

**Christ the King Lutheran Church**  
**Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Sept. 13, 2020**

PRELUDE *Salvation unto Us Has Come* Anonymous

OPENING HYMN *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

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. **O Lord God, merciful judge, you are the inexhaustible fountain of forgiveness. Replace our hearts of stone with hearts that love and adore you, that we may delight in doing your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 18:21-35

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY *Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive*

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER

PARTING SONG *God's Work, Our Hands*

BLESSING

POSTLUDE *Although I Speak*

**Worship Leaders**

Preaching	Pastor Maria Anderson-Lippert
Presiding	Pastor Rory Philstrom
Children's Message	Brittany McDonald
Organist/Music Director	Bjorn Gustafson
Special Music	Darin Tysdal

**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:

- **Doug Solberg & Jane Bishop and their families at the death of Doug’s mom, Ellie.**
- **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), **Laura Grondin** (Shirley Smith’s daughter), **Tom Turroso** (friend of Jim Stoll’s), **Sadie Peterson** (granddaughter of Sig Backlin), **Marloe Anderson, Dale Peterson, Margie Magnuson,** and **Jimmy Wahl** (friend of Lynne & Jan Gasterland)
- **New Prayers: Brent Larson** (LuAnn Paul's dad)
- **Steve Olson** 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**
- **Diakonia AIDS Ministry, Soweto, Johannesburg, South Africa**

**Mark your Calendars!**  
**Drive-In to Church**

We will also be having drive-in church in September – **on Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> and Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>** 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.

**If you would like to volunteer to “usher” (hand out bulletins/communion) or be a parking lot attendant, please call Jane V. in the office, 952-881-8600. Thank you!!**

**Gift of Love for September**  
**Kennedy Community Alliance**

KCA supports Kennedy High School students/family who are economically vulnerable. All donations this year will be used to buy gift cards from Cub or Walmart - with the distance learning model many of their families are in need of food. These families are used to their students receiving breakfast and lunch at school. The distance learning model stresses an already tight budget for them. **Thank you for helping your neighbors in need!!**

**Yoga is Back at CTK**

Tuesdays evening 6:30pm-7:30pm outside (weather permitting) in the courtyard in front of the sanctuary. Please bring your mask, your mat and a block. There will be none available for covid safety. Costs is \$10.

**Wednesday Night Drive-Up Meals**

We will continue to provide meals on Wednesdays from 4:00pm-5:30pm for as long as we are able. This is an important service for our members, as well as, our community. If you or anyone you know are in need of a meal, please stop by and grab one! We have been averaging over 60 meals a week. All are welcome!

**Bible Reading for next week:**

Jonah 3:10-4:11  
 Psalm 145:1-8  
 Philippians 1:21-30  
 Matthew 20:1-16

**Volunteer with our CYF Programs this year!**

Please fill out the Volunteer COVID Year survey below if you would like to volunteer this year with one or more of our children and youth programs! This link will be on our Website.

**<https://forms.gle/53d3ti79uQQnWgKj8>**

**Digital Bible Study - Wednesdays at NEW TIME 10:30am**

We are switching our Bible study on Zoom to 10:30am – you can look for the weekly readings in the bulletin or you can go to <https://www.cktb.org/adult-education/> and click on the 2020 Sunday and Seasons Calendar for the upcoming readings. The zoom password can be found in our weekly constant contact. Join us!!

### **Bloomington Community Food Share**

Atonement Lutheran Church has been opening their doors to neighbors who are in need of basic essentials since the uprising in Minneapolis at the end of May. Even though VEAP has quadrupled their work since March, the need is so great that Atonement has found that many of our neighbors rely on the free essentials they can get through their pantry (Bloomington Community Food Share) as well. If you find yourself with some extra resources during this time, a list of most requested items to donate is below. All donations can be accepted from 9am-2pm M-F, when the Atonement office is open, and would be greatly appreciated. If you find yourself in need during these times, the Food Share is open for pickup on Fridays from 10am-1pm.

Here are the most needed items:

Diapers and Baby Wipes, Feminine products, Personal hygiene - shampoo, conditioner, soap, toothbrushes, toothpaste, Cleaning supplies, Paper products, rice, pasta, bread, corn tortillas, cereal, peanut butter, Jelly, cooking oil

### **CYF Programming 2020-2021 Open House**

This year our open house will be VIRTUAL! Join us for some very vital information about our fall programming for WOW, Sunday School, Confirmation and Crowd. Much more information will be available during the meeting but **Crowd and Confirmation will start the year in person, outside. WOW will be a hybrid format with parent involvement and Sunday School will be online!**

**WOW & Sunday School Open House: Sunday, September 13th, 7:30 pm**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

<https://zoom.us/j/92079339089?pwd=Vm1kVjNZQWY0Ym0zbzVEQ2VyZmw2QT09>

**Confirmation Open House: Wednesday, September 16th, 6:00 pm**

**Crowd Open House: Wednesday, September 16th, 7:30 pm**

### **Teaching with Love Tutoring**

This fall, as long as there is a need, Brittany will be embarking on a new side hustle-tutoring! As Bloomington schools and many other districts around the area go virtual for school, many parents are in need of a break and some help to have their kids succeed with online learning. Brittany will be offering a tutoring option held here at Christ the King for Elementary aged children. She will have 5-6 slots for kids and the cost will be \$45 dollars a day for one kid with the 2nd kid from the same family being only an extra \$20 dollars. This will take place **Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9-12 pm** and include a detailed schedule, snack break, movement break, and social distancing/safety regulations taken into consideration. If interested, email Brittany at [brittanylouise25@gmail.com](mailto:brittanylouise25@gmail.com) for more information.

### **Upper Room Devotional Booklets**

If anyone would like a devotional booklet – we can either leave some on the bench outside the office with your name on it (call the office) or you can find them in our Little Free Library at the end of the driveway on Fremont.

## Digital Schedule!

### Sundays

9:30am – Drive- In Church on September 13

Sunday Worship Posted on YouTube, Facebook, and [www.ctkb.org/services/](http://www.ctkb.org/services/)

11am - Digital Coffee Hour on Zoom **Not on Sept. 13**

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

### Daily

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

Written Devotionals via email or at [www.ctkb.org/devotional/](http://www.ctkb.org/devotional/)

### Tuesdays

2pm - Community Announcements via Constant Contact

### Wednesdays

10:30am - Bible Study on Zoom SEE PASSWORD & LINK ON CONSTANT CONTACT EMAIL

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