

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Christ the King Lutheran Church

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

August 4, 2024

Back-to-School Backpack Drive _____

CtK is once again collecting backpacks to support the Cornerstones program for children who are unable to afford backpacks. Please help by bringing backpacks to the church and placing them in the large basket labeled "BACKPACKS". The **deadline is today**, August 4. There should be no corporate logos or wheels on these backpacks. Also, please bring empty backpacks. (These backpacks will be filled later with school supplies according to age and given to the children to help make their first day of school a success.) Thank you for helping the children! Questions? Call Suzanne Gaibler at 703-851-5600.

Drive Up Communion, Thursday, August 8 _____

Drive Up Communion will be Thursday, August 8, 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.

Rwanda: Special Fundraiser, Tugende 2024 _____

This special fundraiser is in progress to gather funding to offset the sky-rocketing food prices in Rwanda. Our school food budget is being stretched and we need help! Tugende means "let's go"! So, let's go do some good in this world! If you can make a donation of any amount, please go to <https://www.customink.com/fundraising/tugende-24>. You will have the option to donate and/or purchase a T-shirt! Please note that T-shirt sales will close on August 8th.

Honey Harvest Festival, Sunday, August 25 _____

The second-annual Honey Harvest Festival is coming up soon! The outdoor festival will be 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. This will feature CtK honey, a petting zoo, craft vendors, baked goods, and Rocklands BBQ. The concert starts at 5:00 p.m. where you will enjoy a musical trip to Czechia with Dvořák's magnificent Symphony No. 8. Staff Sergeant Emerson Miller performs Strauss' acrobatic Horn Concerto No. 2. Click [here](#) to purchase your concert tickets or visit gflutheran.org/concerts.

Honey Harvest Festival Golf Cart Request _____

Christ the King needs to borrow or rent a golf cart for the Honey Harvest Festival (Sunday, August 25) to take seniors back to the petting zoo, which must be located near the fire pit. If you belong to a golf club that might lend or rent us one for the day, please contact Antonia (the.sieberts@verizon.net) or Marian (marian.zimmerman@gmail.com) to discuss.

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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



Today's Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by the Chatlos family in celebration of his radiant beauty in this world.

Blood Drive at Christ the King, August 27

On Tuesday, August 27 CtK is having a blood drive in Gysan Hall from 1:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. We need at least 30 donors to have the blood drive. Register now on the Red Cross website (www.redcrossblood.org). Blood donors will receive a \$20 Amazon Gift Card via email! We are asking for volunteers to help us make the blood drive run smoothly. Please join us in setting up, managing and cleaning up this event. Please click [here](#) for the Signup Genius or visit gflutheran.org/signup to help. If you have any questions, please contact Melody Starya Mobley at melodymobley@aol.com.

The Longest Day Update

This year's CtK Longest Day project is in memory of Jo Ann Durig's mother, Jacque Santantonio, and Joni Holeman's mother, Lois Holeman, as well as in honor and memory of all those people on our memory cloth. Names are still welcome on the cloth. If you won't be at church soon, you can ask Karen Magley at ksmagley875@gmail.com to make a sticker for you. We are about 2/3 of the way to our \$7,500 goal for this year. Donations can be made anytime this summer at <http://act.alz.org/goto/TLDksm875> or by filling out one of the forms in the front hall, including your cash or check with it, and giving or sending it to Karen Magley (11608 Holly Briar Lane, Great Falls, VA 22066).

Prayers for the Congregation

Vivienne Wardian asks for prayers of healing.

Kristine Heine requests prayers of healing for her friend and frequent CtK guest Sharon Egan, recovering from surgery.

Tammy Finger asks for prayers for strength and healing.

Summer Signup Genius for Worship

Please click [here](#) for the signup genius.

Please see the weekly E-Blast for job descriptions.

This Morning's Lay Helpers	Next Week's Lay Helpers
10:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Asst Minister –Open	Asst Minister – Joni Holeman
Lector – Joni Holeman	Lector –Marian Zimmerman
Prayers –Open	Prayers – Open
Greeters/Ushers - Open	Greeters/Ushers - Open
Snacks/Beverages - Open	Snacks/Beverages - Open
Nursery Help (9:40) - Open	Nursery Help (9:40) - Open

AT CTK THIS WEEK August 4 – August 11

Sunday, August 4

8:45 a.m.— Adult Forum, In-person & [Zoom](#)

10:00 a.m.— In-person Worship

([streaming available](#))

7:00 p.m.— AA

Monday, August 5

VBS

Tuesday, August 6

VBS

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

Wednesday, August 7

VBS

Thursday, August 8

VBS

4:00 p.m.— Drive Up Communion

7:30 p.m.— Service Team Meeting

Friday, August 9

VBS

Saturday, August 10

7:00 p.m.— AA

Sunday, August 11

8:45 a.m.— Adult Forum, In-person & [Zoom](#)

10:00 a.m.— In-person Worship

([streaming available](#))

7:00 p.m.— AA



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