# **Christ the King Free Lutheran Church**

## July 9, 2023

OUR MISSION: CHANGED LIVES!

To EVANGELIZE the lost;

To ESTABLISH Us in Christ;

To EQUIP Us for Service!

#### Welcome

**Opening Scripture** Hebrews 4:12-16 ESV

\*Worship Hymns # 28 (Blue Book) Our God Reigns

# 93 (White Book) Hallelujah! Our God Reigns x 2

(PP) All Hail King Jesus x 2

**Special Presentation** Harlan Moss with Sioux Falls Prison Ministry

Praise & Prayer Time / Lord's Prayer

Children's Message

**Confession of Faith** Meaning to the Second Article of the Creed

Message The Final Tribulation: The Victory of Defeat

Revelation 19 Pastor Tim

#### \*Benediction & Announcements

\*Closing Song # 67 (Blue Book) King of Kings x 3

\*Denotes congregation to stand

Please note: The offering plates are on tables in the back of the sanctuary.

# 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 freedom & those who helped secure it over the years.
- \* Praise God for families as they spend time together this summer.
- \* Praise God for those attended the FLY convention this past week, may God continue to work in their lives.

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

- \* Keep Pastor Wayne A. Olson and his wife, Linda, from Harvey, ND, in your prayers this week.
- \* Pray for Pastor Paul & Becky Abel, Brazil \*For camps and retreats at the ARCA \*For faithful commitment of church members and for their emotional and spiritual stability \*For their children and their families; Joanna (Silvio); Christina (Daniel); Andrew (Alexi) and Matthew (Ednay)
- \*For Paul as he supervises the missionary work in Curitiba and reaches out to other Free Lutheran Congregations through special weekend courses \*God's continued provision for the work in Brazil \*For safety and health
- \* Pray for those preparing and planning for VBS. May they have a special energy and desire for this ministry.
- \* Pray for Tim Steuck as he recovers from toe amputation and a fractured pelvis. He is at Good Sam for rehab, visitors would be encouraging for him.
- \* Pray for Lisa Masica as she deals with COPD issues.
- \* Pray for Rose Beck as she continues to recover from eye surgery.
- \* Pray for the unspoken prayer concerns.

\*Cancer Patients: Mary Stangeland, Pastor Jim Lindgren, Sharon Minet Health Concerns: Lisa Masica, Barb Hubner, Kyle Swanson Nursing & Assisted Living: Charlie Sowden, Sharon Claussen, Rich & Kathy Hess, Carol Meyer Hospice: Military: Sam Kolle, Jesse Petersen, Aaron Halbersma, Marcus Westfield, Ethan Amdahl, 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: The Final Tribulation

The Great White Throne Revelation 20 Pastor Tim

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

#### Family of the Week:

Darrell & Vicki Severeid

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

<u>There will be a prayer time</u> every Sunday morning in the youth room from 8:45 - 9:15 AM for our church family and world. Anyone is welcome.

**ATTENDANCE FROM LAST WEEK: 96** 

**OFFERING FROM LAST WEEK:** 

**General Offering:** \$ 5,128.00 **Children's Mission:** \$ 2.00

Total Children's offering for July \$ 2.00

**Building:** \$ 00.00

Total Building fund for July \$ 00.00

TOTAL OFFERING: \$ 5,130.00

Total general offering received for July: \$ 5,128.00

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

Ankeny Church Plant: June offering \$ 2,095.31 CTK Outreach giving to Church Plant \$ 500.00

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

**<u>Harlan Moss with Sioux Falls Prison Ministry</u>** is sharing with us today about his mission work.

<u>Christ the King is scheduled to serve at the Pipestone Food Shelf</u> on Thursday, July 20, 2023 from 2 - 5 PM. They are requesting 2-4 people to help. Contact Diana Uilk or the church office at 507-825-5958 if you are willing to help. Thank you!

<u>Mark your calendars!!! VBS will be NEXT WEEK July 16 - 20</u> The theme will be Agent Hope from the Hope Haven Ministry VBS Program. Sunday, July 16 there will be Food Trucks and Inflatables from 4:30 to 6:00 PM. VBS will be Sunday through Thursday from 6 - 8 PM. Invite your friends for a great time!

<u>Adult VBS July 16-20 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM in the Youth Room.</u> The Case for Christ – In this study of short videos & Bible discussions, participants will journey along with Lee Strobel on a quest for the truth about Jesus. Rejecting easy answers, you will sift through fascinating historical evidence as you weigh compelling expert & Biblical testimony in regard to who Jesus is and what difference it makes in the lives of people.

<u>Christ the King women</u> have been asked to take their turn as hostesses for the Fall Rally of the District WMF on Saturday, September 16.

Anyone in the CTK congregation is invited to attend Pastor Joe's ordination service at 2 pm on Sunday, July 16 at Abiding Faith Free Lutheran Church, 433 Crestview Ave, Ortonville, MN, 56278. The service will likely conclude by 3 pm for those who want to come back to Pipestone and still enjoy some of the pre-VBS activities (food truck, inflatables, etc.) that evening. An installation service for Joe will be held here at CTK during a regular Sunday service sometime after this ordination service.

<u>Christ the King women</u> have been asked to take their turn as hostesses for the Fall Rally of the District WMF on Saturday, September 16. We are responsible for programming, food, decorations, and the business meeting. We need volunteers to help. Many hands make light work. It is a fun event of fellowship with others from our area churches. If you would help, please let Collene in the office know.

<u>Landscaping project July 22.</u> One down, one to go. The landscaping around the building needs some sprucing up! Ginger McNickle has outlined a plan for removing and replacing plants and landscape rocks. This will include some heavy work and will need people to help. Please contact Ginger McNickle or Denis Parsley for more information and to volunteer.

#### **Youth Events**

<u>Community Youth-Led Night of Worship</u> TONIGHT! @ 7 PM at the Hiawatha Lodge 805 3rd Ave NW. Ages: Middle school, High school, & Young adults.

#### **Community Events**

A small group of prayer warriors have been walking inside PAS schools for the last 9 months from 7:00 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. We would like to invite anyone who is interested & able to meet at the school flagpole from 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 over the next 3 months to prayer walk around the school. If you are not able to walk, please pray from home for our school & all the needs that are there.

<u>Pipestone Women's Connection cordially invites you to a luncheon</u> at the Christian Reformed Church, 800 2nd Ave. S.E., Pipestone on Monday, July 17, 2023 \$10 (includes tax & tip) \* 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm. First time guest tickets are complimentary. FEATURE: Jill Toering will share about SW MN's A.C.E. (Advocate, Connect & Educate) healthy lifestyle programs. SPEAKER: Delores Langseth, Harvey, ND Title: "From Darkness to Light" A frightening dream and the fear of death was the impetus behind a search for light and life. Reservations for lunch and complimentary child care by THURSDAY, July13 please. Please call Susan: 507-920-6675 CANCELLATIONS ARE NECESSARY BY SUNDAY, JULY 16

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

The Battle of	and Begins with:
1. The	in Heaven (1-10)
Three Reasons:	
1) God's	are true!
2) God	!
3) The	of the Lamb has come!
2. The	from Heaven (11-16)
3. The	of Earth (17-21)

## Children Missions offering will go to

#### **The Smile Train**

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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 Joe Larson:Tuesday - Friday 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

#### **OPPORTUNITES To Connect**

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Q·15 AM	Prayer Time in Youth Room
	Worship Service & Livestream
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	Fellowship Time
7:00 PIVI	Community Youth-Led Night of Worship
1.00 PM	Quilters Meet
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7:00 PM	Trustees Meet
8:45 AM	Prayer Time in Youth Room
9:30 AM	Worship Service & Livestream
10:30 AM	Fellowship Time
4:30 PM	Pre - VBS Food & Fun
6:00 PM	VBS
	8:45 AM 9:30 AM 10:30 AM 7:00 PM 1:00 PM 7:00 PM 8:45 AM 9:30 AM 10:30 AM 4:30 PM

Adult VBS

7:00 PM

<sup>12</sup> For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. <sup>13</sup> And no creature is hidden from his sight, but all are naked and exposed to the eyes of him to whom we must give account.

<sup>14</sup> Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. <sup>15</sup> For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin. <sup>16</sup> Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

## **Our God Reigns**

Verse 1

How lovely on the mountains
are the feet of Him
Who brings good news, good news
Announcing peace,
proclaiming news of happiness
Our God reigns, our God reigns.
Our God reigns, our God reigns,
Our God reigns, our God reigns!

Verse 2

He had no stately form,
He had no majesty,
That we should be drawn to Him.
He was despised and we took
no account of Him,
Yet now He reigns, with the Most High!
Our God reigns, our God reigns!

Verse 3

Out from the tomb He came
with grace and majesty,
He's alive, He's alive.
God loves us so, see here His hands,
His feet, His side,
Yes, we know He is alive.
He's alive, He's alive,
He's alive, He's alive!
Our God reigns, Our God reigns,
Our God reigns, Our God reigns.

## Hallelujah! Our God Reigns

Hallelujah! For the Lord our God, the Almighty reigns! Hallelujah! For the Lord our God, the Almighty reigns!

Let us rejoice and be glad
And give the glory unto Him.
Hallelujah! For the Lord our God,
The Almighty reigns!

Hallelujah! For the Lord our God, the Almighty reigns! Hallelujah! For the Lord our God, the Almighty reigns!

Let us rejoice and be glad
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## All Hail King Jesus

All hail King Jesus
All hail Emmanuel
King of kings
Lord of lords
Bright Morning Star
And throughout eternity
I'll sing Your praises
And I'll reign with You
Throughout eternity

All hail King Jesus
All hail Emmanuel
King of kings
Lord of lords
Bright Morning Star
And throughout eternity
I'll sing Your praises
And I'll reign with You
Throughout eternity

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## Meaning of the Second Article of the Apostles' Creed

## What does this mean?

I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true Man, born of the Virgin Mary, is my Lord, who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned creature, bought me and freed me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil; not with silver or gold, but with His holy and precious blood and with His innocent sufferings and death; in order that I might be His own, live under Him in His kingdom, and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness, even as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity.

This is most certainly true.

## King of Kings

King of kings and Lord of lords
Glory, alleluia.
King of kings and Lord of lords,
Glory, alleluia.
Jesus, Prince of Peace,
Glory, alleluia.
Jesus, Prince of Peace,
Glory, alleluia!

King of kings and Lord of lords
Glory, alleluia.
King of kings and Lord of lords,
Glory, alleluia.
Jesus, Prince of Peace,
Glory, alleluia.
Jesus, Prince of Peace,
Glory, alleluia!

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Jesus, Prince of Peace,
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Jesus, Prince of Peace,
Glory, alleluia!

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