

# Christ the King Free Lutheran Church

November 15, 2020

OUR MISSION: CHANGED LIVES!

To EVANGELIZE the lost;

To ESTABLISH Us in Christ;

To EQUIP Us for Service!

## Welcome / Announcements

Congregational Scripture 2 Timothy 2:1-12a

\*Worship Songs # 525 (Hymnal) *Now Thank We All Our God*  
(PP) *Jesus Thank You*  
# 45 (White Book) *Give Thanks*

## Congregational Prayer

## Children's Message

Special Music *He Will Hold Me Fast*

## Message Keys to Rebuilding God's Nation

Nehemiah 6 – *Working Through Intimidation* Pastor Tim

## \*Benediction

\*Closing Song (PP) *Raise a Hallelujah*

\**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 Myer James McNickle as he was brought to the Lord in Holy Baptism last Sunday. Pray for his parents Morgan & Ginger as they teach him about living a life for Jesus. Also pray for his brother, Munro that he may be a godly example for Myer.
- \* Praise God for the generosity of those packing boxes for Operation Christmas Child.

**Connecting to God's Heart:**

- \* Keep Pastor James C. Gerdeen and his wife, Wanda from Columbia, MO in your prayers this week.
  - \* Pray for Missionaries Jeff and Marci Scholten with Bridges International (Cru) Zach, Samantha, Nicholas, Ally, Tori, Chandra, Elida, Konrad, Tia, Natalya.\* Pray for 'open doors' for conversations \* Courage and wisdom to walk through the doors,\* Muslim, Hindu, & Buddhist students would understand the JESUS of the Bible \* Our family would model Christ-likeness and servanthood to the students \*Pray against the work of our great Enemy and hater of our souls \*Lastly, that we would NOT LOSE our 1st LOVE...
  - \* Pray for healthy wisdom for us all, as a nation and as a church body, as we deal with COVID 19 and other events.
  - \* Pray for the leadership of the church as they prepare for the Annual meeting. Pray for the Trustee nominees.
  - \* Pray for Pastor Tim as he attends the Coordinating Committee meeting @ AFLC headquarters in Plymouth this week.
  - \* Pray for calm and peace following the election, refer to Psalm 37 for a biblical response.
  - \* Pray for the unspoken prayer concerns; those concerning spiritual, physical, financial, and any other need.
- \*Cancer Patients:** Marilyn Van Essen, Sharon Minet, **Health Concerns:** Jan Swanson, Jerry Rood, Merlin Westfield, Elke Olivier, Kyle Swanson, Steve Blaue; **Nursing & Assisted Living:** Jan Burkholder, Charlie Sowden, Irene Tirrel, Sharon Claussen, Carol Meyer, Mary Moffitt; **Hospice:** **Military:** Sam Kolle, Sam Schreuder, Jesse Petersen, Aaron Halbersma, Marcus Westfield, Ethan Amdahl, Mallary Remund **Mission:** Kvale Family

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

**Message for next Sunday: Keys to Rebuilding God's Nation**

Nehemiah 8 – *Godward Celebration* Pastor Matthew

**Christ the King Announcements/Events**

**Family of the Week:**

Jerry & Dianne Rood

**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](http://www.cktpipestone.com/live)

**ATTENDANCE FROM LAST WEEK: 86**

**OFFERING FROM LAST WEEK:**

<b>General Offering:</b>	\$	3,683.00	
<b>Children's Mission:</b>	\$	20.00	
	Total Children's offering for November	\$	35.25
<b>Building:</b>	\$	140.00	
	Total Building fund for November	\$	300.00
<b>Military BibleSticks:</b>	\$	150.00	Total: \$ 1,850.00
<b>TOTAL OFFERING:</b>	\$	<b>3,993.00</b>	

Total general offering received for November: \$ **13,568.00**

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

**Operation Christmas Child** Boxes and brochures are in the foyer to pack a shoebox. Boxes should be filled and dropped off by Wednesday.

**Please Note:** Pastor Matthew will be changing his office hours to Monday through Thursday 8:30 - 12:00 PM.

**Now available** Our Daily Bread in large print. We do have a limited quantity on the table in the foyer.

**Messenger Articles** are due next Sunday, November 22.

**Gideon Representative** Bill Steuck will be here next Sunday, November 22 to share about the Gideon ministry. A love offering will be collected.

**The Thanksgiving Eve Service** will be Wednesday, November 25 @ 7 PM. There will not be Confirmation or Aftershock.

**The nominating committee** are working on their assignment to fill the ballot for three Trustee positions on the church board. Let one of the committee members know in the next few weeks if you would like to be on the ballot. If asked, please, before you make your decision, we ask that you pray about this and ask God to be a part of your decision making process.

**Church directory update:** Please look over your address, phone #, email, etc. on the sheets provided on the table in the foyer. Please make corrections or additions by Dec 13. Also, if your birthday has not been in the Messenger please let the office know so the information is correct.

### **Trustee Meeting Information:**

**Christmas Eve Service** We are exploring several options to conduct a safe Christmas Eve Service.

**Internship Program** The Trustees instructed Pastor Tim to contact the Seminary to determine the need for placement of Interns and then determine if CTK is interested in hosting an intern next spring.

**Annual Meeting** The date has tentatively been set for January 31 following the same format as in previous years. Worship service will be 9:00 AM followed by the meeting. We will be discussing how to safely hold the meeting, including Trustee election and approval of an Elder. More information will be available as decisions are made.

### **Youth**

**Forge** will be NOT be meeting today.

### **Parents' meeting will be next Sunday, November 22**

**Gift Basket Silent Auction sign-up begins soon.** Please signup in the foyer to provide a basket for After-shock's Silent Auction. Return items to the office by November 25. Items will be arranged in baskets and put up for auction by November 29. Auction closes December 13 at 10:30am.

### **Community Events**

**The Prairie Grangers 4-H Club** is currently collecting donated items for Atlas to help those in our community. Atlas is in need of winter outer wear such as snow pants, coats, boots, hats and mittens. Other items that are always in need: pillows and pillowcases. If you would like to donate anything, please bring the items to the church before December 13. The club will bring everything to the next 4-H meeting and donate it all to Atlas. The outer wear can be new or gently used. We ask that the pillows be new please. Thank you!  
Pipestone Prairie Grangers 4-H Club

Public Access Channel 3 on **Wednesdays** at 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

**1. When inundated with harmful \_\_\_\_\_, stay focused on Godly \_\_\_\_\_**

**(vv. 1-4).**

**2. When faced with slanderous \_\_\_\_\_, directly respond with prayerful \_\_\_\_\_**

**(vv. 5-9).**

**3. When attempts are made to \_\_\_\_\_, stand on God's \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 10-14).**

**4. When success is finally \_\_\_\_\_, expect the threats to \_\_\_\_\_**

**(vv. 15-19).**

## *Now Thank We All Our God*

### Verse 1

Now thank we all our God  
With heart and hands and voices,  
Who wondrous things hath done,  
In whom His world rejoices;  
Who, from our mothers' arms,  
Hath blessed us on our way  
With countless gifts of love,  
And still is ours today.

### Verse 2

Oh, may this bounteous God  
Through all our life be near us,  
With ever joyful hearts  
And blessed peace to cheer us;  
And keep us in His grace,  
And guide us when perplexed,  
And free us from all ills  
In this world and the next.

### Verse 3

All praise and thanks to God  
The Father now be given,  
The Son, and Him who reigns  
With them in highest heaven,  
The one eternal God,  
Whom earth and heaven adore!  
For thus it was, is now,  
And shall be ever more.

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## *Jesus Thank You*

### Verse 1

The myst'ry of the cross I cannot comprehend  
The agonies of Calvary  
You the perfect Holy One crushed Your Son  
Who drank the bitter cup reserved for me

### Chorus

Your blood has washed away my sin  
Jesus thank You  
The Father's wrath completely satisfied  
Jesus thank You  
Once Your enemy now seated at Your table  
Jesus thank You

### Verse 2

By Your perfect sacrifice I've been brought near  
Your enemy You've made Your friend  
Pouring out the riches of Your glorious grace  
Your mercy and Your kindness know no end

### Bridge

Lover of my soul I want to live for You

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## *Give Thanks*

Give thanks with a grateful heart,  
Give thanks to the Holy One;  
Give thanks because He's given  
Jesus Christ His Son.

And now let the weak say,  
"I am strong,"  
let the poor say, "I am rich,"  
Because of what the  
Lord has done for us.  
(Repeat)

Give thanks.

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## *He Will Hold Me Fast*

### Verse 1

When I fear my faith will fail  
Christ will hold me fast  
When the tempter would prevail  
He will hold me fast  
I could never keep my hold  
Through life's fearful path  
For my love is often cold  
He must hold me fast

### Chorus

He will hold me fast  
He will hold me fast  
For my Savior loves me so  
He will hold me fast

### Verse 2

Those He saves are His delight  
Christ will hold me fast  
Precious in His holy sight  
He will hold me fast  
He'll not let my soul be lost  
His Promises shall last  
Bought by Him at such a cost  
He will hold me fast

### Verse 3

For my life He bled and died  
Christ will hold me fast  
Justice has been satisfied  
He will hold me fast  
Raised with Him to endless life  
He will hold me fast  
Till our faith is turned to sight  
When He comes at last



## *Raise A Hallelujah*

### Verse 1

I raise a hallelujah in the presence of my enemies  
I raise a hallelujah louder than the unbelief  
I raise a hallelujah my weapon is a melody  
I raise a hallelujah Heaven comes to fight for me

### Chorus

I'm gonna sing in the middle of the storm  
Louder and louder you're gonna hear my praises roar  
Up from the ashes hope will arise  
Death is defeated the King is alive

### Verse 2

I raise a hallelujah with everything inside of me  
I raise a hallelujah I will watch the darkness flee  
I raise a hallelujah in the middle of the mystery  
I raise a hallelujah fear you lost your hold on me

### Bridge

Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder)  
Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder)  
Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder)  
Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder)

### Bridge

Sing a little louder in the presence of my enemies  
Sing a little louder louder than the unbelief  
Sing a little louder my weapon is a melody  
Sing a little louder Heaven comes to fight for me  
(REPEAT)

Sing a little louder

### Ending

I raise a hallelujah

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