will be allowed during phase 1.

Restrooms will be available for emergencies. Ushers will monitor the hall to safely direct people. Closed areas will be identified with signs.

Required Protective Behavior Signs will be posted on our Entry Doors

Outbreak Response Plan:

Should a parishioner notify CTK that s/he received a positive Covid-19 result after attending church, CTK will notify all other parishioners who attended the same service as soon as possible via a combination of email messages, snail mail and phone calls as appropriate. The call team includes all members of the re-entry team.

Group Meetings
The AV team may use the Upper Sanctuary whenever needed.

CTK Committees, Bible Studies and Faith Formation classes will continue to meet via zoom until further notice.

Outside Groups (B.S. Troop 20, Quilters, etc.) are not yet allowed to meet in the building.

The building is open for voting with the City Clerk's office responsible for cleaning/disinfecting the used areas following the event.

General Cleaning Practices:

- Regular cleaning with 72 hours between uses of the sanctuary for services, baptisms, & funerals.
- Sanitize with disinfectant sprayer if the space is needed in less than 72 hours.
- HVAC Filters will be inspected monthly. They will be changed twice a year on the CTK side and as needed on the AGC side.
- Staff is responsible for disinfecting high-touch areas within their own offices/choir loft. Disinfecting wipes will be available for staff.

VIA ZOOM WITH PASTOR JACKIE

Bible Study

Starts **Monday, February 15th through March 21st**
from 9:30am to 10:30am.

We will be studying the upcoming Gospel's for each Sunday.

Join Zoom Meeting:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81348141292>

LENT ONLINE

Wednesdays
5:45pm-6:15pm
(Including Ash Wednesday)

Beatitudes of Promise

2/17/2021 Ash Wednesday: The Promise of Heaven--
Online Communion. Ashes available ahead of time to be use during the service.

2/24/2021 First Week of Lent: The Promise of Comfort

3/3/2021 Second Week of Lent:
The Promise of an Inheritance

3/10/2021 Third Week of Lent:
The Promise of Righteousness

3/17/2021 Fourth Week of Lent: The Promise of Mercy

3/24/2021 Fifth Week of Lent: The Promise of Seeing God



2021 STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

Growing in Generosity invites us all into the new thing that God is doing in Christ The King Lutheran Church's community this year with a new Pastor, a return to in-person worship, involvement in youth, music, bible studies, missions, events and much more. Truly, the glory of the Lord is rising among us!

Please pray for Christ The King's ministries that God will continue to lift up CTK for His purpose, and also pray that your own offering will be a step in your walk in Growing in Generosity with God.

Then, complete your 2021 Pledge Card for Christ The King that was mailed to you, and return it on or before Sunday, March 7th. Feel free to contact the church office if your pledge card was misplaced.

Thank You, The Stewardship Committee

February/March Worship at Christ the King

March 7 - In-Person Service 9:00am, Drive-Through Communion 10:00-10:45am (weather permitting) for those not comfortable with in-person worship.

Juanita's 102nd Birthday Recognition- Contribute to CTK Scholarship Fund

March 14- Zoom Coffee Hour with Pastor Jackie

April 1- Maundy Thursday On-line Worship 5:45

April 2- Good Friday 11:00 am

April 4- Easter Sunday In person and on line, times to be announce.

LENT: Receive daily Lenten Devotions from Outreach for Hope. outreachforhope.org/lenten-devotions

February musical guests where Pam Pinahs Schultz, Bryce and Brynn Udovich (piano), Emilia Bale & Mckinley. Brynn will introduce us to the contemporary, "My Lighthouse."

We thank Gary Fluaitt, Emilia and McKinley for their music on the live streamed Ash Wednesday.

McKinley and Gary's duet on the spiritual "Give me Jesus"



NEW MEMEBER
Welcome

Sunday, Feb 14


Petra Yurchich


Emilia Bale


Randy Cook


Summer, Madison, Mason
& Michael Markham

HAPPY Valentines DAY 2021



Love, All God's Children



Everyone is Welcome- Sunday School
Join us Sundays at 11:00 am via Zoom:

URGENT NEED Prayer Partners
to join us at Discipleship Training.
Seeking adults who would like to share their faith with students. Email summer@ctkdelafield.org

OUTREACH MINISTRIES

Christ the King focuses on programs that feed the hungry, help the sick, combat racism, provide shelter and assistance to those in need and provide comfort to students, recovering addicts, senior citizens and military personnel. Links are provided below.

Great Souper Bowl Sunday Food Drive!

Thanks to all of CTK members that donated food and cash. Thanks to CTK for allowing us to consolidate the food from Mt. Olive -Mukwonago, Our Saviors-Hartland and St. Olafs-Rubicon at CTK. We delivered over 1600 food items to four congregations yesterday. More food is being delivered later this week in Milwaukee and Kenosha.



SOUPER BOWL SUNDAY Pastor Jackie, Pastor Scott and Cindy Dobberke from Mt. Olive, Tim Culhane from Our



Love Gift Cards

Thank you to all who wrote notes, provided gift cards and funds to purchase gift cards.

We sent gift cards to 12 students and 5 military personnel.

One of the happy students was Jack Vento. Jack is in his senior year at UWM, majoring in film. Jack recently accepted a job at Elmbrook Church as their Broadcast and

Savior's Hartland, who is also on Outreach for Hope's Board. Cindy and Tim spearheaded the program this year and we will update you when we have the total on how much was raised..

Streaming Video Specialist.

Thanks again CTK for your generosity and support of this Outreach Program.

STTLC (Stop Trafficking Together in Lake Country)

Mission "To abolish human trafficking through prevention, collaboration, support, and advocacy."

Sadly, Wisconsin ranks third nationally in sex trafficking. Cases involving minors have been reported in all 72 counties.

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.

Reformation Lutheran – A Milwaukee inner-city congregation. We provide financial support and partner with them through fellowship, leadership development, racism awareness training, and more.

Outreach for Hope – A ministry of the Greater Milwaukee Synod that helps provide resources to inner-city and struggling congregations in our synod. We also regularly support their annual fundraising bike ride in September.

Family Promise-Homeless prevention program & services.



Individual Prayers: Walt E. Jan, Don W. The Lehmann family, Ann, Joan, Christine R.

The grieving families of: Michael Kaufmann and Judy Kaufmann

Ongoing Prayers: Amira, Ethan, Alyssa and Ryan Keel and their children, Juanita, Alice S., Mike Corgiat, victims of human trafficking, those serving in the military, those who are incarcerated, and their families.

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 and their Bishop Medardo Gómez and in Tanzania and their Bishop Elias Kitoi Nasari.