

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Christ the King Lutheran Church

Sixth Sunday After Pentecost

July 5, 2026

CtK Red Cross Blood Drive, Thursday, July 16 _____

Our next blood drive will be on Thursday, July 16, 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Gysan Hall. **Please click [here](#) to sign up to donate on the Red Cross website. Donors will receive a Fandango Movie Reward by email!** We need 30 donors to be able to host the blood drive. We need help with setup at noon and cleanup at 6:00 p.m. We also need some home-baked goods, please. Questions? Please call Melody Starya Mobley at (571) 276-7356.

Cornerstones Backpack Drive 2026 _____

Christ the King is once again collecting backpacks to support the Cornerstones backpack drive for children. The backpacks should be new, elementary, middle, and high school age-appropriate, and large enough to accommodate pocket folders, notebooks, and pencil boxes. No wheels. No corporate branding. Please bring the backpacks and place them in the basket labeled "Backpacks" in the narthex. **The deadline is Sunday, July 26.** Questions? Please call Suzanne Gaibler at 703-851-5600.

The Alzheimer's Association Summer Fundraiser _____

This year, the Alzheimer's Association's fundraiser is "Do What You Love to End Alz" (formerly "The Longest Day"). As we have for the past ten years, Christ the King's Service Team is supporting the Alzheimer's Association and the large number of loved ones who have been affected by memory loss diseases. Please fill out a sticker in the name of your family members or friends and stick it on the tablecloth.

We are asking for donations to "End Alz". To make an online donation, please click [here](#) for the link to Karen Magley's donation page (preferred donation method). For a cash donation, please give it to Karen personally including your name, address, phone number, and email address.

To use a check, make it out to the Alzheimer's Association and put it in the box on the END ALZ table in the narthex with your name, address, email address, and phone number or mail it to Karen Magley at 11608 Holly Briar Lane, Great Falls VA with that information.

Today's Altar Flowers _____

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Bill and Janet Hiatt in loving memory of Bill's brother, Rex Hiatt.

WELCOME!



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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



Vacation Bible School at Christ the King: July 27-31 _____

Christ the King will partner with Abiding Presence Lutheran Church (Burke) to offer VBS at Christ the King during the week of July 27-31, 12:00-3:00 p.m. each day. Each day, groups of similarly aged kids will rotate through stations such as games, art, science, snack, life-size board games, and Bible adventures.

Click [here](#) to register your child or to volunteer to help.

Questions? Please contact Antonia Siebert at antonia.c.siebert@gmail.com

Honey Harvest Festival: Sunday, August 30 _____

Christ the King is hosting our Fourth Annual Honey Harvest Festival on Sunday, August 30, 11:00 am to 5:00 pm. This family-friendly event will have craft vendors, a petting zoo, baked goods and honey for sale, a Rocklands Barbecue food truck, and outdoor music.

At 5:00 pm, please join us for a Great Falls Philharmonic children's concert, "Peter and the Wolf." Tickets are required for the concert and can be purchased here: www.gfphil.org/upcoming

Prayers for the Congregation _____

Please pray for the **Saba family** as they mourn the death of Peter's mother, Heidi Maria Saba.

Linda McMillen asks for prayers for healing for **Angie Froscheiser**. If anyone has any questions, please call Linda at 703-868-8114.

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

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

Summer Lay Helper Sign Up Genius _____

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

This Morning's Lay Helpers 10:00 a.m.
Asst Minister – Joni Holeman
Lector – Kristine Heine
Greeter/Usher – Open
Refreshments – Open
Counters – Open

AT CTK THIS WEEK July 5 – July 12

Sunday, July 5

8:45 a.m. – Adult Forum, In-person & [Zoom](#)
10:00 a.m. – In-person Worship
([streaming available on Facebook Live](#))
7:00 p.m. – AA

Tuesday, July 7

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

Thursday, July 9

7:00 p.m. – AA

Saturday, July 11

7:00 p.m. – AA

Sunday, July 12

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