

# The Advocate

A Publication of Christ the King Lutheran Church, ELCA, Delafield, WI



## Welcoming Our Children

When we say, "All are welcome," we declare our intent to welcome people of all ages, people who are like us and those who are different. We are saying that we will be community with those we love and those with whom we struggle. Our declaration of welcome is bold statement that trusts that God's table is big enough for all people.

Rally Day is Sunday, September 9. We will celebrate that God calls us to be God's church together - all of us, including those who aren't regularly here and those who are yet to come into this community. We will worship outside, enjoy games and conversation together, share in a meal, and celebrate the newly completed parking lot. I hope our whole congregation will rally, as we "tailgate" together.

Historically, rally days have been focused on educational ministries of the church. Congregations have emphasized their various ministries while especially paying attention to children and youth. How we welcome them is an important indicator of how open we are to energy, enthusiasm, and the unexpected. How we embrace our children and youth is also a sign of how well prepared we are to welcome others.

Here are some do's and don'ts for welcoming children and youth. While I say they are for children and youth, I also believe that many of the principals involved in welcoming kids apply to welcoming strangers, too:

Really, every Sunday is a rally day of sorts. Visitors and children are constantly among us. They are a gift from God. How we welcome and engage them is a reflection of our faith. Welcoming them as Jesus has welcomed us, is a sign of Christian maturity. So, find children and visitors and welcome them fully. Get to know them. Honor them - for they are Christ among us.

Peace and all that is good,  
Pastor Jordan

<u>Dos</u>	<u>Don'ts</u>
1. Expect that they will bring energy to our community.	1. Don't squash the energy they bring by trying to fit them into your expected patterns of behavior.
2. Expect that they want to have fun. Enter into their joy and celebrate it as a gift from God.	2. Don't speak poorly about their joyful expressions or expect them to stop, even if they are making a little noise.
3. Anticipate that they may break one of your established "norms" - they may say something you don't expect, run in the upper sanctuary, or even drop crumbs on the carpet.	3. Don't scold our children or speak poorly of them when they have done something you wish they hadn't done. Don't expect them sit still after worship, after sitting quietly for an hour. They have energy! That's a good thing.
4. Enjoy the sounds kids make in worship and at other times.	4. Don't shush our kids or glare at them or their parents when they are vocal.
5. Get to know their names and invite them into conversation.	5. Don't ignore them or expect that somebody else is engaging them in relationship.
6. Always explain their actions in the kindest of ways. That's what Luther's explanation to the 8th commandment teaches when it admonishes us not to harm other people's reputations, but to defend them.	6. Don't speak negatively about them.

## Rally Day Volunteers Needed

Rally Day is approaching and we would like to secure some helpers! At this time, we are looking for two licensed bartenders, set-up and take-down crews as well as a crew to assist with decorations for the day!



## Welcome Back To Sunday School! Sunday, September 16 at 9:00 In the Great Hall

### Sunday School Superintendent Needed

We have a great volunteer opportunity for someone or a team of two, to coordinate our Sunday School program. The curriculum is all set. This would include assisting the teachers and ensuring coverage, working on the Christmas program along with other special Sunday School events throughout the year. Along with Pastor Jordan, we have a dedicated education committee that will work closely with the Sunday School Superintendent(s). Contact Pastor Jordan or Amy Bonesho with questions.

### Help Wanted Sunday School Teachers- No Experience Necessary!

Christ the King's youngest members are looking for people that can help them grow in their faith. If you have a desire to work with children, we would be happy to have you join our team of Sunday School teachers. We have user-friendly curriculum and a team approach to teaching. The plan is to have one large group classroom. We are looking for people to teach in teams of 3, just once a month. Training will be provided. Please contact Amy Bonesho ([abb1987@yahoo.com](mailto:abb1987@yahoo.com)) or Pastor Jordan if interested.

### Membership Chair Appointment, Jan Guetzke

Donna Finch, our chair of Membership for several years, has resigned and we now welcome Jan Guetzke, who was appointed as Membership Chair at the July council meeting. Donna did an outstanding job in her past role as Membership Chair. Please thank her for all her work and commitment to CTK and please welcome Jan with an offering of support as she takes on this new role!

### Join The New Garden Advisory Committee

Join the new committee that will be looking at the needs for the gardens at our church. We are looking for those knowledgeable about gardens, or workers, or both! We will meet the second Thursday of each month at 7 pm for one hour reviewing the needs for that month. Please let Cheryl Steinbach know of your interest. Email or call (262) 646-2418.

## **Adult Forums (Adult Education) Will be Resuming Sunday, September 23**

Grab a cup of coffee and join Pastor Jordan in the Great Hall after the 9:00 a.m. service.

9/23- Who is Jesus? (Video and Pastor)

9/30 - Exploring Christ's Tomb (Video and Pastor)

10/7 - No Adult Forum

10/14- Jerusalem's Holiest Sites (Video and Pastor)

10/21-Stewardship Presentation-Stewardship Committee

10/28- Opioid/Narcan Training Event

## **Outreach for Hope Family Bike Ride- Saturday, September 8**

This year's event takes place in two locations: St. Bruno Parish in Dousman and Grace Lutheran Church in Grafton. Both rides offer an out and back trail ride for families – distance is your choice, plus longer rides for more experienced bicyclists. Join us for food, fresh air and fellowship.



This year's goal is \$120,000. Your participation by riding a bicycle, volunteering, or donating will enrich the lives of so many people of faith as we support after-school tutoring programs, Breaking the Chains (prison ministry), parish nurses or medical clinics, meals and food bag distributions, Urban Internship Fund (seminary interns) and so much more. Visit the Outreach for Hope Family Bike Ride website at [ofhbikeride.com](http://ofhbikeride.com) for information and to register for the annual ride on Saturday, September 8. **Be sure to elect Team Christ the King Delafield when REGISTERING, VOLUNTEERING or DONATING!**

## **Monday Mavens - Learn Mahjong**

Lois Knutson has graciously offered to teach Monday Mavens how to play the game of Mahjong. Join us on Monday, September 10 at 6:00 p.m.. All welcome - those with no experience and those who play. RSVP (by Friday, September 7) is required for planning purposes. Limited to 20 players. Please email Bev Waltz at [bevwaltz410@gmail.com](mailto:bevwaltz410@gmail.com) with questions

## **CTK Directory Update**

The membership committee along with the office are beginning to collect any address, phone, or email updates for the 2019 CTK Directory. Please email your changes to office @ [ctkdelafield.org](mailto:ctkdelafield.org).

## **Coffee Hour Host Sign-up to Serve**

Volunteers needed to help with coffee hour set up and clean up. Bakery is provided by Panera's so volunteers do not need to bake unless they want to provide a treat. Sign up sheet is in the upper sanctuary by the TV screen. Contact Pam Behrend with questions .

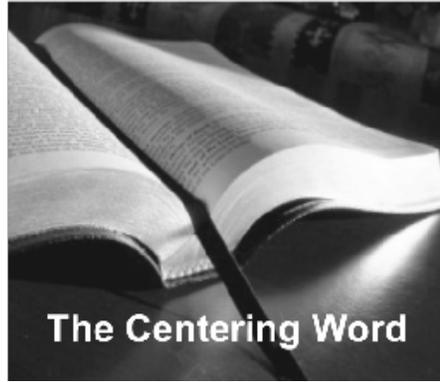
## **Reformation Sonshine Program**

Reformation needs our support for their "Sonshine" outreach program. Participants are provided with a hospitality bag of household items which they cannot buy with food stamps. Please place these in the box labeled Reformation in the upper sanctuary.

- Soft bristle toothbrushes
- 9 fluid oz. Dawn Dishwashing liquid

## **Send A Card To Brighten The Day**

Esther Schumann has a new address: Heartland house, Room 400 668 West Cummings Rd, Wautoma, WI 54982. Send her a card and let her know there are people who remember her.



**In Our Prayers:**

Eunice, Leroy "Hap" Stein, Pastor Gerry Goodrich, Victims of Human Trafficking, those serving in the military, those who are incarcerated and the families of both.

Grieving Family of:  
Elizabeth Strzelecki (Ellen Dowd's sister)

**Ministry Partners:**

Serenity Inn, Family Promise, Reformation Lutheran Church, All God's Children, Lutherdale Bible Camp, Mr. Meru Coffee Project.

**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](mailto:sjustman@wi.rr.com).

Each month, the Centering Word is offered for congregational reflection. Use it to commit an important part of scripture to memory. The coming month's Centering Word is:

68 Simon Peter answered Jesus, "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. 69 We come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God. (John 6:68-69)

**August  
Worship Volunteers**

**8/19/2018**  
Asst. Minister: Vicky Jaeger  
Lector: Mary Hollister  
Comm. Asst.: Jeff & Bonnie Roth  
Comm. Asst: Sandy Mounts, Norb Steinbach  
Greeters: Norb & Cheryl Steinbach  
Acolytes: Caleb Hansen, Kate Beiler  
Ushers: Bonesho  
Tech Team: Andy, Rich, Paul

**8/26/2018**  
Asst. Minister: Sue Seegert  
Lector: Sue Braunschwig  
Comm. Asst.: Toni & Jack Palmer  
Comm. Asst: Rick & Bunny Kunstmann  
Acolytes: Norah Mantey, Tara Chapman  
Ushers: Sternemann  
Greeters: The Wieirch's Family  
Tech Team: Paul, Rich, Bob

**September Worship Volunteers**

**9/2/2018**  
Asst. Min. Gary Fluaitt  
Lector Meredy Hase  
Comm. Asst Barb Justman, Jeri Bonadeur  
Comm. Asst. Jayne Hinkens, Steve Hinkens  
Greeters Mike & Meredy Hase  
Acolytes: Peytyn Kier, Blake Armiger  
Ushers Sonnenberg  
Tech Team

**9/9/2018 Rally Day Outside Worship**

Asst. Minister: Sue Seegert  
Lector: Eric Varrelmann  
Comm. Asst.: Jon & Linda Kilmer  
Comm. Asst.: Lynn & Drew Waedekin  
Greeters: Tim & Mary Yellick  
Acolytes:  
Ushers: Brammeier  
Tech Team:

**9/16/2018**

Asst. Minister: Tom Seegert  
Lector: Brian Udovich  
Comm. Asst.: Roland Broberg, Barb Hamann  
Comm. Asst: Kari Mantey, Marcia Hombsch  
Greeters: Mantey Family  
Acolytes:  
Ushers: Ettmayer  
Tech Team:

**9/23/2018**

Asst. Minister: Vicky Jaeger  
Lector: Jayne Hinkens  
Comm. Asst.: Chris & Al Kraemer  
Comm. Asst: Laura Marusinec, Jean Corgait  
Greeters: Chris & Al Kraemer  
Acolytes:  
Ushers: Varrelmann  
Tech Team:

**9/30/2018**

Asst. Minister: Allie Rahn  
Lector: Steve Hinkens  
Comm. Asst.: Dick & Sue Rutledge  
Comm. Asst: Carol White, Laurie Wilson  
Greeters: Gayle Maney, Nancy Ganung  
Ariel & Seanna  
Acolytes:  
Ushers: Bonesho  
Tech Team:

## Back To School At All God's Children

It's that time of the year as we prepare for the start of another year.

Our preschool ministry started in 1976, so we are entering our 42 year of serving children in our community. What a blessing to have this amazing ministry here at Christ the King as we have thousands of AGC alumni in the lake country area. When you are talking about our church, I'm sure that many will know that we are the church with All God's Children! Our preschool offers half day programs that meet 2, 3 or 5 days a week for children ages 2 ½ to age 5.

We have around 70 children enrolled for fall and we are getting excited to have them here as part of our family. There are still just a few available spaces in each of our classrooms for fall so please tell your neighbors and friends as you are the best form of advertising! This fall will mark the start of our ninth year as a Kettle Moraine School District 4K partner which means that any child that is a Kettle Moraine School district resident and is 4 by Sept 1 may enroll in our 4K Froggy Fives classroom without any tuition.

Our supplies are ordered, our classrooms and rugs have been cleaned by Joel over the summer and our staff is getting things prepared for our start of preschool. Judy Winkels and Rochelle Melnarik are the co-teachers for our 2 ½ to 3 year old children in the Rainbow room and make an amazing team!

Linda Holbrook and our new teacher Linda Thenhaus will be in our Alligator and Monkey classroom for the children ages 3 ½ to 4 year olds. Linda Thenhaus recently moved to Oconomowoc and had previously taught preschool in Ohio. Debbie Thomas is moving to the 4K classroom as our dedicated teacher. The assistant teachers will be our CTK member Toni Schnorr and alumni parent Jessie Bergeron. Nancy Hull is my Office Assistant who I couldn't do without! If anyone is interested in helping in our afternoon enrichments, please feel free to let me know as we would love to have you on our sub list.

Our Summer Safari camp was enjoyed by the children with lots of outdoor time on our beautiful playground. What a special time and place for the children to be in God's beautiful outdoors. The kids went on safari hunts around the church and playground looking for the various animals! They enjoyed cooling off in the sprinkler, playing in the water table and painting outside.

As always, your support of our preschool is so important to the success of our preschool. May God continue to shower his blessings on our ministry.

Laurie Wilson, Administrator



**CTK SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
**2018-19 REGISTRATION IS OPEN!**

- Sunday School will be held during the 9 am church service
- Children will be dropped off in the Great Hall and released to parents prior to communion
- We will provide a story, craft/activity and opportunity to practice faith milestones

We are asking all families to help teach three Sundays out of the school year. A signup calendar will be sent out after registration. (Parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, etc. are all welcome!) Materials and training will be provided.



Visit [www.ctkdelafield.org/ministries/sunday-school/](http://www.ctkdelafield.org/ministries/sunday-school/) to register

## Sing, Ring, and Make Music At CTK

This summer I attended the Association of Lutheran Church Musicians national conference at Valparaiso University in Indiana. We had the privilege of collaborating with the Lutheran Summer Music Program for engaged high school musicians who are interested in developing their musicianship along with being immersed in Lutheran worship life. We performed together a hymn festival with a massed choir, band and hand bells along with glorious organ arrangements performed by Robert Hobby. The hymn festival was dedicated to the memory of LSM founder, Carlos Messerli and was titled, "All My Days".

As we kick off another year for our three music ensembles at CTK on Wednesday, September 12 with hand bells rehearsing at 5.30 p.m. and the vocal choir at 7:00 p.m. we can reflect on how God gives us the gift of music for "All our days". Jubilate Children's Choir will meet after worship at 10.30 am most Sundays. We have had a 5 year old share solos and we've had those 60 plus develop a solo voice, we also have bell-ringers from eight to their 80s. That's not the full breadth of "all our days" but it is a reminder that most of us have a capacity to sing and play God's praise for most of our lives.

We bring some great momentum from a full summer of young and adult musicians, Rookie Ringers, and Sing and Ring Youth mini-camp. We hope you'll consider serving in this important and inspiring role of giving voice to our praise and proclamation of God's saving deeds. Through our song, God's Spirit breathes in us the voice of faith. As Dietrich Bonhoeffer once said, "It is not we who sing (on our own), the whole Church sings through us."

Mark your calendars for Sunday, December 9, at 3 p.m. when we'll have our second Lessons and Carols concert. We hope to expand on our evangelism outreach from last year.

This year's program is titled, "**Holy Light**", and will involve all our music ensembles.

Thanks for your support and participation in my first year as your music coordinator. With you we can make God's Word come alive in worship and "all our days". Mark Gould, Music Coordinator, CTK



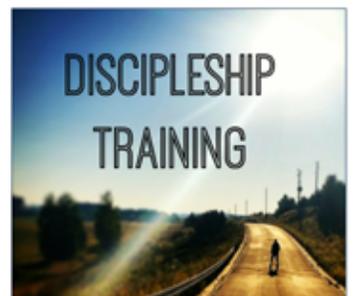
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*ctk sing & ring clinic*

### 2018-19 CTK Discipleship Training Beginning Weds., Sept. 12th @ 6 pm

Discipleship Training kicks off with a parent/youth meeting Weds., Sept. 12th. We'll gather for our first night according to our normal weekly schedule at 6 pm when we'll share a meal together. At 6:30 pm we'll have large group time with youth and parents together. If your youth has friends who are looking for a church, invite them to join us. In preparation, Pastor Jordan is asking each family with youth looking to be part of fall discipleship training to visit our website and register for the coming year.



Register at CTK's Discipleship Training Page (under the Ministries tab)  
[www.ctkdelafield.org](http://www.ctkdelafield.org)

Contact Pastor Jordan at [pj@ctkdelafield.org](mailto:pj@ctkdelafield.org) with questions!

## Fall Youth Event Opportunities

### August 26-Lit Learns Lawn Bowl

Those entering grades 7-12 this fall are invited to try a new sport: Lawn Bowl! This is not bowling. It's not croquet... It's something different. We will leave after-worship at 10:30 a.m., eat together and then head to Lake Park to play together. Cost is \$10 and covers transportation and lawn bowl. We will stop at Point Burger for lunch (youth covers cost of lunch). Sign up by August 23. with Shari Showers, [sshower\\_2000@yahoo.com](mailto:sshower_2000@yahoo.com).

### September 9– Rally Day

Worship outside, enjoy tailgating, games, eat good food! Everyone invited.

### Youth Discipleship Train Kicks Off On Wednesday, September 12

### September 15-Lit Hits the Road!

Grades 7-12 will enjoy the sites of Chicago on a day away. We will take the train to Chicago for fun! We will leave CTK at 6:30 a.m. and return around 10:00 p.m.

Cost is \$50 and covers transportation and one meal. Contact Toni Palmer

### September 30- Lit Hang Out

We gather in the CTK Youth Room to hang out, grow together as a community, and explore our faith.

### October 13-14-Anchored in Abundance Elementary Retreat

This is a retreat for kids in elementary school, grades 3-6, at Lutherdale Bible Camp. Registration for the retreat is due in the church office by September 13. Total cost for this Saturday to Sunday retreat is \$90.

Friends are welcome at all CTK events. More information and the registration form is Lutherdale Retreat schedule and registration form.

### October 13- Lit Box Night

This is an overnight experience that explores homelessness in our area. Youth will spend the night outdoors in a shelter they make out of cardboard. They will serve breakfast to the congregation the next morning.

### Pastor Jordan, Toni Palmer and Sally Ketter Took 13 Youth To Six Flags Great America, August 8



## Upcoming Events

### AUGUST

- 4-5 Summer Sing and Ring Camp
- 5 Guest Organist Maestro Bengtson
- 12-19 Family Promise Week
- 13 Monday Maven's Boat Tours
- 14 Partisan Primary Election
- 19 Women's Glee Performance
- 19 Mt. Meru Golf Outing Kettle Hills
- 20-24 Great Hall Floor Cleaning  
(No Access)
- 26 Youth Lawn Bowl Event

### SEPTEMBER

- 2 Worship with Reformation Church
- 3 Labor Day- Church Office Closed
- 8 Outreach for Hope Family Bike Ride
- 9 **Rally Day! Outdoor Worship Tailgate Party**-Time to celebrate the gift of our new parking lot.
- 10 Monday Maven's Learn Mahjong
- 11 Christmas Gathering Meeting
- 12 Discipleship Training Kick-Off
- 15 Youth Trip To Chicago
- 16 First Day of Sunday School
- 16 Blessing of the Our Education Leaders
- 16 Fall Adult Forums Begin
- 17 Christmas Gathering Meeting
- 19 Discipleship Training Party
- 23 Fall Theological Conference

### 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
- Thur Garden Advisory Committee (Monthly)
- Fri Men's Bible Study



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

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**HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES**

*A class to learn about the sacrament of Holy Communion*

FOR KIDS AND THEIR PARENTS WHO MAY ALREADY BE RECEIVING COMMUNION OR THOSE WHO WISH TO BEGIN

CLASS DATES: OCT 10, 17 & 24  
4TH GRADERS 5 TO 6 PM  
YOUNGER THAN 4TH 3:30 TO 4:30 PM

*Celebration of First Communion*

SUN OCT 28 (REFORMATION SUNDAY)  
FOR THOSE RECEIVING COMMUNION FOR THE FIRST TIME

CONTACT [PJURCHDELAFIELD.ORG](http://PJURCHDELAFIELD.ORG) TO REGISTER

The poster features a background image of purple grapes and golden wheat stalks. The text is centered and uses a mix of bold, serif, and cursive fonts. A green banner at the bottom contains the contact information.