

The Advocate

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Congregational Meeting Called

The Church Council is calling a special congregational meeting following the worship service on Sunday, Dec 9.



The purpose of the meeting is:

- To elect people to Church Council and other vacancies.
- To vote on the two "Voting Members to the 2019 Synod Assembly."



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ –

Your church council met with our synod representative Nov 19, to further discuss the process of calling a new pastor and receiving an interim. Please know that an interim pastor is not a time for us to "save money" on a pastor's salary. An interim is compensated just as a regular full time pastor with base compensation, housing allowance, health insurance and pension.

I would like to remind everyone that if you have an interest in learning more about the MET or Call, or serving on one or the other, please let someone on council know. From the names submitted, council will make the appointments to the teams. Once the MET is in place, the expectation is that this group will meet twice a month, so please keep that commitment in mind if that is of interest to you. Again, please reach out to council if you have questions.

Please also know that calling a new pastor will take time and is a process. We look for the entire congregation to be engaged in the process through regular updates and your support.

Thank you for your continued support and prayers for our leadership team. As always, if you have questions, please feel free to reach out to anyone on our executive team.

Peace, Carol White, Council President

Executive Team

President – Carol White; carol@brookfieldchamber.com

Vice President – Andy Justman; ajustman@wi.rr.com

Past President – Sue Ettmayer; settmayer@wi.rr.com

Secretary – LeeAnn Quinlan; leeann.quinlan@gmail.com

Christmas Events At CTK

Monday, December 3 6:30-8:00

Women's Christmas Gathering

Sunday, December 9 4:00 p.m.

"Holy Light"

A Candlelight Service of Carols
Featuring the Sanctuary Choir, Children's Jubilate Choir, Royal Bells & many guest musicians.

Sunday, December 16 9:00 a.m.

"Just A Little Christmas"

Children's Christmas Program
& Birthday Party for Jesus

Christmas Eve Worship Times

Monday, December 24

Come celebrate the Savior's Birth
at one of our three services.
4:00, 7:00, & 10:00 p.m.



Shorehaven Christmas Tree

Please consider the Shorehaven Outreach Christmas Giving Tree in the Narthex. Take an ornament or two off the tree with the gift you would like to bless a Shorehaven resident with this Christmas. Bring your unwrapped gifts back to CTK by December 10.

December Adult Forums

After the 9:00 a.m. service

December 2-Stewardship Sunday

December 9-Congregational Meeting

December 16-Birthday Party for Jesus

2019 Pledge Cards

Thank you to everyone who has already returned their pledge cards for 2019. If you have not returned it yet, you can give it to an usher or mail them to the office. Thank you in advance for your commitment to Christ the King.

Youth Christmas Cookie Sale

The CTK Youth will be selling Christmas cookies after the service on Sunday, Dec 16. They will use the funds to support their yearly events.

Christmas Book Club Exchange

The CTK Book Club will meet on Tuesday, December 11, at 10am for our annual book exchange. Everyone is welcome to join us. Just bring a gift-wrapped book you are willing to part with, go home with a "new" book.

Fear Not - God Is At Work!

To find out more join us for our Womens Leah Daytime Bible Circle on Wed, Dec 12 @ 9:15 a.m.. Held at Sue Braunschweig's home. RSVP to Sue at 262-468-4827. Everyone welcome.

Poinsettias for Christmas

Each year, we adorn the chancel with beautiful poinsettias plants to mark the season of Advent. As in years past, we would like to invite you to purchase a plant (or two) to offset the cost. What a simple way to beautify our sanctuary in honor someone special.

Plants are \$9 ea. Order forms may be found in Sunday's bulletin and on the back table in the Sanctuary. Please place your order by Mon., Dec. 17.

Thursday Bible Study

Continuing through Dec. 20 Pastor Goodrich will lead "The Whole Message." We will meet each Thurs. from 9:30-11:00 a.m. in room 207. Bring your bible.

Adult Service Trip 2019 Planning

The kickoff meeting for volunteering is Tuesday, December 11, 2018 @ 6:30p.m. at St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Waukesha. The service trip is set for Feb 23-March 3 2019.

Christmas Sing-Along Delafield

You are invited to the 2nd annual Christmas Sing Along, Saturday, December 15 4-5pm. Location: square at the northwest corner of Genesee St. and Milwaukee St. We will have a media van with lyrics for traditional Christmas carols projected on the side.

CTK Awarded 2018 Asphalt Award

CTK was presented with the 2018 Asphalt Award on Nov 27. CTK was selected to receive the Business Asphalt Award (Commercial Business or Project). We were nominated by WAPA member Pavement Consulting LLC for the pavement reconstruction of our parking lot.

2018 Outreach for Hope Bike Ride

CTK raised \$4,085 of our \$3,000 goal! 54 Congregations had Donations, Riders, Virtual riders, and Volunteers. The 2018 Outreach for Hope Family Bike Ride raised \$113,381 of a \$120,000 goal. Thank you to all CTK participants who took the DRVV challenge in 2018!

Monday Mavens Yahtzee Night!

Monday Mavens is entering its 4th year and would like to invite all women of CTK and friends to an evening of fellowship and planning. We will meet on Mon., January 14 at 6:30pm in the Upper Sanctuary. After a few rounds of Yahtzee, we will map out the year of activities. RSVP emailing Bev Waltz at bevwaltz410@gmail.com. Feel free to start sending 2019 ideas to Bev. Popcorn will be served - BYOB. The link to sign up is <https://goo.gl/LekBY6>

Members of the Congregation,

With your generous donations along with help from family, friends, and neighbors, I was able to deliver 103 Family Promise Alumni Kits. Each kit contained toilet paper, paper towel, dish soap, laundry soap, zip lock bags, all purpose cleaner, window cleaner, and toilet cleaner. Thank you for helping me with my Eagle Scout project. Sincerely, Thomas Kountz



Family Promise Volunteers Thank-you

We have had a change to a host week in 2019, as another church had a conflict. It has changed from Feb. 3-10 to March 24-30.

2019 Host Weeks:

March 24-30 May 12-19
Sept. 8-15. Nov. 3-10

You all are on the "front line" to restoring hopes and dreams. You are not only the hands and feet of Jesus but the faces between the partnerships of St. Joan of Arc, St Katherines and Christ the King. It can be a very stressful time for our families in this program and your compassion, humility, and kind words go a long way towards allowing them to maintain their hope and dignity.

We are very grateful to our volunteers and congregation for your dedication to Family Promise. We could not provide this great outreach without your generous donation of resources, supplies, food and TIME.

"I alone cannot change the world, but I can cast a stone across the waters to create many ripples." — Mother Teresa

Vicky, Jenni, Shelly

Thank You From Troop 20

Thank you for the new Troop 20 flag and donation to our troop. We enjoyed serving at the Veterans Recognition and meeting many members of the congregation. We salute all who have served for our Country.

Veterans Day Celebration

Over 100 people attended the Veterans Day Reception and enjoyed breakfast, Patriotic music, and intriguing stories about our WWII Veterans, LeRoy (Hap) Stein and Dale Hight. Hearing about their WWII experiences and life after military service was attention-grabbing and made them the "Stars" of the program.

Boy scouts from Troop 20 who helped with the event, were riveted during the Hap and Dale stories. A number of them wanted their picture taken with Dale. The breakfast was sponsored by Thrivent Financial which was facilitated by Jeff Roth. Our free will offering brought in \$389.50 which was donated to Hoptel. Hoptel provides free housing to veterans traveling 50+ miles to receive medical treatment at the VA Medical Center.

However, meals are not provided. Our free will offering along with Thrivents' donation provided 31 restaurant gift cards which veterans at Hoptel can use to have meals delivered.

Thank you Donna Finch for all your hard work, what a blessing the morning was to many people.



STOP TRAFFICKING
Together in Lake County (STTLC)
A Presentation for Area Youth and Teens
A human trafficking survivor shares her experiences to help area youth identify warning signs and take action should the need arise.

Guest Speaker
Morgan L. Meadows, M.Ed.
Consultant, Educator, Writer
A Lucid Tree LLC

Sunday, January 20 – 9:30 to 10:30 AM
Delafield Presbyterian Church
1851 N. Genesee St. – Delafield

Presented in partnership with Christ the King Lutheran Church

<https://sttlakecountry.wixsite.com/ettlc> StopTraffickingTLC@gmail.com



Prayer Concerns & Praise

Individuals: Jeanne, Kay Michel, Rick

Ongoing Prayers: Jeremy, Kris, Mike Corgiat, Victims of Human Trafficking, those serving in the military, those who are incarcerated and the families of both

The Grieving Family of:

Esther Schumann, A Memorial Service will be held at CTK on March 31, 2019

Pastor George Muschinske, the 1st full time Pastor at CTK in 1952 passed in spring at the age of 95.

Praise: Thanks to God for our five dear grandsons and...Sonya Diane Justman! In our arms last week while visiting Dan and Lorean in Maryland.

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.

December Worship Volunteers

12/2/2018

Asst. Min. Bob Rooney
 Lector Laurie Wilson
 Comm. Asst Barb Justman, Jeri Bonadeur
 Comm. Asst. Lynn & Mary Hansen
 Greeters Barb Justman, Jeri Bonadeur
 Ushers Bonesho
 Acolytes: Seanna Gunung, Emily Ketter
 Tech Team P. Neumiller, R. Quinlan, B. Rooney

12/9/2018

Asst. Minister: Gary Fluaitt
 Lector: Cheryl Skorik
 Comm. Asst.: Jon & Linda Kilmer
 Comm. Asst.: Drew Waedekin
 Comm. Asst.: Jeff & Bonnie Roth
 Greeters: The Fuller Family
 Usher: Brammeier
 Acolytes: Nicholas Showers, Blake Armiger
 Tech Team: Paul N. Rich Q, Andy J. Bob R.

12/16/2018

Asst. Minister: Bob Rooney
 Lector: Meredy Hase
 Comm. Asst.: Roland Broberg, Barb Hamann
 Comm. Asst: Linda Hamilton, Marcia Hombsch
 Comm. Asst: Mary Hollister
 Greeters: Owen & Patti Accardo
 Acolytes: Ben Tagtow, Blake Armiger
 Usher Varrelmann
 Tech Team: Andy Justman

12/23/2018

Asst. Minister: Allie Rahn
 Lector: Pam Pinahs Schultz
 Comm. Asst.: Jean Corgait, Jon Kilmer
 Comm. Asst: Kari Mantey, Laurie Wilson
 Comm. Asst: Sharon Ziarek
 Greeters: The Mantey Family
 Acolytes: Kendall Danielson, Norah Mantey
 Usher Sternemann
 Tech Team: Bob Rooney

Prayers for the family of Pastor George Muschinske

We received a letter from Pastor Keith Muschinske, son of Pastor George Muschinske, who was the 1st Pastor to be called to Christ the King in 1952. Pastor Muschinske passed away this last spring on Good Friday in Rice Lake-he was 95. Pastor Keith followed in his Fathers footsteps to become a Chaplain in the Air Force, just as Pastor Muschinske did after leaving CTK.

12/24/2018 Christmas Eve 4:00pm

Asst. Minister: Teri Bergendahl
 Lector: Meredy Hase
 Comm. Asst.: Toni Schnorr
 Comm. Asst:
 Comm. Asst:
 Greeters: Rick & Bunny Kunstmann
 Acolytes: Nicholas Showers, Tara Chapman
 Usher
 Tech Team:

12/24/2018 Christmas Eve 7:00pm

Asst. Minister: Char Hall
 Lector:
 Comm. Asst.:
 Comm. Asst:
 Greeters:
 Greeters:
 Acolytes: Tanner Justman, Blake Armiger
 Usher Conrad & Sue Ettmayer
 Tech Team:

12/24/2018 Christmas Eve 10:00pm

Asst. Minister: Bob Rooney
 Lector: Pam Pinahs-Schultz
 Comm. Asst.: Chuck & Toni Palmer
 Comm. Asst:
 Greeters:
 Acolytes: Emily Ketter
 Usher
 Tech Team:

12/30/2018

Asst. Minister: Vicky Jaeger
 Lector:
 Comm. Asst.: Jenni Marquardt, Toni Schnorr
 Comm. Asst: Rick & Bunny Kunstmann
 Greeters: Rick & Bunny Kunstmann
 Acolytes: Ben Tagtow, Caleb Hansen
 Usher
 Tech Team:

January Worship Volunteers

1/6/2019

Asst. Minister:
 Lector: Jeri Bonadeur
 Comm. Asst.: Tim & Mary Yellick, Toni Palmer
 Comm. Asst: Dick & Sue Rutledge
 Greeters: Emil & Sheryl Skorik
 Acolytes: Kendall Danielson, Grace Palmer
 Usher:

All God's Children

All of us at All God's Children have so much to be thankful for this year. The children shared the many things that they are grateful for. The children in our Rainbow room brought in one of their favorite foods for the local food pantry. Many of the families were very generous as they donated 7 boxes of food which was delivered by our parents. Our kids in the Alligator and Monkey classroom learned about the pilgrims and celebrated their Thanksgiving feast with their pilgrim bonnets and hats.



Light one candle Advent is Here! It's that time of the year when our children in the Rainbow and Monkey/Alligator classrooms learn about the Advent wreath with each candle having a special meaning. We will light the Advent Wreath daily, sing Christmas Carols, discuss and act out the Nativity in our pretend play and end our month with a celebration of Jesus at our holiday parties!

There are still a few openings in our classrooms and always open to adding children at any time! We really appreciate and depend on your sharing our preschool ministry. Word of mouth is the best way of advertising.

When shopping at Office Max, remember to let them know that you want to Give Back to All God's Children which gives us 5% back of all of your purchases. You can also bring your Sentry receipts downstairs for preschool or direct your Thrivent Choice dollars to our preschool.

Your support of our ministry is so important and valued to the success of All God's Children.

Laurie

Kettle Moraine Food Pantry

Volunteer Opportunities-Once a month, one hour each month working to serve clients.

Pantry Substitutes-Be on-call to fill in at the pantry when one of the regular volunteers cannot be there.

Inventory Help- Be on-call when help is needed sorting and shelving food at the pantry. Orientation provided. Please contact Jolene 262-392-4165

God's Work, Our Hands -

Blessing Bags for Milwaukee Homeless

Pay it forward We hear this so often, but what can we really do to pay it forward for someone in need? As the Christmas season approaches we ask the congregation to help support a wonderful Milwaukee Outreach program: Street Angels Street Angels Milwaukee Outreach is a nonprofit volunteer-based organization that reaches into the community to restore hope by empowering individuals, inspiring others to pay it forward, and providing basic human necessities to those in need.

The Angels beat the streets three nights a week and with community support they are able to offer basic necessities such as food, clothing, blankets, and hygiene items to many of the homeless population in Milwaukee. The Angels are able to personally reach out to hundreds of the most vulnerable population in the city each week and rely on community support to keep the mission going.

We will be making blessing bags for the Street Angels to be able to offer some necessities and a few comfort items to those on the street. Some of the items included in the bags will be: warm socks, hand and foot warmers, lip balm, snacks and drink mixes for warm drinks.

Please see the sign-up sheet in the upper sanctuary or use the following SignUpGenius link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0e4bafae23abfd0-milwaukee> Please indicate the quantity of the item that you will bring. Please bring items to the provided box in the upper sanctuary of Christ the King by 12/23/18. If you prefer to have the Outreach Team do the shopping, please write a check to Christ the King and put "Blessing Bags" on the memo line.

Please consider making a donation to the Street Angels, every little bit makes a difference.

CTK'S NEW TEXT GIVING

Anytime...Anywhere!

Text: (262) 239-4038

Message: "ASSIST"

Click link for setup.

(name, address

and credit card)

Thereafter: Text and

enter gift amount (\$)

in message

Vanco will confirm your gift!

FAST AND EASY!



Upcoming Events

December

- Dec 3 Women's Christmas Gathering
- Dec 5 DT Christmas Party (OS)
- Dec 6 Bible Study "The Whole Message"
- Dec 8 Christmas Concert Rehearsal
- Dec 9 Congregational meeting
- Dec 9 Holy Light Dress Rehearsal
- Dec 9 Holy Light Christmas Program
- Dec 11 Adult Service Trip Meeting (OS)
- Dec 11 Book Club Christmas Exchange
- Dec 12 Leah Bible Circle (OS)
- Dec 13 Bible Study "The Whole Message"
- Dec 15 Children's Program Rehearsal
- Dec 15 Delafield Christmas Sing Along (OS)
- Dec 16 Sunday School Christmas Program & Birthday Party for Jesus
- Dec 16 Youth Christmas Cookie Sales
- Dec 20 Bible Study "The Whole Message"
- Dec 20 AGC Christmas Program Froggy 5's
- Dec 21-Jan 2 AGC Christmas Break
- Dec 24 Christmas Eve Worship Services
4:00, 7:00 & 10:00 p.m.
Church Office Closed
- Dec 25 "Merry Christmas"
Church Office Closed
- Dec 30 Lessons and Carols for
Christmas Worship Service
- Dec 31 "Happy New Year"
Church Office Closed



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Weekly Meetings

- Mon Boy Scouts
- Mon Al-anon Meeting (Room 105)
- Tue Serenity Inn Dinners Monthly
- Wed Choir
- Wed Bell Choir
- Wed Discipleship Training
- Thur Lake Country Quilters
- Thur Adult Bible Study
- Thur Garden Advisory Committee (Monthly)
- Fri Men's Bible Study

HOLY LIGHT

A CANDLELIGHT SERVICE OF CAROLS
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9 AT 4 PM
CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH, DELAFIELD

*Featuring the music ensembles of Christ the King
and other musical guests*

"COME SING GOD'S LIGHT INTO THE DARKNESS OF LIFE"

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