

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



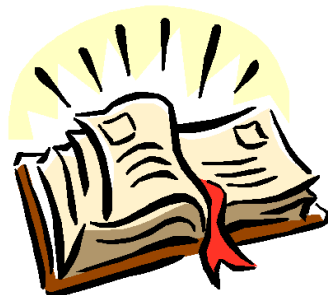
### THE ANNUAL MEETING

will be held immediately after the service on **Sunday, January 28th.**

Among other things, at this meeting we will hold an election to fill open positions on the Council, and approve the 2024 operating budget.

Regarding the budget, Treasurer Mike Nollan will be holding a **Budget Review** session on **Sunday, January 21st**, after the service.

This session will provide a sneak peak at the operating budget proposed for 2024 and answer any questions you may have about CTK's finances."



### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

**This Thursday, JANUARY 18**  
9:00 am  
in the library.

Please join us for a Bible Study from "Gather" magazine.

No need to prepare ahead of time. We will have materials ready for you to use during class!



Join us next TODAY after worship in the library for a viewing and discussion of *The Chosen*

**Sunday, January 14**  
*"Jesus Loves the Little Children"*

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

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January 14, 2024  
Second Sunday  
After Epiphany

**Pastor** Rebecca Sullivan  
**Music Leader** Lyn Campbell  
**LAM** Julie Ramer  
**Reader** Wayne Langstraat  
**Communion** Howard Juni  
**Ushers** Peggy Keohen, Mike Wallace  
**AV** Craig Carlson, Mike Stepan  
**Altar Guild** Ann Jonell  
**Hospitality** Corrine Erlandson, Johnetta Kofa, Sally Hesse

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

GATHERING	"Manger Throne," by P. Wickham "We're Here to Worship," by T. Jones	KHB
*CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS		Screen
*OPENING HYMN	"Here I Am," by B. Batstone	Screen
*GREETING		Screen
*PRAYER OF THE DAY		Screen
	<b>Thanks be to you, Lord Jesus Christ, most merciful redeemer, for the countless blessings and benefits you give. May we know you more clearly, love you more dearly, and follow you more nearly, day by day praising you, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.</b>	
	<b>Amen.</b>	
SPECIAL MUSIC	"O Christ Surround Me," arr by D. Sims	King's Choir
LESSON	1 Samuel 3:1-10, p 215 NRSV	
PSALM	Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 (read responsively) p 503 NRSV	Screen
*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	"Sing Allelu (refrain)," J.A. Schreiner	Screen
*GOSPEL	John 1:43-51 , p 863 NRSV	
CHILDREN & YOUTH TIME		Pastor Rebecca
SERMON		Pastor Rebecca
HYMN OF THE DAY	"Here I Am, Lord," ELW #574	Screen
APOSTLE'S CREED		Screen

**\*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*Leader: As we celebrate Christ embodied in human form, we pray for God's blessing on the church, the world, and all of creation .*

*A brief silence.*

After each petition:

*Leader: ...God of grace,*

**All: receive our prayer.**

*Leader: Knowing the Holy Spirit intercedes for us, we offer these prayers and the silent prayers of our hearts in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ.*

**All: Amen.**

*PEACE		Screen
OFFERING	"Manger Throne," by P. Wickham	KHB
*OFFERTORY	"Glory Be to You Alone," by P. Wickham	Screen
*OFFERING PRAYER		Screen
*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING		
*SANCTUS	Holy, Holy, Holy," ELW p. 108 setting 1	Screen
*WORDS OF INSTITUTION		
*THE LORD'S PRAYER		Screen
DISTRIBUTION	"Lamb of God," by Marty Haugen "Will You Come and Follow Me?" ELW #798	Screen
POST-COMMUNION BLESSING & PRAYER		
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*BLESSING		
*SENDING	"Send Us Out," by J. Hersch	Screen
*SENDING OUT		
POSTLUDE	"Light of the Stable," by S. & E. Rhymer	KHB

***Thank you for worshipping 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 continued support of CTK's mission and ministry as we seek to bear fruit in the world.  
Gratitude for the legacy of Martin Luther King Jr. and all who work for racial equality.  
For the Nominating Team as they discern and lift up possibilities for leadership at CTK.

**THOSE GRIEVING:**

For those grieving the death of loved ones.

**THOSE EXPERIENCING CANCER:**

For Ron Nelson, undergoing cancer treatment.  
For Laurie, (Peggy Keohen's friend) in her ongoing cancer battle.  
For Mike Jones, receiving treatment for kidney cancer.  
For Lee Boyce, cancer treatment.  
For Barb, (Jan Hamstead's friend) continued prayers for recovery.  
For Paul Wagener, treatment for stage 3 melanoma.  
Gary Kloos (friend of Julie Ramer) multiple tumors, aggressive cancer.  
Oliver, 12-year-old nephew of Julie (friend of Elida Olson), diagnosed with leukemia.  
Robert Crane (nephew of Sandy Serier) receiving treatment.

**OTHER HEALTH ISSUES:**

For Mike Stepan, for healing.  
For Kyle Haimes & family (friends of Bev & Bob Osborne) as he battles cancer.  
For Cyndi Frankel, prayers for healing.  
For Sterling Hintz, prayers for healing and strength.  
For Justin (Peggy & Terry Keohn's son) as he continues in his recovery.  
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.

**GLOBAL CONCERNS:**

For peace among nations, especially Israel and Palestine, Russia and Ukraine.  
For areas if the US facing severe weather.  
For our partner congregation in Masisiwe, Tanzania.

**MILITARY CONCERNS:**

For all serving and especially LCpl Marine Wyatt Reeves, (Elida's grandson).