

Christ the King Lutheran Church
Sixth Sunday after Pentecost, July 12, 2020

PRELUDE

Day by Day - arr. John Carter

GREETING AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

The grace of our Savior Jesus Christ, the Love of God, and the Communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

Let us pray. **Almighty God, we thank you for planting in us the seed of your word. By your Holy Spirit help us to receive it with joy, live according to it, and grow in faith and hope and love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY

Almighty God, Your Word Is Cast

ELW 516

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER

BLESSING

PARTING MUSIC

Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil

ELW 512

Worship Leaders

Preaching

Pastor Maria Anderson-Lippert

Presiding

Pastor Rory Philstrom

Children's Message

Brittany McDonald

Organist/Music Director

Bjorn Gustafson

Musicians

Loren Thompson and Paul Krohg

There will be no Digital Coffee Hour today since there is Drive-In Church. It will return next weekend.

In your prayers this week, please remember:

- **Margit Hauge and her family at the death of her husband, Wally**
- **Continuing Prayers: Laurie Youmans** (sister-in-law of Pam Jaye & Karen Youmans), **Lois Torvik, Steve Casperson, Jim Knutson, Christine Sommers-Austin** (Carolyn Tillotson’s sister), **Jaden Hanson** (relative of Lorie Aljoe), **Pastor Dave Valen, Char Weidenbach, Miriam Hecht, Stacey Studiner** (Ellis & Sharon Holman’s daughter), **John Peterson** (brother of Jim Stoll), **Janet White** (Mike Haddox sister-in-law), **Laura Grondin** (Shirley Smith’s daughter), **Tom Turso** (friend of Jim Stoll’s), **Sadie Peterson** (granddaughter of Sig Backlin), **Cindy Blackmer** (Jean Stoll’s sister-in-law), **Mabel Bohn**, and **Marloe Anderson**
- **New Prayers: Dale Peterson**
- **Dick Jackson** and all who are homebound
- **Rev. Philip and Lou-Marie Knutson, South Africa; Rev. Dorcas Wang, China and Peace Center for the Blind in Jerusalem**
- **Pastor Lin Qiu**, Bethel Bible Series Director China

<p>Drive-In to Church this Summer! On July 12th and July 26th, we will have a drive-in worship again at Christ the King! Worship will start at 9:30am and will take place in the CTK parking lot. There will continue to be an online worship component for those who cannot safely attend. Following these three Sundays we will reassess our options for in-person worship as we seek to keep our community safe during this time of COVID.</p>	<p>Prayer Shawl Knitters: There is a new supply of yarn for your summer knitting pleasure available while you wait for Covid-19 restrictions to leave. Thank you for all the many hours of knitting you spend to bring joy to our CTK family. Please see Jane VeVea for your yarn.</p>
<p>Fair Trade – Equal Exchange Coffee – Tea – Cocoa Chocolate Bars – Olive Oil All of your favorite items are still available for purchase. If you would like to purchase anything call the office, 952-881-8600 or email Jane V. at jvevea@ctkb.org. You can drop off a check and pick up your order.</p>	<p><u>Cornerstone - Gift of Love for July</u> Cornerstone’s continuum of service helps to create communities where individuals and families are safe and children thrive. They advocate, educate and lead the way to social change. Cornerstone’s ultimate goal is to reduce the prevalence of interpersonal violence. Healthy futures are possible when we coordinate an effective crisis response, implement trauma-informed support services, mitigate the impact of violence on children and youth, and confront the roots of violence. For more information go to www.cornerstonemn.org.</p>
<p>Camp in a Box! Below you will find a link to order a "Camp in a Box" from Camp Wapo! This kit includes Bible story lessons, arts and crafts as well as many other fun activities you'd find at camp! https://lwlbc.square.site/product/camp-in-box/77?cp=true&sa=true&sbp=false&q=false</p>	<p>Bible Reading for next week: Isaiah 44:6-8 Psalm 86:11-17 Romans 8:12-25 Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43</p>

Digital Schedule!

Sundays

9:30am – Drive- In Church on June 28, July 12 and July 26

Sunday Worship Posted on YouTube, Facebook, and www.ctkb.org/services/

11am - Digital Coffee Hour on Zoom **Not on July 12 or July 26**

<https://zoom.us/j/93941598230?pwd=cjh3RVlxSkp4NDgxMTN3T3FYbGpBdz09>

Daily

10am - Digital Devotional on Facebook Live (Monday-Friday)

Written Devotionals via email or at www.ctkb.org/devotional/

Tuesdays

2pm - Community Announcements via Constant Contact

Wednesdays

12noon - Bible Study on Zoom SEE PASSWORD & LINK ON CONSTANT CONTACT EMAIL

<https://zoom.us/j/92285260487?pwd=aUdjb2JuRkt5cnhGTTZtMnpFci82dz09>

Virtual Learning Resources: Be sure to check out the virtual learning tab for CYF ministry if you're in a rut for finding something to do with your kids! Recently added is a summer nature walk, summer gratitude coloring page as well as Racial Justice resources!

“You’ve got Email”

Your CTK contribution statements (thru June 2020) will be emailed shortly. If you don't have email, I'll pop yours in the mail. The email address it comes from looks like this ... **Christ the King Lutheran Church noreply@ctkb.simplechurchcrm.com** and it could potentially land in your spam. If you would like a printed copy, or have any questions, please give me a buzz. We are ever grateful for your tithes and offerings ... we are still the church, we are still able to hear the Good News, we are still able to serve and we are still able to connect in meaningful ways! Thank you, Thank you, Thank you! Grace & Peace! Jane Bishop

Wednesday Campfire Service

The Bloomington community campfire services that happened at Atonement last year are now online! Find the services (past and current) here: <http://alcbloomington.org/category/worship/> or on their Facebook page: Atonement Lutheran Church-Bloomington