

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Masisiwe Student Scholarships for 2024

During the month of October we will be requesting funds for 2023 scholarships for our Masisiwe children. We have been sponsoring their secondary school education since 2005. The last year of government schooling is 6th Grade. Our support makes a significant difference for their education. Last year we raised \$6,014 that benefited 20+ children! A Masisiwe parish committee determines who and how much each child receives depending on their potential and needs. Some remain in Masisiwe but the majority hope to attend Lutheran Secondary schools where board and room costs up to \$500 per year. Our mission teams have visited the schools in Bomalang'ombe and Pommern. We have had many students advance beyond Form V into vocational school, college and seminary. This education benefits the entire village!

See Polly Morrison for student names and more details. You can place your payment and/or pledge in the Offering Plate on the October Sundays, 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd & 29th. Checks should be made out to CTK with Masisiwe Scholarship on the memo line. Any amount you can give is most appreciated. We need to send our CTK contribution to Bega Kwa Bega by November 15th.

Asante Sana!



Intergenerational Sunday School begins TODAY!

Join us for the Good Stewards Together Kickoff:

Did you enjoy Journey Together this summer? The fun and learning continues this fall at CTK. Join us once a month during the Sunday School hour to learn and have fun together. We'll gather in the back of the Fellowship Hall at 10:15. where we will learn how God calls each of us to be a steward in our life of faith. Join us! Everyone is welcome!



The Chosen Viewing & Discussion

The Chosen is the first multi-season television series about the life of Christ, as witnessed through the eyes of those he impacted. We'll gather in the Library once a month to watch an episode and discuss it after worship. We'll also decide as a group if we'd prefer to watch the show together as a group, or watch it before meeting on our own.

Sunday, October 15
"I Have Called You By Name"
- Season 1, Episode 1

For pastoral care or other needs please contact the Pastor or the church office at 651-429-4828.

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October 8, 2023
Nineteenth
Sunday after Pentecost

CHRIST THE KING

LUTHERAN CHURCH

**Please stand as you are able.*

GATHERING	"Cornerstone," by J. Myrin, R. Morgan et al	KHB
	"This is Amazing Grace," by P. Wickham	KHB

*CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

*OPENING HYMN	"This is Amazing Grace," by P. Wickham	Screen
	"Cornerstone," by J. Myrin, R. Morgan et al	

*GREETING		Screen
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*PRAYER OF THE DAY		Screen
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Leader: Let us pray.

All: ... Beloved God, from you come all things that are good. Lead us by the inspiration of your Spirit to know those things that are right, and by your merciful guidance, help us to do them, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC	"Shepherd of Souls," by S. Atwood	King's Choir
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LESSON	Isaiah 5:1-7, p 552 NRSV	
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PSALM	Psalm 80:7-15, p 471 NRSV (read responsively)	Screen
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*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	"Glory, Hallelujah!" by L. Olson	Screen
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*GOSPEL	Matthew 21:33-46, p 803 NRSV	
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CHILDREN / YOUTH TIME

SERMON		Pastor Rebecca
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*HYMN OF THE DAY	God's Work, Our Hands," ACS 1000, vs 1-4	Screen
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Pastor Rebecca Sullivan
Music Leader Lyn Campbell
LAM Mike Stepan
Reader Cyndi Frankel
Ushers Howard Juni, Ann Jonell
AV Jason Clapper, Brianna Clapper
Altar Guild Cathy Carlson, Stephanie Clapper
Hospitality Tom Sandhei,
 Bev & Bob Osborne, Lee Wood

APOSTLE'S CREED

Screen

*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Trusting in the transformative power of God's loving Spirit, let us pray for the church, the world, and all in need.

A brief silence.

After each petition:

Leader: . . . God of grace,

All: hear our prayer.

Leader: Gracious God, into your hands we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your unending love and amazing grace; through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

All: Amen.

*PEACE

OFFERING

"I Love Your Grace," by R. Founds

KHB

*OFFERTORY

"Reason To Live," by J. Kjellberg

Screen

*OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray.

Blessed are you, O God, source of every gift of your creation. By these gifts and with our lives, help us to serve one another and all in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

*THE LORD'S PRAYER

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BIBLE PRESENTATION

*BLESSING

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*SENDING

"Send Us Out," by J. Hersch

Screen

*SENDING OUT

POSTLUDE

"Send Me," by D. Graves

KHB

Thank you for worshiping with us today!

Please join us for coffee in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the service. Sunday School is available for Pre-K - Grade 5 at the same time in the Education Wing.

CTK PRAYER CONCERNS:

PRAISE & THANKSGIVING:

For the generous support of CTK's ministries through time and treasure.

For our children and youth receiving bibles today.

For all exploring the mystery of communion and preparing to celebrate this milestone publicly.

For the fall weather and changing leaves.

For all who worked to make our Library a welcoming space.

THOSE GRIEVING:

For all those grieving the death of loved ones.

THOSE EXPERIENCING CANCER:

For Kurt Wood, upcoming lung cancer surgery.

For Mike Jones, receiving treatment for kidney cancer.

For Lee Boyce, cancer treatment.

For Barb, (Jan Hamstead's friend) in chemo treatment.

For Wendy Ness, thankfulness for being in remission, and for her brother, Paul Wagener, treatment for stage 3 melanoma.

Gary Kloos (friend of Julie Ramer) multiple tumors, aggressive cancer.

Harvey Schindler (family member of Sharon Scott), cancer.

Oliver, 12-year-old nephew of Julie (friend of Elida Olson), diagnosed with leukemia.

Robert Crane (nephew of Sandy Serier) receiving treatment.

Mark Peterson (son of Alvina Peterson), continued healing.

OTHER HEALTH ISSUES:

For Joel Miner, brother of Sharon Johnson, prayers for healing.

For Michael, friend of Sharon Scott, recovering from open heart surgery.

For Justin (Peggy & Terry Keohn's son) as he returns to work and continues in his recovery.

For Dennis Felix, prayers for healing.

For Alana, Sue Kohler's granddaughter, prayers for strength as her disease progresses.

For Corrine Erlandson's sister Janice, for peace and pain relief.

Camden Astrup (great nephew of Beth & Scott Tradup) receiving the treatment he needs.

For Fletcher and Courtney McKinney, improvement in health.

GLOBAL CONCERNS:

For areas around the world experiencing violence and unrest, including Ukraine, Turkey and in Niger.

For Armenians facing genocide in Artsakh.

For all victims of gun violence and all who seek to prevent such violence, especially in Baltimore.

For our partner congregation in Masisiwe, Tanzania.

MILITARY CONCERNS:

LCpl Marine Wyatt Reeves, Elida's grandson. Prayers for continued protection.

*Please remember to contact the church office to keep the continuing prayer list current. Prayers listed in the bulletin will also appear on the website within the bulletin.

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