#### GENERAL INFORMATION

SCHOLARSHIP OFFERING Christ The King is committed to help support our members who are students enrolled at Concordia Colleges and Seminaries. There will be a door offering today after all services. Please consider giving to this ministry area. Thank you!

NEW TO CTK? If you are new to Christ The King or have visited with us a few times and would like to know more about us, please fill out the Connection Card in the pew rack, or contact the church office at 734.285.9695, email Lisa@ctk.me or write your email and/or contact information on the sign in sheet (Record of Fellowship). We would love to get to know you!

WALK THE WALK! During the month of June, our goal was to walk every street in Southgate, while offering a prayer for each house as we went. It's been amazing to see the progress! We have covered most of the city, but we still have a few routes left. If you'd like to take a route, stop at the Welcome Desk for a map. Let's finish strong!

RYAN STEVENSON, LIVE AND IN CONCERT! Friday, September 5th at 6pm at the PA Rd Event Center. Tickets sales are now live! Use the QR code or visit the following link to purchase tickets: https://www.zeffy.com/ticketing/ryan-stevenson-concert (When purchasing tickets, you DO NOT have to pay the optional Zeffy fee. Click on the additional fee box, choose other, and enter \$0.00.) Get your tickets right away, before the concert sells out! If you need any assistance purchasing tickets, please call or stop by the church office during business hours, or visit the Welcome Desk in the West Gallery before or after worship services.

THE 30TH CTK ANNUAL GOLF SCRAMBLE is being held on Saturday, August 16, at Sandy Creek in Monroe. Cost is \$85 per golfer and includes cart, lunch at the turn, and a steak dinner. Shotgun start at 8am. If you are interested in helping out for the event, or are a local business owner or individual able to donate items or baskets to raffle off, please contact Deanna Warrington at 313.505.1704, Jennifer Gepes at 734.775.1972, or Cindy Burley at 734.752.2349.

#### BIBLE STUDY/SUNDAY SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES

FELLOWSHIP BIBLE STUDY Please join us Saturday at 6pm in the West Gallery and Sunday at 10:00 am in the gym. Coffee and refreshments are served at both Bible studies.

COMBINED SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL Please join us for some fiery adventures, as together we behold four amazing Bible stories - all featuring a brilliant blaze. Summer Sunday School will be held in the Upper Room. All grades, including the Parent/Tot class, are welcome.

YOUTH GROUP BIBLE STUDY Join us for Jesus and Donuts with Gina (7th-12th grade: Confirmation students are welcome to join when class is not in session.) We meet on Sunday mornings during the Sunday School hour in the Cana Room.

MEN'S WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY We are taking a break for the summer. See you in September!

WOMEN'S WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY We will resume our study of the minor prophets this week and will continue to meet until July 30. We will then take August off and resume on September 6th.

# 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 Online" 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, using your banking account information, rather than a card number, will 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 the church. Thank you for your faithfulness! A reminder to all of our visitors and members that use text giving: Please make sure that Christ The King Lutheran Church, Southgate, MI is the link that comes up when you text "CTKGIVE" to 73256. It has been brought to our attention that occasionally another Christ The King church link is listed.

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.

2025 STEWARDSHIP REPORT		
General Fund Giving/Tuition	\$1,175,506	
YTD Budgeted Expenses	\$1,270,724	

SCRAP METAL lying around? Bring it to the scrap dumpster at PA Rd Campus. If your scrap item is too large, please leave it in front of/beside the dumpster. We are sorry but, at this time, we are unable to pick up scrap. 2025 YTD \$1,147.24

BOTTLE/CAN DONATIONS can be dropped off in the bin near door #1 of the Admin Bldg. at PA Rd. Proceeds go toward roof repairs at the PA Rd Campus. Thank you for your generosity. 2025 YTD \$161.60

PAPER RECYCLE BINS are located by the Admin Bldg. near the trash and scrap/recycle dumpsters. 2025 YTD \$11.56

"C" DOLLARS 2025 YTD \$646

#### 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.



# July 3, 5 and 6, 2025

**Trenton Rd Campus** 

15600 Trenton Rd, Southgate, MI 48195

WORSHIP SERVICE

**BIBLE CLASS** 

Thursday 7:00 p.m. Saturday 5:00 p.m. WORSHIP SERVICES Sunday: 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

**BIBLE CLASS & SUNDAY SCHOOL** 

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m. via YouTube (Christ The King Lutheran Church and School Channel) Pennsylvania Rd Campus 16700 Pennsylvania Rd, Southgate, MI 48195

#### www.ctk.me

Church		734.285.9695
School	$(\pm)$	734.285.9697
Day Care	(ሰስ /	734.285.8525
Rev. Jason Cashmer, Senior	Pastor	Ext. 130
Rev. PJ Brooks, Associate Pa	astor	Ext. 200

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS are Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 3pm. The church office will be closed on Friday, July 4, for Independence Day.

**Our Ministry Statement:** At Christ The King, we believe life is only complete when a person trusts in Jesus Christ as their 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" clipboard. 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) Nonalcoholic 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 (located by the South door entrance) is open from 8:50am to noon for all children 3 and under. Please feel free to use the nursery as long as you need it. If interested in a paid nursery position, please contact lisa@ctk.me.



#### THIS WEEK AT CHRIST THE KING

SUNDAY – JULY 6 9:00 a.m. Worship w/Communion 10:00 a.m. Bible Class/Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Worship w/Communion 6:00 p.m. Youth Group 6:00 p.m. Youth Group MONDAY - JULY 7 Girls' Basketball Camp, Grades 4-8, July 7-10, 3 to 5pm at PA Rd Pastor Jav's Dav off **TUESDAY – JULY 8** Mr. Bode's Day off 8:00 a.m. Toolbelt Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Walking Club 7:00 p.m. Co-ed Vollevball WEDNESDAY - JULY 9 9:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study THURSDAY – JULY 10 3:00 p.m. Food Pantry Distribution 6:00 p.m. East Band Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Worship SATURDAY – JULY 12 9:00 a.m. Pickleball 5:00 p.m. Worship 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Class SUNDAY – JULY 13 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:00 a.m. Bible Class/Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Worship 5:00 p.m. Youth Group Movie Night

**BOLD=Held at Pennsylvania Rd Campus** 

PSALMS & PROVERBS BOOKSTORE The bookstore is in need of cashier volunteers on Saturday evenings. You would need to be in the bookstore at 4:40 before service and for 10 minutes after the service. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Claudia at rovlandberg@vahoo.com

#### ALTAR FLOWERS

ALTAR FLOWERS are available for purchase, in memory or in honor of a loved one, i.e. for anniversaries, birthdays, etc. (Your honoree will be listed in the intercession list.) The sign-up chart is in the West Gallery. You may take your flowers home to enjoy, immediately following the 11am service. Cost is \$25 per vase. Payment may be placed in the offering basket or you may give online or via text. Please designate "altar flowers."

2025	Last Week	YTD Average
Church Attendance	503	644
Bible Class	89	104
Sunday School	26	48
Visitors	74	98

## UPCOMING EVENTS

CTK BASKETBALL CAMPS. PENNYSLVANIA RD GYM. \$50 per plaver

- Girls. grades 4th 8th grade. July 7 10. 3:00 to 5:00pm • Boys, grades 4th - 8th, July 28-31, 4:30 to 6:30pm •
- CTK CO-ED SPORTS CAMPS. TRENTON RD GYM Grades 1st-3rd, \$50 per player

- Volleyball Camp: July 14-17, 4:00 to 5:30pm
- Basketball Camp: July 21-24, 9:30 to 11:30am • Registration link for all camps: www.ctk.me/sports-camps/

Cash or check can be dropped off with registration forms in the church office or pay via text give to 73256. Type in "CTKGIVE," then choose the sports camp drop down. On memo line, put child's last name and camp type. Questions? Contact Chance Childers at chance@ctk.me.

FAMILY CONNECTION MINISTRY SIZZLE AND SPLASH BBQ Join us on Wednesday, July 16th at 5pm at the PA Rd campus for food and fun! FCM will be grilling up burgers and dogs, and we ask that you please bring a dish to pass. You'll need chairs and drinks for your family, and don't forget your swimsuit and towel, as we will have water activities for the kids!

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

CONSIDER BEING A PRAYER SPONSOR! Looking for an easy ministry, but so important to our young people? Be a Prayer sponsor to one Confirmand from October through May. It's easy; just sign up to pray for them. You will be given a name and a short bio sheet they fill out. Your job is to pray daily for him/her and send a note or card to them each month. They will not know who you are until next May when they meet you face to face. Isn't that easy? Email Donna Hepner at confirmation@ctk.me and she will reply with more information. Thank you to those who have already signed up. You are so appreciated!

CTK CHILDCARE CENTER KITCHEN ASSISTANT JOB OPENING We are looking for a part-time kitchen assistant to prepare morning snacks, warm up lunches, and prep the afternoon snacks. Hours: 8:45am until afternoon snacks are ready. Contact Jessica at daycare@ctk.me or 734.285.8525 for more information.

WALKING CLUB takes place every Tuesday at PA Rd. Meet up time is 6:30pm. Park by the Admin bldg./Donation Station parking lot. We start with a guick prayer and then you are off! Rainy weather or too hot outside? Please walk at your own discretion.

PICKLEBALL SOCIAL takes place each Saturday in the PA Rd gym at 9am, \$3 drop-in. Contact chance@ctk.me for more info.

DIAPER DRIVE Thank you to all who donated so generously and to Thrivent Financial for the \$250 seed money grant. This past week we delivered 2,150 diapers and pull-ups, 1,080 wipes, and 8 outfits to the Pregnancy Center in Lincoln Park.

**CO-ED VOLLEYBALL** We meet at CTK in the Trenton Rd gymnasium every Tuesday from 7-10pm. You need to be at least 16 yrs. of age to play. We encourage those interested in playing volleyball to come out and join us for a night of fun and conversation! Contact Michael Shoup at blueknight007@hotmail.com or 734.624.4350 with any questions.

#### YOUTH GROUP

"ROOTED IN CHRIST" YOUTH GROUP Below are the youth activities for the upcoming weeks. Questions? Contact the Youth leader, Gina Davidson, at hsyouth@ctk.me.

- July 6: Youth; 6 to 8pm at PA Rd.
- July 13: Youth; 5 to 8pm for a movie night
  - July 19-23: Attending National Youth Gathering!
  - July 27: Youth; 6 to 8pm at PA Rd.

#### DONATION STATION NEWS

THE DONATION STATION is open Thursdays from 12 to 2pm and Saturdays from 10am to noon. Drop off donated items to the Bldg. #9 covered overhang. MOST NEEDED ITEMS ARE NEWBORN TO 6X SUMMER CLOTHES, POTS/PANS/KITCHEN ITEMS AND JEWELRY. Please DO NOT bring furniture, appliances, electronics, big outside machinery, exercise/sports equipment, and bicycles. You can volunteer to help on Tuesdays from 9:00 to noon to get ready for weekly sales. Questions, please contact Carol@ctk.me or 734.281.3773.

CLOTHES HANGING Every Wednesday, from 10am to noon in the Admin Bldg., we work on putting clothes on hangers. It's easy and rewarding. You can sit or stand, plus the work space is heated. Even if you can give only a half hour of your time, it is most appreciated!

#### SUPPORT MINISTRIES

**GRIEFSHARE** A fall session will begin in late August or early September. In the meantime, visit www.griefshare.org to look for meetings in your area. Please contact Teresa Samson for more information at 734,282,8012.

MOMS ON WHEELS We offer a meal for members and those in their household for a **NEW BABY** or if you **HAVE HAD SURGERY**. Please contact Carrie Atwood at 313.779.6554 or momsonwheels@ctk.me for more information. Meals are cooked with your preferences and food allergies in mind. If you would like to help but rather not cook, how about donating a gift card for a restaurant? Or if you would like to be added to the list for cooking a meal, contact Carrie.

#### CTK MILITARY MINISTRY

ARE YOU IN THE MILITARY, ACTIVE RESERVES OR ARE A VETERAN? Please contact Denise Doede at ddoede01@vahoo.com or call the church office to get on our list. Thank you for your service!

CTK MILITARY MINISTRY Service Members, Veterans, & their loved ones, you can visit the CTK website to find sources of information and help. If you are a veteran or know a veteran who may be in crisis. free confidential support is available 24/7. Call the Veterans Crisis Line at 988 and press 1, send a text message to 838255 or chat online: https://www.veteranscrisisline.net/get-help-now/chat/

MILITARY ADOPT-A-CHAP PROGRAM. The LCMS connected CTK with Chaplain Matthew Mortenson, an Army Major stationed at Fort Leonard Wood in MO. You will see him included in the CTK Intercessions list. Please include him in your prayers.

#### 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 "Woman to Woman" can be heard on Sundays on (1600) @ 8:30 am and on RealAudio at www.womantowomanradio.com