# Christ the King Free Lutheran Church April 24, 2022

OUR MISSION: CHANGED LIVES!

To EVANGELIZE the lost;

To ESTABLISH Us in Christ;

To EQUIP Us for Service!

#### Welcome / Announcements / Mission Moment

**Opening Scripture** 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:6

\*Worship Hymns # 299 (Hymnal) He Lives

# 292 (Hymnal) Because He Lives

# 295 (Hymnal) I Know That My Redeemer Lives

**Praise & Prayer Time** The Lord's Prayer

Offering Bill Steuck

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

\*Offertory # 62 (Blue Book) He Is Lord

\*Confession of Faith Apostles' Creed

**Children's Message** 

Message The Emmaus Road

Luke 24:13-35 Intern Sam

\*Benediction

\*Closing Song (PP) Blessed Be Your Name

<sup>\*</sup>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 hope all believers have due to the death & Resurrection of our Savior, Jesus Christ
- \* Praise God for the confirmation students: Corrie Thomson & Nathan Sutherland, who will be professing their faith next Sunday
- \* Praise God for Spring, It's Here!
- \* Praise God for the marriage of Trase & Sammi Lueck on Saturday.

#### **Connecting to God's Heart:**

- \* Keep Pastor Johan Koren & his wife, Jacki in your prayers this week.
- \* Pray for Nate & Rhoda Jore; Elijah, Judah, Hannah, Jeremiah, Julia & Evie; Uganda Pray for \*the church in Nabukosi \*protection from any more break-ins from gangs of thieves \*wisdom as they raise their kids and seek to point them to Christ \*our family to grow in sacrificial love and compassion for each other and for others \*that we would be attentive to the Spirit and quick to obey \*that God's Name would be lifted high in Uganda, that His kingdom would grow, and that there would be a great soul harvest!
- \* Pray for Intern Sam Willard and family as they finalize arrangements to move to Shakopee and begin their ministry at King of Glory.
- \* Pray for the confirmands as they prepare their testimonies.
- \* Pray for Elaine Uilk as she recovers at home.
- \* Pray for Jeremy Bush's grandmother as her health is declining.
- \* Pray for all those struggling with COVID, flu, and other health issues.
- \* Pray for all the unspoken prayer concerns; dealing with physical, emotional, spiritual, financial or any other needs.
- \*Cancer Patients: Dennis Ellefson, Bryon Hulstein, Pastor Jim Lindgren, Judy Steuck, Sharon Minet Health Concerns: Helen Jensen, Elodie Baker, Rich & Kathy Hess, Merlin Westfield, Kyle Swanson, Steve Blaue Nursing Assisted Living: Jan Swanson, Charlie Sowden, Sharon Claussen, Carol Meyer, Mary Moffitt Hospice: Military: Sam Kolle, Jesse Petersen, Aaron Halbersma, Marcus Westfield, Ethan Amdahl, Mallary Remund, Derrick Timm Mission: Kvales Please let the church office know if you are going into the hospital or have other prayer needs

Message for next Sunday: Pressure Points: Enduring Trials James 1:1-12 Pastor Tim

#### **Christ the King Announcements/Events**

#### **Family of the Week:**

John & Brandie Feske; Jaelyn, Jaxon, Bentley

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

**Cards** Graduation and confirmation cards are now available.

**ATTENDANCE FROM LAST WEEK: 199** 

#### **OFFERING FROM LAST WEEK:**

**General Offering:** \$ 5,173.00 **Children's Mission:** \$ 72.00

Total Children's offering for April \$ 221.60

**Building:** \$ 00.00

Total Building fund for April \$ 100.00

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TOTAL OFFERING: \$ 5,345.00

Total general offering received for April: \$ 38,043.00

General offering needed each month to meet budget: \$ 29,375.00

# **Christ the King Announcements/Events**

## Bible Memory of Ephesians: Schedule for April 25 - May 1

M/T Ephesians 3:4; W/Th Ephesians 3:5; F/S Ephesians 3:6 S Rest and/or quiz and be quizzed

<u>Pot Blessing meal today</u> after the worship service. Stay for delicious food & great fellowship. Cupcakes will be served in honor of Intern Sam, Rachel & family. Please participate as you feel comfortable.

<u>Please join the Confirmands & their families</u> for cake & coffee during the 10 AM to 10:30 AM coffee fellowship time on Sunday, May 1 to honor the confirmands. The families thank you deeply for your prayers! The Confirmands are Corrie Thomson and Nathan Sutherland.

<u>Intern Sam and his family</u> will be moving to Shakopee, MN the weekend of May 14-15. They will be packing their moving truck Saturday morning May 14. Anyone willing to help load the truck please come any time after 8 am and stay for lunch!

<u>Giving to the Ankeny Church Plant</u> can be made by check or scheduled online <u>www.ctkpipestone.com/</u> <u>ankeny</u>. Make checks out to Christ the King and **memo "Ankeny Church Plant"**. If you plan to give monthly or would like monthly prayer emails, please fill out a partnership card in the foyer!

<u>Men's Fellowship Breakfast</u> starting again on Friday mornings, May 6 @ 8 AM in the CTK fellowship hall. Breakfast and the Word of God will be provided. Bring a friend!

Men! Save the date June 10 from 6 - 8 PM. Men's Night Out! Men: 16 years & older are invited to CTK for an outdoor themed fellowship supper, presentation & devotion. Supper @ 6:30 PM.

<u>CTK is responsible for the two planter boxes by the highway,</u> & the flower box under the church sign. We need someone (or two) to take on this project. The church will purchase the flowers. Contact the office for more information or if you are interested in helping with this.

<u>CTK Youth are invited to join FCC</u> on Wed, May 4, 6 pm-8 pm for a Bigger Better or Most Unique challenge as teams go around the neighborhood starting with a paperclip & trading up to something incredible (maybe there is something that you would like them to carry away). We will meet at Faith Community's student house (north of their church) for this interesting endeavor. This will be a great night to invite a friend!

#### **Community Events**

<u>Father Daughter Dance</u> Sunday, May 1. 2:00 Doors Open Pipestone Area School Gymnasium For more details see the poster.

<u>Dad's Belgian Waffle Brunch</u> Sunday, May 1, 2022 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM at St Leo's Catholic Church. See the poster for more information.

<u>National Day of Prayer</u> May 5 at the Pipestone County Courthouse Lawn from noon to 1 PM sponsored by the Pipestone Ministerial. All are welcome for part or all.

## **Mission Moment**

Nate & Rhoda Jore; Elijah, Judah, Hannah, Jeremiah, Julia & Evie; Missionaries to Uganda. When a need arose for AFLC missionaries to go to Uganda, the Jores answered that call & their ministry in Uganda began in 2006. When they first established their ministry, Nate & Rhoda recognized the need for biblical training for the

Pastors there in Uganda. The Ambassador Institute Program was developed to fulfill this need.



Children's Offering Plant a Grove of Trees "Look at the fig tree, and all the trees. When they are already budding, you see and know for yourselves that summer is now near" (Luke 21:29-30). Jesus told this parable to encourage His listeners to watch for the signs that "the Kingdom of God is near" (verse 31). In Kenya's Kwale County, Samaritan's Purse is planting groves of trees that enrich the soil and help farmers grow a more bountiful crop. Most importantly, doors are opened for us to invite people into God's Kingdom. Your gift of \$45 can pro-

vide 30 seedlings that will grow to provide many benefits.

Public Access Channel 3 on **Wednesdays** at 1:00 PM & 6:00 PM Radio Ministry KLOH 1050 AM **Sundays** at 7:30 AM <u>Web Page</u>: www.ctkpipestone.com

Check for Information on Facebook: Christ the King Free Lutheran

Intern Sam

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

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# Children Missions offering will be used for **Plant a Grove of Trees** through Samaritan's Purse

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

|                     | OPPORTUNITES To Connect |   |
|---------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Today:              | 9:00 AM                 | All Ages Sunday School                    |
|                     | 10:00 AM                | Fellowship Time                           |
|                     | 10:30 AM                | Worship Service & Livestream              |
|                     | 11:45 AM                | Pot Blessing Meal                         |
|                     | 5:00 PM                 | Bible Study @ CTK                         |
| Monday:<br>Tuesday: |                         |   |
| Wednesday:          | 6:30 PM                 | Youth Group                               |
| Thursday:           | 6:30 PM                 | Church Plant Advisory Board               |
| Friday:             |                         |   |
| Saturday:           |                         |   |
| Sunday:             | 9:00 AM                 | All Ages Sunday School                    |
|                     | 10:00 AM                | Fellowship Time                           |
|                     | 10:30 AM                | Confirmation Worship Service & Livestream |

5:00 PM Bible Study @ CTK

# **2 Corinthians 3:12-4:6** (ESV)

<sup>12</sup> Since we have such a hope, we are very bold, <sup>13</sup> not like Moses, who would put a veil over his face so that the Israelites might not gaze at the outcome of what was being brought to an end. <sup>14</sup> But their minds were hardened. For to this day, when they read the old covenant, that same veil remains unlifted, because only through Christ is it taken away. <sup>15</sup> Yes, to this day whenever Moses is read a veil lies over their hearts. <sup>16</sup> But when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. <sup>17</sup> Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. <sup>18</sup> And we all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another. For this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit.

4 Therefore, having this ministry by the mercy of God, we do not lose heart. <sup>2</sup> But we have renounced disgraceful, underhanded ways. We refuse to practice cunning or to tamper with God's word, but by the open statement of the truth we would commend ourselves to everyone's conscience in the sight of God. <sup>3</sup> And even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. <sup>4</sup> In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. <sup>5</sup> For what we proclaim is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, with ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake. <sup>6</sup> For God, who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

#### He Lives

#### Verse 1

I serve a risen Savior, He's in the world today;
I know that He is living, whatever men may say:
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer,
And just the time I need Him
He's always near.

#### **Chorus**

He lives, He lives
Christ Jesus lives today!
He walks with me and talks with me
along life's narrow way.
He lives, He lives,
salvation to impart!
You ask me how I know He lives?
He lives within my heart.

#### Verse 2

In all the world around me I see His loving care,
And though my heart grows weary, I never will despair;
I know that He is leading through all the stormy blast,
The day of His appearing, will come at last.

#### **Chorus**

#### Verse 3

Rejoice, rejoice, O Christian, lift up your voice and sing
Eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ the King!
The Hope of all who seek Him, the Help of all who find,
None other is so loving,
so good and kind.

#### Chorus

#### Because He Lives

Verse 1

God sent His Son, they called Him Jesus,
He came to love, heal and forgive;
He lived and died to by my pardon
An empty grave is there to prove
my Savior lives.

Because He lives I can face tomorrow,
Because He lives all fear is gone;
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living
just because He lives.

#### Verse 2

How sweet to hold a newborn baby,
And feel the pride, and joy He gives;
But greater still the calm assurance,
This child can face uncertain days because He lives.

Because He lives I can face tomorrow,
Because He lives all fear is gone;
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living
just because He lives.

#### Verse 3

And then on day I'll cross the river,
I'll fight life's final war with pain;
And then as death gives way to victory
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives

Because He lives I can face tomorrow,
Because He lives all fear is gone;
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living
just because He lives.

# I Know That My Redeemer Lives

#### Verse 1

I know that my Redeemer lives; What joy the blest assurance gives! He lives, He lives, who once was dead; He lives, my everlasting Head!

#### Verse 2

He lives, to bless me with His love; He lives to plead for me above; He lives, my hungry soul to feed; He lives, to help in time of need.

#### Verse 3

He lives, and grants me daily breath;
He lives and I shall conquer death;
He lives, my future to prepare;
He lives, to bring me safely there.

#### Verse 4

He lives, all glory to His Name; He lives, my Savior, still the same; What joy the blest assurance gives; I know that my Redeemer lives!

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## He Is Lord

He is Lord. He is Lord.
He is risen from the dead and He is Lord.
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord!

He is Lord. He is Lord.
He is risen from the dead and He is Lord.
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord!

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# The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty Maker of Heaven and Earth And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell: the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven; And is seated on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From where He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the Resurrection of the body, and the Life everlasting. Amen.

#### Blessed Be Your Name

Verse 1

Blessed be Your name In the land that is plentiful
Where Your streams of abundance flow
Blessed be Your name

Verse 2

Blessed be Your name
When I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through the wilderness
Blessed be Your name

Pre-Chorus

Ev'ry blessing You pour out I'll Turn back to praise

When the darkness closes in Lord

Still I will say

Chorus

Blessed be the name of the Lord Blessed be Your name Blessed be the name of the Lord Blessed be Your glorious name

Verse 3

Blessed be Your name When the sun's shining down on me
When the world's all as it should be
Blessed be Your name

Verse 4

Blessed be Your name On the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering
Blessed be Your name

Bridge

You give and take away You give and take away

My heart will choose to say Lord blessed be Your name