



THE CROWNICLE

CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH



Grace to you and Peace from God our Father and the LORD Jesus Christ,

²⁴For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? ²⁵But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

²⁶ Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. ²⁷And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.*

²⁸ We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose.

Romans 8:24-28

I am writing to you while I am attending our Oregon Synod Bishop's Convocation and have just left a presentation and conversation led by Bishop David Brauer-Rieke on "Care and Compensation: Healthy Relationship Between Pastor and People". Let me cite just some of the goals that Bishop Dave presented to all the roster personnel in the Oregon Synod.

The GOAL: A Healthy Relationship Between Pastor and People . . .

- Means that there is a mutually shared vision of the congregation and its mission.
- Means that there is mutual respect for the gifts and responsibilities that each has.
- Means that good communication and collaboration are pursued, especially through an active Mutual Ministry Committee, or other support and conversation, Committee or process.
- Means that there is a clearly defined set of goals for the congregation and pastor that have the solid support of the whole congregation.

The goal for every congregation, and being emphasized in our Oregon Synod, is to be healthy and effective in mission to the world. The goal at Christ the King Lutheran is the very same – we want to be effective and healthy in our serving, in our worshipping, and in our caring.

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UPCOMING DATES

† All Saints' Sunday, Potluck, and "Meet & Greet" Sunday, Nov. 1st Following Worship

† Special Congregational Meeting Sunday, Nov. 8th Following Worship



PASTOR RANDY'S OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Thurs 9 am – noon
Mon & Wed 5 – 7 pm

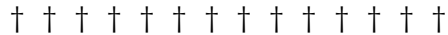
Please call Pastor Randy at the church office, 503-639-2789 or on his cell phone, 425-501-6073, to schedule an appointment.
pastorrandy@figardlutherans.com

This happens most effectively and healthily when the relationship between a pastor(s) and the congregation is healthy and everyone is working together for the “good of those who love God”. This happens when both the pastor and the lay leaders are working together in mutual conversation, evaluation, and service. This happens when the congregation is committed to the shared mission to the world and its community.

You are about to call a new “settled pastor”. I encourage you to commit yourselves to working together, to being in conversation concerning your goals for mission, and to supporting each other through all the ups and downs of ministry together. If you do this, then the years ahead will be rewarding and fulfilling for all of you.

Thank you for being with me through this time of transition, change, and transformation and the opportunity to serve together with you. In Christ’s name,

Blessings,
Pastor Randy, Interim Pastor



A CANDIDATE RECOMMENDED

On October 15, the Call Committee made their recommendation to your Church Council to present a pastoral candidate to the congregation for approval. Your Church Council wants to thank the entire Call Committee for the great work they have done on behalf of the congregation. We also want to thank Jane and Nora for their wonderful leadership and constant and purposeful communication with the congregation.

The Council has set the **Special Congregational Meeting** date to be **November 8th**, 2015, following the worship service. The agenda will be:

1. A single written ballot of ‘Yes or No’ to accept the recommended candidate as our next Pastor, which requires a 2/3 majority of those attending for approval.
2. A voice vote to accept the terms and conditions of the Letter of Call.

Only CTK members with Voting Member status will be allowed to vote. As before, you will be asked to sign in before the vote. A quorum will be necessary to make this vote official.

AN OPPORTUNITY TO MEET THE CANDIDATE

On Sunday, November 1st, after our worship service, there is a potluck lunch where you will be able to meet the candidate in person and have an opportunity to ask questions and have some mingling time. Hope you can come!

With GOD's blessing,
Steve Larsen, CTK Council President



MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of Christ the King Lutheran Church is to:

WELCOME

All people with God's unconditional love

CELEBRATE

Jesus Christ and each other

GROW

In faith through the Holy Spirit

SERVE

Human and community needs

A SPECIAL TRIP TO HONOR ONE WHO SERVED

In September, Duane Birkeland, accompanied by his son, Doug Birkeland, took a special trip to Washington DC where Duane was honored as a veteran of WW2. This trip was coordinated by Honor Flight of Portland and Bend Heros/Honor Flight of Bend. They visited the WW2 memorial, the Capital, and the Navy Memorial on Friday, Sept 18. Saturday they visited the Lincoln Memorial, Vietnam Memorial, Korean War Memorial, and the FDR memorial. Then they went to the Marine Corps (Iwo Jima) Memorial, Women in Armed Service Museum, the Air Force Memorial, and Arlington National Cemetery. There was a ceremony honoring the veterans at the WW2 memorial.



Duane serving in the Philippines.

Doug describes the following: We were flying home to PDX yesterday about 2:10, pm when someone said "look out the window". The emergency vehicles were lining the runway and taxiway with their lights and sirens on. The fire trucks were shooting water in the air like the fire boats do when a ship arrives to port. When we entered the airport, there was an honor guard saluting us, a color guard leading us and a bagpiper playing. People were on both sides of the walkway cheering and applauding, thanking the veterans for serving their country. Some people shook my dad's hand thanking him for serving. People in the shops and stores were coming out to salute us and thank us. When we arrived at the baggage claim, TV crews were there to greet us. Dad was overwhelmed and so was I. It was well deserved.



Duane in front of WWII Memorial

CTK PRESCHOOL NEWS

Thank you to all who attended our Ice Cream Social and Art Show. Several families from the preschool were there to enjoy the event with us. Our Teachers; Julie MacLean and Heidi Livingston, and Board Members; Leanne Klein, Ruth Cooley, Suzy Cornutt, and Jan Aamodt helped serve up ice cream and everyone got to add more goodies on top. Also, we want to thank all those who took the opportunity to give a donation to the school. Donations help the school keep up on materials and supplies as well as provide scholarships to families in need. We invite church members to a Fiesta

Potluck at 10:30 a.m. on November 6th in Haven Hall. Our Mon-Wed-Fri class will be learning about the Mexican Holiday Dia de los Muertos and comparing it to our American Halloween. The children will be performing Spanish songs and dances and our preschool parents will be providing the Mexican food.

Gracias!!
Cathy McLean, Director



SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to Lorraine Winthers and family on the death of her husband, Bill Winthers, on Sunday, October 25, 2015. Service time is still to be determined. Please remember Lorraine and family in your prayers.

BABY NEWS

Congratulations to Katie & Matt Bowers on the birth of a baby girl, Evelyn Margaret Bowers, Sept. 29, 2015, 9 lbs. Dave & Peggy Noles are the grandparents, Rose Ann Lof is the great-grandma, and Greg Lof is the great-uncle. Congratulations to all!

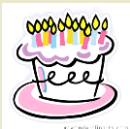
NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS:

- 1 Nathan Henninger
- 3 Jake Ness
- 8 Sharon Dickerson
- 8 Lauri Stollberg
- 8 Ernie Tucker
- 10 Brandon Krieg
- 11 Margaret Westersund
- 11 Joe Scalia
- 14 Judy Maggio
- 19 Thad Clifton
- 19 Margie Walton
- 19 Bradley Nesvold
- 23 Carey Cornutt
- 24 Leah Khalili
- 26 Tom McLean
- 26 Dick Renken
- 28 Ned Snow

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO:

- 4 Larry & Sharon Dickerson
- 14 Roger & Sandy Clifton
- 16 Karen & Mike McNaught
- 29 Jason & Sarah Kruger

Please call the church office if your birthday or anniversary date is not listed or is incorrect.



PINOCHLE GROUP

The Pinochle Group meets November 14th in the Youth Room, 1:00 pm. Beginner players are always welcome. Contact Jan Aamodt 503-590-1662 for questions.

NOTICES

ALL CHURCH CLEAN UP DAY

Please come and help clean up the church grounds. We need leaves raked, sweeping done, and just overall doing things to prepare the yard for the winter months ahead. If you could help for a few hours, bring your gloves, rakes and shovels and come around 9 am. Coffee and snacks will be provided. Hope to see you there.

George Klein and the Church and Property Committee

SEVERE WEATHER SHELTER

St Anthony Catholic Church on McKenzie Street in Tigard provide a Homeless Shelter in their basement on Saturday nights, November through March, and any other night when temperatures are 32 degrees or colder.

St Anthony's Severe Weather Shelter ministry needs volunteers for many things such as overnight host/monitors, providing meals, greet and serve guests, help with laundry, showers or to move signs. If you could help with any of these things, please contact St Anthony's by calling 503-639-4179.



LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF




Thank you to all the great volunteers who helped assemble and pack the LWR kits that were shipped on Oct. 30th. Our donations this year were 67 quilts, 118 school kits, 228 personal care kits and 75 baby care kits. They will be sent to help in disaster areas and refugee camps throughout the world. May all the donations be a blessing to all!



SPECIAL THANKS

Thank you to George Klein for all his work washing windows and doing trim painting around the church! We also thank his helper, Mark Gohlke, for being his "spotter" when George was on a ladder in some tricky places. You both are terrific!!

NOVEMBER

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>1 9am Vineyard Worship</p> <p>10:30 CTK Worship Senior Saint Reception Potluck & "Meet & Greet"</p>	<p>2 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>6 pm Spiritual Growth Group</p>	<p>3 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>7-9 pm Vineyard</p>	<p>4 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>Quilting 9-11:45am</p> <p>Gather Bible Study 12:30 pm</p> <p>7 pm Choir</p>	<p>5 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p>	<p>6 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>2-7:30 pm Red Cross Blood Drive</p>	<p>7</p>
<p>8 9am Vineyard Worship</p> <p>10:30 CTK Worship Special Congregational Meeting</p>	<p>9 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>6 pm Spiritual Growth Group</p> <p>7 pm Council meeting</p>	<p>10 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>7-9 pm Vineyard</p>	<p>11 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p>  <p>7 pm Choir</p>	<p>12 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p>	<p>13 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>Choir Retreat</p> <p>2-7:30 pm Red Cross Blood Drive</p>	<p>14 Choir Retreat</p> <p>1-5 pm Pinochle Group</p>
<p>15 9am Vineyard Worship</p> <p>10:30 CTK Worship Home Communion</p>	<p>16 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>6 pm Spiritual Growth Group</p>	<p>17 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>7-9 pm Vineyard</p>	<p>18 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>Quilting 9-11:45 am</p> <p>7 pm Choir</p>	<p>19 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p>	<p>20 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>2-7:30 pm Red Cross Blood Drive</p>	<p>21 9 am Fall All Church Clean-Up Day</p>
<p>22 9am Vineyard Worship</p> <p>10:30 CTK Worship Crownicle Deadline</p>	<p>23 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>6 pm Spiritual Growth Group</p>	<p>24 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>7-9 pm Vineyard</p>	<p>25 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>7 pm Choir</p>	<p>26 THANKSGIVING OFFICE CLOSED</p> 	<p>27 OFFICE CLOSED</p> <p>2-7:30 pm Red Cross Blood Drive</p>	<p>28</p>
<p>29 9am Vineyard Worship</p> <p>10:30 CTK Worship</p>	<p>30 Preschool 8:30-11:25 am</p> <p>6 pm Spiritual Growth Group</p>					

CTK OFFICE HOURS
 MONDAY-FRIDAY
 8:30 AM TO 12:30 PM

DECEMBER NEWSLETTER
 DEADLINE: SUN., NOV 22

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