

Christ the King Lutheran Church

Transfiguration of Our Lord, February 27, 2022

(* = please stand as you are able)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Jesus in the Morning – spiritual

arr. Jeffrey Honoré

GATHERING AND PRAYER OF THE DAY*

The grace of Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.** Let us pray: **Holy God, mighty and immortal, you are beyond our knowing, yet we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ. Transform us into the likeness of your Son, who renewed our humanity so that we may share in his divinity, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

GATHERING HYMN*

O Morning Star

ELW 308 st. 1-4

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

Parker Lee Van Gerpen

*Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God, the powers of this world that rebel against God, and the ways of sin that draw you from God? **We renounce them.**

Do you believe in God the Father? **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.* On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

WELCOME

Let us welcome Parker.

We welcome you into the body of Christ. With you we praise God and bear the name of Christ for the sake of the world.

READING: Exodus 34:29-35

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION*

Alleluia

GOSPEL READING*: Luke 9:28-36

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SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY

Transform Us

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

OFFERING

Video from Kennedy Community Alliance

Give by mobile: Text "GIVE" to 320-313-1815, by mail or on our website – www.cktb.org/generosity/

If you have brought your offering with you – you may place it in the offering box in the narthex – thank you!

GREAT THANKSGIVING*

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER*

LORDS'S PRAYER*

COMMUNION*

BURYING THE ALLELUIA

When Jesus came down from the mount of Transfiguration, he began to tell his disciples that he would be betrayed and crucified. **Sometimes we lose our Alleluia.**

Jesus did not enter into glory before he stretched out his arms on the hardwood of the cross.

Sometimes we lose our Alleluia.

Jesus told his disciples, "If you want to become my followers, deny yourselves and take up your cross and follow me." **Sometimes we lose our Alleluia.**

This hard work of following Jesus is especially demanding during times of war, pandemic, racial injustice and human suffering. The last few years have taught us: **Sometimes we lose our Alleluia.**

But at Easter we will again celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord and sing, "Christ is risen."

In God's time, we will find our Alleluia. For the days of Lent, we discontinue singing and saying, "Alleluia."

We await the joy of Easter morning when our Alleluias will again burst forth from our lips.

PARTING HYMN*

Alleluia, Song of Gladness

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BLESSING*

DISMISSAL* Go with Christ into a weary world. Share the good news. **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

Toccata on "The God of Abraham Praise"

Michael Burkhardt

Worship Leaders

Preaching

Pastor Trevor Skorburg

Presiding

Pastor Chris Hagen

Children's Message

Trevon Tellor

Lector/Prayers

Susan Hanson

Director of Music/Organist

Bjorn Gustafson

Special Music

Chapel Ringers

All worship and music leaders have been fully vaccinated.

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Baptized today – Parker Lee Van Gerpen, son of Merlin & Sarah Van Gerpen. Sponsors are Shannon and Nate Gromek.

In your prayers this week, please remember:

- **Continuing Prayers:** Laurie Youmans (sister-in-law of Pam Jaye & Karen Youmans), Lois Torvik, Pastor Jim Knutson, Jaden Hanson (relative of Lorie Aljoe), John Peterson (brother of Jim Stoll), Carol Trewartha, Pat Andersen, Jacquie Craig (Jodi Greiner's sister), Mary Thompson, John Salvesson, Carol Grant (Mike Haddox's aunt), Gwen Powell (friend of Carolyn Philstrom), Kris Trenary (friend of Tammy Workman), Shirley Roloff, Merritt Schuelein, Fritz Miller (Rick Turnquist's brother-in-law), Carolyn, Rory, Edan and baby Josephine, Char Weidenbach, and Bev Johnson
- **New Prayers:** Joan Perlich
- Sandy Loehnis 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
- The Rev. Dr. Elizabeth Johnson, Lutheran Theological Seminary, Meiganga, Cameroon

<p>This Week at Christ the King MONDAY – February 28 8:30a Church Chore Crew 9:00a Quilting – Social Hall</p> <p>TUESDAY – March 1 10:00a Staff Meeting – Office 5:30p Madri Gras Meal Making Event 6:00p Chapel Ringers 6:30p Yoga – Commons</p> <p>WEDNESDAY – March 2 Ash Wednesday 8:30a Bible Study – Narthex 10:15a Library Team - Office 5:00p Drive-Up Meal 7:00p Ash Wednesday Worship</p> <p>THURSDAY – March 3</p> <p>FRIDAY – March 4</p>	<p>Next Sunday at Christ the King SUNDAY – March 6 1st Sunday of Lent 9:30a Worship with Holy Communion 10:00a KCC – West Chapel 10:30a Maranatha Christian Congregation – Lounge 10:30a Open Forum – <i>Finding the Mother Tree: Discovering the Wisdom of the Forest</i></p> <p>Bible Reading for next week: Deuteronomy 26:1-11 Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16 Romans 10:8b-13 Luke 4:1-13</p> <p>Open Forum for March March 6 and 13, discussion on the book <i>Finding the Mother Tree: Discovering the Wisdom of the Forest</i> March 20 Nature Heals (Health Cabinet) March 27 an introduction to Prayer Forms and Spirituality Types</p> <p>Reminder - All are welcome to the Loaves & Fishes drive-up meal served at CTK - Monday thru Friday from 5:00pm to 6:00pm</p>
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Wednesday, March 2

Worship at 7pm

In person and livestreamed.

There will be no W.O.W. or Confirmation on this evening – all families are welcome to worship.

Mardi Gras Meal Making

CTK's Community Health Initiative program invites you and your friends and family to join us virtually for our virtual Mardi Gras Meal Making Social Event.

Join Registered Dietitian, Molly Butala and our Health Cabinet on **Tuesday, March 1st at 5:30pm** as we prepare Jambalya and a King's cake. This social event is covered in part by a UM Fairview Grant as part of our Healthy Cooking on a Budget series, focusing on socialization.

The first 20 people to sign up can receive their meals for free and ingredients can be delivered to you.

If you would like to opt out and buy your own groceries the ingredient list is available on the sign-up link below. You also have the option to alter ingredients to fit your dietary needs.

Mardi Gras Meal Making Event Link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeG2kSSGx57rsTp2G8NbRopTgd7Woq3G022SMebnxqk7IS8XQ/viewform?usp=sf_link



February Gift of Love - Camp Scholarships

Bible Camp - Where we encounter Christ through God's people and creation. Some of our CTKB youth will attend Sugar Creek Bible Camp. These camps are filled with daily bible study, worship, campfires, horseback riding, swimming, arts & crafts, naturalist time, creek stomping, games, canoeing, and a "Christ hike" night. Information brochures are available. The cost averages \$400-500 per camper, and we have families who need an extra "gift of love" to be able to send their child(ren) to camp. We are going to stay positive and pray that we are able to "camp" this summer! You can donate to GOL with your weekly envelope, online, or drop it in the offering box in the narthex. Thank you!

Community Garden Box Building

Join us on from **1:00 PM-4:00 PM March 12th** for our 2nd Community Garden Box Building event. Impact drivers are needed. If you own one, bring it along with an extra battery if you have it. We are hoping to finish building them that day, so we can get ready to install them as soon as the weather improves.

Easter Altar Flowers

Starting March 6th - Order sheets for Easter flowers can be found on the Library desk or in the office during Lent. Flowers can be ordered in honor of, or in memory of loved ones for display in the sanctuary on Easter Sunday.
Orders are due by April 3rd.

Writing Prayers

Do you like to write? Would you like to write the prayers for Sunday morning? If you feel God is speaking to you and you would like to help, please call the office (952-881-8600) or email Pastor Chris, chagen@ctkb.org. He can answer any questions or give you information to help. Pray on it and let us know.