

**Christ the King Free Lutheran Church
February 6, 2022**

OUR MISSION: CHANGED LIVES!

To EVANGELIZE the lost;

To ESTABLISH Us in Christ;

To EQUIP Us for Service!

Welcome / Announcements

Opening Scripture Psalm 107:1-9

***Worship Hymns** # 377 (Hymnal) *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*
18 (Hymnal) *The Love of God*

Praise & Prayer

Offering

First time guest or if you have a prayer request, please complete the Guest/Prayer card in the pew.

***Offertory** # 384 (Hymnal) *Doxology*

Children's Message

Message Greater Love

The Greatest Commandment Luke 10:25-37 Pastor Matthew

Celebration of Communion

Confession of Sin

Confession of Faith *The Nicene Creed*

Songs During Distribution (all from Hymnal)

1. # 404 *O Love That Will Not Let Me Go*
2. # 102 *Day By Day and With Each Passing Moment*
3. # 466 *What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

***Benediction**

***Closing Song** (PP) *There Is a Redeemer*

**Denotes congregation to stand*

Welcome to worship this morning!
We are a fellowship who believes the Bible is the inspired, inerrant
Word of God which emphasizes a personal,
living relationship with Jesus Christ.

Connecting to God's Glory:

- * Praise God for the successful annual meeting and for our new trustees; Marcine Olsen, Eugene Bouw, & David Sutherland. May God continue to guide the leadership of CTK.
- * Praise God for those willing to serve in all areas of ministry.

Connecting to God's Heart:

- * Keep Pastor Paul Kinney and his wife, Kedra, from Silverhill, AL in your prayers this week.
 - * Pray for Darwin & Kirsten Paccha, Daniel, Nathan : Ecuador
 - *our home will be finished in April without any hiccups along the way *for strength and wisdom for Darwin in his various roles as the full-time pastor at our church "La Paz de Dios" * our church congregation as we look to hire another part-time pastor and our part-time Senior pastor steps down from his role * marriages in our church * Kirsten as she continues to homeschool Daniel and Nathan * us as a family as we adjust our lives and schedules to living in the country very soon and being farther from church *our country as there are still many regulations in place because of Covid that could also affect our meeting together in person as a church in the future
 - * Pray for the family of Trevor Cook, grandson of Bernice Dykstra, as they mourn his passing. May God give them comfort.
 - * Pray for June Converse as she continues to gain strength.
 - * Pray for Rich and Kathy Hess as they continue to recover at home.
 - * Continue to pray for those who have recently lost loved ones.
 - * Pray for all those struggling with COVID, flu, and other health issues.
 - * Pray for all the unspoken prayer concerns; those concerning spiritual, physical, financial, or any other need.
- *Cancer Patients:** Pastor Jim Lindgren, Judy Steuck, Sharon Minet **Health Concerns:** Kathie Keller, Rich & Kathy Hess, Merlin Westfield, Kyle Swanson, Steve Blau **Nursing & Assisted Living :** Jan Swanson, Charlie Sowden, Sharon Claussen, Carol Meyer, Mary Moffitt **Hospice:** **Military:** Sam Kollé, Sam Schreuder, Jesse Petersen, Aaron Halbersma, Marcus Westfield, Ethan Amdahl, Mallary Remund, Derrick Timm **Mission:** Kvailes

Message for next Sunday: Greater Love

The Greatest Friend John 15:9-17 Intern Sam

Christ the King Announcements/Events

Family of the Week:

Terry & Doris Bruns

Morning worship, even as we begin to meet in person; will continue to be available by live stream:
www.ctkpipestone.com/live

ATTENDANCE FROM LAST WEEK: 95

OFFERING FROM LAST WEEK:

General Offering: \$ 4,705.00

Children's Mission: \$ 8.00

Total Children's offering for January \$ 159.21

Building: \$ 20.00

Total Building fund for January \$ 200.00

TOTAL OFFERING: \$ 4,733.00

Total general offering received for January: \$ **23,132.36**

General offering needed each month to meet budget: \$ 29,450.00

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Bible Memory of Ephesians: Schedule for February 7 - 13 M/T Ephesians 1:16; W/Th Ephesians 1:17; F/S Ephesians 1:18 S Rest and/or quiz and be quizzed

Pastor Matthew & family will be on vacation and the mission trip February 14-21.

Library update: Season 2 of *The Chosen* has been added to the library collection. Season 1 is also available in the library.

NEEDED: VBS coordinator(s) If anyone would be interested in coordinating or co-coordinating the VBS program for 2022 please contact one of the pastors or the church office for more information. Planning needs to begin soon to apply for a FLBC team.

NEEDED: Volunteers to help with Sunday morning service media. Training will be provided for those interested in helping. Talk to Dave Sutherland or one of the pastors. Thank you!

Valentine's Evening, February 12 The Family Ministry Team invites the members and friends of our congregation to a lovely evening where couples will strengthen their marriage and all will remember God's love for us! The event will begin at 5 pm with hors d'oeuvres, a photo booth, and some games. 5:30-7:30 pm we will enjoy the movie Fireproof. All will finish by 8 pm. Childcare will be provided with snacks, crafts, and one show. Come and enjoy an evening together with those you love!

Sunday evening Lent services will begin Sunday, February 27 at 6 PM. The theme this year will be **Journey of Stones**.

Soup Suppers at 5:00 PM beginning Sunday, February 27. The Trustees and Elders have decided there will be the soup suppers before Sunday evening Lent services for those who would like to participate. There will be people serving the soup to reduce contact. If you would like to provide soup there is a sign up sheet on the table in the foyer.

Youth

Confirmation Retreat March 4-6, 2022 All of our confirmation students (grades 7-9) are invited. Students are encouraged to go every year (when provided) and required to attend one over the 3 years of confirmation. Register by February 13 - \$45 (payable to CTK)

Public Access Channel 3 on **Wednesdays** at 1:00 PM & 6:00 PM

Radio Ministry KLOH 1050 AM **Sundays** at 7:30 AM

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Greater Love

February 6, 2022

The Greatest Commandment Luke 10:25-37 Pastor Matthew

To hear message: ctkpipestone.com after Tuesday & click on Media: Sermons

1. The greatest _____

(v. 25; 18:18; Acts 16:30)

2. The hardest _____

(vv. 26-37; 18:19)

“All _____ are _____ stories” – John MacArthur

Priest:

Levite:

Samaritan:

3. The greatest _____

(vv. 33-35; 18:26-27; Titus 3:5)

The greatest commandment puts _____ out of our _____ and into the
_____ of our _____

Who fills us with _____ for God and others.

Children Missions offering will be used for
Action Packs through Voice of the Martyrs.

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Church Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM
Pastor Tim Johnson: Tuesday - Friday 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Pastor Matthew Pillman: Monday - Thursday 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Intern Sam Willard: Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

OPPORTUNITIES To Connect

Today: 9:00 AM All Ages Sunday School
10:15 AM Fellowship Time
10:30 AM Worship Service & Livestream
5:30 PM Small Group @ CTK

Monday: 6:00 PM Small Group @ Westerburs

Tuesday:

Wednesday: 10:00 AM Small Group @ CTK
6:30 PM Youth Group
6:30 PM Small Group @ CTK
8:00 PM Choir Practice

Thursday: 6:00 PM Trustees Meet

Friday:

Saturday: 5:00 PM Movie Night

Sunday: 9:00 AM All Ages Sunday School
10:15 AM Fellowship Time
10:30 AM Worship Service & Livestream
11:45 AM Youth Parents Meet
5:30 PM Small Group @ CTK

Psalm 107:1-9 NASB

¹ Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good,
For His mercy is everlasting.

² The redeemed of the LORD shall say so,
Those whom He has redeemed from the hand of the enemy

³ And gathered from the lands,
From the east and from the west,
From the north and from the south.

⁴ They wandered in the wilderness in a desert region;
They did not find a way to an inhabited city.

⁵ They were hungry and thirsty;
Their souls felt weak within them.

⁶ Then they cried out to the LORD in their trouble;
He saved them from their distresses.

⁷ He also had them walk on a straight way,
To go to an inhabited city.

⁸ They shall give thanks to the LORD for His mercy,
And for His wonders to the sons of mankind!

⁹ For He has satisfied the thirsty soul,
And He has filled the hungry soul with what is good.

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Verse 1

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee, God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee,
Opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness,
Drive the dark of doubt away;
Giver of immortal gladness, Fill us with the light of day.

Verse 2

All Thy works with joy surround Thee,
Earth and heaven reflect Thy rays,
Stars and angels sing around Thee,
Center of unbroken praise,
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
Flowery meadow, flashing sea,
Chanting bird and flowing fountain, Call us to rejoice in Thee.

Verse 3

Thou art giving and forgiving, Ever blessing, ever blest,
Wellspring of the joy of living,
Ocean depth of happy rest!
Thou our Father, Christ our Brother,
All who live in love are Thine;
Teach us how to love each other, Lift us to the joy divine.

Verse 4

Mortals, join the happy chorus With the morning stars began;
Father love is reigning o'er us,
Brother love binds man to man.
Ever singing, march we onward,
Victors in the midst of strife,
Joyful music leads us sunward In the triumph song of life.

The Love of God

Verse 1

The love of God is greater far
Than tongue or pen can ever tell;
It goes beyond the highest star,
And reaches to the lowest hell;
The guilty pair bowed down with care,
God gave His Son to win;
His erring child He reconciled,
And pardoned from his sin.

Chorus

O love of God, how rich and pure!
How measureless and strong!
It shall for evermore endure
the saints' and angels' song.

Verse 2

When years of time shall pass away,
And earthly thrones and kingdoms fall,
When men, who here refuse to pray,
On rocks and hills and mountains call,
God's love so sure, shall still endure,
All measureless and strong;
Redeeming grace to Adam's race
The saints' and angels' song.

Chorus

Verse 3

Could we with ink the ocean fill,
And were the skies of parchment made,
Were every stalk on earth a quill,
And every man a scribe by trade,
To write the love of God above
Would drain the ocean dry.
Nor could the scroll contain the whole,
Though stretched from sky to sky.

Chorus

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

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Confession of Sin

Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer,
we poor sinners confess to You
that we are by nature sinful and unclean,
and that we have sinned against You
in thought, word and deed.
Therefore, we flee for refuge
to Your infinite mercy
and ask You for Christ's sake,
grant us forgiveness of all our sins,
and by Your Holy Spirit
increase in us true knowledge of You
and of Your will
and true obedience to your Word,
to the end that by Your grace
we may come to eternal life,
through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
And of all things visible and invisible.
And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God.
Begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God,
Begotten not made, Being of one substance with the Father,
By whom all things were made:
Who for us, and for our salvation, came down from heaven,
And was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary,
And was made man;
And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate,
He suffered and was buried;
And the third day He rose again according to Scriptures,
And ascended into heaven, And is seated
on the right hand of the Father.
And He shall come again with glory to judge
both the living and the dead;
Whose kingdom shall have no end.
And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
The Lord and Giver of Life,
Who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
Who with the Father and the Son together
is worshiped and glorified, Who spoke by the Prophets.
And I believe one holy Christian and apostolic Church.
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins.
And I look for the Resurrection of the dead,
And the Life of the world to come.

Amen

O Love That Will Not Let Me Go

Verse 1

O Love that will not let me go,
I rest my weary soul in Thee:
I give Thee back the life I owe,
That in Thine ocean depths its flow
May richer, fuller be.

Verse 2

O Light that followest all my way,
I yield my flickering torch to Thee:
My heart restores its borrowed ray,
That in Thy sunshine's blaze its day
May brighter, fairer be.

Verse 3

O Joy that seekest me through pain,
I cannot close my heart to Thee;
I trace the rainbow through the rain,
And feel the promise is not vain
That morn shall tearless be.

Verse 4

O Cross that liftest up my head,
I dare not ask to fly from Thee;
I lay in dust life's glory dead,
And from the ground there blossoms red,
Life that shall endless be.

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Day By Day and With Each Passing Moment

Verse 1

Day by Day, and with each passing moment,
Strength I find to meet my trials here;
Trusting in my Father's wise bestowment,
I've no cause for worry or for fear.
He whose heart is kind beyond all measure
Gives unto each day what He deems best- -
Lovingly, it's part of pain and pleasure,
Mingling toil with peace and rest.

Verse 2

Every day the Lord Himself is near me
With a special mercy for each hour;
All my cares He fain would bear,
and cheer me,
He whose name is Counselor and Power.
The protection of His child and treasure
Is a charge that on Himself He laid;
"As Thy days, Thy strength
shall be in measure,"
This the pledge to me He made.

Verse 3

Help me then in every tribulation
So to trust Thy promises, O Lord,
That I lose not faith's sweet consolation
Offered me within Thy holy word.
Help me Lord, when toil and trouble meeting,
E'er to take, as from a father's hand,
One by one, the days, the moments fleeting,
'Til I reach the promised land.

What A Friend We Have In Jesus

Verse 1

What a Friend we have in Jesus,
All our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry
Ev'rything to God in prayer!
Oh, what peace we often forfeit,
Oh, what needless pain we bear,
All because we do not carry
Ev'rything to God in prayer!

Verse 2

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Can we find a Friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our ev'ry weakness--
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Verse 3

Are we weak and heavy laden,
Cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our Refuge--
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
Take it to the Lord in prayer;
In His arms He'll take
and shield thee,
Thou wilt find a solace there.

There Is a Redeemer

Verse 1

There is a Redeemer.
Jesus, God's own Son;
Precious Lamb of God,
Messiah, Holy One.
Thank you, oh, my Father,
For giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit
Till the work on earth is done.

Verse 2

Jesus, my Redeemer,
Name above all names
Precious Lamb of God,
Messiah,
O for sinners slain.
Thank you, oh, my Father,
For giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit
Till the work on earth is done.

Verse 3

When I stand in Glory,
I will see His face,
There I'll serve my King forever
In that holy place.
Thank you, oh, my Father,
For giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit
Till the work on earth is done.

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