



March 27th, 2022 Fourth Sunday of Lent

Pastor Jackie Cook

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**This Weeks Bulletin** 

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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**

#### Welcome to Christ the King!

For your convenience, we provide a socially distanced seating area in the most east section of the pews. Masks will also be made available in the entrance areas. Hand sanitizing stations are also available around the building. We ask that if you are not feeling well, or feel that you may have been exposed to Covid, that you view the service via live streaming

Go to **ctkdelafield.org** a few minutes *before* the service begins to be prepared for the live stream. If you miss the start of the service, it will be posted later on our website and **YouTube channel**.

#### **Celebrating Our Connection with Each Other**



#### A Special time

You are welcome to attend:

The Ordination of Wylie Magnus Cook (adult child of Pastor Jackie and Randy) to Word and Sacrament Ministry in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.

Date: March 26th

Time: 11am (central) with a light luncheon

to follow.

Please let Vicky Jaeger know if you can.

bring a dessert or a side dish to share at the potluck. Location: All Saints Lutheran Church (Wales, WI)

Clergy are encouraged to vest and process. Please arrive by 10:30am to process. The color of the day is red.

Women's History Month is celebrated in March. The purpose is to commemorate and encourage the study, observance and celebration of the vital role of women in history

# Women of the Torah Bible Study

It is a sacred reading: slowly and deliberately reading the passage, meditating, contemplating, and discussing. Please bring your own Bibles.
Begins at 9:30 am in the upper sanctuary (or Quiet room). Meeting weekly during Lent: March 28, and April 4, then monthly afterward. Come when you can! If you have any questions, please reach out to me! All are welcome, Pr. Jackie has ordered several books, please let her know if you would like one.



# EPIC HOUR: FAMILY WORSHIP AND EDUCATION

Theme: Walking on Water

Each Sunday we'll worship with unique ways to pray, hear God's word in story, sing, and have fun learning about Jesus with hands-on activities! We'll be a little loud and get a little messy!

Join us for the following activities:



#### CTK's EPIC March event March 27th, 10:30 am in the Great Hall

If you know a dance you want to share or have a household favorite dessert, we encourage you to share it! We'll vote on CTK's best dessert!

Classes for EPIC resume learning about the Good Samaritan on April 3rd and April 10th.

Save the date for April 17th: We'll have an EPIC EASTER CELEBRATION! Join us at 9:30 for breakfast and an egg hunt between worship services!

Email Summer at summer@ctkdelafield.org with questions.

#### **EPIC April Gatherings!**

On **Saturday April 16th**, Youth are invited to CTK at 3:00pm - 5:30pm! We'll be starting with service to the church (stuffing eggs for Easter, decorating tables, preparing the kitchen for breakfast) and then have our very own youth Easter Basket Scavenger Hunt

and pizza! Please RSVP so we have enough youth supplies and pizza! Friends are welcome too! Email back or text Summer 262-215-7866. On Sunday, April 17th, we are looking for youth to help us in the kitchen for Easter Breakfast! If you are available at 7:30-10:30, we would love to have help preparing food and serving. We are so excited to bring this meal back to CTK. Come and be part of the fellowship!

Next, on **April 19th**, we invite all youth to come to a Zoom Meeting to help us build for the future. Come and tell us what you want youth gatherings to include, what days and times are best for you for study and gatherings, and what sort of activities you would like! Come hear about some ideas we have for the summer. Let's see where God leads us together!

Zoom Meeting: April 19th at 6:00pm: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81462733139? pwd=d1NLNkF6OHA3cIE0RDVOeTI4aXQ2dz09

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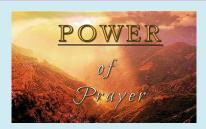
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We look forward to getting together again!

PLEASE NOTE: If you see "Message Clipped: <u>View entire message</u>" at the end of our email, that is not the end! There are more announcements!

Click "View entire message" to read more.

#### **PRAYERS**



Individual Prayers: those struggling with alcoholism and other addictions and those who love them, those in the medical field caring for others, the family and friends of Rich, Rita, Geroge, Charlie, the Williams Family—Leander TX, the family and friends of Emil, Pastor Gerry, the family and friends of David, the family and friends of Lois.

Ongoing Prayers: For Ukraine Pam, Adam and Megan, Alec and Mia.

Bless the work of the Evangelical Lutheran Churches in El Salvador and Tanzania and their Bishops, Serenity Inn, Family Promise, Reformation Luthern Church, Lutherdale Bible Camp, All God's Children, Mt Meru Coffe Project & Outreach for Hope Congregations. UW campus ministry.

**Ukraine Prayer Vigil** Mondays in the sanctuary 11-11:30 through Lent.

**Good Friday Prayers and meditation** in the Sanctuary 11-3 pm. Prayer booklets will be available.

**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. For the people of Mynnamar

#### **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 to join Zoom meeting

Prayer Vigil for Ukraine

All are Welcome!
A prayer vigil will take place at CTK
Mondays at 11:00 am thru Lent



in the sanctuary. This follows the Monday Bible Study. The Bible study attendees and the entire congregation will be encouraged to pray between 11:00 and 11:30 for the refugees and all people affected by the war. Handouts of possible prayers will be provided. Candles will be lit throughout the sanctuary.



#### Love thy Neighbors...An update.

As many of you know Megan and Adam Passo (Tom and Sue Seegert's daughter and son-in-law) had some major health issues. Adam was diagnosed with a malignant brain tumor in early January and underwent surgery in mid-January. In January Megan had surgery to repair her knee from an injury she sustained in November. A calendar was set up to help provide rides to appointments (neither could drive), meals, dog walking, etc. The response from church members, friends, and neighbors has been amazing. They are humbled and so grateful for the support that has been so graciously given.

Here is the latest update.

Adam was to begin radiation about three weeks ago. Unfortunately, he developed an infection in his surgical site and radiation was delayed. The good news this week is the infection is subsided and he is clear to start radiation.

He is slowly getting back to work. He continues to have left side weakness and is adjusting. He will receive about 6 weeks of radiation and then chemotherapy will begin.

Megan is healing beautifully and as of this week, she no longer needs to wear her leg immobilizer. This is great news as she can now drive. She continues to have therapy a few times a week and can work from home.

There may be some future needs including transportation which will be posted on their give inkind calendar.

Again from the bottom of my heart thank you for the support and love that you have shown our family during this difficult time
Sue Seegert

Copy and paste the link below into your <u>address bar</u>. Their page (Passo Support) will pop up. <u>https://www.giveinkind.com/inkinds/R8T2Y7H/passo-support-1</u> for the Passo Family Support Page through the givekind.com website.

#### **Usher Update**

**Calling all friendly faces**....We need smiles and welcoming people to become ushers. We invite anyone interested in joining one of our great usher teams to attend an

informational meeting on April 3rd after the 9:00 am Service. Ushers are extremely important volunteers! We currently have three teams under the leadership of Mel Kirsch (our Head Usher). The meeting will be a refresher class for current ushers and a "training" for new members! The meeting should not exceed 30 minutes. Grab your coffee and snacks and then join Vicky and Mel in the choir loft for a chat! Listen to God's call to help your neighbor and become an usher!! Thank you in advance for your time and commitment!! Place article copy here. Be sure to make the articles short and concise as people tend not to read much more than a couple of paragraphs. Place article copy here.

#### **Committees/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 6:30 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)

Al Anon: Monday 6:30 pm

Alcohol Annonamys every Friday 7:00pm

Monday Mavens April 25th

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

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!

#### WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CTK?

#### **Upcoming Worship and Events:**



Holy Week April 10 Palm Sunday

April 14 Maundy Thursday Service 6 pm

April 15 Good Friday church

Lent Sermon series:
God on the Move!
Exploring God's work through the travels and teachings of Jesus

March 27 - God Moves....down the road

Wed Mar 30 Lenten Meal 5:30 Worship "Thirst!" 6:00pm

April 3 - God Moves...to empty ourselves

Wed. Apr 6 Lenten Meal 5:30 Worship "Finished!" 6:00 pm

April 10 - God Moves...to the cross April 17 - God moves...out of the tomb! open 11am-3pm for prayer and meditation. Pr Jackie available for individual prayers 11-noon Worship service 6pm

April 17 Easter Sunday 8:15 & 10:30am services
Breakfast 9:30 with \*NEW\*
EPIC Easter Egg Hunt

The Easter season is a great time to ask a friend or neighbor to join you at church.



#### Ready for Spring?

As in years past, we would like to invite you to purchase a plant or two.

What a simple way to beautify our sanctuary for Easter. 6" potted plants for \$11

Order in memory of or to honor your family, loved ones, or someone special.

We have tulips, Lilies, and Hyacinths.

Get forms in the Sunday bulletin or church office. Orders due March 27th!



#### ATTENTION COLLEGE-BOUND CTK STUDENTS:

Juanita and Al Newman Scholarships are available to students choosing church-related colleges while being a member of Christ The King. Since its inception in1988, over 60 recipients have been granted over \$110,000 in scholarships during their first four years of college. An application for a CTK Scholarship is available for download with the button below, on the church website (CTKdelafield.org) located under "youth", or by contacting the church office (office@ctkdelafield.org). The application may be completed as a "word" document, printed, signed, and delivered via an email attachment or mail or personal delivery to Christ The King, (1600 N Genesee Street, Delafield, WI 53018). The deadline for a 2022 - 2023 scholarship application is May 1st, 2022. Scholarship grants will be awarded at a recognition ceremony later this spring.

Please note: Memorial gifts to CTK in memory of Juanita Newman at the request of the family are designated to go towards the CTK Scholarship fund.

**Scholarship Application** 

#### CTK LIBRARY – GRAND REOPENING – APRIL 3

After many hours of work since mid-January, the CTK Library will again be open starting Sun. Apr. 3. There are over 150 new books and DVDs

on the shelves. You can refer to what's available by using the Card Catalog Notebook which is on the table. Arranged by title in alphabetical order, it lists the call number where you can find the item you're looking for. Simply fill out the borrower's card in the inside back cover, place it in the box on the computer desk, and the book or DVD is yours for as long as you want it. We operate by the grace system; though there is a 'date due' pocket in the back of the book, just bring it back in a timely manner. Since shelf space is limited, in order to make room for the new materials, a lot of old materials which were duplicates or outdated had to be removed. You've seen these in the upper sanctuary. What's left will be taken to Milwaukee for the Great Hunger Book Sale, the largest used book sale in the city. All proceeds are given to churches and agencies which provide meal sites and food distribution. In 2019 \$19,000 was raised, so our discards will go to a good cause. In future weeks we will highlight some of our materials. See you in the library! – Library Task Force: Bev Waltz, librarian; Diane Crowley, Gerry Goodrich, Marilyn Short, and Petra Yurchich.

#### **Celebrating Our Connection to Community**

#### **OUTREACH MINISTRIES and COMMUNITY EVENTS**

#### More on Ukraine and Eastern Europe

### How You Can Support Humanitarian Relief Efforts in Ukraine and Eastern Europe

Since last week, the news of the Russian invasion of Ukraine has filled news reports and social media feeds. Heartbreaking images of people saying goodbye to loved ones and lining up at the borders to leave the country are occupying our screens. Prayers and calls for peace are coming from around the world as we watch this crisis unfold.

Christ the King would like to offer an opportunity for prayer specifically for the Ukrainian people. Monday mornings from 11:00-11:30 our sanctuary will be open for those who wish to come and quietly pray. You may come for 5 minutes or the full time. A member of the Outreach Committee will be present. This will be a quiet informal time for individual prayer. An individual prayer guideline will be provided if you wish to use it. If you are unable to attend, please pray for those in Ukraine, Russia, and neighboring countries that have been affected by the crisis in Ukraine when and wherever you feel the call. May God's healing presence give them peace and hope in their time of need.

Here are some other ways you can support Humanitarian relief efforts spearheaded by Lutheran organizations in Ukraine and Eastern Europe:

The crisis in Eastern Europe is a big concern to everyone around the world. Lutheran Disaster Response is accompanying our companions in Ukraine, Hungary, Poland and Slovakia, as well as such ecumenical partners as Lutheran World Federation and Church World Service, in their humanitarian responses to the crisis. These partners provide refugees with immediate support and supplies such as food, blankets, water and hygiene kits. You can read more about the Eastern Europe Crisis Response at ELCA.org. (Link at the bottom of the entire email.

Monetary gifts for Lutheran Disaster Response designated for Eastern Europe (including Ukraine) may be given with a check payable to Christ the King with "**Ukraine**" on the memo line. (These will be included in CTK's benevolence amounts when the annual

congregational report is sent to the synod.) CTK does not have an online gift method for this cause, however, online gifts can be made directly on the following ELCA Website: https://www.elca.org/Our-Work/Relief-and-Development/Lutheran-Disaster-Response/Our-Impact/Eastern-Europe-Crisis-Response

#### From you Stewardship Team and Outreach Committee

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

<u>Family Promise</u> - Homeless prevention program & services for homeless families.

Reformation Lutheran – A Milwaukee inner-city congregation.

Click here for information on their Community Bible Study.

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.

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#### Good Friday Breakfast YMCA AT PABST FARMS

Friday, April 15th 7:30-8:30am at Shorehaven

Join the community at Rosenkran's Pub at Shorehaven as we reflect on the true spirit of Good Friday, reflecting on Jesus' sacrificial death, and preparing ourselves for the celebration of Easter weekend.

Ticket Price: \$10 includes buffet breakfast

#### **FEATURING KEYNOTE SPEAKER CHRIS FANNING**

Chris Fanning is the Young Life Director for Arrowhead and Oconomowoc School Districts and serves on the Christian Emphasis Committee for the Glacial Community YMCA. Chris is married to Amy and they have one son, Dennis.





Registration is required either online at www.glcymca.org or at Member Services!

YMCA AT PABST FARMS 1750 E. Valley Road Oconomowoc, WI 53066 (262) 567-7251 www.glcymca.org



## **LADIES NIGHT OUT 2022 SERIES**

APRIL 14 | MAY 12 | JUNE 9 | OCTOBER 13 | NOVEMBER 10 | DECEMBER 8 DOWNTOWN DELAFIELD



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Greater Milwaukee Synod News and Updates Items for the Connections must be submitted to the church office no later than Wednesday at 5pm
Thank you!