Christ the King Free Lutheran Church

June 21, 2020

OUR MISSION: CHANGED LIVES!

To EVANGELIZE the lost;

To ESTABLISH Us in Christ;

To EQUIP Us for Service!

Prelude

Welcome / Announcements

Opening Scripture Colossians 2:1-10

*Opening Song # 6 (Hymnal) This Is My Father's World

Congregational Prayer / Lord's Prayer

18 (Hymnal) The Love of God

Missionary Update Matthew & Ednay Abel

Special Music Matthew & Ednay Abel

Message Wisdom's Folly 1 Corinthians 1:10-17 Pastor Tim

*Benediction

(Please put any offering you may have in the baskets at the doors as you leave the service, thank you)

^{*}Closing Song # 468 (Hymnal) Be Thou My Vision

^{*}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 families as they spend time together this summer.
- * Praise God for fathers, may they be a godly example to their children. May we see a glimpse of our Heavenly Father's love for us.
- * Praise God for those worshipping with us today.
- Praise God for the opportunities the coronavirus has given us to reach people

Connecting to God's Heart:

- *Keep Pastor Richard Erickson and his wife, Barbara, from Brooklyn Park, MN in your prayers this week.
- *Pray for Missionaries to Mexico: Darwin & Alma Jackson * Wisdom to lead, serve and teach in such a way to create multiplying generations of trainers in evangelism, discipleship and church planting.* Open hearts to receive and put into practice new teaching and methods.* More prayer support by those who will commit to be informed and pray on a regular basis.* Prayer for our children and other family members. * For all Pastors /workers: * Travel mercies as we travel by car, bus, plane, taxi or on foot.
- * Pray for healthy wisdom for us all, as a nation, and as a church body, as we deal COVID 19 and recent events. Pray for those facing economic challenges.
- * Pray for Pastor Tim, Cindy & family as they are on vacation, may they find this a time of rest and relaxation for body, mind, and soul.
- * Pray for Charley Sowden & family as they mourn the passing of his brother, Dave.
- * Pray for our nation as we enter an election year. May the Word of God transform the lives of many people.
- * Pray for the unspoken prayer concerns.
- *Cancer Patients: Marilyn Van Essen, Sharon Minet, Darlene Gast; Health Concerns: Rich Meinders, Terri Moeller, Merlin Westfield, Elke Olivier, Kyle Swanson, Steve Blaue; Nursing & Assisted Living Facilities: Jan Burkholder, Charlie Sowden, Irene Tirrel, Sharon Claussen, Carol Meyer, Malva DeVine, Mary Moffitt; Hospice: Military: Sam Kolle, Sam Schreader, Jesse Petersen, Aaron Halbersma, Marcus Westfield, Jason Palsma, Ethan Amdahl, Mallary Remund Mission: Steve Kvale Family

(Please let the church office know if you are going into the hospital or have other prayer needs.)

Message for next Sunday: Wisdom's Power 1 Corinthians 1:18-2:5 Pastor Matthew

Christ the King Announcements/Events

Family of the Week:

Gary Mitchell

Here is what CTK can do to prevent the spread of the covid-19 virus.

- -Wash your hands frequently
- -Stay home if you are sick.
- -Avoid shaking hands and do social distancing.
- -If you are a at risk population (low immune system, older population, chronic medical conditions like heart disease, diabetes, or lung problems) consider avoiding crowds.
- -if you develop a fever with a cough or shortness of breath (and have traveled) call ahead to the clinic before coming in.

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

ATTENDANCE FROM LAST WEEK: 98

OFFERING FROM LAST WEEK:

General Offering: \$ 5,310.00 Children's Mission: \$ 47.00

Total Children's offering for June \$ 50.00

Building: \$ 340.00

Total Building fund for June \$ 4,895.00

TOTAL OFFERING: \$ 5,697.00

Total general offering received for June: \$ 11,151.00

General offering needed each month to meet budget: \$ 24,833.00

<u>The summer the worship time is 9:00 AM.</u> **NOTE THE TIME CHANGE** At this time we will NOT be having coffee or fellowship time.

Matthew & Ednay Abel; Zoey & Ian Missionaries to Paraguay are with us today to share about their ministry. Matthew and Ednay Abel have been serving in Paraguay since January 2019. They were commissioned as AFLC missionaries in 2015. Matthew recently completed his seminary degree through distance learning and Ednay trained in physical therapy. To give a love offering, designate Abels, in the memo line of you check, or on the offering envelopes, and put in the baskets by the sanctuary doors. Thank you.



Messenger Articles are due today, June 21.

Who wants to be part of an action packed amazing VBS? Anyone interested in helping with or participating in a VBS program this summer is encouraged to contact Pastor Matthew, Laurie Bruns, or Brandie Hulstein. The dates are Tuesday, July 14 and Wednesday, July 15 from 6-830 pm. We will be following capacity guidelines therefore having Tuesday as 3 year olds to 2nd grade. Wednesday will be 3rd-5th graders. Games, Songs, Snack, Craft, and Bible Time. The team meets again June 28 after church. Anyone is welcome to meet and help!

<u>Tech team needed!</u> Live streaming has created more volunteer opportunities. We are looking for a team of people who would be willing to learn how to run sound, the projector, live stream, and/or the video camera. Once we have a team that has expressed interest, we will set up a time to provide training. Please see signup in the foyer or be prepared to be asked!

<u>The results of the congregational vote</u> for entering a loan agreement to finance the shingle project was 89 yes, 8 no. The project will begin when the contractor can schedule a time. Thank you for your response to this important vote.

<u>Thanks to the volunteers</u> Christ the King sponsored the evening meal at The Banquet in Sioux Falls on Tuesday, June 16. Sixteen volunteers from CTK prepped and served three hundred seventy meals. Thanks to those who helped. It was a very rewarding experience.

Youth

Youth gathering this Wednesday June 24, will be at Sutherland's home, 23751 485th Ave Flandreau. This will include some informal time to just hangout, play games, and close with a devotional and prayer, 6:30-8pm. Watch Remind or contact Pastor Matthew for directions and details.

<u>Would you host a summer youth gathering?</u> We are taking advantage of summer weather for youth to gather together in the homes/yards of our church members. Hosting would involve providing a space to gather (outdoors is just fine) and an activity (yard game, campfire, etc.). Snacks are optional. We suggest the gathering to take place on a Wednesday evening, but are willing to be flexible with your schedule.

Community Events

<u>Night of Worship</u> Faith Community Church at 207 6th Ave SW invites everyone to bring your lawn church and join them on the church lawn for a night of worship and prayer on Sunday, June 28 @ 7 PM!

Public Access Channel 3 on **Thursdays** at 11:00 AM, 3:00 PM, 8:00 PM Radio Ministry KLOH 1050 AM **Sundays** at 7:30 AM

Web Page: www.ctkpipestone.com

Check for Information on Facebook: Christ the King Free Lutheran

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

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The 1 st Question:			?
The 2 nd Question:			?
The 3 rd Question:			?

This Is My Father's World

Verse 1

This is my Father's world,
And to my listening ears
All nature sings, and 'round me rings
The music of the spheres.
This is my Father's world;
I rest me in the thought
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas
His hand the wonders wrought.

Verse 2

This is my Father's world,
The birds their carols raise,
The morning light, the lily white
Declare their Maker's praise.
This is my Father's world;
He shines in all that's fair;
In the rustling grass I hear Him pass,
He speaks to me everywhere.

Verse 3

This is my Father's world,
O let me ne'er forget
That though the wrong
seems oft so strong,
God is the Ruler yet.
This is my Father's world;
The battle is not done;
Jesus who died shall be satisfied,
And earth and heaven be one.

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

Be Thou My Vision

Verse 1
Be Thou my Vision,
O Lord of my heart;
Nought be all else to me,
Save that Thou art;
Thou my best thought,
By day or by night,
Waking or sleeping,
Thy presence my light.

Verse 2
Be Thou my Wisdom,
And Thou my true Word;
I ever with Thee
And Thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father,
I Thy true son;
Thou in me dwelling,
And I with Thee one.

Verse 3
Riches I heed not,
Nor man's empty praise,
Thou mine inheritance,
Now and always;
Thou and Thou only,
First in my heart,
High King of heaven,
My Treasure Thou art.

Verse 4
High King of heaven,
My victory won,
May I reach heaven's joys,
O bright heaven's Sun!
Heart of my own heart,
Whatever befall,
Still be my Vision,
O Ruler of all.

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.