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Stewardship Sunday - Nov 19



Guest speaker: Jennifer Arnold, Synod Assistant to the Bishop for Missional Leadership. Pastor Jennifer invites us to pursue stewardship with creativity, joy, and purpose.

Bishop for Missional Leadership with Bishop Paul Erickson, Pastor Jennifer used her passion for stewardship when she began at Lord of Life. Together, she and the congregation explored the call of Biblical stewardship. Under the banner, Debt Reduction Leads to Mission Expansion, they eliminated the debt from their initial facility and began building a ministry to serve the community. At St. John's, an already generous congregation, she encouraged commitment to eliminate the long-standing mortgage debt so that St. John's impact for God's Kingdom could grow even stronger. As of August, the congregation anticipated the mortgage being paid off in the first half of 2018.

We look forward to receiving your financial commitments during the worship service. Join us for lunch which will follow our 9:00 a.m. worship service.

6th Annual Thanksgiving Gathering

As Thanksgiving approaches, we are fortunate to have time to gather with loved ones and share a feast of the season. Sadly, many families right here in our neighborhoods will not gather and will go without, because they do not have these very basic necessities. One person can make a difference, but together we can make a change.

For several years we have had the privilege of working together with St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, St. Catherine of Alexandria Catholic Church, Delafield Presbyterian Church, St. John's Northwestern Military Academy and Thrivent Financial to host a Thanksgiving dinner for our neighbors from all walks of life.

At last year's event, directly and indirectly, we were able to reach more than 500 individuals. This year, it is our hope to include guests from Milwaukee's inner city churches. Our open invitation includes over 50 agencies that help those in need.

This event, as in years past, is funded solely by special congregational food donations and monetary assistance. We do not use any other church budgeted funds. Our joint congregations have been so gracious in the past with support and assistance. As we begin to plan for the event, we ask for your prayers, donations (food or monetary) and consideration for volunteering. We have opportunities for volunteers of all ages, so we encourage you to involve your entire family.

Please mark your calendar for Wednesday, November 22. We will be serving dinner at Christ the King Lutheran Church from 3 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. There will be musical entertainment for our guests to enjoy.

At 7 p.m., a Thanksgiving Ecumenical Service will be held at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church.

Welcome CTK's New Treasurer



Mike Hase has answered the call to serve as the new Treasurer of CTK. Mike will assume the duties of Treasurer in January of 2018

after a period of transitioning into this role. As previously announced, Norb Steinbach will be retiring as Treasurer after many years of service.

Mike retired from GE several years ago. While at GE, Mike was a Senior Manager in the Radiology and Clinical Excellence Practice of Performance Solutions, with more than ten years of experience in healthcare consulting. Mike has a Master Change Agent and Six Sigma Black Belt from GE Healthcare, Milwaukee, WI. He graduated from University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh, WI and received his MBA from Marquette University.

Mike enjoys designing and producing custom wood furniture, golfing and spending time with his family. Please thank Mike for taking on the role of Treasurer!

Holy Communion

First Communion will be celebrated Sunday, November 12. Parents and youth experience this class together, so that the faith life of all in the household might be strengthened.

LWR Personal Care Kit Delivery

Thank you to Vicky Jaeger for taking those 6 big heavy boxes in to St. Luke's Lutheran Church with our many precious personal care kits in them.

November Book Club

The CTK Book Club will meet on November 14 at 10am to discuss *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn* by Mark Twain. Copies are available at the Delafield Library. New members are always welcome to join us. Glenda Dolphin 262-424-3011

Join The Fall Adult Bible Study

Adult Bible Study, Thursday mornings from 9:30-11:00. Pastor Goodrich will be the guide. Bring your Bible.

Young At Heart Luncheon

Thank you to all who helped with the Senior Young at Heart Luncheon. Over 75 people were served by Sue Rutledge and her great Kitchen Committee plus many volunteers. Some helped Greet and many helped in the lunch area. A wonderful time of food, fellowship and music was had by all!

Outreach for Hope!



You helped us shatter the 2017 Outreach for Hope Family Bike Ride goal of \$110,000, set for our 10th Anniversary!

With cash and pledges, the total-to-date received for this year's bike ride stands at \$136,090.

Thanks to all of you who participated. Your efforts will bless the lives of many individuals and families who struggle with the challenges of poverty in Southeastern Wisconsin, via the churches and ministries that walk with them.

The Community is Welcome!



Veterans Day Recognition

Sunday, November 12, 2017
Christ the King Lutheran Church
1600 N. Genesee St., Delafield
Reception immediately following our
9 am Worship Service in the Great Hall

Please join us as we honor *all* of our Veterans and thank them for their willingness to serve and protect our freedom. Enjoy a delicious brunch and patriotic music provided by Mark Gould. During the reception, you can view the traveling banner exhibit, *Wisconsin Remembers*, which puts a face to every Wisconsin name listed on the VietNam Veterans Memorial Wall in Washington, D.C.

For more information, please contact Donna Finch at (414) 322-2796 or dffinch@wi.rr.com



Gingerbread House Event-Nov 26

All are invited to join us at 10:15 in the Great Hall for fun and fellowship on Sunday, November 26. This event marks the beginning of Advent, a season of preparation and waiting for the coming of Christ. Submit payment of \$20.00 per house, along with a gingerbread order form, to the office. We do not want cost to be a factor; scholarships are available upon request. Refreshments of coffee, cocoa & cookies will be served. Contact Laurie Wilson at lauriewilson5@gmail.com with questions. Sponsored by the Fellowship Committee of CTK.



November Monday Mavens

Monday Mavens will be going on a field trip to Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Menomonee Falls on Monday, Nov 13, to view their Nativity Collection. Meet at CTK at 2:45 p.m. to carpool for the 3:30 p.m. tour. After the tour, we will head to PF Chang's for dinner. RSVP by Thur, Nov 9. Sign-up sheet is on the Fellowship bulletin board.

Save The Date- December 10

Join Christ The King for our annual Christmas Concert on Sunday, December 10 at 6:00 p.m. All our welcome!

"Carols Around the World"
Featuring Handel's Messiah
Carols from Around the World
Sing-A-Longs
Royal Bells
Children and Adult Choirs
Reception to follow
in the Great Hall



Reformation Church Christmas Outreach

For the past few years, CTK members have generously supported Reformation's Neighborhood Store at Christmas by donating new gifts. This enabled the neighborhood residents to be able to shop for Christmas gifts with dignity.

This year we have been asked to donate very specific gifts for Christmas. Pillows are very much in demand. The pillows do not need to be expensive; quantity is more important than overly expensive pillows. We were also asked to donate slippers: large or extra-large for both women and men.

Finally we have been asked to donate \$10.00 Pick and Save gift certificates. If there is a large family, Pastor Marilyn will give the family several of the \$10.00 certificates. Please contact Pam Kroening pam.kroening@gmail.com with any questions. Thank you for your help.

Shorehaven Christmas Giving Tree

Please look for the Shorehaven Outreach Christmas Giving Tree/Board in the Upper Sanctuary. Take an ornament or two off the tree with the gift you would like to bless a Shorehaven resident with this Christmas. Bring your gifts back Unwrapped by December 10.

Gift Suggestions:

Aftershave (non aerosol)
Bird Feeder with suction cup for windows and bird seed.
Beauty Items-such as makeup, lipstick, blush, or nail polish.
Body Spray & Lotion Set for men and women.
Body Lotion for dry skin.
Box of candy (chocolates, mints, sugar-free) No nuts or cherries
Cologne/Perfume
Green Bay Packer t-shirts or sweatshirts size XL for men and women.
Puzzles (large pieces-300 pieces, age appropriate)
Soft Socks (Diabetic socks also appreciated)
Tin of Cookies
Word search & Crossword Puzzle Books (Large Print)



All God's Children News

Our beginning of the school year has been filled with wonderful fun activities with our children and families. The Lake Country Fire Department came to our preschoolers about fire safety with the highlight getting to go see the fire truck in our parking lot. Our "Show and Tell Open House" was the perfect opportunity for children to show their parents, grandparents and siblings their classroom. After a month of being in class, these kids are comfortable and have quickly learned that preschool is fun.

The Rainbow room started off this year with color days so all of the children come dressed in the appropriate color and have a special color snack. It's easy to see that it was yellow day when walking in their classroom. Our KMSD class had a farm unit where they took a field trip to Glacier Rock farm and enjoyed painting with "udders" making classroom learning so fun for the children. Our Alligator/Monkey classroom took a field trip to Oak Ridge farm where they got to see a working farm as well as a hayride around the farm.

Our Butter Braid fundraiser

Butter Braids are filled frozen pastries that you let rise overnight and bake fresh in the morning. New this year we will be selling frozen cookie dough in five different flavors. Orders should be placed by Nov 7 with delivery on Thursday, Nov 16 which is just in time for Thanksgiving guests. If you would like to place an order, please feel free to contact Laurie at agcisfun@centurytel.net or look for order forms at church. We will be using funds raised to

purchase a new Autumn Blaze Maple tree for our playground.

Christmas shopping on Amazon

Look for Amazon Smile where you can designate funds to All God's Children preschool. We receive a percentage of all sales. Thrivent choice dollars directed to All God's Children is also happily welcomed to support our ministry. Thanks ...Laurie

AGC Office Position

All God's Children is looking for an administrative assistant for our office. This position requires knowledge of working with computers as well as Quickbooks. If you are interested or would like additional information, contact Laurie Wilson at 262-893-5986.

November After Worship

"Shaping Faith - Building Community"

•Adult Forums held weekly in the Great Hall – Visit www.ckdelafield.org/ November

Nov 5 - ALL SAINTS

For All the Saints: Sharing our Stories

Nov 12 – Veterans Day Celebration

Nov 19 - Stewardship Committee

Nov 26 – Advent Journey:

Gingerbread House Workshop

•Fellowship & Coffee in the Upper Sanctuary. Join us for conversation and coffee. All are welcome!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

A grateful welcome to the newest members of our children's ministry team:

Joelle Sanger – Nursery Coordinator

Teaching Teams:

Rona Sonnenberg/Sally Ketter

Jayne Hinkens/Jeri Rooney

Carl Scheid, Judy Winkels

Joey Schick, Matt and Liz Pomeroy

TABLE TIME/SMALL GROUPS:

Wednesdays 6-8:30 p.m.

"We are followers of Jesus, gathered at the table for Meal & Ministry."

MEAL: 6:30-7 p.m. in the Great Hall

SMALL GROUPS (Before & After)

5:15-6:30 p.m. Handbells – Mark Gould

6 – 8 p.m. Discipleship Training

(Grades 7/8) – Pastor Lindsay Jordan

7 – 7:45 p.m. Gospel Text Study -Teri Bergendahl, Faith Formation

7 – 8:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal – Mark Gould, Director

Table Time

Join us Wednesday evenings for TABLE TIME, a shared meal and a time to gather for bells, choir, Discipleship Training, Holy Communion Instruction, Small Groups and more. What are your ideas for small groups? Bible or book study, life groups, hobbies and interests, seasons of the church, theology? Share your ideas with Teri or PJ.

NEW! Gospel Text Study Small Group

7:00-7:45 p.m. Room 207 (Follows the meal) - Let's "break open" the Word

together as we explore the Gospel

reading for the upcoming Sunday.

- Led by Teri Bergendahl

November Celebrations & Milestones

Birthdays:

Barb Justman

Marcia Solsrud

Chuck Jorgensen

Al Marusinec

LeRoy & Arvie Stein

Betty Skumatz

Jerri Jones

Dick Klick

50+ Anniversaries

Tom and Sue Kohl

Carl and Joan Scheid

Blessing to all of you!



In Our Prayers:

Individuals: Seanna, Allie, Becky, Jo Doran, Alec, Aidan (Grandson of Gary Fluaitt), Sandy, Alice, Lynette Gillen, Tom & Marilyn and those who are incarcerated. Those serving in the military and their families. Those affected by the fires in California.

Grieving Families of: Alice Kolstad and Howard Nelson

Ministry Partners:

Serenity Inn, Family Promise, Reformation Lutheran Church, All God's Children, Sophal Project, Lutherdale Bible Camp

Are You In Need Of Prayers?

Would you like to have your faith family praying for you? Christ the King has a very special Prayers Please Group! If you or someone you know needs prayers, contact Barb Justman. Would you like to know when others need your prayers? Join our CTK e-pray chain by emailing or calling Barb Justman at 367-3542 or email sjustman@wi.rr.com.

November Worship Volunteers

11/5/2017

Asst. Min. Teri Bergendahl
 Lector Dick Reul
 Comm. Asst. Arliss & Dick Reul
 Comm. Asst. Laurie Wilson, Sandy Mounts
 Greeters Sandy Mounts, Gayle Maney
 Acolytes: Peytyn Kier, Emily Ketter
 Ushers Sonnenberg

11/12/2017

Asst. Minister: Gary Fluaitt
 Lector: Meredy Hase
 Comm. Asst.: Lynn Hansen
 Roland Broberg
 Comm. Asst.: Jon & Linda Kilmer
 Greeters: Jeri Rooney,
 Marcia Hombsch
 Acolytes: Jacob Bonesho,
 Tara Chapman
 Ushers: Volunteer Needed

11/19/2017

Asst. Minister: Brian Udovich
 Lector: Lynn Hansen
 Comm. Asst.: Lynn & Mary Hansen
 Comm. Asst: Sharon Ziarek, Donna Finch
 Greeters: Rich & Lee Ann Quinlan
 Acolytes: Blake Armiger,
 Norah Mantey
 Ushers: Bonesho

11/26/17

Asst. Min. Brian Udovich
 Lector Pam Schultz
 Comm. Asst. Pam Schultz, Toni Palmer
 Comm. Asst., Steve & Jayne Hinkens
 Greeters Jenni & Kent Marquardt
 Acolytes: Caleb Hansen,
 Kate Beiler
 Ushers Etmayer

12/3/2017

Asst. Min. Teri Bergendahl
 Lector Jeff Roth
 Comm. Asst. Jeff & Bonnie Roth
 Comm. Asst Pat & Curt Neudecker
 Greeters Scott & Shelly Fuller
 Acolytes: Norah Mantey,
 Blake Armiger
 Ushers Sternemann

Thoughts From Juanita:

Sunday, November 26, is Christ the King Sunday, a church-wide day changing the liturgical calendar from the Easter Season to the season of Christmas. This year we also recognize the 500th birthday of "The Reformation".

Before we close the door on the Easter Season, let us especially remember that it is Grace alone by which we are saved. Through this we receive Scripture and Faith. A Cross on a heart resting on the center of the Messianic Rose (representing Christ) and surrounded by a circle to represent eternity. This remains today the symbol of the Lutheran church, and is an expression of trust in God (one in three persons).

We will turn our calendars to the Christmas Season and December 3 the 1st Sunday of Advent beginning the story of "Our Christian Faith". Back in the 1500's a reformer named Teresa of Avila once wrote, the following, realizing it was already past time to "make Christ known".

Christ has no body now but yours, no hands, no feet on earth, but yours. Yours are the eyes through which Christ looks with compassion on the world. Yours are the feet with which Christ looks to do good. Yours are the hands with which Christ blesses all the world. Christ has no body now but yours; No hands, no feet on earth but yours.

**Give Witness to Christ in Your Life!
 Blessings...Juanita Newman**

Upcoming Events

November

- 1 Holy Communion Class
- 5 All Saints Sunday
- 5 Daylight Savings
- 5 Bowling Youth Event
- 8 Holy Communion Class
- 11 Veteran's Day
- 12 Veteran's Day Recognition
- 12 First Communion Sunday
- 13 Nativity Tour & Meal w/ Mavens
- 14 Book Club
- 16 AGC Butter Braid Delivery
- 19 Fall Stewardship Sunday
- 19-21 Thanksgiving Prep Begins
- 22 Thanksgiving Dinner
- 22 Thanksgiving Service
- 23 Office Closed Thanksgiving Day
- 26 Christ the King Sunday
- 26 Annual Gingerbread Houses

December

- 3 First Sunday in Advent
- 3-10 Family Promise Week
- 10 Advent/Christmas Concert
- 11 Christmas Tea
- 14 All Congregation Budget Mtg.
- 17 Birthday Party for Jesus
- 24 Christmas Eve Worship
- 9:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m. & 10:00 p.m.
- 25 Christmas Day "Glory To God"
- 31 New Year's Eve Worship Service

Weekly Meetings

- Mon Boy Scouts
- Tue Serenity Inn Dinners Monthly
- Wed Choir
- Wed Bell Choir
- Wed Discipleship Training
- Thur Lake Country Quilters
- Thur Adult Bible Study-The Gospels
- Fri Men's Bible Study



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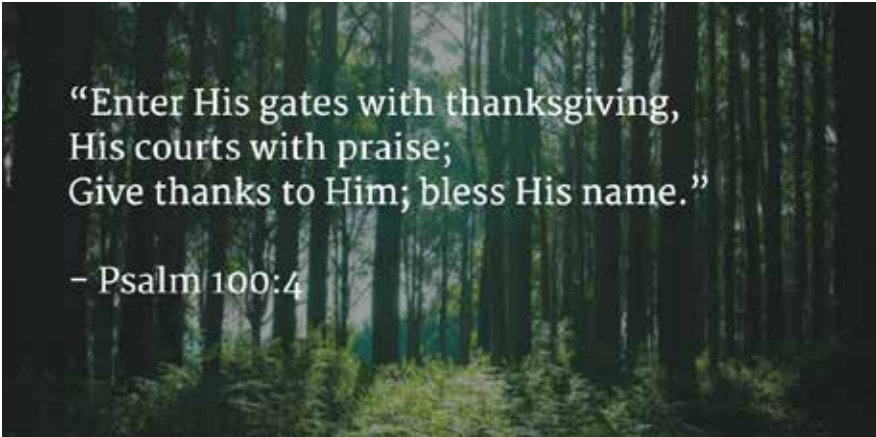
Worship With Us: Sundays at 9:00 a.m.

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“Enter His gates with thanksgiving,
His courts with praise;
Give thanks to Him; bless His name.”

– Psalm 100:4