

# WEEKEND MESSENGER

OUR MISSION IS TO SHINE THE LIGHT OF JESUS, REFLECT HIS UNCONDITIONAL LOVE, & MIRROR HIS KINDNESS TO ALL PEOPLE.



18TH WEEKEND AFTER PENTECOST SEPTEMBER 22ND & 23RD, 2018

## THIS WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

**FRESH CHANCEL FLOWERS** today are given to the glory of God by Sally Morris in honor of her grandson AJ's birthday.

**GENEROSITY MINISTRY SKITS** will be at the beginning of worship this Sunday, September 23rd, and next Sunday. 2019 Estimate of Giving Cards will be available beginning October 6th. Consecration Weekend is October 13th & 14th.

**HAVEN OF REST VOLUNTEERS** are needed to serve supper in Akron **next Saturday, September 29th**. Sign up on the bulletin board to help; see Sue Simmons with questions.

**FALL ENDOWMENT GRANT REQUESTS** are due in the Endowment mailbox **next Sunday, September 30th**. Blank request forms are there. See a committee member for information: Kristin Bedford, MJ Neel, Mike Pereksta, Mike Procop, & David Schiopota.

**LAFF TO TOUR COVERED BRIDGES** of Ashtabula County. All 15 reservations for the bus tour are taken, but the winery may have seats left for our 4 PM tour Sunday, October 14th. To participate, contact Shirley Duffy ASAP.

**WANT TO SHARE CHRISTIAN inspirational magazines?** If you have *Gather*, *Guideposts*, *Christ in Our Home* magazines you're done with, remove your mailing label, & put them in the marked Giving Center Bin to be given to a shut-in, nursing home, Battered Women's Shelter, etc.

**CHRIST IN OUR HOME** daily devotionals for October through December, in regular & large print, are on table by nursery.

**WANT A QUICK DEVOTIONAL?** ELCA *Prayer Ventures* might be just what you need! See table by the nursery for the October edition.

**AM I SHINING THE LIGHT OF JESUS** on those I don't like?

**TUESDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** weekly meetings are underway in room 105 at 10 AM. We are finishing prayer and starting a study on repentance this week, so please bring your July/August & September *Gather* magazines if you have them. All women are welcome!

**SENIOR CHOIR** rehearsals for singers high school age & older are at 7 PM on Thursdays in the choir room. See Music Director Kevin Basom with questions.

**PLEASE CHECK YOUR CTK MAILBOX** every week. Important information is languishing in some boxes.

**RITE OF HEALING** will be part of both weekend services October 6th & 7th. The rite includes special prayers, the laying on of hands, and anointing with oil for anyone who might benefit.



**PET BLESSING SERVICE** will be Sunday, October 7th, at 2 PM in the back parking lot. All species of pets are welcome to bring their people, as long as one of the pair is leashed, caged, or otherwise constrained.



Invite your human, furry, finned, or scaled friends.

**NEW MEMBER CLASS** has been scheduled for 9:30 - 11:30 AM Saturday, October 13th. If you are interested or want more information, please circle #2 on the pew pad or speak with Pastor Matthew.



**TRUNK OR TREAT** at Ctk, open to the community & sponsored by ROCK, will be Saturday, October 27th, 4:00 - 5:30 PM. Watch for details & a sign-up sheet. Many trunks are needed, so plan to attend! After worship that evening there will be a bonfire with s'mores!

**DON'T FORGET OUR EMAIL PRAYER CHAIN!** Email your prayer request to gingerpituch@gmail.com for Ginger to start the chain. If you would like to be one of the pray-ers, please email Ginger & ask her to include you. Requests sent via prayer chain are kept confidential by all participants.

**LUTHERAN DISASTER RESPONSE** helps those affected by Hurricane Florence until clean-up is complete. 100% of donations to LDR designated "Hurricane Relief" go directly to that cause. Give via your giving envelope or at <https://community.elca.org/hurricane-relief>.

**COLLEGE ADDRESSES?** Please give Wendy your college student's 2018-2019 address so Ctk can stay in touch!

**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK**  
9/23 Jay Hartland  
9/27 Tyler Oravetz  
9/28 Nancy Anderson



**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK**  
9/23 Denise & Mark Tiearney

**GIVING CENTER COLLECTIONS**-See display & collection policy on Giving Center.  
Christian magazines for shut-ins - Ongoing  
Inkjet Cartridges - Ctk Youth - Ongoing  
Misc. Household - Lutheran Outreach - Ongoing  
Cash - Salvation Army Bed & Bread - Ongoing  
Aluminum Cans - Ctk General Fund - Ongoing  
Toiletries - Battered Women - Ongoing  
Food for TEAC - Ongoing

Shining the Light of Jesus at Worship this Week

## 5:30 PM SATURDAY WORSHIP

Worship Leader - **Katie Bach**  
Usher - Volunteer needed  
Acolyte - **Spencer Bach**  
Sound Booth - **Wendy Gibbons**

## 9:30 AM SUNDAY WORSHIP

Lector, Communion - **Sally Morris**  
Prayer Leader - **Diane Procop**  
Greeter - **Chris Spitz**  
Ushers - **Linda Bendler, Denise Hall**  
Acolyte - **Lauren Williams**  
Altarcare - **Kate Hartland**  
Punch Maker - **Wendy Gibbons**  
Coffee Clean-up - **Sandy Molnar**

## WELCOME VISITORS!

Please sign the guest register on the stand outside the sanctuary.



**IMPORTANT CTK MESSAGES** should be left with Pastor **Matthew Groenke** on ext. #109, or press 5 if it is an emergency. Messages left for the office are not answered on the weekend.

## SEPTEMBER FINANCES FOR CTK

	Operating Expenses	Income Deposits
Week 1	2,197	3,618
Week 2	4,304	4,026
Week 3	4,226	4,805
Month to date	10,727	12,449
Week 4 est	8,474	?
Month to date	19,201	12,449

Amt needed this month (6,752)  
August 31 YTD Deficit (1,414)

**Complete financial information is posted on the kiosk. Ministries are asked to curb spending.**



Show by your good life that your works are done with gentleness born of wisdom.

James 3:13, NRSV



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Saturday worship: 5:30 PM

Sunday worship: 9:30 AM

Communion at both worship services

Sunday School: 10:45 AM

Ministers of our church: ALL our members!

Office open 9am-3:30pm Mon - Wed,

& 9am - noon Fridays

Christ the King Staff

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Ava Gravino, Sunday Nursery Attendant

SHINING THE LIGHT OF JESUS!

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& WE'RE ON FACEBOOK!

TO SEE OUR CALENDAR ONLINE:

http://ctktwinsburg.com/?page\_id=72



September 22nd  
is Fall Equinox!

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

**Bold font indicates members**

\*indicates new this week

Please print requests on the sheet on

the lectern outside the sanctuary.

**Sympathy for the families of:**

\*Olympia Rousos

\*Alan Weiser, **Deacon Patti's** father

Bob Gough

Rev. Pam Garrud

**For Healing:**

\*Bethany Meissner, **Deacon Patti's**  
daughter-in-law

\*Paul Tooley

\*Edie Stevenson

Sara Reilly, **MJ Neel's** niece

Don Mead, **Wendy Gibbons' dad**

Kim Kelly, **Lisa Doty's** sister

Rocco Blackwell

Joan Blackwell

Bob Groenke, **Pastor Matthew's** father

The Stokes-Thomas family

Randy Snyder

Kaitlyn Huml

Lisa Durbin

Nancy Fasnacht

Dakota Miller

Terry Gough

Sam

Sandra Livengood, **Pat Wilhelms'**

sister

Leslie Miller

Geri Tisch

Janice Hayes, **Leatrice Alexander's**

cousin

**Mark Tiearney**

Robin Kollmon

Scott Crosnickel

**Long Term Needs:**

**Zoe Shore-Kirchens**

Jaina & Chesley Cormack

Mary Ann Langham

Jim Bortak, **Bob's** brother

Anna Kmetz, **Ginger Pituch's** mother

**Linda Mondry**

Jessica Izzo

Carrie Rae, **Rae & Ray Kendrick's** niece

Gus Wedemeyer, **Kristin W. Goss's**

father

**Larry Jaskiel**

Adriana Belt, **Mary Ellen Robinette's**

great niece

Maureen Reese

Anthony Nedelka, **Cheryl Stumpf's**

grandson

**Tom Royon**

**Ann Balcerzak**

Dawn Smith, **Denise Hall's** sister

Dorothy Barnes

John W. Smith, **L. Alexander's** brother

Emily & her family

Cherrie

Michael Hall, **Denise's** husband

Charles Henderson

All victims of gun violence

Families dealing with addictions

Louis Fiorilli, **Cheryl Stumpf's** father

Wendy Reagan, **Louise Susnik's** cousin

Tim Taylor, **Sally Morris' nephew**

**\*Special prayers for:** those affected by

Hurricane Florence

**Expectant mothers:** **Alexa Smiddle;**

Rachel D.; Elyse Deogracias

**Prayers for those in nursing homes:**

Mrs. Palmeri; **Barbara Keyser**

Evelyn Kalen, **Pat Wilhelms' mother**

Martha Hoover, **Cindy Meyer's mother**

**Prayers for guidance for our nation &**

**leaders; safety for first responders**

**and for all serving in our military,**

**including:** **Danielle & Chris Smith,**

**Nicholas & Katie Novotney,** Bob

Campbell, Eric Krantz, Bryan Andrews,

Justin Herman, Brie Costa, Christopher

Schwartz, **Eric Spaeth**

*National Guard & ROTC:* **Kevin Smith,**

**Aaron Smith**

**\*Congregational Prayer for Ctk**

**families:**

**Lori, Mitch, & Mackenzie Harrison**

**Jay, Kate, Ryan, Stephanie, Justin,**

**Natalie, & Travis Hartland**

**David, Tina, Emily, & Gary Heath**

**\*Ministries of the ELCA:**

Good Shepherd

Lutheran in

Cleveland



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
September 23rd	September 24th	September 25th	September 26th
9:30am Worship with Holy Communion, Generosity Ministry Skit 10:45am Sunday School for all ages	11am Staff meeting 7pm G.S. Troop #90603 - Fellowship Hall	9am Tuesday Ministry Meeting - Room 103 10am Women's Bible Study - Room 105 10am Pastors Text Study - Rejoice, Hudson 1pm Assemble October Messenger - Room 103 6pm G.S. Troop #91007 - Fellowship Hall	10:30am Mail Messenger 12pm Faith Wednesday - Read Chapter 10 of the Gospel of John for class 6:15pm G.S. Troop #90720 - Fellowship Hall
Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
September 27th	September 28th	September 29th	September 30th
7pm Senior Choir - Choir Room	No events scheduled.	5pm Carpool to Haven of Rest to serve supper 5:30pm Worship with Holy Communion	9:30am Worship with Holy Communion, Generosity Ministry skit 10:45am Sunday School

Deadline to submit Fall Endowment Grant Requests

