



Whoever is faithful  
in a very little  
is faithful also in much ...

Luke 16:10, NRSV

Sept. 25, 2022

Presiding  
Pastor Jackie Cook

Services are available on  
[Facebook](#), [YouTube](#), and the  
[CTK Website](#)

## Welcome to Christ the King!

### Jesus proclaims: I am the Light of the world.

At Christ the King, our lights shine as we celebrate our connection to Christ, to one another, and to the community.

Welcome visitors. For those who are interested in learning more about CTK contact Jan Guetzke (262-560-9685 or [Jan.guetzke@gmail.com](mailto:Jan.guetzke@gmail.com)) with questions.

Communion is 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](http://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

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## Mission Statement: Alive and Growing through God's Grace

### What to Expect at Worship

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.

### President's Report - Sept. 2022

.....Focus on Faith and the Rest Falls into Place....Last Fall I was graced with the opportunity to share a message at a Temple Talk to the congregation. In that message, I was able to share my thankfulness for the chance to be able to guide, lead and help facilitate change... That still stands. Additionally, I was able to



encourage all to embrace change.....that is where the calm and comfort is.

After five years of Council Leadership involvement, the time has come for a change for me. It is time to focus on other adventures. Effective the next CTK Annual Meeting, I will be stepping away from Council Leadership. I encourage anyone who has an interest to explore, listen, learn, grow, serve and lead in a Faith based environment to seriously consider stepping up to

serve and join the Council Leadership Team

Submitted by Andy Justman

## Celebrating our Connection to Christ

### Re-Doodle

(New program/app we are using) Sorry for the inconvenience/confusion of the email sent this week. Learning curve!

Help us to decide what time you would prefer for a **second** worship service on Christmas Eve. The times are listed in one hour blocks. Example: 5-6pm, 7-8 pm, or 8-9 pm

Family worship is at 3 pm on Sat. Christmas Eve, Sunday, Christmas Day worship is 9 am

Please only take the survey below.



[Christmas Eve Survey](#)

**PLEASE NOTE:** If you see "Message Clipped: [View entire message](#)" 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:** Pam G, Tom F. Barb, Deanne and Steve, Tom M, Dan, Anthony, Gerald, family and loved ones of George, the family and loved ones of Sue P. the family and loved ones of Mark C., Pam, Adam, and Megan. All those who grieve, those who suffer from anxiety and depression, all those are in hospice and in care facilities.

**Ongoing Prayers:** For Ukraine and the Russian people, Puerto Rico, the Evangelical Lutheran Churches in El Salvador and Tanzania and their Bishops, and Imbaseny parish in Tanzania, All God's Children, Mt. Meru Coffee Project & Outreach for Hope Congregations.

### 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.**

## Letting go

Sep 22, 2022

A popular meme on social media about fall says that the trees are about to show us how lovely it is to let things go. I am not particularly good at letting things go.

Jesus invites his follower to give up their lives (Matthew 16:25) – an extreme version of letting go. It's not something most of us aspire to in the literal sense. But there's a way in which following Christ is always about giving up our lives, in order to orient them toward the One who loves and holds us. The Greek word for "life" in Matthew 16:25 is "psuche" (pronounced soo-khay) or self – meaning our whole self. What does it look like to let God into our whole lives? Can we invite God into our fear or hurt or shame? How might it feel to allow ourselves to be completely embraced by God's grace? Might letting go look different when we remember that we're already held?

This message is excerpted from "Letting go" by Lisa A. Smith from the September/October 2021 Gather magazine. Today is the Fall Equinox in the Northern Hemisphere.



## Celebrating Our Connection with Each Other

### WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CTK?

#### Email scam!

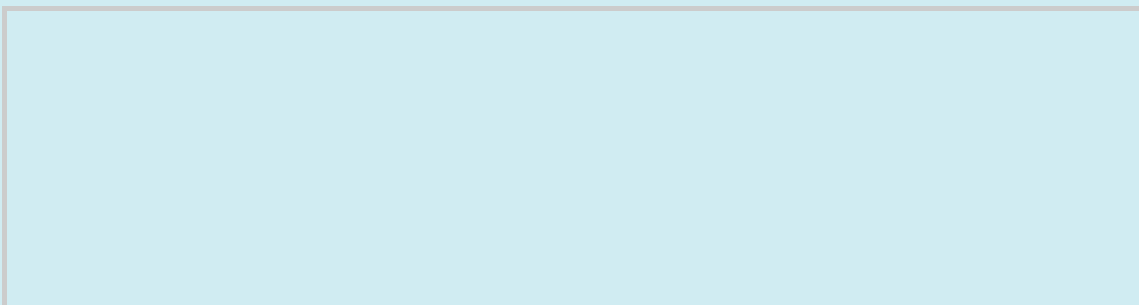
We have become aware that many people have received an email asking them to buy gift cards for cancer patients on our behalf. **THIS IS A SCAM!** It appears to come from Pastor Jackie but she would not ask anyone in this way to buy something now and pay you back later. This scam is going around many churches in the area. Now that we know about this, our tech people will help us prevent it from reoccurring.

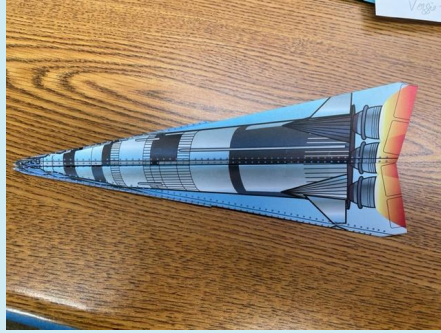
Please don't ever hesitate to email or call our office to find out more about suspicious communications. Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Warm Regards, Maggie Thomspson, CTK office Coordinator.

\*If you receive one of these emails, please report it to google by marking it as a phishing attempt. Google needs to hear from those affected. So, the more that report this, the better.

## Education News





### Rally Day Airplane Challenge

Many people joined in the fun of creating their own paper airplane - adults and children. The rain forced us indoors which hampered the altitude and distance of the flights - the planes kept hitting the ceiling! Last year's champion was washed out of the competition. Using a standard "Dart" style paper airplane Mike Thompson's plane flew 40 feet! Second place went to Jason Braameier whose "Dart" sailed 45 feet! Using a "Shuttle" style airplane, First place was claimed by Carmen Brammeier! Her airplane traveled 46 feet and 8 inches down the hall!

## Confirmation/Sunday School Corner

**Confirmation continues THIS Sunday September 25<sup>th</sup>! Students and Mentors will meet at CTK at 5:30, for Mentor Orientation. If you have not turned in the Information form, please bring it with you.**

**Weekly schedule, forms and on-line lessons are found by clicking below.**

[HERE.](#)



**CTK's Sunday school will begin on September 25<sup>th</sup>. The format will be different from last year. It will be held from approx. 9:45 (right after communion) until 10:25 (approx. 40 minutes). At Communion time, teachers and students (with parents)**

**be first to receive communion and blessings—then will proceed to their classrooms. Sunday School will be held twice per month with a home lesson once per month. Shortly, a schedule will be posted with dates and teacher sign-up. Please complete the Information/enrollment form and email it to [jenny@ctkdelafield.org](mailto:jenny@ctkdelafield.org) or turn into the office so that classrooms can be planned.**

[Sign up form click here](#)



The CTK Rain Garden is in full bloom and working hard to cleanse the air of Co2 pollutants and remove the storm water runoff of contaminates. More than ever it is so important for the recently designated “endangered Monarch butterfly “ and all other pollinators.

The migratory monarch butterfly (*Danaus plexippus*) was recently added to the IUCN Red List of Threatened Species™ as Endangered. Habitat destruction and fragmentation, increased use of pesticides, and a changing climate have been key contributors to the monarch population decline.

The good news? You can help; and it's easy! Just plant some native milkweed and companion nectar plants outside your home (and encourage others in your community to do the same). You'll be helping monarchs as well as other important wildlife species like bees and birds. And wildlife presence can double in just one season!

<https://homegrounnationalpark.org/tallamys-hub-1>

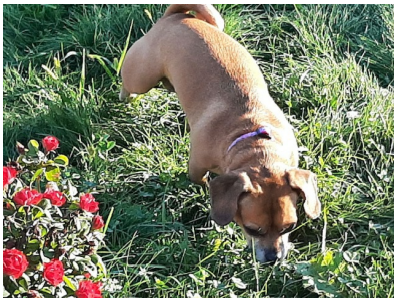
Thank you,

Happy Autumn! Jule

### Calling all Knitters!

Our prayer shawl ministry is resuming! Beginning knitters and seasoned knitters all are welcome to join the group. This group provides the blankets that we give to newly baptized members and other great projects. **Prayer Shawl Ministry 2nd and 4th Monday at 1:00 pm**





## Meet LUNA

**Save the date! Oct 16th** for a Pet Blessing service outside at CTK at 4:30 pm.  
Community Welcome!

Luna is Pastor Jackie and Randy's new addition to their family!

### **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 **\*Resumed**

**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

**September 24 Outreach for Hope Fall Bike/Run!**

**Sept. 25 Sunday School Starts after Communion in church (approx 9:45 am)**

**Sept 25 Usher update meeting will be held after church**

**Sept 26 AGC Ice Cream Social @ 5pm in the Great Hall**

**Oct. 16 Pet Blessing 4:30 pm Outside at CTK community welcome!**

**Oct. 17th and 24th Women of the Torah Bible Study @ 9:30 am Everyone welcome!**

**Reformation Sunday, October 30 and Trunk or Treat in the afternoon, more details to come.**

**Dec 4th and 11 During Sunday School will be Christmas Program Practice**

**Dec. 18th Sunday School Christmas Program and Happy Birthday Jesus too**

**Watch for dates for Fall cleanup.**

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!*

**Celebrating the Connection to Community**

# PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sponsored By:



*Taylor* Computer Services, Inc.

**Saturday, September 24 from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.**

**Who: Open to the community.** You, your family, and your friends- everyone is invited.

**What:** This won't be your average pancake breakfast!

Attendees will enjoy a fun morning complete with a topping bar, raffles, and a display of emergency vehicles.

**Where:** Welles Dining Hall at St. John's Northwestern Academies  
1101 Genesse St., Delafield

\$10/plate. Kids 5 and under, and SJNA students eat FREE.

*PAY AT THE DOOR THE DAY OF.*

All proceeds support the Parents Club activities which benefit every SJNA cadet and prep.



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## HELPING HANDS



Members of Boy Scout Troop #20 that is sponsored by CTK helped out at a critical time for Donna Finch.



"I am so grateful for all their hard work doing what I just don't have time and energy to handle. Those helping were Johnna and Bob Kalman and son Luca, Carrie and Eduardo

Boy Scout Troop #20 came to help with yard work at our home.

Zarate, Dr. Joe Tzougros and son Joe. Other Troop #20 members couldn't be there since they were on a planned camping trip." Donna Finch

### The missions of the church

[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.

[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.

[Boy Scout Troop #20](#)

[The Mt. Meru Coffee Store](#) | [Order Here](#)

**Serenity Inn September 27th is looking volunteers to bring food to the church.**

**Contact Vicky if you are willing to help.**

## OUTREACH CORNER for August

### Ready to go Sat. morning! OFH Walk, Run, Bike

#### Schedule

7 – 9:30 am: Check in table is open at Cory Park Pavilion

8:30 am: Road ride starts (check in by 8 am) **\*CTK meets 8:45-9am at Cory Park (Maggie and Maria will walk together with other CTK walkers-Chewy too!)** Bagels and coffee will be provided for fellowship.

**9:30 am: Trail ride starts** (check in by 9 am) We are there to send off the bikers.

**10 am: Walk and run starts** (check in by 9:30 am) Go!

11 am – 12:30 pm: Family picnic

Still time to donate!

### Greater Milwaukee Synod.

Please join us for a **Fall Festival** of fun and fundraiser celebrating

\*Lutheran Campus Ministry in the Greater Milwaukee Synod. Saturday, **Oct 22, 12pm - 3pm**

Food, live music, games, prizes for best costume. Tickets for food and

games can be purchased at the event. Location:

Gethsemane Lutheran Church, 13200 W Greenfield Ave, Brookfield WI 53005 Thank you for your support.

For more information, please contact Pastor Rachel Young Binter or Pastor

Carolyn Sellers Rizzo.



\*Lutheran Campus Ministry is an inclusive community of grace that welcomes students into the radical love of Jesus and sends them into the world empowered to serve for justice, hope, and peace.



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Contact Our  
Church

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!

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