

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Christ the King Lutheran Church

Transfiguration of Our Lord

February 15, 2026

Souper Bowl Fun-Raising Results for Utefiwabo Principe _____ Student at Rwamagana Leaders' School

"Souper" Bowl Fun-Raising yielded an accurate prediction of the Seattle Seahawks winning the Super Bowl and \$1,300 dollars was donated towards Principe's sponsorship! CtK's sponsorship renewal date is May so there is still time to donate to reach the **\$2,400 needed** to fully sponsor her education at Rwamagana Leaders' School. Thank you to all who donated! **If you did not donate, it is not too late.** You can put a donation marked for Rwanda Sponsorship in the offering plate any Sunday. Please consider making a donation to help us get closer to full sponsorship. Please see the E-Blast for more details.

Opportunity to Receive "Ashes to Go" _____

Wednesday, February 18 Outside Katie's Coffee

On Ash Wednesday, February 18, Christ the King and other churches in the Great Falls Area Ministry (GFAM) will offer "Ashes to Go," prayers, and blessings on the sidewalk outside Katie's Coffee House/The Old Brogue in the Great Falls Village Centre. CtK members and anyone else who can't attend Ash Wednesday evening services are welcome to stop by Katie's between 7:30 a.m. and noon for ecumenical prayers and ashes.

If you want to experience the blessing of participating in this service to the community, please sign up for an hourly slot at [Christ the King Lutheran Church: Ashes To Go](#). GFAM's annual tradition enables neighbors, friends, and passersby to receive the sign of the cross on their foreheads, marking their atonement as they begin the six-week journey of penitence and reconciliation before celebrating Christ's resurrection on Easter Sunday.

Ash Wednesday Service, February 18, 7:00 p.m. _____

On Wednesday, February 18, at 7:00 p.m. (please note new time), we will have a traditional service with the Imposition of Ashes and Holy Communion.

New Choir Rehearsal Times, Wednesdays During Lent _____

Because worship services will be at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesdays during Lent, we have adjusted our choir rehearsal start times. On Ash Wednesday, February 18, choir rehearsal will start at **8:00 p.m.** On the Lenten Wednesdays after Ash Wednesday (February 25, March 4, 11, 18, and 25), choir rehearsals will begin at **7:45 p.m.**

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MEMBERSHIP

If you would like to know more about Christ the King or are interested in living out your discipleship as a member of this community, please contact the church office at (703)759-6068.

If you would like to be on our email list to receive our weekly newsletter, please contact the church office at (703)759-6068 or visit our website: gflutheran.org.

CALENDAR



Lenten Wednesdays

Supper & Holden Evening Prayer

On Wednesdays during Lent (February 25, March 4, 11, 18, and 25), we will offer our Wednesday Lent Soup Supper & Holden Evening Prayer, from **6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

Our Lent soup suppers will be offered from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. in Gysan Fellowship Hall. **Please sign up [here](#) to bring something for the dinners or to help with setup or cleanup.**

At 7:00 p.m. we will move into the sanctuary for Holden Evening Prayer and Holy Communion. Holden Evening Prayer is a beautiful worship service that blends the traditional with more contemporary musical elements. It includes the reading of Scripture and prayers, and it is the musical setting that sets it apart from what we might hear on a Sunday morning.

Please join us!

Prayers for the Congregation

David Whelan asks for prayers for his sister Virginia Peters who is battling a recurring cancer.

For healing: **Peggy Borden; Lynda & Roger Hammel; Pat & Carol Murphy; Karen Magley; Vivienne Wardian**

Winter/Spring Lay Helper Sign Up Genius

Please click [here](#) to sign up to help with our Sunday services!

This Morning's Lay Helpers	
8:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Asst Minister – Open	Asst Minister – Open
Lector – Kristine Heine	Lector – Open
Greeter/Ushers – Open	Greeter/Ushers – Open
Cantor – Kristine Heine	Cantor – Open
Set Up Cart – Open	Clean Up Cart - Open

AT CTK THIS WEEK February 15 – February 22

Sunday, February 15

Bring Your Child to Worship

8:30 a.m. – In-person Worship

9:45 a.m. – Adult Forum, In-person & [Zoom](#)

11:00 a.m. – In-person Worship

([streaming available](#) on Facebook Live)

7:00 p.m. – AA

Tuesday, February 17

7:00 a.m. – Men's Breakfast, la Madeleine

10:45 a.m. – KKP Chapel

2:00 p.m. – Staff Meeting

7:30 p.m. – Council, In-person & Zoom

Wednesday, February 18

7:30 a.m. – Ashes to Go, Katie's Coffee

9:30 a.m. – Journey Women's Bible Study, Zoom

10:45 a.m. – KKP Chapel

7:00 p.m. – Ash Wednesday Worship & Imposition of Ashes

8:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, February 21

7:00 p.m. – AA

Sunday, February 22

8:30 a.m. – In-person Worship

9:45 a.m. – Sunday School

9:45 a.m. – Adult Forum, In-person & [Zoom](#)

11:00 a.m. – In-person Worship

([streaming available](#) on Facebook Live)

7:00 p.m. – AA



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