

### GENERAL INFORMATION

**ALMS OFFERING** Our regular Alms offering will be collected after all services at the door. These funds go to help the needy in our congregation. Thank you for your generosity.

**“WHY WE BELIEVE”** Our classes are now available on our YouTube channel, <https://www.youtube.com/@christthekingsouthgate>. If you’re attending but missed a class, or if you are a member who would just be interested in watching a class from home, here’s your opportunity!

**LIFE CHAIN IS TODAY**, Sunday, October 1, 2:00 to 3:30pm (Meet at CTK, Trenton Rd. at 1:45pm) The little ones in the womb need advocates. Be one! Life is a gift of God. We will be standing on the west side of Fort Street, 1 block south of Eureka.

**RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE** Save the date for Monday, October 16, from 1 to 6:45pm at the PA Rd Campus in the gym. Appointments will be taken on the sign-up poster at Trenton Rd or visit our website, [www.ctk.me](http://www.ctk.me) or [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org). Questions? Please contact Nancy Chambo @ 734.776.5001.

**FAMILY CONNECTION MINISTRY FALL FAMILY DAY** Saturday, October 28th at the PA Rd Campus at 10:30am. Join us as we carve pumpkins, enjoy cider, donuts and a special family devotion. BYOP (Bring your own pumpkin!) We will provide carving tools and patterns. Families can enter their pumpkins into a contest to win a special prize! Families of all ages are welcome! Message us on the FCM Facebook page with any questions.

**PORTALS OF PRAYER** for October to December are available at the Welcome Center at both campuses. Need a large print? Please contact the church office.

### BIBLE STUDY/SUNDAY SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES

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

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AT TRENTON RD, STARTING OCTOBER 1st:** The Sunday School Office, (also known as The Commons), is across from the PreK/K classroom. Please stop by the office if you have any questions. Class location will be as follows:

- Parent and Tot: Church Nursery (near South entrance)
- Pre-K/Kindergarten: Kindergarten Room (Mrs. Brooks’ room) Rm 112
- 1st and 2nd Grade: 2nd Grade Room (Mrs. Pomroy’s room) Rm 108
- 3rd & 4th Grade: 6th Grade Room (Mrs. Voelz’s room) Rm 104
- 5th & 6th Grade: 7th Grade Room (Mrs. Konkel’s room) Rm 105
- Youth: Cana Room (off the West Gallery)

**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.

**WOMEN’S WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY** meets at 9am at the PA Rd Campus Fellowship Center in the Cross Room. Nancy Kurtz leads.

**PA RD MEN’S BIBLE STUDY** meets at 8am on Wednesdays in the Atrium at PA Rd. Pastor Terry 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](http://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	\$1,675,274
YTD Budgeted Expenses	\$1,830,270

**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 \$1,863.54

**BOTTLE/CAN DONATIONS** go toward roof repairs at the Penn Rd Campus. Thank you for your generosity. 2023 YTD \$2,208.64

**PAPER RECYCLE BINS** are located by the Admin Bldg. near the trash and scrap/recycle dumpsters. 2023 YTD \$52.26

“C” DOLLARS 2023 YTD \$967

### 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.”

**EYEGASSES 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

**September 30 and October 1, 2023**  
Trenton Rd Campus  
15600 Trenton Rd, Southgate, MI 48195

<b>WORSHIP SERVICE</b> Saturday 5:00 p.m.	<b>BIBLE CLASS</b> 6:00 p.m.
<b>WORSHIP SERVICES</b> Sunday: 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.	<b>BIBLE CLASS &amp; SUNDAY SCHOOL</b> Sunday: 10:00 a.m.
<b>9:00 a.m. via Facebook Live (Link available on the website)</b>	
<b>Pennsylvania Rd Campus</b>	
16700 Pennsylvania Rd, Southgate, MI 48195	
<a href="http://www.ctk.me">www.ctk.me</a>	

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Vicar PJ Brooks

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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** A paid worker attends the nursery, located by the South door entrance, 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 – OCTOBER 1**

- 9:00 a.m. Worship w/Communion
- 10:00 a.m. Bible Class/Sunday School
- 10:00 a.m. Early Communion Class
- 11:00 a.m. Worship w/Communion
- 2:00 p.m. Life Chain (meet at CTK, Trenton Rd, at 1:45)

**MONDAY – OCTOBER 2**

**Pastor Jay’s Day off**

- 6:00 p.m. GriefShare

**TUESDAY – OCTOBER 3**

**Mr. Bode’s Day Off**

- 7:00 p.m. Why We Believe Class
- 7:00 p.m. Co-ed Volleyball

**WEDNESDAY – OCTOBER 4**

- 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)**
- 6:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

**THURSDAY – OCTOBER 5**

- 3:00 p.m. Food Pantry Distribution**
- 6:30 p.m. South Band Rehearsal

**FRIDAY – OCTOBER 6**

**NO SCHOOL**

- 7:00 a.m. Prayer Vigil

**SATURDAY – OCTOBER 7**

- 5:00 p.m. Worship
- 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Class

**SUNDAY – OCTOBER 8**

- 9:00 a.m. Worship
- 10:00 a.m. Bible Class/Sunday School
- 10:00 a.m. Early Communion Class
- 11:00 a.m. Worship
- 2:00 p.m. Youth Group Harvest Event @ St. John’s Taylor**
- 6:30 p.m. Youth Group**

**BOLD=Held at Pennsylvania Rd Campus**

**DONATION STATION** is now open twice weekly, Thursdays from 12:00 to 2:00 and Saturdays from 10:00 to 12:00. What can you do to help?

- ✓ Pray that we continue to be a witness to the community.
- ✓ Drop off donated items to the bldg. #9 covered overhang.
- ✓ The most needed items are: baby clothes, pots/pans/kitchen items and jewelry.
- ✓ Please DO NOT bring furniture, appliances, electronics, big outside machinery, exercise/sports equipment, and bicycles.
- ✓ Volunteer to help on Tuesdays from 9:00 -12:00 to get ready for weekly sales. Questions, please contact [Carol@ctk.me](mailto:Carol@ctk.me) or 734-281-3773.

2023	Last Week	YTD Average
Church Attendance	468	567
Bible Class	114	103
Sunday School	38	38
Visitors	99	89

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

**PSALMS & PROVERBS BOOKSTORE** We are looking forward to seeing everyone at the Trenton Rd bookstore!! We have a large supply of inventory for all your reading and religious needs, including First Communion. Early Communion will be taking place at the end of October. There is also a used book section, with books/CDs only costing .50 cents. Happy Fall!

**CHANCEL CARE MEETING** What a rewarding ministry to serve our Lord. If you are interested in setting up and taking down Holy Communion and caring for the chancel area, please let the church office know. We can have you shadow a current team. Your responsibility would be twice every 6-8 months. There is an all team Chancel Care meeting on Thursday, October 19 at 6:30, TR West Gallery. Sandwiches will be served. Please RSVP to [lisa@ctk.me](mailto:lisa@ctk.me) by October 16.

**PAID NURSERY WORKERS** are needed for our weekend worship nursery coverage. Applicants must be at least 17 years of age and will need to take the Risk Management Child Abuse Prevention test. For more information on the job description and pay, please contact Lisa Demou at 734.285.9695, ext. 210 or [lisa@ctk.me](mailto:lisa@ctk.me)

**EUCHRE DATES FOR 2023** Saturday, October 14. We play in the Atrium at the PA Rd Campus, starting at 7pm SHARP! (Sorry, but we are unable to accommodate latecomers.) Cost is \$3 per person. Each player is asked to bring a beverage and snack to share. Partners are not necessary; guests are welcome. This is a FUN event and prizes are awarded. Questions? Contact Mike Shoup 734-624-4350 or [blueknight007@hotmail.com](mailto:blueknight007@hotmail.com)

**LWML DEARBORN-DOWNRIVER ZONE 2023 FALL RALLY** Saturday, October 14 at Christ The King, PA Rd. Registration at 9:30am, event begins at 10am. Pre-packaged breakfast items (danishes, muffins, breakfast bars); microwavable lunches (stews, hearty soups). Ingathering offering for ChristNet.

**TRUNK OR TREAT EVENT NEWS**

**5th ANNUAL TRUNK OR TREAT** will be held at the PA Rd Campus on Sunday, October 15, from 3:00 to 4:30pm. To hold a successful event, we need several volunteers. **Please sign up at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050B48A9A72CA4F85-20231> to volunteer to decorate your car and distribute candy, work security during the event, donate candy, or help park cars.** This year Fun Food Express is returning with food and beverages for purchase. We will also have portable restrooms and picnic tables set up by the food truck. If you have any questions, please contact the school office or feel free to email Dr. K directly at [kkapp@ctk.me](mailto:kkapp@ctk.me).

**TRUNK OR TREAT CANDY DRIVE** The school will hold a candy drive October 2 through October 5. The class who brings in the most candy will win the spirit banner. If church members/fellowshippers would like to donate, look for the marked bins at Trenton Rd in the West Gallery.

**PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES**

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

- WEDNESDAY PRAYER 10:30 a.m. at Trenton Rd
- FRIDAY PRAYER VIGIL 7:00 a.m. Trenton Rd. Sanctuary

**YOUTH GROUP**

**“ROOTED IN CHRIST” YOUTH GROUP** We meet on Sunday from 6:30 to 8:30pm at the PA Rd Fellowship Center. Questions? Contact the Youth leader, Gina Davidson, at [hsyouth@ctk.me](mailto:hsyouth@ctk.me)

- October 1–No Youth
- October 8–Harvest Event @ St. John’s, Taylor, 2-4pm
- October 8–Youth meets at 6:30pm
- October 15–Trunk or Treat at 3pm
- October 15–Youth meets at 6:30pm
- October 22–Youth meets at 6:30pm
- October 29–Youth meets at 6:30pm

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

**OFFERING COUNTERS NEEDED** We are in need of a few volunteers for the offering counter ministry. It would require about 2 hours of your time on Sunday morning at 10:45am or Monday morning at 9am, either once a month or whatever works for you. In order to serve in this ministry, it requires you to be a member in good standing for at least one year, and also undergo reference/background check screening. If you feel this opportunity would be something that interests you, or if you have counted in the past and would like to be added back to the schedule, please contact Stacy at 734.285.9695 ext. 220 or [stacy@ctk.me](mailto:stacy@ctk.me).

**WATCH PATROL** is looking for one more person (or group) for security at 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.

**SUPPORT MINISTRIES**

**GRIEFSHARE** Our current session runs through November 13th. Newcomers are always welcome. We meet 6 to 8pm at Trenton Rd in the Upper Room. There is a \$10 fee to cover the cost of the book. Not sure if this is for you? Join us or a week or so to find out. Contact Teresa Samson at 734.282.8012 or [tsamson50@yahoo.com](mailto:tsamson50@yahoo.com) for more info.

**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](mailto:carrie.atwood72@gmail.com). If you would be willing to cook a meal for new moms, please let Carrie know!

**THERAPY DOG, Caleb D** Have you met Caleb D or his owner, Kimberly Beaudrie? Caleb is fully trained and certified through Therapy Dogs International. Look for them at worship services and Bible study. Come up and say hello. Please contact Kimberly Beaudrie at 734.775.1079 or [kimberly10171217@att.net](mailto:kimberly10171217@att.net) for more information.

**LISTEN TO THE LUTHERAN HOUR**

**THE LUTHERAN HOUR** can be heard on Sundays on (1600) @ 9:00 am; (560) @ Noon; (1130) @ 6:30 am; on RealAudio at [www.lhm.org](http://www.lhm.org) “Woman to Woman” can be heard on Sundays on (1600) @ 8:30 am and on RealAudio at [www.womantowomanradio.com](http://www.womantowomanradio.com)