

# All in the Family

*Mark 3:20-35*



THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
9 JUNE 2024  
CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH



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Our Mission:  
As God's forgiven family,  
we grow in faith through  
Word and Sacrament to  
share the Gospel of  
Jesus Christ.

# WELCOME!

WE ARE HAPPY YOU WERE LED TO WORSHIP WITH US! IF THIS IS YOUR FIRST TIME IN A LUTHERAN CHURCH, WE WANT YOU TO FEEL COMFORTABLE AND "AT HOME" IN OUR WORSHIP SETTING.

The Lord speaks to us through His Word and Sacrament and we respond with joy in song and prayer. This rhythm reflects our rich worship heritage built on the teachings of the Bible placing Jesus Christ at the center of all we do.

Check out the back of this bulletin for information on Bible Classes, upcoming events, how to get involved and more!

**Holy Communion:** CTK practices "close" communion. This expression means that all who receive the Sacrament believe in the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in, with and under the bread and wine, and embrace the teachings of the Lutheran faith according to the Scriptures. If you are not a member of an LCMS congregation, we ask that you please contact one of the pastors prior to receiving the Sacrament. You are welcome to approach the altar with folded arms to receive a blessing.

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THE LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD

**AS WE GATHER** Good Morning! Welcome to worship! As we receive the wonderful life-changing gifts of Word and Sacrament, we will examine how our families affect our personal salvation and the overall wellbeing of the whole world. Is your family a benefit or a challenge to you in terms of your walk with God? Are you a benefit or challenge to others in your home who seek to know and serve the Lord? Today we look at the family of Jesus and wonder...

## **PRELUDE**

## **WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS**

✠ PREPARATION ✠

### **PROCESSIONAL HYMN** “Thy Strong Word” *LSB 578 vv.1-4*

**Thy strong word did cleave the darkness; At Thy speaking it was done.  
For created light we thank Thee, While Thine ordered seasons run.**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Praise to Thee who light dost send! Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!**

**Lo, on those who dwelt in darkness, Dark as night and deep as death,  
Broke the light of Thy salvation, Breathed Thine own life-breathing breath.**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Praise to Thee who light dost send! Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!**

**Thy strong Word bespeaks us righteous; Bright with Thine own holiness,  
Glorious now, we press toward glory, And our lives our hopes confess.**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Praise to Thee who light dost send! Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!**

**From the cross Thy wisdom shining Breaketh forth in conqu’ring might;  
From the cross forever beameth All Thy bright redeeming light.**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Praise to Thee who light dost send! Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!**

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## **INVOCATION**

*P: In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit,*

**C: Amen.**

## **OPENING SENTENCES** *Psalm 124:8; 130:3-5*

*P: Our help is in the name of the LORD,*

**C: who made heaven and earth.**

*P: If You, O LORD, should mark iniquities,*

**C: O Lord, who could stand?**

*P: But with You there is forgiveness,*

**C: that You may be feared.**

*P: I wait for the LORD, my soul waits,*

**C: and in His word I hope.**

### **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

*P: From God's own Word we understand it is our sin that causes our troubles, doubt, fears, and death. For this reason, God's own Son became our Savior, taking the sin of the world upon Himself and paying our debt with His own death on the cross. All who have been baptized in His name have died with Him and live resurrected lives in the forgiveness of our sin. Let us therefore implore Him again and again for His forgiveness and life.*

**C: O God, I confess to You that I have sinned against You in my thoughts, words, and deeds by my own fault. For the sake of Jesus Christ, Your Son, forgive me my sins and restore to me the hope of Your eternal salvation.**

*P: God be merciful to you and strengthen your faith. I, by virtue of my office as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God to you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.*

**C: Amen.**

### **HYMN OF PRAISE** LSB 578 v.6

**God the Father, light-creator, To Thee laud and honor be.**

**To Thee, Light of Light begotten, Praise be sung eternally.**

**Holy Spirit, light-revealer, Glory, glory be to Thee.**

**Mortals, angels, now and ever Praise the holy Trinity!**

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### **SALUTATION**

*P: The Lord be with you.*

**C: And also with you.**

### **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

*P: Let us pray. Almighty and eternal God, Your Son Jesus freed us from bondage to sin. Help us to stand firm against every assault of Satan against ourselves and our families, and enable us under Your gracious guidance always to do Your will; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.*

**C: Amen.**

✠ SERVICE OF THE WORD ✠

**OLD TESTAMENT READING** Genesis 3:8-15

*(The first promise of a Savior from sin.)*

<sup>8</sup>And they heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden. <sup>9</sup>But the LORD God called to the man and said to him, “Where are you?” <sup>10</sup>And he said, “I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked, and I hid myself.” <sup>11</sup>He said, “Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?” <sup>12</sup>The man said, “The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit of the tree, and I ate.” <sup>13</sup>Then the LORD God said to the woman, “What is this that you have done?” The woman said, “The serpent deceived me, and I ate.” <sup>14</sup>The LORD God said to the serpent, “Because you have done this, cursed are you above all livestock and above all beasts of the field; on your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life. <sup>15</sup>I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel.”

*L: This is the Word of the Lord.*

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**EPISTLE** 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 *(Therefore we do not lose heart.)*

<sup>13</sup>Since we have the same spirit of faith according to what has been written, “I believed, and so I spoke,” we also believe, and so we also speak, <sup>14</sup>knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and bring us with you into his presence. <sup>15</sup>For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God. <sup>16</sup>So we do not lose heart. Though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. <sup>17</sup>For this slight momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, <sup>18</sup>as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal. <sup>1</sup>For we know that if the tent, which is our earthly home, is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

*L: This is the Word of the Lord.*

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**ALLELUIA VERSE** LSB 173

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?  
You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

**HOLY GOSPEL** Mark 3:20-35 (*Jesus accused by His family and teacher of the Law.*)

*P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the third chapter.*

**C: Glory to You, O Lord.**

**<sup>20</sup>Then [Jesus] went home, and the crowd gathered again, so that they could not even eat. <sup>21</sup>And when his family heard it, they went out to seize him, for they were saying, “He is out of his mind.” <sup>22</sup>And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem were saying, “He is possessed by Beelzebul,” and “by the prince of demons he casts out the demons.” <sup>23</sup>And he called them to him and said to them in parables, “How can Satan cast out Satan? <sup>24</sup>If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. <sup>25</sup>And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. <sup>26</sup>And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but is coming to an end. <sup>27</sup>But no one can enter a strong man’s house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man. Then indeed he may plunder his house. <sup>28</sup>“Truly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the children of man, and whatever blasphemies they utter, <sup>29</sup>but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin”— <sup>30</sup>for they had said, “He has an unclean spirit.” <sup>31</sup>And his mother and his brothers came, and standing outside they sent to him and called him. <sup>32</sup>And a crowd was sitting around him, and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers are outside, seeking you.” <sup>33</sup>And he answered them, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” <sup>34</sup>And looking about at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! <sup>35</sup>Whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother.”**

*P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.*

**C: Praise to You, O Christ.**

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

**HYMN OF THE DAY** “Oh, Blest the House” *LSB* 862

**Oh, blest the house, whate'er befall, Where Jesus Christ is all in all!  
A home that is not wholly His— How sad and poor and dark it is!**

**Oh, blest that house where faith is found And all in hope and love abound;  
They trust their God and serve Him still And do in all His holy will!**

**Oh, blest the parents who give heed Unto their children's foremost need  
And weary not of care or cost. May none to them and heav'n be lost!**

**Oh, blest that house; it prospers well. In peace and joy the parents dwell,  
And in their children's lives is shown How richly God can bless His own.**

**Then here will I and mine today A solemn promise make and say:  
Though all the world forsake His Word, I and my house will serve the Lord!**

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**SERMON**

**NICENE CREED**

**I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead whose kingdom will have no end. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life ✠ of the world to come. Amen.**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

*P: Let us pray. Lord God our heavenly Father, we give You thanks and praise for Your good creation and for Your re-creation of a people of eternal hope and life, Your holy church throughout the world. Keep, we pray, all pastors and believers in the joyful hope of the resurrection and the life of the world to come. Lord, in Your mercy,*

**C:hear our prayer.**

*P: Help all people of the world and especially of our own families to not lose heart in the face of earthly troubles but to endure with faith in Your gracious promises of the forgiveness of sins and the hope and peace of Your new creation. Lord, in Your mercy,*

**C:hear our prayer.**

*P: In the midst of trouble, anxiety, sickness, or fear of death, comfort, heal, and raise up all who call upon You in their need, especially . . . Bless all who minister healing and deliverance to those in need. Lord, in Your mercy,*

**C:hear our prayer.**

*P: For the many brave and faithful believers who have gone before us, we give You thanks. Help us to remember all who have fought the good fight, finished the race, and kept the faith, that we may likewise live all our days with our heavenly goal in mind. Lord, in Your mercy,*

**C:hear our prayer.**

*P: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.*

**C:Amen.**

**OFFERING** + Solo “Grace Flows Down” (Christy Nockels)

*Amazing grace, how sweet the sound, Amazing love, now flowing down,  
From hands and feet that were nailed to the tree,  
As grace flows down and covers me.  
It covers me, it covers me, it covers me. Grace flows down and covers me.*

**OFFERTORY** LSB 867 vv.1,4

**Let children hear the mighty deeds Which God performed of old,  
Which in our younger days we saw, And which our parents told.**

**O teach them with all diligence The truths of God’s own Word,  
To place in Him their confidence, To fear and trust their Lord,**

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✠ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT ✠

**PREFACE**

*P: The Lord be with you. 2 Timothy 4:22*

**C:And also with you.**

*P: Lift up your hearts. Colossians 3:1*

**C:We lift them up to the Lord.**

*P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. Psalm 136*

**C:It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**



**PROCLAMATION OF CHRIST**      *1 Corinthians 11:26; Revelation 22:20*

*P: As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.*

**C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

*P: O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:*

**LORD'S PRAYER**      *Matthew 6:9-11*

**C: Our Father Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

**THE WORDS OF OUR LORD**

*Matthew 26:26–28; Mark 14:22–24; Luke 22:19–20; 1 Corinthians 11:23–25*

**PAX DOMINI**

*P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.*

**C: And also with you.**

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS**

+ Guitar Solo “The Old Rugged Cross”

“Chief of Sinners, Though I Be” *LSB 611*

**Chief of sinners though I be, Jesus shed His blood for me,  
Died that I might live on high, Lives that I might never die.  
As the branch is to the vine, I am His, and He is mine.**

**Oh, the height of Jesus' love, Higher than the heav'ns above,  
Deeper than the depths of sea, Lasting as eternity!  
Love that found me—wondrous thought! Found me when I sought Him not.**

**Only Jesus can impart Balm to heal the wounded heart,  
Peace that flows from sin forgiv'n, Joy that lifts the soul to heav'n,  
Faith and hope to walk with God In the way that Enoch trod.**

**Chief of sinners though I be, Christ is all in all to me;  
All my wants to Him are known, All my sorrows are His own.  
He sustains the hidden life Safe with Him from earthly strife.**

**O my Savior, help afford By Your Spirit and Your Word!  
When my wayward heart would stray, Keep me in the narrow way;  
Grace in time of need supply While I live and when I die.**

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**“On My Heart Imprint Your Image” LSB 422**

**On my heart imprint Your image, Blessèd Jesus, King of grace,  
That life’s riches, cares, and pleasures Never may Your work erase;  
Let the clear inscription be: Jesus, crucified for me,  
Is my life, my hope’s foundation, And my glory and salvation!**

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**“Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing” LSB 528**

**Oh, for a thousand tongues to sing My great Redeemer’s praise,  
The glories of my God and King, The triumphs of His grace!**

**My gracious Master and my God, Assist me to proclaim,  
To spread through all the earth abroad, The honors of Thy name.**

**Jesus! The name that charms our fears, That bids our sorrows cease;  
'Tis music in the sinner’s ears, 'Tis life and health and peace.**

**He breaks the pow’r of canceled sin; He sets the pris’ner free.  
His blood can make the foulest clean; His blood avails for me.**

**Look unto Him, ye nations; own Your God, ye fallen race.  
Look and be saved through faith alone, Be justified by grace.**

**See all your sins on Jesus laid; The Lamb of God was slain.  
His soul was once an off’ring made For ev’ry soul of man.**

**To God all glory, praise, and love Be now and ever giv’n  
By saints below and saints above, The Church in earth and heav’n.**

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**“What Is the World to Me” LSB 730**

**What is the world to me With all its vaunted pleasure  
When You, and You alone, Lord Jesus, are my treasure!  
You only, dearest Lord, My soul’s delight shall be;  
You are my peace, my rest. What is the world to me!**

**The world seeks to be praised And honored by the mighty  
Yet never once reflects That they are frail and flighty.  
But what I truly prize Above all things is He,  
My Jesus, He alone. What is the world to me!**

**The world seeks after wealth And all that mammon offers  
Yet never is content Though gold should fill its coffers.  
I have a higher good, Content with it I'll be:  
My Jesus is my wealth. What is the world to me!**

**What is the world to me! My Jesus is my treasure,  
My life, my health, my wealth, My friend, my love, my pleasure,  
My joy, my crown, my all, My bliss eternally.  
Once more, then, I declare: What is the world to me!**

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### **POST-COMMUNION COLLECT**

*P: Let us pray. Merciful God our Father, in giving us the body and blood of Your Son in this Holy Sacrament, You cause us already to live that eternal life in unity with all the company of heaven. All thanks and praise to You, our gracious God. Help us to live truly new lives as Your true children all our days until by Your call we enter into the fullness of the resurrection; through our risen Savior, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.*

**C: Amen.**

### **BENEDICTION**            *Numbers 6:24–26*

*P: The Lord bless you and keep you.*

*The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.*

*The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.*

**C: Amen.**

### **RECESSIONAL HYMN** “Jerusalem the Golden” *LSB 672*

**Jerusalem the golden, With milk and honey blest—  
The promise of salvation, The place of peace and rest—  
We know not, oh, we know not What joys await us there:  
The radiancy of glory, The bliss beyond compare!**

**Within those walls of Zion Sounds forth the joyful song,  
As saints join with the angels And all the martyr throng.  
The Prince is ever with them; The daylight is serene;  
The city of the blessed Shines bright with glorious sheen.**

**Around the throne of David, The saints, from care released,  
Raise loud their songs of triumph To celebrate the feast.  
They sing to Christ their leader, Who conquered in the fight,  
Who won for them forever Their gleaming robes of white.**

**O sweet and blessed country, The home of God's elect!  
O sweet and blessed country That faithful hearts expect!  
In mercy, Jesus, bring us To that eternal rest  
With You and God the Father And Spirit, ever blest.**

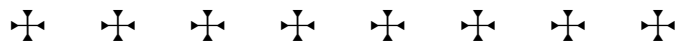
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**SILENT PRAYER** *Almighty and merciful God, I have again worshiped in Your presence and received both forgiveness for my many sins and the assurance of Your love in Jesus Christ. I thank You for this undeserved grace and ask You to keep me in faith until, with all Your saints, I inherit eternal salvation; through Jesus Christ, my Lord. Amen.*

## **POSTLUDE**

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**If you are a first-time visitor** with us today, welcome! Please stop by the Information Desk in the narthex after the service so we can greet you with a gift of thanks for being with us today. May God bless your worship.



In our prayers this week: Kathie Jenkins, Kim Weidenhamer, John Mewbourn, Margo McKee, Gene Mallett, Ernie Echols, Marsha Mundinger, Noah Rhoden, Edith Ringger, Rachel Barnett, Donna Dyer, Eileen Bertolini, Karen Bearly Gale, Floyd Bearly, Mark Lemley, Violet Lakatos, Kelly McGugan, Dylan Bruns, Bruce Forsythe, Jeff & Ellen Strum, Sally Hornish Malmi, Miriam Maki, Fred Karayan, Lori Nogueira, Frankie Raines, Jeff & Cheryl Harrell, Bernie & Judy Jacquez, Don Carroll, Tom & Norma Moore, Mark Yarnell, Bob Buls, Sharron Bearly, Glenda Wade, Jackie Brotchner, Charles Turner, Michella Novy, Judy Clark, Randy Lusk, Jodi Schulz, Grace Howell, Wilber Brown, Marvin Ayers, Jerry House, Whitney Prince. Please comfort the Maki & Tessaro families as they mourn the passing of Melody. We continue to pray for peace the world.

The Altar flowers this week were given by

Larry & Jennifer Marley in celebration of Caroline Marley's 20th birthday

Tyler & Jeanette Wilkinson in celebration of our 1st wedding anniversary

## Those Who Serve

Proclaimer Rev. Charles Neugebauer  
Liturgist Rev. Mark Goble  
Organist Martha Israel  
Offering Soloist: Stephanie Frey  
Accompanist: Mike Salzgeber  
Distribution Guitarist: Mike Salzgeber  
Elders John Behnke (L), Henry Askew,  
Clayton Bettin  
Chris Hugo (L), Glenn Maclin, Mike  
Simpson  
Greeters Jonathan Frey  
Bill Maclin  
Ushers Randy Lusk, Jonathan Frey, Ste-  
phen Owens, Wes Boston, Salar  
Rafieetary  
Bob Sturzenbecher, Barry Copley,  
Luke Swan, Keith Murphy, Nick Tie-  
man, Jeff Jungkans, David Joffre  
Sound Walt Kosman, Murph Ellard, Kim  
Goble, Jim Hofer, Peter Cothron,  
Aaron Winter  
Live Streaming Kevin Riordan

## CALENDAR

Today No scheduled events

### Monday, June 10

- VBS, 9:00-11:45<sub>am</sub>
- Faith in Action, 5:45<sub>pm</sub>, Panera Germantown

### Tuesday, June 11

- Men's Bible Study, 7:00<sub>am</sub>, Parlour
- Nehemiahs, 8:00<sub>am</sub>
- VBS, 9:00-11:45<sub>am</sub>
- Room in the Inn, Host: CTK

### Wednesday, June 12

- VBS, 9:00-11:45<sub>am</sub>
- Adult Bible Study, 10:00<sub>am</sub>, Room 201
- Room in the Inn, Host: Christ Church

### Thursday, June 13

- Voters Meeting, 7:00<sub>pm</sub>, Fellowship Hall

Friday, June 14 No scheduled events

Saturday, June 15 No scheduled events

## CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

PK4 - 6th grade: Join us in the Upper School Building as we continue our curriculum, CPH's Enduring Faith. We will meet in the room next to the exterior gym doors at 9:45am and divide into classes following the opening.

### YOUTH (9th-12th Grade)

Mr. Tim Boyer will be leading the High School students in a series called "Questions non-Christians ask". Join him Sunday mornings at 9:45 in the youth room for lively conversations. Some of the questions we will discuss include: "Is the Bible trustworthy?", "Why does God allow evil?", "Won't a moral life get me to heaven?", "Is Christianity the ONLY way to heaven?" and more. Students and parents are welcome.

## ADULT BIBLE CLASSES

### BEGIN at 9:50

Sanctuary Bible Class Pastor Chuck continues with the series, "The Problem of Pain" by C.S. Lewis.

Gospel According to John: The Word Became Flesh, Led by Ernie Rakow, Library.

Adult Bible class led by Matt Adler, Kyle Brown & Brandon McNeill, Room 202. The class will look into Paul's letter to the Philippians. In this epistle, Paul characterizes Christian life in this way: joy no matter what the circumstances; an eagerness to suffer for Christ; humility that follows Christ in putting others first; trust in

Christ alone for righteousness. We invite you to join us for fellowship and discussion

**WEEKLY ADULT BIBLE CLASSES**

Wednesday Bible Class Join Pastor Chuck as he leads us through the book of Mark. 10:00am in Room 201.

Men's Bible Study Led by Gary Osing on Tuesdays at 7:00am in the Parlour. Join us for God's Holy Word, doughnuts, coffee and Christian fellowship.

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**NURSERY Volunteers**

Nursery volunteers! Sign up today!  
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Our soon-to-be-Associate Pastor Matthew Lynch was in town this past week, securing an apartment and exploring Memphis. He is excited about starting his ministry at CTK and can't wait to jump in! STAY TUNED for information on how you can help Pastor Matt furnish his apartment, coming soon!

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!  
JUNE 30, 2024**

10:00am  
One Worship Service

3:00pm  
Installation of Pastor Matthew Lynch as Associate Pastor of Christ the King!

4:00pm  
Reception in Fellowship Hall  
Please make plans to join us for this day of celebration and thankfulness for God's many blessings to Christ the King.

If you would like to bring a homemade finger food for the Reception after Matthew Lynch's installation on June 30, please contact Genie Swan at [gswan@ctkmemphis.com](mailto:gswan@ctkmemphis.com) or 901-827-9223. Thank you very much!

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**Future Comfort Dog**

Please keep us in your prayers as we complete our team. Specifically, pray for our Comfort Dog Caregiver who is still to be named. We know God has great plans for us and **He will provide** the right people to our team. We ask that you pray for this person (or couple) that they accept God's call to serve Him in this way. Please join us at our next meeting (Saturday, June 22, at 10:00am in via Zoom) to find out more about this exciting future ministry. Contact Dianna Garner at [diannagarner@comcast.net](mailto:diannagarner@comcast.net) for more information.

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**Men's Ministry**

The Men's Bible Study is beginning a new study, "The Messiah: Revealing Jesus in the Old Testament." We know that the Bible is entirely about Jesus Christ. Did you know there is reference to Jesus in every book of the Old Testament? Join us on Tuesday mornings as we look at those references, the promises and other mentions of Jesus Christ in the OT. We have hot coffee, warm donuts and God's Holy Word.

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**Calvary Rescue Mission**

June 16 is our Sunday to buy groceries, cook the meal, transport it to CRM and serve it to the residents and staff of the mission. Their numbers have increased dramatically and we are normally serving 75-80 meals. We buy over 100 beef patties/gravy, four pans of mac n cheese, four cans of green beans, rolls, five

cakes and 6 or 7 gallons of tea. It takes dedication and commitment. We are looking for a few new men in our congregation to help out! If you would like to volunteer please contact Gary Osing at garyosing@gmail.com or 901-326-6737.

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As we await the arrival of our soon-to-be-associate pastor Matthew Lynch, we want to make sure that everyone has their nametags ready to wear! Let's help him out by wearing our nametags every Sunday; you'll know who *he* is but it will take him some time to learn all of *our* names. If you need a new nametag, sign up on the list at the Information Desk and your nametag will be ready the next Sunday!

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**Room in the Inn  
Summer Shelter**

The hot, long days of Memphis are already here and CTK will do our part to help those in need by hosting RITI the 2nd Tuesday of each summer month. Please prayerfully consider joining our team and give up just 3 hours of time to volunteer for this important ministry. **Sign up early and often!** Thank you!

[bit.ly/RITIJUN11](http://bit.ly/RITIJUN11)      [bit.ly/RITIJUL9](http://bit.ly/RITIJUL9)

[bit.ly/RITIAUG13](http://bit.ly/RITIAUG13)      [bit.ly/RITISEP10](http://bit.ly/RITISEP10)

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**CTK SCHOOL**

CTK is hosting camps for Hoop City this summer. The discount code for the CTK kids is CTK. This code will give them \$145 off the registration. If you have multiple children to register, you will have to register them separately to get the discount. Here is the link for registration. [https://www.hoopcitybc.com/page/show/39733333-hoop-](https://www.hoopcitybc.com/page/show/39733333-hoop-city-basketball-camps)

[city-basketball-camps](#). Click the picture and the sign up page will open up.

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**Mid-South District  
Early Childhood Conference**

June 17-18

Christ the King will host this year's conference. It is two days filled with learning, team building and fun and the teachers look forward to it each year. To help cut costs, we're asking for donations of bottled water and individually wrapped healthy snacks and nuts. There will be a table in the Rotunda for you to drop off your items. Thank you!

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**Mid-South District Storm Response**

Over the Memorial Day weekend, numerous communities in our region were rocked by tornadoes and severe storms, especially across northwest Arkansas. The Mid-South District office has learned that over a dozen member families of Holy Trinity Lutheran in Rogers have been significantly impacted, including one whose home was completely destroyed. Additionally, communities in Kentucky and east Tennessee sustained damage following the storms.

How can you help? First, please pray for all those families impacted. And, as relief efforts get underway, monetary support can be shared with the District's Tornado Relief Fund in two ways: Give online at [mid-southlcms.org](http://mid-southlcms.org) or give by check made payable to: Mid-South District LCMS with "tornado relief" noted as the designation. Please mail by check to Mid-South District, 1675 Wynne Rd, Cordova, TN 38016.

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A girl's dress with a butterfly design was found in the restroom the week of May 19. If this belongs to you or your daughter, please contact the church office. Thank you.



Marvin Ayers sends love and gratitude to his CTK family for all who have been praying for him, checking in, and sending cards. He especially thanks Carol Owens, Janet Rudd, Pastor Mark, and Job Comfort Dog! Marvin says he is on the mend and is now at King's Daughters and Sons Home.

*Thank you to the Confirmation Class and their parents for the lovely gift bag of surprises. It was a joy to work with your students and I look forward to continuing to see them in church! Mrs. Swan*

A big thank you to CTK's LWML Society and our many volunteers for hosting the LWML Mid-South District Convention this past weekend. Close to 200 women from around the district converged onto our campus and conducted business, worshipped, and enjoyed fellowship. Thank you to all who helped to make it an uplifting and successful event.



# WELCOME PASTOR MATT!

## EVENTS

**23**

JUNE

ORDINATION AT  
OUR SAVIOR  
LUTHERAN  
CHURCH,  
NASHVILLE, 4PM

**30**

JUNE

INSTALLATION  
AT CHRIST THE  
KING LUTHERAN  
CHURCH, 3PM  
RECEPTION, 4PM

**14**

JULY

PICNIC/PANTRY  
SHOWER FOR  
PASTOR MATT  
AFTER LATE  
SERVICE

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