

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

**EARLY COMMUNION CLASSES** will be held on October 5, 12, 19 and 26. **(The first class is for parents only.)** Children of members who are 10 years old or older **and** in the 5th grade are eligible to register. **First Communion will be at the 9am service on November 2.** Parents can pick up a registration form at the Welcome Center or visit [www.ctk.me/forms](http://www.ctk.me/forms). Forms should be returned to the church office. You will need a Luther’s Small Catechism for this class. You may purchase one from the Psalms and Proverbs bookstore. Cost is \$22.

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

**DOWNRIVER LIFE CHAIN** CTK annually participates in the Life Chain. Please join us. We will meet in the Trenton Rd parking lot at 1:45pm on Sunday, October 5. From 2:00-3:30pm. We will stand (or sit) south of the Eureka/Fort St. intersection.

**MAILING ADDRESS UPDATES** Do you “winter” at another address other than your main address? Please notify the church office when you leave and when you return so we can update our records for mailings.

**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.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAMMING - WHAT’S THE 411?**

4 Classes – 1 Message – 1 Mission

- ✓ Parent/Tot: Parents, infants & toddlers under 3
- ✓ Sunday School: Age preschool-6th grade learn in class groups
- ✓ Teen Bible Study: Teenagers meet for fellowship & growth
- ✓ Special Connection: Trained workers help those who learn differently grow in faith

There is something for everyone! All classes follow the same curriculum. Visit the Sunday School Office to find where each class meets. Each week, family members (no matter the age) can climb in the car after class and discuss what they learned for some great family discussion!

**MEN’S BIBLE STUDY** We meet on Fridays at 8am at PA Rd, in the Fellowship Center. Pastor Brooks leads. Coffee is served, and maybe even some goodies. If you haven’t been, we hope you can join us!

**WOMEN’S WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY** We meet on Wednesday mornings at 9am in the Fellowship Center. We are studying the Psalms, starting with Psalm 119.

**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.”

**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 Online” to set up a one time or recurring payment.
- **Text:** Visitors/Members text ‘CTKGIVE’ to 73256 to receive a secure 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** is 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	\$1,856,593
YTD Budgeted Expenses	\$1,857,212

**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 from your home. 2025 YTD \$1,801.88

**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 \$178.20

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

**“C” DOLLARS** 2025 YTD \$858

**DONATIONS**

**FOOD DONATIONS TO CTK’S FOOD PANTRY** Drop off only across the hallway from the Trenton Rd. church office, or at the Food Pantry on PA Rd between 2:15-2:45pm on a Thursday. Thank you for your contributions! Thank God and His servants that power has been restored on the PA Rd. campus. The Food Pantry “30”

**EYEGLASSES FOR MOST MINISTRIES** All types of glasses are accepted. Please place in the basket provided in the West Gallery.

**CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL  
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**September 27 and 28, 2025**

**Trenton Rd Campus**

**15600 Trenton Rd, Southgate, MI 48195**

**WORSHIP SERVICE**

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

**WORSHIP SERVICES**

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

**BIBLE CLASS**

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

**Church  
School  
Day Care**



**734.285.9695  
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734.285.8525**

**Rev. Jason Cashmer, Senior Pastor**

**Ext. 130**

**Rev. PJ Brooks, Associate Pastor**

**Ext. 200**

**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 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 on the “Ritual of Fellowship” clipboard. **If you are a first or second-time guest**, please fill out a Connection Card, found in the pew. One of our pastors will contact you. 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 5<sup>th</sup> 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. During the 10am Sunday School hour, consider joining the Parent/Tot class.

THIS WEEK AT CHRIST THE KING  
SUNDAY – SEPTEMBER 28  
9:00 a.m. Worship  
10:00 a.m. Bible Class/Sunday School  
10:00 a.m. New Member Class (Upper Room)  
11:00 a.m. Worship

MONDAY – SEPTEMBER 29  
Pastor Jay’s Day off

TUESDAY – SEPTEMBER 30  
Mr. Bode’s Day off

8:00 a.m. Toolbelt Tuesday  
6:30 p.m. Walking Club  
7:00 p.m. Co-ed Volleyball

WEDNESDAY – OCTOBER 1  
9:00 a.m. Women’s Bible Study

THURSDAY – OCTOBER 2  
3:00 p.m. Food Pantry Distribution  
3:45 p.m. King’s Ringers Rehearsal  
6:30 p.m. East Band Rehearsal

FRIDAY – OCTOBER 3  
8:00 a.m. Men’s Bible Study

SATURDAY – OCTOBER 4  
5:00 p.m. Worship  
6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Class

SUNDAY – OCTOBER 5  
9:00 a.m. Worship w/Communion  
10:00 a.m. Bible Class/Sunday School  
10:00 a.m. New Member Class (Upper Room)  
10:00 a.m. Early Communion Class (Parents only)  
11:00 a.m. Worship w/Communion  
5:00 p.m. Youth Harvest Event @ St. John, Taylor

BOLD=Held at Pennsylvania Rd Campus

PORTALS OF PRAYER for October to December 2025 are available at the entrance to the Sanctuary. Need a large print? Please contact the church office.

DO YOU HAVE A PRAYER CONCERN or would like a visit from a spiritual care elder? Contact Harry Dutka at [hdutka@ctk.me](mailto:hdutka@ctk.me) (ext. 150), Anna at [anna@ctk.me](mailto:anna@ctk.me) (ext. 100).

DO YOU HAVE AN ANNOUNCEMENT? Announcements for this page are due by noon on Wednesday. You may e-mail them to [susan@ctk.me](mailto:susan@ctk.me)

2025	Last Week	YTD Average
Church Attendance	678	635
Bible Class	84	101
Visitors	108	99

UPCOMING EVENTS  
OUR ANNUAL TRUNK OR TREAT will be held Sunday, October 12, from 3:00 to 4:30pm at the PA Rd Campus. To hold a successful event, we need several volunteers. Please sign up by visiting <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050B48A9A72CA4F85-58500680-2025#/> to volunteer to decorate your car and distribute candy, work security during the event, donate candy, or help park cars. Fun Food Express Carnival Food Truck and Grab & Go Rolls from Baffo’s Enterprise will be on-site with food and beverages for purchase. Portable restrooms and picnic tables will be set up by the food truck. Questions? Please contact the school office or email Dr. K at [kkapp@ctk.me](mailto:kkapp@ctk.me).

TRUNK OR TREAT CANDY DRIVE To help prepare for our annual trunk or treat, we would welcome candy donations from September 29 through October 10. Donations can be placed in the collection bins in the West Gallery or the school office.

COMING NOVEMBER 7TH! DANIEL DOSS, IN CONCERT, Friday, November 7th at 7pm at the PA Rd Event Center. Daniel Doss is an artist, worship leader, and songwriter. He currently leads at New Vision Baptist Church of Murfreesboro, TN, and also travels, doing various events and concerts throughout the year. For more information on his ministry, visit [www.danieldossmusic.com](http://www.danieldossmusic.com). Ticket cost is \$30, or free for 10 and under, with the purchase of an adult ticket. Use the QR code or visit the following link to purchase tickets: <https://www.zeffy.com/ticketing/daniel-doss-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.) Don’t have access to a printer to print your ticket? Contact the church office for help. If you cannot access the Zeffy website, we will have tickets in the church office for purchase with cash or check. Drop in during business hours or give us a call to let us know you’d like to purchase.



CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN NIGHT AT USA HOCKEY ARENA! Madison Capitals vs. NTDP U17s, Friday, November 21, 14900 Beck Rd, Plymouth. Doors open at 6pm; puck drop at 7pm. \$15 discounted group ticket, parking included! A full night of fun for our congregation, cheering on the Team USA! To purchase, visit <https://tinyurl.com/ChristKing25>. For more info, contact Caleb Johnson at 734.453.0818 or [caleb.johnson@usahockey.org](mailto:caleb.johnson@usahockey.org)

SPORTS/FELLOWSHIP MINISTRIES  
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](mailto:blueknight007@hotmail.com) or 734.624.4350 with any questions.

PICKLEBALL meets Saturdays at 9am in the PA Rd Gym. (\$3 drop in.)

CTK CHILDCARE CENTER  
ASSISTANT PRESCHOOL TEACHER NEEDED We are seeking a caring and enthusiastic Assistant Preschool Teacher to join our team. The Assistant Teacher will support the Lead Teacher in planning and implementing classroom activities, ensuring the health and safety of children, and fostering a positive learning environment. Applicant must have a high school diploma or equivalent, and experience working with young children in a childcare or preschool setting is preferred. For more information regarding responsibilities or to submit a resume, please contact [daycare@ctk.me](mailto:daycare@ctk.me)

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](mailto:hsyouth@ctk.me).

- September 28: No youth meeting
- October 5: Youth Harvest Event @ St. John, Taylor at 5pm
- October 12 & 19: Youth 6 to 8pm at PA Rd
- October 26: Fall Hayride @ Doede’s

DONATION STATION NEWS  
OUR SALES DAYS ARE 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 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](mailto: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. You can sit or stand. Even if you can give only half an hour of your time, it is most appreciated!

SHELF ORGANIZERS NEEDED! We need people to help organize shelves before sale days (Thursdays and Saturdays). This job can be done at your convenience, prior to those sale days. If you are able to help, please contact [Carol@ctk.me](mailto:Carol@ctk.me) for more information.

VOLUNTEER MINISTRIES SPOTLIGHT  
All of these positions below can be shadowed until comfortable to do on your own. Contact Lisa Demou at 734.285.9695 ext. 210 for more info.

FOOD PANTRY SHOPPER VOLUNTEERS NEEDED One or two shoppers (maybe a couple) to shop every other week for Dairy. Contact Pastor Harry Edenfield at 734.479.6337 or [edenfield2@comcast.net](mailto:edenfield2@comcast.net) with questions or if interested.

POWERPOINT TECH: This person sits in the balcony and follows along from a script to move the PowerPoint screens for worship.

SOUND TECH: This person sits in the balcony and operates the sound board, making sure the sound system is running properly. You can choose to do this during your worship time and you have the best seat in the house.

PHONE MINISTRY: This person makes phone calls to our members once a month to ask for any prayer concerns and read a scripted prayer to them or leaves a message on their answering machine. All of these positions can be shadowed until comfortable to do on your own. Contact Lisa Demou at 734.285.9695 ext. 210 for more info.

SUPPORT MINISTRIES  
GRIEFSHARE Our Fall session has been cancelled, due to lack of interest. We hope to have another session in the Spring. In the meantime, if you’re looking for a current session, visit [www.griefshare.org](http://www.griefshare.org) for available times and locations.

MOMS ON WHEELS We offer a meal for members and those in their household for a NEW BABY or if you HAVE HAD SURGERY. Carrie is waiting for you to contact her at 313.779.6554 or [momsonwheels@ctk.me](mailto:momsonwheels@ctk.me) for more information. Meals are cooked with your preferences and food allergies in mind. If you would like to help but would rather not cook, feel free to donate a restaurant gift card. If you would like to be added to the list for cooking a meal, contact Carrie.