

GENERAL INFORMATION

LWML MITES FOR MISSIONS The Lutheran Women's Missionary League's collection will be at the door after all services this weekend. These funds are used for mission work throughout the world, as well as right here in Michigan. If you would like to have a mite box for the next collection in October, the boxes are on the table by the Cana Room in the West Gallery or at the Welcome Center at PA Rd.

THURSDAY EVENING WORSHIP SERVICES, held at 7:00 p.m. at PA Rd, will begin this Thursday, May, 25th. An Ice Cream social will follow immediately after the service. Thursday worship will take place through Thursday, August 31st.

FAMILY CONNECTION MINISTRY PEDALS AND POPSICLES Friday, June 16th at 6pm at PA Rd. Join us for an evening of outdoor family fun! We will rope off part of the PA Rd campus for a safe place to ride your bikes/scooter/rollerblades or to walk and talk with your family and friends. Frozen treats will be provided. All ages are welcome!

CONTACT INFO/ADDRESS CHANGE Have you moved? Have you disconnected your home phone or changed your phone number or email address within the last two years? If so, please contact the church office, either via email (staff@ctk.me) or call to update this information.

RING FOUND A ring was found in the PA Rd. Women's Atrium bathroom on Tuesday, May 16 during cleaning. If you lost a ring over the weekend or recently, please email Denise Cashmer at denise@ctk.me or call the church office at 734.285.9695 and give us a description of your lost ring.

BIBLE STUDY/SUNDAY SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES

FELLOWSHIP BIBLE STUDY Please join us Saturday at 6pm in the West Gallery at Trenton Rd and Sunday at 10:00 am in the PA Rd gym.

SUNDAY SCHOOL meets from 10 to 10:45am. Children go directly to their designated classrooms. Parents, please pick up your kids there, as well. Pre/K and 1st/2nd grade meet in the gym hallway. 3rd/4th and 5th/6th grade meet in rooms off of the Atrium.

YOUTH GROUP BIBLE STUDY (7th-12th grade) We meet on Sunday mornings during the Sunday School hour in the youth room. Come participate in activities, crafts, and service projects, too!

PARENT AND TOT CLASS We meet in the nursery during Bible class hour, just outside the PA Rd Sanctuary. Mandy Boelter leads this class. You and your littles are welcome to study God's Word at the appropriate level.

TRENTON RD EARLY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY We meet every Wednesday morning in the Trenton Rd Upper Room from 6:30 to 7:15am. Join us for fellowship and time in God's Word. Vicar PJ and Chance Childers facilitate. Coffee will be provided.

PA RD MEN'S BIBLE STUDY meets from 8:00 to 9:00am in the Atrium at the PA Rd Campus. Pastor Terry leads.

WOMEN'S WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY meets at 9am at the PA Rd Campus Fellowship Center, in the cross room. Nancy Kurtz leads.

STEWARDSHIP

WAYS TO GIVE YOUR TITHE & GIFTS

- **In Person**
- **Online:** Scan the QR code to be directly sent to the online giving [link](#)
- **Online:** Members may visit www.ctk.me and click on "MyCTK" at the top of the homepage to log in, select "Giving" then "Give Now" to set up a one time or recurring payment
- **Text:** Visitors/Members text 'CTKGIVE' to 73256 to receive a secured link
- **Mail:** Mail to CTK, 15600 Trenton Rd., Southgate, MI 48195



ONLINE GIVING & TEXT GIVE OF TITHES/CONTRIBUTIONS We are grateful for the opportunity to accept contributions online via MyCTK and through text giving. Just as a reminder, if possible please use your banking account information, rather than a card number, to save on processing fees, which start at 2.6%. This cuts back on monthly expenses and, in turn, more of your gift goes directly to the mission of your church. Thank you for your faithfulness!

BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS are a great way to celebrate your birthday or anniversary with others. There is an envelope in your tithing envelope box just for that. Usually the donation equals your age or your anniversary number. You may drop it off in the tithing basket, bring it to the church office or give online. The gift will be given to the Foundation and spread to various projects for CTK.

2023 STEWARDSHIP REPORT	
General Fund Giving/Tuition	\$769,603
Actual Expenses (As of April 30)	\$748,542
Excess	\$21,061

SCRAP METAL Empty your garage/house of scrap metal and bring it to the scrap dumpster at PA Rd Campus. If your item is too large to put in the dumpster, please leave it in front of/beside the dumpster. 2023 YTD \$458.64

BOTTLE/CAN DONATIONS go toward roof repairs at the Penn Rd Campus. Thank you for your generosity. 2023 YTD \$1,179.40

PAPER RECYCLE BINS are located by the Admin Bldg. near the trash and scrap/recycle dumpsters. 2023 YTD \$38.46

"C" DOLLARS 2023 YTD \$574

DONATIONS

CTK'S FOOD PANTRY Food or monetary donations are always appreciated. Food donations may be dropped off at the church office. Money can be given in your offering and designated: "Food Pantry."

EYEGLASSES FOR MOST MINISTRIES All types of glasses are accepted. Please place in the baskets provided in the West Gallery at Trenton Rd or behind the Welcome Center at PA Rd.

CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 20 and 21, 2023

Pennsylvania Rd Campus

16700 Pennsylvania Rd, Southgate, MI 48195

WORSHIP SERVICES

BIBLE CLASS & SUNDAY SCHOOL

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

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m. via Facebook Live (Link available on the website)

Trenton Rd Campus

15600 Trenton Rd, Southgate, MI 48195

WORSHIP SERVICE

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

BIBLE CLASS

6:00 p.m.

**Church
School
Day Care**



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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS are Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 3pm.

Our Ministry Statement: *At Christ The King, we believe life is only complete when a person trusts in Jesus Christ as personal Savior and friend. We believe disciples of Christ introduce their relatives, friends and neighbors to this Savior. We are dedicated to discipling people in all stages of life by offering understanding, love, support, acceptance and forgiveness. The Holy Spirit equips this body of believers to seek the lost in our community, involving them in active discipleship.*

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. We're glad you are here! Please come again!

HOLY COMMUNION

According to God's Word, we at Christ The King practice "Communion Fellowship." Those communing with us have the following four fellowship ties:

1. They are baptized in the name of the Triune God. (*Matt. 28:19*)
2. They are willing to confess their sins, seeking God's forgiveness through Christ. (*1 Corinthians 11:28*)
3. They recognize the real presence of Christ in the blessed bread and wine. (*1 Corinthians 11:29*)
4. They have a desire to live a God-pleasing life. (*1 Thess. 4:1-2*) Non-alcoholic wine is available in the center of the trays and is a lighter color than the regular wine. Children receiving communion must be in the 5th grade and have completed the Early Communion Class here at CTK.

NURSERY AT PA RD A paid worker attends the nursery from 8:50am to noon for all children 3 and under. You may leave your child while you attend worship and/or Bible study.

THIS WEEK AT CHRIST THE KING

SUNDAY – MAY 21 CONFIRMATION SUNDAY AT 11AM SERVICE

6:30 p.m. Youth Group

MONDAY – MAY 22

Pastor Jay’s Day Off

6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry, Supervision & Continuing Ed

7:00 p.m. Brass Ensemble Rehearsal

TUESDAY – MAY 23

Mr. Bode’s Day Off

8:00 a.m. Toolbelt Tuesday

7:00 p.m. Co-ed Volleyball

WEDNESDAY – MAY 24

6:30 a.m. Men’s Bible Study (Trenton Rd)

8:00 a.m. Men’s Bible Study (PA Rd)

9:00 a.m. Women’s Bible Study (PA Rd)

10:15 a.m. Prayer Time (Atrium)

6:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY – MAY 25

3:00 p.m. Food Pantry Distribution

3:45 p.m. King’s Ringers Rehearsal

7:00 p.m. Worship

7:45 p.m. South Band Rehearsal

8:00 p.m. Ice Cream Social

FRIDAY – MAY 26

NO SCHOOL

7:00 a.m. Prayer Vigil

BOLD=Held at Pennsylvania Rd Campus

LAST WEEKEND FOR THE SUNDAY SCHOOL SAMARITAN’S PURSE PROJECT “BEE A BLESSING” The beekeeping initiative is equipping struggling families in the Middle East. Honeybees produce more than a sweet treat. Honey and beeswax can be sold to pay for education, healthcare, or other needs. Join the Sunday School in their journey to provide families with Honeybee Kits. Your \$20 gift provides a hive, training, beekeeping kit, honey harvesting equipment, and the Gospel. **You can place your donation in the offering. Please write “Bees” on the blank line or use a pew envelope. You can also donate through MyCTK or text giving, using the keyword “Bees.” Thus far, we have received \$4,954.95, enough to provide 247 hives!**

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

SAVE THE DATE for a fun filled week of leaning more about Jesus, your faith and His love, June 19-23 from 9:00-11:30am at the PA Rd. Campus. “I Can Build A Boat” by Colton Davis is our theme song. Check out the link: <https://youtu.be/AUJJAVHYiZY> to learn the words before coming to VBS. Also, look for the “Donation Boat” and VBS sign-up posters at both locations. Online registration is available on our website <https://ctk.me/vacation-bible-school/>

2023	Last Week	YTD Average
Church Attendance	652	623
Bible Class	111	112
Sunday School	32	46
Visitors	107	93

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DIAPER DRIVE Christ The King’s annual disposable diaper drive runs now through Father’s Day. Drop off at either campus. Sizes 5 & 6, Pull-Ups for 3T-4T & 4T-5T and wipes are needed the most. We will, of course, welcome other baby items of all kinds. The gifts will be donated to the Lincoln Park Pregnancy Center. Thank you for donating. ~ Pastor Harry

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES We need employees this summer. You must be at least 17 years of age, be able to work the closing shift at least three times a week and have a love for children. Contact Kristi or Mary at 734.285.8525 or daycare@ctk.me for more information.

JANITOR NEEDED FOR THE ECC (DAYCARE) Part-time Monday - Friday for two hours each day in the late afternoon. Also, additional contingent hours, as needed, at either CTK campus. (Hourly rate, \$10.10/hour) Please contact Dale at dale@ctk.me for additional information.

DEMAND SAVINGS CERTIFICATES AT CEF allow you to open an account with just \$5. Additions and redemptions are permitted at any time. The interest rate you receive depends on the balance in your account—currently ranging from .35% to .75%. For more information contact CTK’s CEF Rep, Tim Bode (734.285.9695 x170 or tim@ctk.me). You may also call the CEF office directly at 800.242.3944 or visit the CEF web site at www.mi-cef.org.

DONATION STATION BIBLE STUDIES

THE SALVATION BIBLE STUDY will meet on May 25th, 10:30 to 11:30am, in the Admin kitchen at PA Rd. This 4th Thursday study is always the same. It shares the Gospel in a logical and easy to understand way, and is based on The Kennedy Evangelism Explosion model. People come just to hear the Good News again, or because they have never heard the Good News and are curious, or because they would like to learn how to better share the Gospel themselves.

THE 1ST THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY will meet on June 1st from 10:30 to 11:30am in the Admin kitchen at PA Rd. This study varies each month. The topic on June 1st is “Forgiveness.” If you would like to attend either or both of these studies, please contact carol@ctk.me or 734.281.3773.

CTK DAY SCHOOL INFORMATION

OPEN ENROLLMENT is now taking place for Christ The King Lutheran School. If you or someone you know are interested in our preschool or K-8 programs, please contact Chrissy Lambrecht at 734.486.2978 or email admissions@ctk.me for enrollment and tour information. We look forward to showing you the CTK difference!

WOMEN’S MINISTRY NEWS

SECRET PRAYER SISTER MEET & GREET Saturday, June 3 at 1pm in the PA Rd Atrium. Calling all current Secret Prayer Sisters and anyone interested in becoming one. This is the day we will “reveal” the sister who has been praying for you all year. Envelopes will also be given to all continuing and new Sisters with your new Secret Prayer Sister’s name. Each lady will draw a name to encourage a fellow sister through prayer, scriptures, notes and gifts. We can remind our sisters that we are praying for them and remind them of Christ’s love for us. Secret Prayer Sisters will run for one year. Please RSVP to Gina at gmd.lwml@gmail.com.

YOUTH GROUP

“ROOTED IN CHRIST” YOUTH GROUP Join us for youth group! We meet at the Pennsylvania Rd. Campus in the Fellowship Center. Our May dates are as follows:

- May 21 – Mackinaw Meeting at 6PM
- May 21 - Youth Meets at 6:30PM
- May 28 – No Youth

Questions? Contact the Youth leader, Gina Davidson, at hsyouth@ctk.me

MACKINAW YOUTH GATHERING MEETING Sunday, May 21 at 6pm (before youth). Come get the final details of the trip. Final balance will be due June 4th.

THE YOUTH LOVE TO SNACK!! We are always happy to receive donations of individually wrapped packages of Chips/Goldfish Crackers, Snack Cakes/Cookies, Fruit Rollups and Fruit Snacks, Candy, Juice Boxes, Bottled Water, 2-liter sodas. Donations can be placed in the bin outside of the PA Rd Youth Room or label them “Youth” and place them in the bin in the PA Rd narthex.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

CTK VOLUNTEERS, if you would like to volunteer for the CTK Food Pantry, please contact Lisa at 734.285.9695. It is a happy group!

DO YOU LOVE GARDENING? If so, we have the perfect ministry for you. **We have two flowerbeds that still need to be adopted.** If interested, contact denise@ctk.me or lisa@ctk.me, or call the church office.

WATCH PATROL is looking for security people for Trenton Rd. Volunteers go through the building in the evening and make sure all doors are locked and lights turned off. Contact the church office for more information. This task takes about 30 minutes each night and is a week-long commitment, every six weeks or so.

DONATION STATION NEWS

THE DONATION AND RE-SALE STATION are closed until further notice. Watch here for more info regarding re-opening. Please refrain from dropping off donations until further notice.

SUPPORT MINISTRIES

GRIEFSHARE God bless all who support this ministry. Our next session is still to be determined. If you would like to find a current meeting, contact Teresa at tsamson50@yahoo.com or 734-771-1791 or visit www.griefshare.org for other local GriefShare offerings.

A NEW BABY in your home? Moms on Wheels will provide 3 dinners for your family (free of charge). Contact Carrie Atwood at carrie.atwood72@gmail.com. If you would be willing to cook a meal for new moms, please let Carrie know!

PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

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

WEDNESDAY PRAYER 10:15 a.m. Atrium at PA Rd.

FRIDAY PRAYER VIGIL 7:00 a.m. Trenton Rd. Sanctuary