

Christ the King Lutheran Church Weekly Messenger – July 26th, 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.

Healing for:

*Lynne Bailey
*Matthew B.
Frank, *Joanne & Rich Ciarniello's* nephew
Linda Schmida
Mimi Locker, *Cindy Meyer's* cousin
Paul Gochnour
Tim Coleman, *Bob's* brother

*Prayers for CTK families:

Debbie Wilhelms, Julia & Dylan Noble
Rich Wilhelms
Leatrice Alexander

Special prayers for:

Safety of firefighters battling wildfires and evacuees

Long-term healing, support, & concern for:

Shawn
Kathy & Gail Pavick, *Sue Davis's* sister-in-law & niece
Those impacted by Hiram Lane gas explosion
Pam and her caregiver, Chuck
Safety for summer travelers
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's* 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 26th – AUGUST 2nd, 2026

Sun. July 26	10:00 AM Sunday Worship with Communion – Rev. Richard Seaks presides.
Sun. July 26	4:00 – 5:30 PM Free Community Meal – First Congregational Church on the Square
Thur. July 30	7:00 PM Outside Group – Fellowship Hall
Fri. July 31	Office closed
Sun. Aug 2	10:00 AM Sunday Worship with Communion – Pastor Gale Green presides.
Sun. Aug 2	11:15 AM Outreach Ministry
Sun. Aug 2	4:00 – 5:30 PM Free Community Meal – Ss. Cosmas & Damian Catholic Church

JULY 26th ANNOUNCEMENTS

Presiding Minister: *Rev. Richard Seaks*
Lector, Prayer Leader: *Donna Lange*

Communion: *Linda Bendler, Sandy Longenecker*
Offering Counters: *Linda Bendler, Chris Driver*

Because of Denise Tiearney's vacation, please text or call all prayer chain requests to Ginger Pituch at 440-668-7019 through July 28th and from August 4th through August 8th.

Early August Events: Outreach Ministry – 11:15 AM Sunday, August 2nd; Men's Breakfast at Fresh Start – 9:00 AM Thursday, August 6th; Finance Ministry – 11:00 AM Thursday, August 6th.

Sign up on the bulletin board for **Twin** Twins Days hospitality opportunities: **1.** Share cold water with parade-goers from 8:15 AM – 10:30 AM Saturday, August 8th. **2.** Distribute ice cream cups to people watching fireworks on CtK's lawn starting at 8:00 PM Saturday, August 8th. Bring your own chair to each event! Please see Chris Driver or Joanne Ciarniello with questions.

CtK will staff a table at Tinker's Creek Watershed Partners' annual Tinker's Creek Family Fun Day on Saturday, August 15th from 10 AM to 1 PM in front of Chamberlin Middle School. If you are interested in sitting at the table, please sign up by Sunday, August 9th. Contact Sue Davis for details.

Mark your calendar for a Rite of Healing during 10:00 AM worship on Sunday, August 16th, including anointing with oil and the laying on of hands. Pastor Gale Green is presiding.

Sign up for the August Culture Quest Mexican dining adventure! Everyone is invited to dine at Alejandro's Amigos Taqueria in Stow at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, August 26th. Jane & John Kaufman are the hosts. Please sign up on the bulletin board by Sunday, August 23rd.

Mark your calendars for serving supper at Haven of Rest on Saturday, August 29th, at 6:00 PM. The sign-up sheet is posted.

CtK will host a free community meal from 4:00 to 5:30 PM on Sunday, August 30th. Many volunteers are needed, so sign up for whatever you can do! See meal coordinator Chris Driver with questions.

Take two cans of fruits or veggies to Chick-fil-A Macedonia for Haven of Rest on Thursday, August 6th, from 11 AM to 7 PM. In exchange, you will receive a coupon for a free breakfast sandwich, redeemable at a future visit.

Beginning in August, birthday & anniversary cards will be put in CtK mailboxes instead of being mailed. (Our small denomination, heirloom stamps take up too much space on envelopes.) **Other cards will still be mailed.**

Help victims of recent Texas floods by making a contribution to *Lutheran Disaster Response* through your giving envelope, designating *Texas floods*. Please make payment separately from your regular giving.

The next Red Cross Blood Drive at CtK will be 12:00 to 6:00 PM Tuesday, August 11th. ***There is a critical need for blood! Make a donation appointment at redcrossblood.org.***

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

7/26 Rich Ciarniello

8/1 Chuck Goodnight

ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK

7/30 Charlie & Heather Stayanchi

CTK 2026 COUNCIL MEMBERS

Bob Coleman, President

Chris Driver, Vice President

Brian Harnak, Secretary

John Kaufman, Member At-Large

Karen Reid, Member At-Large

Denise Tiearney, Member At-Large

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING – 6:30 PM Wednesday, August 12th

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

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