

The Advocate

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

Church: Lutheran; Together; For Whom?



In summer, we shift gears. We stretch legs into summer's sun hoping to bring color to winter's pale. We spend time in our yards, cultivating new growth, enjoying the grill, visiting with friends. Boats come out. Vacations are taken. Summer's pace is different than that of the rest of the year.

The pace of church is different in summer, too. We are entering a time marked with a more relaxed schedule on one hand, and the need to prepare and plan on the other. All the while, the church's primary ministries continue. We worship weekly, we visit the sick and walk with families in times of joy and sorrow. The ministry of which you are a part continues, though the tempo appears to be different.

No matter the time of year, certain things remain the same. Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, Presiding Bishop of the ELCA reminds us of four of these things in the fourfold mantra she has asked us to keep in the forefront of our minds:

1. We are Church.
2. We are Lutheran.
3. We are Church together.
4. We are Church for the sake of the world.

Bishop Eaton encourages us to remember who God calls us to be: God gathers us in the power of the Holy Spirit to be the Church - a local and global reality in which the Spirit gathers believers in Jesus Christ. We are an assembly of believers in Jesus Christ, whom we follow. We understand ourselves as Church through the particular lens of Lutheranism and celebrate that the church is always a "together" community - a gathering that continues to gather. Our purpose is given and shaped by the one who calls us into being. God gives the church its purpose. We are to be Church for the sake of the world. Our identity and unity is shaped by the cross: As Jesus poured himself out for the world in sacrificial ways, so we pour ourselves out for others.

As summer breezes refresh and our schedules flex for fun, the call to be church is always before us. Remember that even when you are traveling and/or away from Christ the King, there are other communities in which you can worship. There are always opportunities to worship the one who gives us life. No matter where you go, there's bound to be a worshiping community near you, with worship on days beyond Sunday. Even when you're not able to be at CTK Church, you can be with "The Church" wherever you are.

Always, you can be Church for the sake of the world wherever you are. You can serve others in the name of Jesus Christ when walking down the street, spending time on the beach, even when you are out of town. Summer is a season of growth. As you spread into it, may the Holy Spirit encourage you to grow in faith, understanding and action.

**2018 Scholarship Recipients/
Graduation Celebration - June 3**
Join us for a reception in the upper sanctuary on June 3, as we recognize the 2018 CTK Scholarship recipients, graduating high school and college seniors.



**Adult Forum Sunday, June 3
“Why We Give”**

Please stay after service to congratulate a scholarship recipient and graduate, enjoy a sweet treat and then join us in the Great Hall for an adult forum entitled “Why We Give.” It will have two parts to it:

- First, Pastor Jordan will lead a bible study on stewardship.
- Second, Mike Hase, CTK Treasurer will present information about the congregation’s budget and finances.

VBS Kick-Off Sunday– June 3

Enjoy an ice cream sundae as we look forward to Vacation Bible School.

Name Tag Sunday –June 3

Did you know that “Name Tag Sunday” is also Food Pantry Sunday? Please leave your donations in the baskets located under the table in the foyer, thank you for your support to the Kettle Moraine Food Pantry.

Monday Mavens-Deal Me In

Join Monday Mavens on Monday, June 11 at 6:30 for an evening of Euchre and card games. All levels welcome. Please BYOB (Bring your own beverage); popcorn will be provided. Please let Bev Waltz (bevwaltz410@gmail.com) know if you have a card table which can be used.

Council Appointment



Andy Justman was appointed to the council at the May council meeting and will be appointed to the position of Vice President in June.

Thanks to Andy Justman for stepping into leadership at CTK.

Family Promise June 3-9

June 3-9 is host week. If you have been trained, please consider spending some time with members of your congregation and the families.

Any questions please contact:
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**Join us on Sunday, June 17 to
Welcome and receive new members.**

July BreadBreakers Gathering



You are invited to an Adult gathering of the Breadbreakers at Sheryl & Emil Skoriks,

Friday, July 20 at 6pm. Meet in the Garvin Barn-the pool will be open. Please bring a appetizer or dessert to share.

**VBS Volunteers Needed!
June 11-14**

Looking for people to serve on committees: Kitchen/Snacks Recreation; Bible Story Arts & Crafts; Decorations Health & Safety,Adult and Youth Leaders. **Contact Amy Bonesho vbsteam@ctkdelafield.org**



Rookie Ringers

Drafting new players (ringers) for the Rookie Ringer bell experience. Report to camp on Wed, July 11 and Wed, July 18, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.. Game (performance) will be held on Sunday, July 22. Contact Mark Gould at mark@ctkdelafield.org, 262-370-5570 or Bev Waltz at bevwaltz410@gmail.com

Summer Sing and Ring Camp

August 4-5, at Christ the King
Guest Clinician: Bruce Bengtson, Church Music Director emeritus, Luther Memorial Church, Madison

Schedule: 4-5 hour clinic on Sat, August 4 with choral singing and chime/bell ringing with possible wind/string instrument break outs. Lunch and fellowship. Part of what is learned will be incorporated into the Sunday, Aug. 5 worship service. Maestro Bengtson will be the primary organist on Aug. 5 featuring virtuosic organ playing. Some of his vast compositional repertoire and work with Choristers Guild will be incorporated into the camp music and worship repertoire.

“Young At Heart” Lunch Appreciation

Thank you for coming to our senior luncheon! The food was delicious thanks to Sue Rutledge and the kitchen crew. Thanks to Shelly Fuller, Tonie Schnorr, Karen Huser and all the volunteers who helped the event go smoothly. Sylvia.

Shorehaven Events

- Public is Invited Friday, June 15 11a.m.-1:30 p.m. Shorehaven’s Great Grill-out
- August 13-17– Shorehaven’s Boat Tours on Lac La Belle– See flyer’s for more details on both events located on the bulletin outside the church office.

Travel With CTK Members to Worship at Reformation Church

CTK has designated the first Sunday of every month as the Sunday that members of our team will carpool to worship together with our partners at Reformation Lutheran Church. We invite everyone in our congregation to join us in strengthening our relationship with our wonderful family at Reformation. It is truly a heartwarming experience! We will meet in our church parking lot at 9:15 a.m. The service at Reformation begins at 10:00 a.m. We should be back in Delafield about noon.

If you wish to drive yourself the address of Reformation is: 3910 W. Lisbon Ave. Milwaukee, WI.

Any questions please feel free to contact: sfuller1@wi.rr.com or Shelly @ (262) 646-4221

Reformation Sonshine Program

Reformation, needs our support for their "Sonshine" outreach program. These events foster an atmosphere of community by sharing conversations, prayer and a meal. Participants are provided with a hospitality bag of household items which they cannot buy with food stamps. CTK has agreed to collect the following 2 items in support of this ministry. Please add them to your shopping list. Please place these in the box labeled Reformation in the upper sanctuary. Thank you for blessing our intercity neighbors!

Soft bristle toothbrushes
9 fluid oz. Dawn Dishwashing liquid
(blue color)

Family Promise Golf Outing

3rd Annual "The Big 6" Golf Outing & Dinner fundraising event. 4-person scramble on beautiful, 18-hole course with cart. Prizes! Raffles! Hole Events!

WHEN: Saturday, July 14, at 11:00 am with a Shotgun start.

WHERE: Paganica Golf Course

1335 S. Silver Lake Rd., Oconomowoc.

COST: \$85 per person / \$340 per foursome (includes dinner) / \$20 dinner only. Sign-up coming soon!

Outreach for Hope Family Bike Ride



Saturday, Sept. 8 Join the fun as we ride to support Outreach for Hope ministries in low-income neighborhoods in Milwaukee, Racine and Kenosha. Two bike rides to choose from – Waukesha and Ozaukee Counties. All ages and experience welcomed.

There are three ways to participate: Ride - Raise Funds - Volunteer. Information available at ofhbikeride.com (Registration website will launch June 1)

What A Day It Was!

It was rainy and cold, then hot and sunny with threat of showers but that did not stop the Spring Clean from being highly successful. We were able to clean up brush and branches, tear down stone walls, redo two gardens, spread mulch, and pull up bricks for another project -- and all with smiles and camaraderie! Of course, the promise of walking tacos did motivate all.

The following deserve all of our thanks for their sweat equity:

*Laurie Wilson, John & Jan Guetzke, Norb and Cheryl Steinbach
Paul and Linda Neumiller, Bev Waltz with son David
Linda Hamilton, Jennifer Schick with sons John and Joey
Jean Meyer, Kirk Carlson, John and Toni Schnorr
Stan Justman, Jerry Dolphin, Samantha Goetz, Marilyn Short
Sheryl and Emil Skorik, Joan Scheid*

Neighborhood Map in Upper Sanctuary

John and Jan Guetzke have produced a CTK Neighborhood map which is in the upper sanctuary. The members of our church are listed alphabetically and by city along with a "color" code pin for their location on the map. Please take time to view the map and make sure your address is plotted correctly. If there is an error, please indicate on the pad of paper attached to the map. The map is intended to make people aware of others in our congregation who are in their neighborhood. The information can be used for forming bible study groups, welcoming new neighbors with a gift bag and invitation to visit CTK, visiting CTK shut-ins, etc. If you have other ideas for using this information, please email john at johnguetzke@gmail.com. Thank you to John and Jan for all their work.



In Our Prayers:

Individuals:

Judy, Stacy, Michael & family
Trisha Seeley, Victims of Human Trafficking, those serving in the military, those who are incarcerated and the families of both.

Ministry Partners:

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

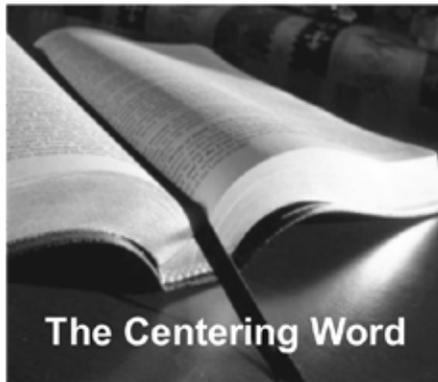
Are You In Need Of Prayers?

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.



Provide Flowers For Worship Please Check the Flower Chart

The 2018 Flower Chart is 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.



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:

¹⁴The love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died.

¹⁵And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them.

(2 Corinthians 5:14-15)

June Worship Volunteers

6/3/2018

Asst. Minister: Char Hall
Lector: Mary Hollister
Comm. Asst.: Jean Corgiat, Mary Hollister
Comm. Asst: Meredy Hase, Jon Kilmer
Greeters: Hollisters
Ushers: Sonnenberg
Acolytes: Peytyn Kier, Jacob Bonesho

6/10/2018

Asst. Min. Bob Rooney
Lector Jeff Roth
Comm. Asst. Mary and Lynn Hansen
Comm. Asst. Bonnie & Jeff Roth
Greeters Dave & Rona Sonnenberg
Acolytes: Blake Armiger, Grace Palmer
Ushers Varrellmann

6/17/2018

Asst. Minister: Brian Udovich
Lector: Lynn Hansen
Comm. Asst.: Barb Hamann, Diane Crowley
Comm. Asst.: Norb & Cheryl Steinbach
Greeters: Nancy Ganung
Acolytes: Kate Beiler, Emily Ketter
Ushers: Sternemann

6/24/2018

Asst. Minister: Vicky Jaeger
Lector: Sharon Ziarek
Comm. Asst.: Sharon Ziarek, Donna Finch
Comm. Asst: Roland Broberg, Toni Schnorr
Greeters: Rich & LeeAnn Quinlan
Acolytes: Tara chapman, Peytyn Kier
Ushers: Brammeier

7/1/2018

Asst. Minister: Allie Rahn
Lector: Neil Voskuil
Comm. Asst.: Mary Hollister, Bonnie Voskuil
Comm. Asst: Kari Mantey, Sandy Mounts
Greeters: Patti & Owen Accardo
Acolytes: Norah Mantey, Jacob Bonesho
Ushers: Ettmayer

All God's Children Summer Camp is "Going on a Safari"

Join AGC as Mrs. Winkels and Mrs. Holbrook lead as Outdoor Adventure Guides for our Safari. It will be filled with wonderful stories, free play art activities and projects both inside and outside on our beautiful playground! Our program will meet on Monday and Wednesdays for four weeks, June 18 to July 11 from 9:00 to 11:30 am. Children should be 3 by June 18. Cost is \$142 for the full four weeks or it can be broken into 2 week session which is \$72.

Fall Registration is Open

It's time to register for our fall classes! There are still a few openings in our classrooms as well as our KMSD 4K class. Anyone who is 4 by Sept 1 and resides in the Kettle Moraine school district can enroll now in our KM class. Children enrolled in our 4K class do not pay tuition as it is supported through your taxes. Children who live outside of Kettle Moraine are able to "Open Enroll" through April 30 to enroll for our classroom. If you have any questions or know someone who is interested, please feel free to contact Laurie at 262-646-2136 or agcisfun@centurytel.net



ELCA presiding bishop's pastoral message on situation in Gaza

May 15, 2018

Like so many here in our country and around the world, I am appalled and saddened by yesterday's escalation of Israeli military action against protestors in Gaza. Many reports indicate that at least 60 Palestinians, including six children, have died and more than 2,000 have been injured as a result of Israel's disproportionate use of force. Our church will support a planned medical mission from The Lutheran World Federation's Augusta Victoria Hospital in Jerusalem to Gaza to assist the wounded.

I join Bishop Sani-Ibrahim Azar of our partner church, the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land (ELCJHL), who today said:

We mourn with the families of the dead and dying and pray for the recovery of the injured. We believe that violent actions against the Palestinian civilians will hinder the potential for peace and reconciliation efforts between Israel and Palestine and will only lead to more violence and bloodshed.

I endorse his call "upon the Israeli government to show restraint and to pursue negotiations with Palestinian leaders rather than choosing violent action against unarmed protestors."

Yesterday's events should also be seen in the context of the opening of the U.S. Embassy in Jerusalem. When that decision was announced late last year, I said:

This unilateral action would not support the cause of peace and a two-state solution but rather would unnecessarily create further tensions and possible violence that would make efforts to bring them back together for talks much more difficult.

I also support the ELCJHL's long-standing position, affirmed by Bishop Azar today, that "any final status agreement will include Jerusalem as a shared city for Jews, Christians and Muslims with free access to holy sites for all and that it must serve as capital of both Palestine and Israel."

Always, but especially in this time of deep distress, I urge us all to join his call to "continue to pray, advocate and faithfully work towards a peaceful and just solution to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict."

God's peace,
The Rev. Elizabeth A. Eaton

Treasurer's Summary of Financial Activity, April 2018

May 8, 2018

I have not finished the checkbook reconciliation for March and April due to my lack of expertise with the software. I have engaged an accountant to provide additional expertise. The discrepancy lies with account assignment and not with missing or inaccurate transactions. That said, the financial numbers may be adjusted slightly as we move forward.

Parking Lot

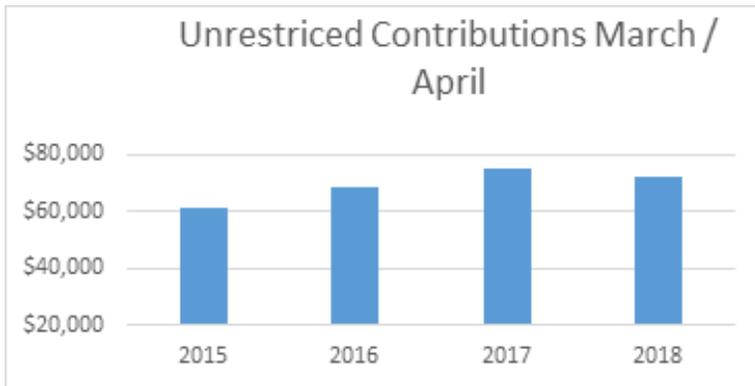
Initial contributions were made to toward the Maintenance to Mission Fund in 2013. This evolved into the Exterior Renovation Fund which began in 2016. Some of the funds were dispersed from the Maintenance to Mission fund for various projects and the remaining amount was combined with the Exterior Renovation Fund. The 2017 annual report showed that the Exterior Renovation Fund had a balance of \$341,892 which is the starting point below. As of this writing we do not have enough cash to complete the entire scope of the project. There will also be "puts and takes" as construction proceeds. For instance, less asphalt may be required than estimated and there may be unanticipated costs that pop up. These will be managed according to the cash available.

INCOME AND EXPENSES FOR PARKING LOT	
Funding Approved by Council	\$367,900.00
Expenses Billed 1/1/18 - 5/30/18	-\$1,100.00
2018 Contributions through 5/2/18	\$5,287.02
Outstanding Pledges	\$17,000.00
Potential Funds Available	\$389,087.02

Giving

Giving in March and April is historically dependent on the month in which Easter occurs. Unrestricted giving in 2018 recovered from February and was up in March. Palm Sunday contributed significantly to the increase. Easter was very good, and the two months combined were nearly as strong as 2017 which was a recent record

Month	Year				% OF ANNUAL TOTAL
	2015	2016	2017	2018	
Jan	\$30,821	\$32,123	\$32,424	\$31,169	7.9%
Feb	\$25,616	\$26,564	\$21,298	\$25,537	6.1%
Mar	\$28,287	\$37,055	\$42,849	\$30,109	9.0%
Apr	\$33,002	\$31,188	\$31,908	\$42,207	8.0%
May	\$28,637	\$45,583	\$27,402		8.5%
Jun	\$26,249	\$22,477	\$21,496		5.9%
Jul	\$27,956	\$30,091	\$26,426		7.0%
Aug	\$28,385	\$25,859	\$32,794		7.3%
Sep	\$30,103	\$31,707	\$22,799		7.0%
Oct	\$40,442	\$35,500	\$30,324		8.9%
Nov	\$44,168	\$27,269	\$36,321		9.0%
Dec	\$57,325	\$61,590	\$66,106		15.4%
Total	\$400,990	\$407,006	\$392,146	\$129,022	
MAR / APRIL	\$61,289	\$68,243	\$74,758	\$72,316	



Deficit

The deficit narrowed in April to \$13,626 down from \$19,000 at the end of March. This is good news and follows the predictive pattern of monthly giving. We should celebrate the success but be mindful of the lean summer months ahead.

Year to Date Unrestricted Income and G&A Expenses	
Unrestricted Contributions	\$130,403
General and Administrative Expense	\$144,029
GAIN (LOSS)	(\$13,626)

Attendance

The data used below is Sunday attendance and is normalized with the Church calendar. Attendance is tied to Palm Sunday and Easter. Because the date of Easter can be as early as March 22 or as late as April 25 it makes sense when comparing attendance from year to year to adjust the calendars, so we compare Easter and Palm Sunday attendance across years. Overall attendance is improving from earlier in the year but is lagging 2016 and 2017.

	SUNDAY Worship		
SUNDAY	2016	2017	2018
Lent 1	135	133	128
Lent 2	143	151	128
Lent 3	140	135	124
Lent 4	177	146	117
Lent 5	135	143	145
Palm Sunday	162	135	200
Easter	349	409	348
Easter 2	147	56	145
Easter 3	220	124	56
Easter 4	162	179	177
Total	1943	1611	1568

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Cash Reserves

The complexity of funds and contributions to specific projects or memorials can sometimes cloud the financial picture. The impact of the parking lot is now well understood and from that comes clarity of the cash available to run the Church. With the parking lot accounted for we will have a cash reserve of about \$129,000. This includes the Memorial Fund and all restricted funds included in the 2017 Annual Report. This would be sufficient if our deficit were not reducing our cash reserves every month. If the deficit runs at \$5000 per month we will be out of money in two years. The solution is, immediately increase giving to support the budget that the congregation approved in January. We have run out of time for discussion of additional Sunday services or increasing youth activity to draw in younger members. Earnest Hemingway said bankruptcy happens slowly at first and then all of a sudden. Right now, we are in the "slowly" stage and it is time to take action.

CTK CASH AVAILABILITY	
WSB 2507 BAL AS OF 5/30/2018	\$461,000.00
Vanguard less organ fund	\$50,000.00
Total Cash Available	\$511,000.00
Parking Lot Cost	\$382,000.00
Working Capital Post Parking Lot	\$129,000.00

*assumes all reserved funds are part of working capital
Submitted by Mike Hase, Treasurer, May 8, 2018

Affirmation of Baptism 2018

We give thanks for the gift of baptism and for the youth who made public the affirmation of their baptism on May 6, 2018.

Jacob Bonesho & Kate Beiler



Boys Breakfast Bible Study meets on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays at CTK. This picture was taken at Lake Country Rehab for a time with Tom Short.



Join Us June 3, to Recognize Scholarship Recipients, High School & College Graduates

**Congratulations
2018 High School Graduates**



Elijah Schueneman is graduating from Kettle Moraine High School. He will be attending UW Green Bay this fall. Eli has earned his Eagle Scout Award as a member of Troop 20 at CTK.

2018 College Graduates

Morgan Fuller graduated from UW Madison (undergrad) this May. She is attending graduate school in the fall at Boston University.



2018 Scholarship Recipients



Celia Gould will be a Senior at Luther College



Carlee Dawson will be a Senior at Carthage College



Allison Rahn will be a Senior at Carroll University



McKenna Ellena will be a Sophomore at Augsburg College



Audrey Schleich will be a Sophomore at Carroll University



Paul Jordan will be a Junior at Wartburg College

"Young At Heart" Spring Luncheon May 9



Upcoming Events

June

- 3-9 Family Promise Week
- 3 Blessing of Graduates
- 3 Scholarship Sunday
- 3 VBS Ice Cream Float Kick-Off
- 3 Adult Forum "Why We Give"
- 3 Worship with Reformation
- 6 Fellowship @ Fireside Theatre
- 6 VBS Training, Decorating, & Pizza
- 11 Monday Mavens-Deal Me In
- 11-14 **Vacation Bible School**
- 14 AGC Fundraiser @ MOD Pizza
- 17 Father's Day
- 17 Welcoming New Members
- 18-July 11 AGC Summer Camp
- 25-July 2 ELCA Youth Gathering

JULY

- 1 CTK Worships With Reformation
- 4 Happy 4th of July- Office Closed
- 11 Rookie Ringers
- 14 Family Promise Golf Outing
- 16-19 Nashotah House Musicians Workshop
- 20 Church Musicians Concert
- 20 BreadBreakers
- 22 Rookie Ringers Performance

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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VBS Volunteers Needed!

June 11-14

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- Recreation; Bible Story
- Arts & Crafts; Decorations
- Health & Safety
- Adult and Youth Leaders.

Contact Amy Bonesho

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The poster for the 2018 Vacation Bible School (VBS) is titled "Rolling River Rampaige". It features a cartoon bear character in a yellow raft navigating turbulent blue and white rapids. The background shows a scenic landscape with green trees and purple mountains under a blue sky. The text "ROLLING RIVER" is arched at the top, and "RAMPAIGE" is written in large, bubbly letters at the bottom. The event is organized by Christ the King Lutheran Church. The dates are June 11-14, 2018, from noon to 3 PM. Online registration opens on April 8. The church's address and website are provided at the bottom.

Christ the King
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CTK VBS 2018
JUNE 11-14, 2018
(NOON - 3PM)

ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS
APRIL 8!

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