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Christ the King Lutheran Church, Delafield, WI

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The CTK Annual Meeting is
Sunday, January 22, after the worship
service.



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Announcing Two Retirements

Join us in congratulating two staff members who are retiring from ministry. Art Jaehnke and Kathie Ferree have announced their plans to retire in the coming weeks. Their music ministries among us have been meaningful and overwhelmingly appreciated. God has truly given them both very obvious gifts and our congregation was blessed to have such talented people on our staff.

Art began his ministry at CTK the fall of 2013. In speaking to the staff about his retirement, Art reminded us that he and Betsy had purchased a house in Florida and that he was already planning to spend all of February there. As Art's choirs weren't scheduled to sing or ring on Sunday, January 22, he was going to fly to Florida following this Sunday's service and fly back and forth for worship on the 29th. However, in conversation with Meredy Hase, Personnel Chair, it was decided to move his retirement date up to January 15.

Kathie's retirement comes after more than 30 years of commitment on the organ bench. She says she had been planning to retire whenever Art did to make it possible for Christ the King to consider seeking one person to fill both positions. Kathie's loyalty to the congregation is strong. In her retirement, she looks forward to visiting family in California and being a regular member of CTK. Her final Sunday will be January 22.

Join us this Sunday in thanking Kathie and Art during worship. At their request, there will be no fellowship celebration. Show your appreciation for their talents and wish them well. We will miss them.

CTK Celebrates All God's Children 40th Anniversary

Join us this Sunday, January 15, as we celebrate and give thanks for the preschool and those who have been a part of it during the years. After worship we will share stories and a light meal.



Provide Flowers For Worship

The 2017 Flower Chart is now hanging on the bulletin board outside the church office. If you have a special occasion or date that you would like to commemorate, sign up to sponsor the Chancel Flowers. The cost is \$30, make check payable to CTK and bring it to the church office.

Reformation Church In Need

Our partner church Reformation Lutheran has had a second robbery. In mid-December burglars took toys and various items that were set up for their Neighborhood Store. On New Year's Day thieves struck again! This time the computers and printers were taken. As a result, they are looking for any kind of donation in the way of computers (PCs ,lap tops, printers, anything...) to help them get back on their feet. If you have some equipment you wish to donate or a connection that might help them find a bargain on equipment, please let the office know. You may even wish to contact Marge directly at 414-378-0440!



Registration for AGC

It's time to register for 2017-2018 school year at All God's Children. We offer half day preschool programs for children who are at least 2 ½ as of September 2017 through age 4. We will begin registration for Christ the King members and alumni families on Thursday, Feb 2, and Friday, Feb 3. Open house the week of Feb 6 -10 during the class time. It's an opportunity for families to come and observe our classrooms in session and register for classes at the same time.

Please contact Laurie at agcisfun@centurytel.net

for additional information. Please be sure to let your friends and neighbors know about our amazing preschool here at Christ the King!

Video Support for Worship

The WSTF (Worship Support Task Force) met recently to discuss next steps for the video system.

We have many opportunities for members to get involved in the process and share their expertise. Over the next couple of weeks, watch for announcements and more details. We will also create update boards that will be in the upper sanctuary to keep everyone up to

date. Please let a member of the task force know if you are interested in serving on one of these sub groups:

- Back drop design - Structural/Functional/Construction
- Back drop design - Aesthetics
- Cabling crew - help lay needed cable
- Operations - become a technician to assist with the video during worship services
- PR - work on press releases, marketing, promotion of the project outside of our church family

Watch for date and times on an upcoming follow -up listening post.

We will discuss how the system will be used as an aid to our worship.