

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Christ the King Lutheran Church

Presentation of Our Lord

February 2, 2025

Today's Agency Visit: Shepherd's Center of Northern Virginia Temple Talks and Adult Forum

Today we welcome Christi Clark-Bell, Community Outreach Associate for the Shepherd's Center of Northern Virginia (SCNOVA). SCNOVA is a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the quality of life as we age through supportive programs and services, personal enrichment, and volunteer engagement that enable our senior neighbors to live full and productive lives while aging in place.

Great Falls Philharmonic Concert Today at CtK at 3 p.m.

Come to their (neo)classical concert today featuring the full orchestra with impressive solo parts in strings and winds. Discover the beauty of Stravinsky's Pulcinella Suite, alongside one of Mozart's greatest triumphs, Symphony No. 41 "Jupiter". Click [here](#) to get your tickets!

Drive Up Communion, Thursday, February 6 _____

Drive Up Communion will be Thursday, February 6, 4:00-6:00 p.m. To sign up, click [here](#) for the signup genius or click the Drive Up Communion icon at the bottom of the E-Blast.

Super-Souper Bowl Sunday, February 9! _____

We at CtK have our own recognition of the NFL Super Bowl event. Our SOUPER BOWL raises funds for the sponsorship of Giselle Ishimwe, our student at the Rwamagana Leaders' School in Rwanda. As in years past, let's have some *fun* with *fun-raising* and bring your donations to put into the team's soup pot in the narthex that you predict will win the Super Bowl. We have been sponsoring Gisele for the past few years, and she will be graduating this summer! This would not have been possible without your support for her education. Thank you all for your past and current support- you have given her the opportunity to chase her dream of becoming a doctor and giving back to her community and country.

Congregational Meeting & Fellowship Lunch, Feb. 9th _____

Next Sunday, February 9th, we will gather for the semi-annual Congregational Meeting over lunch in Gysan Fellowship Hall **immediately following the 11:00 a.m. service.** The brief agenda will include approving the 2025 Congregational Budget and the CtK members who will be attending the Metro DC Synod Assembly June 6-7. Anyone interested in attending the Synod Assembly should contact Pastor Hank or Peter Saba. There also will be a brief Q&A. Come join us for lunch as we enjoy this time of fellowship while addressing important church matters. Click [here](#) for the proxy form if you are unable to attend the meeting in person. Thank you. Peter Saba, President.

Welcome!



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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



King's Kids Preschool: 2025-26 Registration _____

Open House between 10 and 11 a.m. on Friday, February 7!

Last chance! Visit and apply now to reserve your child's spot.

Your child may also be able to join a class now!

*Contact us at KKP@gflutheran.org or 703-759-6935 for more information. See KKPGF.org to learn more:

- **Toddler class for 1½ to 2½ year-olds** includes a beginning curriculum taught by two gentle, nurturing teachers, plus specials. It's the perfect "first school" class for up to 5 children each day.
- **Classes for 2½ to 5 year-olds** develop Kindergarten skills by exploring weekly themes through imaginative crafts, cooperative play, and specials like Music, Spanish, P.E., Library, and Chapel. Two teachers lead each small class, allowing them to work closely with every child.

Upcoming Agency Visits _____

Here's our schedule for agency visits for Temple Talks during services and Adult Forum in the coming weeks.

February 9 — Rwamagana Leadership School

February 16 — Grate Patrol (Salvation Army) [Note, the rep from Grate Patrol will only be with us via Zoom for Adult Forum. The Temple Talk will be given by a CtK member who has been on the Grate Patrol.]

February 23 — Cornerstones

March 2 — A Simple Gesture/Cool Green Bag

Prayers for the Congregation _____

Alan Starr, charter member of Christ the King, died on January 2. Please keep his wife **Christina** and daughters, Karin, Sonja, Lisa, and Erika and their families in your prayers.

Karen Magley asks for prayers of healing as she recovers from surgery and faces a follow-up surgery next month. **Bill Hiatt** asks for prayers for his brother Rex who is battling cancer. **Ellie Mickert** as she mourns the death of her husband, **Bob**. **Vivienne Wardian** asks for prayers of healing.

Winter 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 – Brad Ney	Asst Minister – Open
Lector – Joni Holeman	Lector – Open
Greeter(s)/Usher(s) – Charlie & Josie Griffith	Greeter(s)/Usher(s) – Open
Set Up Cart - Open	Clean Up Cart - Open

AT CTK THIS WEEK
February 2 – February 9

Sunday, February 2

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](#))

3:00 p.m. — Great Falls Philharmonic Concert

7:00 p.m. — AA

Tuesday, February 4

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

Wednesday, February 5

9:30 a.m. — Journey Women's Bible Study

7:30 p.m. — Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, February 6

4:00 p.m. — Drive Up Communion

Saturday, February 8

7:00 p.m. — AA

Sunday, February 9

Congregational Meeting & Lunch

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](#))

11:55 a.m. — Congregational Meeting & Lunch

7:00 p.m. — AA

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