

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**HURRICANE RELIEF** There will be a special door offering this weekend for the victims of Hurricane Florence & Michael. The offering will be forwarded to the disaster relief. Please consider donating today to lessen the burden on those who have been so severely affected and continue to send prayers. Thank you.

**HURRICANE RELIEF MATCHING DONATIONS** Thrivent will match up to \$1 million in personal donations made through Thrivent.com to specific disaster relief organizations helping with the recovery efforts. Thrivent – a membership organization of Christians – is mobilizing its financial resources and members to help those in need. Thrivent members and others who want to help with recovery efforts are encouraged to visit [www.thrivent.com](http://www.thrivent.com) to learn more.

**ATTENDANCE AND FINANCIAL PLEDGE CARDS** This year, on November 11<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>, we will make a pledge to the Lord regarding our financial commitment (tithe) and our worship attendance (“Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy”) for 2019. Pray to see the Lord’s will in the commitment He wants you to make in regards to worship attendance and supporting His church financially. Pledge cards will be available in the bulletin starting the weekend of November 4<sup>th</sup>.

**HARVEST LUNCH POTLUCK** Join us Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup> at 12:15pm (PA Rd) for this fun fall event. All are welcome! Families with last names A-F, bring dessert; G-M, bring an entrée and N-Z, bring a side dish. Food can only be kept warm if you bring it in a crock pot or roaster. Cold items can be put in the refrigerators at the Café. If you are interested in helping organize the day of, please contact the church office.

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10<sup>th</sup> WORSHIP SERVICE** will be held at PA Rd, due to the Craft & Bake Gala taking place at Trenton Rd.

**VESTRY MEMBER NOMINATIONS** will be accepted through October 31, 2018. If you are interested in running for the Vestry, or if you want to nominate someone, forms and qualifications for a Vestry member will be located at the Welcome Centers at Trenton Rd and at the PA Rd Campus. Guidelines for nominations are as follows:

- Nominator needs to secure the permission of nominee before submitting their name.
- Nominators are encouraged to sign their own name on the form.
- Members may submit their own name.
- Nominees must meet the qualifications as listed on the form.
- Place the form in the nomination box provided at each location.

**DISCIPLESHIP CLASS** After attending the Good News Class, those who wish to become members of Christ The King attend the Discipleship Class, which introduces you to the ministries and mission of CTK. If interested, contact Pastor Jay at [jay@ctk.me](mailto:jay@ctk.me) or Lisa at [lisa@ctk.me](mailto:lisa@ctk.me). Discipleship Classes: November 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at Trenton Rd; New Member Sunday: December 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9am at PA Rd.

## CHRISTNET

**CHRISTNET** is an overnight rotating shelter for homeless men, women, and children in the Downriver area. CTK will be hosting again the week of January 20<sup>th</sup>, more details to follow. There will be many more opportunities to donate items and volunteer your time. Look for the "Giving Trees" at both campuses, near the Welcome Center, November 1<sup>st</sup> through November 29<sup>th</sup>. We are asking for donations of men's and women's thermal underwear. Choose a leaf and purchase the gender and size requested and return items with your leaf to the baskets provided. We all know too well how cold our Michigan winters can be, these thermals are needed and very appreciated! As always, please keep this crucial ministry in your prayers.

## FOOD PANTRY

**FOOD PANTRY VOLUNTEERS** If you have not received your new food pantry schedule by e-mail or US mail, please contact Kathy Hammond at 313.790.8449 or Pastor Harry at 734.479.6337.

## SUPPORT MINISTRIES

**GRIEFSHARE** The new cycle of GriefShare has begun. Newcomers are always welcome. Please join us on Mondays at 6pm in the Upper Room at Trenton Rd. Mark your calendars for “Surviving the Holidays,” held Saturday, November 3 from 12 to 2pm. And “Loss of a Spouse,” held Saturday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, from 12 to 2pm, both held at Trenton Rd. Contact Teresa Samson at 734.282.8012 or [tsamson50@yahoo.com](mailto:tsamson50@yahoo.com) for more info.

**A NEW BABY?** Let Moms on Wheels provide three dinners to your family (free of charge). Please contact Marlane Miller at 313.570.3328 to set up your meal schedule. If you would be willing to cook meals for new moms, please let Marlane know!

**ALCOHOLICS FOR CHRIST** meets Tuesdays at 7pm in The Commons. All are welcome.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

**GREETERS NEEDED BEFORE ALL SERVICES** Do you have the gift of hospitality? Would you be willing to offer a warm, smiling face to greet people, 20 minutes before church begins? Please contact Lisa @ ext 210 to volunteer.

**VIDEO TECH MINISTRY** Volunteers are needed to run PowerPoint during Saturday evening worship services. If interested, please contact Pastor Jay at [jay@ctk.me](mailto:jay@ctk.me)

**SOUND TECHS NEEDED** Looking for something fun to do during worship? Volunteers are needed to run the sound booth. If interested, please contact Micah Bode at [sound@ctk.me](mailto:sound@ctk.me).

**WATCH PATROL** We need volunteers at both the Trenton Rd. and PA Rd. campuses. Please contact Bob Reed at 313.701.8332 or sign up on the chart in the West Gallery to volunteer for Trenton Rd or contact Denise Cashmer at [denise@ctk.me](mailto:denise@ctk.me) to volunteer for PA Rd. Volunteers for this vital ministry go through the building and make sure all doors are locked and lights turned off. Sign up is for one week at a time. Currently you would serve about every 6 weeks.

## Christ The King Lutheran Church and School Announcements

October 25, 27 and 28, 2018

Pennsylvania Rd Campus

16700 Pennsylvania Rd, Southgate, MI 48195

**WORSHIP SERVICES**

Thursday 7:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

**BIBLE CLASS & SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Thursday 7:45 p.m.

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

Trenton Rd Campus

15600 Trenton Rd, Southgate, MI 48195

**WORSHIP SERVICE**

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

**Church**

**School**

**Day Care**



[www.ctk.me](http://www.ctk.me)

**BIBLE CLASS**

Saturday 6:00 p.m.

**734.285.9695**

**734.285.9697**

**734.285.8525**

**Members and visitors**, we extend a warm greeting and ask you to register your attendance by signing in the “Ritual of Fellowship” book. **If you are a first or second-time guest**, please indicate your address so we may send you a thank you letter. Also, please feel free to identify yourself by attaching a small rose (from the fellowship book) on your lapel. We’re glad you are here! Please come again!

## BIBLE STUDIES

**PLEASE MAKE THE STUDY OF GOD’S WORD  
A ROUTINE OF YOUR WORSHIP LIFE, FOR ALL AGES**

**FELLOWSHIP BIBLE STUDY** Please join us Saturday at 6pm in the Trenton Rd West Gallery and Sunday at 10am in the PA Rd Gym.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** meets every Sunday morning at PA Campus from 10 to 10:40am, grades Pre-3 to 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

**HIGH SCHOOL SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY** We meet on Sundays from 10:00 to 10:45 in the youth room. This week we will be looking at ghosts and demons, discussing the differences between the two, and looking at what the Bible has to say about them. Come and grow your faith with us! Open to all high school aged students, regardless of involvement in the youth program.

**MEN’S BIBLE STUDY** meets on Wednesdays from 8 to 9am at the PA Rd Campus Fellowship Center. All men are invited to attend.

**WOMEN’S WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY** We meet from 9:15 to 10:15am at Trenton Rd. in the Upper Room. We are studying the book of Isaiah. Please join us!

## PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

**PRAYER TIME** is a vital part of our communication with God. Come pray with us at any of the following:

WEDNESDAY PRAYER

3:15 p.m. The Commons

FRIDAY PRAYER VIGIL

7:00 a.m. Sanctuary

**THIS WEEK AT CHRIST THE KING**

**SUNDAY – OCTOBER 28**

**CONFIRMATION SUNDAY 11:00 A.M.**

7:00 p.m. High School Youth

**MONDAY – OCTOBER 29**

**Pastor Jay's Day Off**

**Pastor Mark's Day Off**

6:00 p.m. GriefShare

**TUESDAY – OCTOBER 30**

**Mr. Bode's Day Off**

8:30 a.m. Toolbelt Tuesday

7:00 p.m. Good News Class

7:00 p.m. Alcoholics for Christ

7:00 p.m. Co-ed Volleyball

**WEDNESDAY – OCTOBER 31**

8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study

9:15 a.m. Women's Bible Study

3:15 p.m. Prayer Time

**THURSDAY – NOVEMBER 1**

3:30 p.m. King's Ringers Rehearsal

3:30 p.m. Food Pantry

7:00 p.m. Worship/Communion

**FRIDAY – NOVEMBER 2**

7:00 a.m. Prayer Vigil

7:00 p.m. South Band Rehearsal

**SATURDAY – NOVEMBER 3**

8:30 a.m. LWML Women's Retreat

12:00 p.m. GriefShare: "Surviving the Holidays"

**SUNDAY – NOVEMBER 4**

**DAYLIGHT SAVING ENDS**

10:00 a.m. Early Communion Class

12:00 p.m. Harvest Luncheon Potluck

7:00 p.m. High School Youth

**BOLD=Held at Pennsylvania Rd Campus**

**CRAFT & BAKE GALA** On Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, over 80 juried crafters will be at our annual gala. Join us from 10am to 4pm. Enjoy shopping for handmade items, homemade Christmas cookies, and eating lunch. Admission is free. If anyone is interested in baking and donating Christmas cookies to be sold at the Bake Sale, please bring them to the school office on or before November 9<sup>th</sup>.

<b>CHURCH ATTENDANCE</b>			
	Last Week	YTD Average	2018 Goal
Church Attendance	690	745	950
Bible Class	126	146	275
Sunday School	43	45	100
Visitors	123	126	150

**ITEMS OF INTEREST**

**SENIORS' LUNCH BUNCH** meets on Tuesday, November 6<sup>th</sup> at 11:30am at Outback Steakhouse, Eureka Road, Southgate. Call Joan Dyer-Zinner at 734.285.2806 to attend or cancel.

**SENIORS' LUNCH BUNCH CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON** will be held on Tuesday, December 4<sup>th</sup> at 11:30am at The Rhapsody. Menu: Chicken, mostaccioli, kielbasa & sauerkraut, mashed potatoes & gravy, vegetable, bread & butter, dessert, coffee, tea, milk. (Cash bar for soda). Tickets will be on sale after every service from October 21-November 18. Cost is \$18/person, includes tax and tip. Please see Bobbi Ferrans, Joyce Shoup or Patsy Patterson for tickets.

**CHRIST THE KING EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER** is hiring part time aids. Must be 18, a high school diploma or a GED equivalent and have a love of teaching Jesus' love to children. Please contact Mary or Kristi at 734-285-8525 for more details.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL SERVICE PROJECT** is Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child, a.k.a. Operation Shoebox. If you would like to pack a shoebox, here is how to do it:

- Find a shoebox and wrap it (or grab one from the Sunday School Office).
- Decide if you want to pack it for a girl or boy ages 2-4, 5-9, 10-14.
- Fill the box with gifts, generate a label online or attach the label from the Sunday School office.
- Bring the filled box to the Church or Sunday School Office before November 11<sup>th</sup>.

There is a \$9 postage donation. If you get the label online, the donation is part of the label. For more information, please visit: <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/pack-a-shoe-box/>

**GIVING HELP AT CHRISTMAS** If you, your family or your share group are interested in "adopting" a family at Christmas, please call the church office BEFORE November 18<sup>th</sup>. You will be contacted with info on a family that matches the criteria for which you would like to shop. "Adopting" a family means purchasing food items for the home, as well as several small gifts for each of the children in the home. You may be able to contact your "adopted" family or stay anonymous. Contact Lisa for the suggested set of rules on adopting a Christmas family.

**SAVE TODAY** Learning is an ornament in prosperity, a refuge in adversity, and a provision in old age. So is saving. Save today. Invest in the Church Extension Fund. For more information, contact Tim Bode (734-285-9695 x170 or [tim@ctk.me](mailto:tim@ctk.me)), or call 800-242-3944.

**ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT**

**ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT** Sunday, December 1<sup>st</sup> at 6pm, Trenton Rd. Gym. We are excited to enjoy a blessed evening of fellowship, celebrating our Savior! This year everyone will enjoy an Italian dinner (provided by CTK), desserts (provided by hostesses), Christmas carols, and a wonderful message. Our charities this year are "All Worthy of Love" and CTK Food Pantry. Hostess packets will be available at PA Rd in Classroom 7 at the Information Wall OR by contacting Kim Carroll at [thecarrollfamilyis@comcast.net](mailto:thecarrollfamilyis@comcast.net) or 734.552.6843. Deadline to register is November 19<sup>th</sup>. Would you like to attend but don't have not been assigned to a table? Please contact Kim Carroll.

**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH**

**FORGE YOUTH TONIGHT** Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup>, join us from 7 to 9pm for our activity, open gym, and open youth room night. Come relax before the start of the week, enjoy some pizza and soda, and hang-out with friends. All high school students are welcome!

**FORGE YOUTH NEXT WEEK** Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, join us from 7 to 9pm for our activity, open gym, and open youth room night. Come relax before the start of the week, enjoy some pizza and soda, and hang-out with friends. All high school students are welcome!

**PARENT MEETING** Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup> at 6pm, we will discuss details for the National Youth Gathering, including transportation, future fundraising, looking at fundraising accounts, etc. Please make sure you have a payment of \$100 toward the gathering. The once-a-month payment schedule will begin after this date.

**MONEY WALL FUNDRAISER** During the month of October, our group will be promoting our Money Wall fundraiser, which gives members of the congregation an opportunity to donate any amount, from \$1 to \$200, to the youth for our upcoming National Youth Gathering trip. Youth members will be available between Sunday services to explain what this trip is and why they are going. Any contributions are greatly appreciated! Please consider speaking to a youth member about their experiences in our group and their reasoning for going on the trip.

**STEPHEN MINISTRY**

**THANKSGIVING: What Should It Mean to You?** What comes to mind when you think of Thanksgiving? Do you picture a time of thankfulness toward God—or is it merely one of eating, partying or watching football? Or is it none of these? Stephen Ministers at Christ The King Lutheran Church help serve this congregation and community. We are here to help in a time of need. If you or someone you know needs a Stephen Minister, someone to listen and care, please contact the church office at 734-285-9695. All contacts are confidential. If God calls you to this ministry as a caregiver, please let the church office know. "Let them give thanks to the Lord for His unfailing love and His wonderful deeds for mankind, for He satisfies the thirsty and fills the hungry with good things." Psalm 107: 8-9

<b>STEWARDSHIP REPORT 2018</b>	
General Fund Giving/Tuition	\$1,744,952
YTD Budgeted Expenses	\$1,895,460

**SCRAP METAL** Empty your garage/house of scrap metal and bring it to the scrap dumpster at PA Rd Campus. 2018 YTD \$2,562.56.

**BOTTLE/CAN DONATIONS** go toward roof repairs at the Penn Rd Campus. Thank you for your generosity. 2018 YTD \$1,815.

**PAPER RECYCLE BINS** are located by the Admin Bldg near the trash and scrap/recycle dumpsters. 2018 YTD \$116.36