

Christ the King Free Lutheran Church

August 16, 2020

OUR MISSION: CHANGED LIVES!

To EVANGELIZE the lost;

To ESTABLISH Us in Christ;

To EQUIP Us for Service!

Welcome / Announcements

Opening Scripture Psalm 3

***Worship Songs** # 336 (Hymnal) *O Worship the King*
625 (Hymnal) *Lord, Speak to Me*
439 (Hymnal) *Sweet Hour of Prayer*

Congregational Prayer

Pulpit Hymn # 466 (Hymnal) *What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

Confession of Faith Apostles' Creed

Message Getting Real in the Psalms

Caved In Psalm 4 Pastor Tim

Benediction

***Closing Song** # 319 (Hymnal) *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

**Denotes congregation to stand*

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

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 His faithfulness, may we give thanks in all circumstances.
- * Praise God Sharon Claussen has overcome COVID-19 and is back in her own room at Good Sam.
- * Praise God for the opportunities COVID-19 has given us to reach people

Connecting to God's Heart:

- * Keep Pastor Michael J. Flechsig and his wife, Marla from Blackduck, MN in your prayers this week.
*Pray for Missionaries to Uganda: Pastor Brent & Emily Raan; Amaleah, Sarala and Isaiah * Pray for Uganda, the country is still in lockdown . * That the borders will open up so that we can return to the country at the end of October. * Our ministry partners, the Jores. * The Acholi people. * Our family as we are moving around a lot during this furlough & especially our kids.
- * Pray for healthy wisdom for us all, as a nation, and as a church body, as we deal with COVID & recent events.
- * Pray for our nation as the Presidential election draws near, that God's hand will be present in all elected.
- * Pray for the leadership of CTK as they make decisions for the fall schedule including how to proceed with Sunday School and confirmation.
- * Pray for the staff and residents of Good Sam as they battle COVID-19.
- * Pray that God would be with our young men & women as they begin or return to college.
- * Pray for teachers, staff & students as they prepare to start a new school year.
- * Pray for the unspoken prayer concerns.

***Cancer Patients:** Marilyn Van Essen, Sharon Minet, Darlene Gast; **Health Concerns:** Merlin Westfield, Elke Olivier, Kyle Swanson, Steve Blaue; **Nursing & Assisted Living Facilities:** Jan Burkholder, Charlie Sowden, Irene Tirrel, Sharon Claussen, Carol Meyer, Mary Moffitt; **Hospice:** **Military:** Sam Kolle, Sam Schreder, Jesse Petersen, Aaron Halbersma, Marcus Westfield, 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: *Getting Real in the Psalms*

A Higher Plain Psalm 15 Pastor Tim

Christ the King Announcements/Events

Family of the Week:

Cheryl Ossenfort

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.

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

www.cktpipestone.com/live

ATTENDANCE FROM LAST WEEK: 120

OFFERING FROM LAST WEEK:

General Offering:	\$	3,950.00
Children's Mission:	\$	0.00
Total Children's offering for August		\$ 80.00
Building:	\$	100.00
Total Building fund for August		\$ 699.00
TOTAL OFFERING:	\$	4,050.00

Total general offering received for August: **\$ 20,703.33**

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

Dear Congregation, As you know Gov Walz signed Executive Order 20-81 which requires Minnesotans to wear a face covering in indoor businesses and indoor public settings. We know that a fair percentage of people who have the virus do not show symptoms, yet they can pass the virus on to others. Social distancing is one of the best ways to avoid COVID-19 and CTK encourages social distancing between families as we gather for meetings and services. However, studies do show that masks can protect people from you should you be carrying the virus as they can help reduce the amount of droplets released into the air around you. For that reason, masks can help slow the spread of the virus and CTK will have masks available if you need one. CTK does acknowledge that some are adverse to wearing masks for various good reasons and we will honor the right of each person to make decisions that are best for them and the people around them. Please know that CTK will continue to provide the multiple worship options of in-sanctuary, livestream to the fellowship hall, fm-transmission to the parking lot and livestreaming at home or anywhere else.

May Christ be glorified in all we do!

Messenger Articles are due next Sunday, August 23.

San Antonio Missions Trip for all ages January 14-18 We have been financially supporting a church plant in San Antonio, TX. Now we can see the ministry by joining them on the front lines. Our desire is to share information regarding Trinity Lutheran Church with the surrounding area through literature distribution. **Please sign up in foyer to join our informational meeting on September 20.**

Needed! Sheets for quilting. If you have some sheets to donate for the quilter ladies to use for quilting, please bring them to the church. If you have any questions about this, contact one of our quilting ladies.

Christ the King is scheduled to serve at the Pipestone Food Shelf on September 10, at this time the Food Shelf is distributing food. They are requesting 2-4 people to help on the day before, Wednesday, September 9 to pack boxes of food and 2 to 4 people to help on September 10 to distribute the boxes. Contact the church office at 507-825-5958 or Barb Westerbur if you are willing to help.

Youth

The next Youth gathering will be Wednesday, August 19, 6:30 to 8:00 PM at the home of Gary & Joanne Winter. This will include some informal time to just hangout, play games, and close with a devotional and prayer. Watch Remind or contact Pastor Matthew for directions and details.

Youth Kick-off Sunday, August 30 afternoon event including carnival style games and treats.

Community Events

New to Medicare Virtual Class Mankato, MN, – Learning what to do when you become eligible for Medicare can seem overwhelming. This class is for people who will be new to Medicare and would like to learn about Medicare Parts A, B, C and D. Topics will include a comprehensive introduction to Medicare including what Medicare covers, supplemental insurance and Part D prescription coverage. During the class you will learn the Medicare enrollment details, how to get the most from your benefits and how to research your Medicare plan options using the Medicare.gov site. Please contact Senior Linkage Line to sign up for the class, as space is limited.

WHAT: New to Medicare Virtual Class

WHEN: Thursday, August 27 from 3:30 – 5:30 PM

WHERE: Online Virtual Class

The Senior LinkAge Line is a service of the Minnesota Board on Aging in partnership with Minnesota's local area agencies on aging. It is the state's federally designated State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP) and Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP). Call the Senior LinkAge Line at 1-800-333-2433 Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm or visit www.MinnesotaHelp.info[®] to chat with a specialist during business hours.

Pipestone County Medical Center is hosting the Community Blood Bank Heroes Behind the Badges Blood Drive on Wed. August 19 from 10:00AM – 1:00PM and 2:30PM to 6:00 PM . All American Blood Donor T-shirt and pre-packaged Free DQ lunch to all who donate.

NOTE: The location for donors to register will again be the Stucco house located at 822 4th Ave SW. Donors will enter the house to register and will walk to the Community Blood Bank Bloodmobile that is parked in front of the house for the collection. There will be 2 busses.

Appointments are the key to ensuring social distancing for the blood drives. All donors are encouraged to log onto website at www.cbblifeblood.org to schedule your appointment and select “events” then click on August 19th, “Pipestone Heroes” or call 507-825-6166 Community Blood Bank Staff members are screened daily and wear face masks at all times. Donors must be 17 years old (16 with parental consent found on website www.cbblifeblood.org). Please bring your Driver’s license. Remember to bring a valid ID, eat a good meal and drink plenty of water before donation and avoid energy drinks before donating. Do not donate if you have had a fever, cough, shortness of breath, runny nose, sore throat, vomiting/diarrhea in the past 14 days. Do not donate if you have cared for, lived with, or otherwise had close contact with individuals diagnosed with or suspected of having COVID 19 or if you have been diagnosed with or suspected of having COVID 19 in the past 14 days including having a pending COVID 19 test because of any of the above symptoms.

PLEASE NOTE: GIVEAWAY!! On the table in the foyer are two boxes of children’s books. They were in storage and need a good home. Take a look and see if any would fit well in your home and if they would, please take a few or many home with you, they are yours. If they aren’t taken we will donate them to VIM or another charity.

ALSO! There are two boxes of audio cassette tapes of previous worship services. There are ones from special speakers and many from when Pastor Dave Wold was at Christ the King. If you want them please take them. Those tapes still on the table by Sept will be discarded. Thank you.

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](http://www.ctkpipestone.com)

Check for Information on Facebook: Christ the King Free Lutheran

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

David's Situational Briefing (2 Samuel 15-18; Psalm 3)

David's Response (Psalm 4)

1) He _____ to _____ (v. 1).

2) He _____ others (v. 2).

3) He remembers his _____ (v. 3).

4) He gets _____ and _____ (v. 4).

5) He _____ himself to the Lord (v. 5).

6) He _____ God's _____ (v. 6).

7) He _____ and _____ his eyes (v. 7-8).

O Worship the King

Verse 1

O worship the King All glorious above,
And gratefully sing
His wonderful love;
Our Shield and Defender,
The Ancient of Days,
Pavilioned in splendor
And girded with praise.

Verse 2

O tell of His might And sing of His grace,
Whose robe is the light,
Whose canopy space;
His chariots of wrath
The deep thunderclouds form,
And dark is His path
On the wings of the storm.

Verse 3

Thy bountiful care What tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air,
It shines in the light,
It streams from the hills,
It descends to the plain,
And sweetly distills
In the dew and the rain.

Verse 4

Frail children of dust, And feeble as frail,
In Thee do we trust,
Nor find Thee to fail;
Thy mercies how tender,
How firm to the end,
Our Maker, Defender,
Redeemer and Friend.

Lord, Speak to Me

Verse 1

Lord, speak to me,
that I may speak
In living echoes of Thy tone;
As Thou hast sought,
so let me seek
Thy erring children lost and lone.

Verse 2

O lead me, Lord,
that I may lead
The wandering and the wavering feet;
O feed me, Lord,
that I may feed
Thy hungering ones with manna sweet.

Verse 3

O teach me, Lord,
that I may teach
The precious things Thou dost impart;
And wing my words,
that they may reach
The hidden depths of many a heart.

Verse 4

O fill me with
Thy fullness, Lord,
Until my very heart o'er flow
In kindling thought
and glowing word,
Thy love to tell, Thy praise to show.

Verse 5

O use me, Lord,
use even me,
Just as Thou wilt, and when, and where,
Until Thy Blessed face I see
Thy rest, Thy joy, Thy glory share.

Sweet Hour of Prayer

Verse 1

Sweet hour of prayer
Sweet hour of prayer
That calls me from a world of care
And bids me at my Father's throne
Make all my wants and wishes known
In seasons of distress and grief
My soul has often found relief
And oft escaped the tempter's snare
By Thy return sweet hour of prayer

Verse 2

Sweet hour of prayer
Sweet hour of prayer
Thy wings shall my petition bear
To Him whose truth and faithfulness
Engage the waiting soul to bless
And since He bids me seek His face
Believe His Word and trust His grace
I'll cast on Him my ev'ry care
And wait for Thee sweet hour of prayer

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What A Friend We Have In Jesus

Verses 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.

What A Friend We Have In Jesus

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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.

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Verse 1

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible
Hid from our eyes,
Most blessed, most glorious,
The Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious,
Thy great name we praise.

Verse 2

Unresting, unhasting,
And silent as light,
Nor wanting, nor wasting,
Thou rulest in might;
Thy justice like mountains
High soaring above
Thy clouds, which are fountains
Of goodness and love.

Verse 3

To all, life Thou givest,
To both great and small;
In all life Thou livest,
The true life of all;
We blossom and flourish
As leaves on the tree,
And wither and perish
But naught changeth Thee.

Verse 4

Great Father of glory,
Pure Father of light,
Thine angels adore Thee,
All veiling their sight;
All praise we would render;
O help us to see
'Tis only the splendor
Of light hideth Thee