

Christ the King Lutheran Church Weekly Messenger – July 5th, 2026

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REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS (* indicates new this week.)

Please write new prayer requests on yellow page on lectern outside the sanctuary.

Sympathy for the families & friends of:

Barb Steingass, *Rev. Jon Steingass' wife*
Craig Monnett, *Tina Coleman's cousin*

Healing for:

*Paul Gochnour
*Tim Coleman, *Bob's brother*
Tammy Lyons
Mickie Semenas
Helen Yarcusko
Ed Kijauskis

*Prayers for CtK families:

Braden & Gabi Susnik
Brent & Kori Susnik
Jim & Louise Susnik

Special prayers for:

*Those impacted by Hiram Lane gas explosion
*Victims of earthquakes in Venezuela
Safety for summer travelers

Long-term healing, support, & concern for:

*Pam and her caregiver, Chuck
Ebola victims worldwide
The Gough family
Linda Basom, *Kevin's wife*
Barbara

Long-term prayer, continued:

Joe Matula, *Tom Pituch's brother-in-law*
Lynn Pereksta
Art Duffy
Michael Hall
Dick Dunker
Ken Harnak, *Brian's dad*
Carole Bertoni, *Joanne Ciarniello's sister*
CtK & our leaders
Dorothy Mackenzie, *Lori Harrison's mother*
All military personnel & first responders
Pablo Gayhart, *Danny Lange's brother-in-law*
Tom Morris, *Sally's husband*
John McBride
Mike Procop
Carol Meyer, *Joe's sister*
Jim Kocianic
Zoe Shore Kirchens
Will Smith, *Stacy Reyes' uncle*
Mallory Martin
Peace in Middle East, Lebanon, Iran, Palestinian territories, Israel, Sudan, Ukraine
Jackie McGregor
Courtney Thompson, *Louise Susnik's cousin*
Melissa Pereksta, *Mike's sister-in-law*

CTK CALENDAR FOR JULY 5th – 12th, 2026

Sun. July 5	10:00 AM Sunday Worship with Communion – Pastor John Butchko presides. Please wear name tag to worship.
Sun. July 5	4:00 – 5:30 PM Free Community Meal – Ss. Cosmas & Damian Catholic Church
Tue. July 7	Time TBD Finance Ministry
Wed. July 8	5:30 PM Dinner at Sirna's Café and 7:00 PM Chardon Polka Band concert - Bedford
Thur. July 9	7:00 PM Outside Group – Fellowship Hall
Fri. July 10	Office closed
Sun. July 12	10:00 AM Sunday Worship with Communion – Rev. Gale Green presides. Please wear name tag to worship.
Sun. July 12	4:00 – 5:30 PM Free Community Meal – Faith United Methodist Church
Sun. July 12	11:15 AM Outreach Meeting

JULY 5th ANNOUNCEMENTS

Presiding Minister: *Pastor John Butchko*
Lector, Prayer Leader: *Karen Reid*

Communion: *Joanne Ciarniello, Kerry Dominick*
Offering Counters: *Karen Reid, Debbie Virgili*

Pick up your copy of the July Messenger from your mailbox or from the glass table in the narthex!

Remember to bring a lawn chair to the 7:00 PM Chardon Polka Band Concert in Bedford on Wednesday, July 8th.

Due to scheduling conflicts, the Finance Ministry will meet at a time to be announced on Tuesday, July 7th, and Outreach has delayed its monthly meeting to Sunday, July 12th. Council has delayed its July meeting to 6:30 PM Wednesday, July 15th.

Help victims of Venezuela earthquakes by making contribution to *Lutheran Disaster Response* through your giving envelope. Please make payment separately from your regular giving.

Thanks to everyone who contributed gift cards to assist Hiram Lane residents. CtK members & friends dropped off 22 cards to be delivered to Rejoice! Lutheran and then on to the explosion victims.

Everyone is invited to enjoy pizza or other Italian fare at the July 22nd Culture Quest dinner at Mama Santa's Restaurant & Pizzeria in Little Italy. Carpools will leave CtK at 5:15 for the 6:00 PM dinner. Sign up on the bulletin board by Sunday, July 19th. See hosts Jody Clare-Harnak & Brian Harnak for more information.

ALL women are invited to attend the next monthly Women's Bible Study at 10:00 AM Tuesday, July 14th. Please see Karen Reid with questions.

CtK's Undies Sundays collection for Haven of Rest runs through Sunday, July 19th. Get flyer from the glass table. Place NEW undies & sock donations in all sizes & colors (except white!) for men, women, girls, boys, toddlers, *plus* babies' Onesies in designated Giving Center bin. Women's undies in all sizes and men's size Small are especially needed. Cash or checks *made out to Joanne Ciarniello* go in Joanne's CtK mailbox.

The Twinsburg Native Habitat Association is sharing this link to the "Protecting the Pollinators" workshop program: <https://mycommunityfocus.cablecast.tv/internetchannel/show/1147>

July to September *Christ in Our Home* devotional books are on the Welcome Table. Pick up a copy today!

The next Red Cross Blood Drive at CtK will be 12:00 to 6:00 PM Tuesday, July 21st. Make a donation appointment at redcrossblood.org.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

7/6 Amy Bates
7/7 Lynn Cicchirillo

ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK

7/11 Sally & Tom Morris

CTK 2026 COUNCIL MEMBERS

Bob Coleman, President	John Kaufman, Member At-Large
Chris Driver, Vice President	Karen Reid, Member At-Large
Brian Harnak, Secretary	Denise Tiarney, Member At-Large

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING – 6:30 PM Wednesday, July 15th – Note date change!

Approved minutes of recent Council meetings & Congregational meetings are posted on the kiosk by the office.

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*Our mission is to shine the light of Jesus,
reflect his unconditional love,
and mirror his kindness to all people.*