



May 8, 2022 Fourth Sunday of Easter

Presiding Pastor Jackie Cook

Services are available on Facebook, YouTube, and the CTK Website

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

We have returned to the former practice of passing the offering plate to allow space for additional communion options, Communion will be offered in two different forms at either station. Please point to the pre-packaged communion or receive an individual wafer from the server and dip it into the wine or grape juice. Gluten free wafers are available upon request.

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**.

At home worship guide

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 Visitors!
Thank you for worshiping with us!
Contact Donna Finch (414-322-2796/ dlfinch@wi.rr.com) with questions.
We hope you return another Sunday!

Sign up for Daily Grace Daily Grace is an on-the-go companion for your spiritual journey, offering a faith reflection every day. Encounter God's



extravagant, boundless, and often surprising grace by signing up for a daily email message. You can also download the app for your IOS and Android devices. Learn more at welca.org/dailygrace.



May 15th is Affirmation of Baptism Sunday for the following youth:

Alexander Armiger Ariel Ganung Madison Markham Bryce Udovich

Please hold these youth in your prayers as they affirm their faith.

Thank you Summer!

CTK is so very grateful for Summer Markham and her leadership as Faith Formation Coordinator. She has truly made this an EPIC year, involving every person in Christ. Summer has announced that she will be ending her position as CTK's Faith Formation Coordinator effective May 18, 2022.

We wish Summer and her family well!

CTK remains dedicated to forming faith for all ages and will move forward with planning for VBS and other EPIC events.

Celebration Sunday, May 15-Open My Eyes to new possibilities at CTK...turn junk into treasures!

Bring junk to church! (small boxes, tissue paper, bubble wrap, rubber bands, popsicle sticks, tape etc) to build a nest out of **"junk"** to participate in an egg drop. Keep your eff from cracking.

Try your hand at drumming and join our **Junk band** as we turn buckets and recycled items into instruments. No experience is needed. Adults are encouraged to join our **"junk exchange"** game! Bring a wrapped junk item from home to exchange with others while children and youth play a **junk ball game** to see what they can untangle.

Bring a snack to share if you can. This is an EPIC event where every person in Christ is invited and welcome. Open your eyes to new possibilities at CTK!

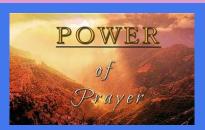
Graduating Seniors! High School, Tech School or College Grads: We will be recognizing High school, Tech and College grads in worship on

June 12th with a reception following. Please email the CTK Office at office@cktdelafield.org with your school name, grad picture, any future plans, and let us know if you will attend. Thank you!

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.

Celebrating Our Connection with Each Other

PRAYERS



Individual Prayers: Tom M, Anthony, Gerald, Hannah, Rita, Geroge, Charlie,

Ongoing Prayers: For Ukraine and the Russian people, Sue and Mark P., Pam, Adam and Megan, Alec and Mia.

Ministry Partners: 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 Coffee Project & Outreach for Hope Congregations.

With the disbanding of STTLC, CTK is now a part of the Waukesha County FCAST (Faith Coalition Against Sex Trafficking). Here is their prayer request:

We pray for the millions of Ukrainian woman and children who have become vulnerable to human trafficking as they make the arduous and courageous journey to safety in another country, often times relying on strangers out of desperation. Also, we pray for those trapped and abused as a result of the ravages of war, as well as for all victims of human trafficking and sexual violence. May there be enough light in their darkness, Lord, to still feel your presence and find comfort, hope, strength and healing. Amen. Submitted by Karen Huser

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



Help Needed!

NEEDED: Spring Cleaning continues - closets are being emptied - every inch of the church being reviewed for broken or unused items. We need People to plan the CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE to be held first weekend of June. Planning/organizing session Wednesday 10am . Call Cheryl Steinbach 262-646-2418 for details.

Monday Mavens will be visiting the Charles Dix exhibit at Hawks Inn on Monday, May 23rd at 5:00 PM. Cost is \$5 per person and we need to have 10 attendees. Charles Dix was a member of Christ the King and one of his paintings is hanging in our church. After

CTK is



spending an hour at the exhibit, we will head to Reveres for dinner. RSVP is mandatory for this event as we need to make reservations. Please RSVP to Bev Waltz (bevwaltz410@gmail.com) by Wednesday, May 18th

beginning to plan a garage sale for the weekend of June 3rd-4th in the great hall. More details to come. If interested in helping plan contact Cheryl Steinbach at 646-2418

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CTK?



Love thy Neighbors...A new 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 on the button below

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

Update



Exciting opportunity---Fun for adults and kids. VBS! Here's a hint on this year's theme: What do you call a Transformer in a canoe? Join us June 13-16, 9**noon** Registration for Pre K-5th grade coming out soon. Helpers needed! Volunteer 1 day or all 4 days. Looking for adults and children who love learning about Jesus and the outdoors. We need help with snacks, crafts, decorating, and science. LOOK for more information each week. (Answer: A row bot!)



Women of the Torah Bible Study
CTK women will continue this Bible
study on a bi-monthly basis. No
experience is necessary, just an open
heart to listen, learn, and share
together. Our next Bible Study will be
Monday May 9th at 9:30am in the
bell room. If you have any questions,
please feel free to contact Pr. Jackie.

Upcoming Worship and Events:

Committees/Meetings

Property and Grounds: Mondays at 6:30PM

Re-entry: as needed.

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
Prayer Shawl Ministry 2nd and 4th Monday at 1:00pm

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

Alcoholics Anonymous every Friday 7:00pm

Women of the Torah Bible study May 9 at 9:30am

May 15 Sunday worship recognizing Discipleship training students and Teachers

June 3-4 CTK Garage Sale (more details to come)

June 13-16 Vacation Bible School

July 27 - Spaghetti dinner

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!

Philip Simmons was 35 years old when he was diagnosed with ALS, or Lou Gehrig's Disease. In his book, LEARNING TO FALL, he writes of the journey we all must take —"learning to live richly in the face of loss." If you or someone you know is living with a chronic illness, or if you want to prepare yourself for the losses that inevitably come in life, this book is for you.

Dementia Friendly Training Available May 12th & 19th at CTK

CTK's Core Values include recognizing the infinite worth of each person and creating harmony through the differences we make and the smiles we create. One way for us to demonstrate our commitment toward living out our values is to learn how people feel when experiencing the onset of dementia. Education on this topic is crucial for everyone with aging family and friends. Helping our members to recognize and assist others experiencing dementia is part of being a Dementia Friendly Church.

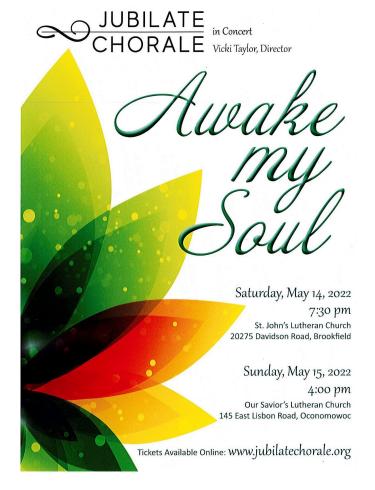
Jennifer Harders, a dementia expert for Waukesha County Health Department, will be at CTK for a 2-part training opportunity. The first discussion forum will be on Thursday, May 12th from 4-5PM. During our time together Jennifer will share general information, signs & symptoms as well as some suggestions for helping those experiencing dementia. There will be time for questions. A simple snack bar will be provided.

The following Thursday, May 19th, Jennifer and some of her associates will be at CTK to provide more hands-on information and personal experience for part two of the training! Register for your personal 30-minute time slot early. We will schedule guests every 15 minutes so that the rotation through several stations can work smoothly. That means we only have time for 6-7 individuals to partake in this eye-opening experience. Sign-up early!!!

If you are unable to attend both classes, that is ok. Come to one or both. There are no prerequisites of any kind to attend either session. This is really good information for everyone and we hope to share it with as many people as possible. Register now by contacting Vicky at 262-490-5128 (cell) or **vickyejaeger@gmail.com**

Celebrating Our Connection to Community

You are invited to the Jubilate Chorale Concert where Garrett Goodrich is a member. Get tickets at the web address below.



Family Promise Gift Basket

Family Promise of Western Waukesha County is having its annual Golf Outing on Monday, July 25th at Oconomowoc Golf Club. They are asking each Congregation to sponsor a gift basket for the Silent Auction at the event.

CTK is planning an Italian-themed basket with a gift certificate to Bella Gusto Restaurant and Italian Market in Oconomowoc and other Italian-themed items. If you would like to donate to the items to fill this basket send cash or a check made out to CTK (and in the memo line Family Promise) would be greatly appreciated. Outreach Committee



Registration is for the Family Promise of Waukesha County Golf Outing presented by Green Bay Packaging. Enjoy golf while securing the future of families experiencing homelessness or at risk of homelessness. Our goal is to help families to stay in their homes FORE- ever!

Register for Golf outing



Ukraine and Eastern Europe

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

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 your Stewardship Team and Outreach Committee

Community Connections



Derby themed Delafield Chamber Awards Night

Peggy Dorn (AGC), Laurie Wilson (AGC) and Pastor Jackie at the Chamber Awards night at the Delafield Hotel. Great networking in the community with food, laughter, and lots of fun.

<u>Outreach for Hope</u> – 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.

Click here for information on their Community Bible Study.

<u>Serenity Inn</u> – 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



Contact Our Church

ELCA NEWS & UPDATES

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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

Items for any Advocate by the 20th of the month. Thank you!