

Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight,  
and like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood . . . 1 PETER 2:4



# The Living Stone

June 2, 2017

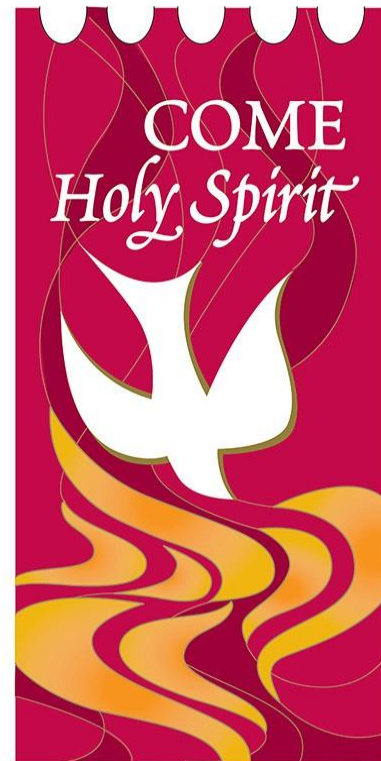
## Greetings,

We celebrate Pentecost this Sunday: the day on which the disciples received the gift of the Holy Spirit! We ask everyone to help us celebrate this special gift from God, given to all believers, by wearing **red** to worship services this Sunday.

Also on this Pentecost Sunday, five youth will be confirmed during the 11:00 a.m. service. A reception for the Confirmands will precede worship at 10:00 a.m. in Cuthbertson Hall. The congregation is invited to come and welcome these newest voting members of CTK into the church family.

See you in **RED** this Sunday!  
In Christ,

*Kathy Voerg*, Business Manager



## Beginning Sunday!!! Hero Central Vacation Bible School 5:30 - 8:15 p.m.

Vacation Bible School Begins Today. Just a reminder that we need all VBS Volunteers to be in fellowship hall by 4:30 p.m. for a short overview meeting. Class lists and your T-Shirts will also be available then. I encourage teachers to check out/set up their classrooms this morning or come

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before 4:30 p.m. We will have dinner ready for you to eat by 5:00 p.m. so that you are available to assist and greet the children at 5:30 p.m. Crew leaders need to sit with their class at their tables. We still need an adult to oversee the VBS service project for Family Promise we are doing. It is an easy job, so let me know if you know of anyone who is available to help. Please feel free to jump in and help us with the students at VBS. Please let me know if you have any questions. Deborah Scarazzo

**There will not be an Adult VBS class this year, due to lack of adults signing up for it.**

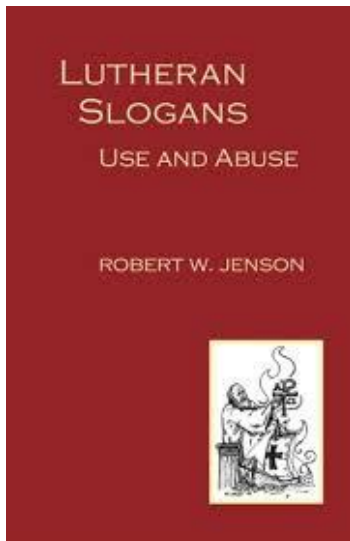


### The Service of Confirmation and a Reception this Sunday, June 4

This Sunday, the Day of Pentecost, we celebrate the Service of Confirmation for five of our young persons. Please remember in your prayers Gaby Benisek, Nicole Kemnitz, Matthew Krzyzanowski, Sara Milejczak, and

Laura Schettler who affirm their baptismal faith and be confirmed in that faith by the church. We thank Shawn Byrne and John Spencer for being their Catechetical instructors. We will also receive new members. The Rite of Confirmation will occur at the 11:00 a.m. service, with new members being received at each service.

**Please also plan to attend the reception for these folks during the 10 am hour in Cuthbertson Hall.**



### Adult Class continues this Sunday at 10:00 a.m. Last Class is June 11

#### **Lutheran Slogans Use and Abuse**

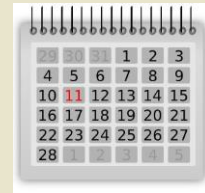
The members of Christ the King who have been attending our adult class on Lutheran slogans have been learning a great deal about what Lutherans believe and what is important for the Lutheran witness to the Word of God. It not too late to join us in learning more about Lutheran beliefs that have been expressed and summarized in these slogans that go all the way back to the Reformation itself. What better way to celebrate the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our heritage by takin another look at these important theological statements. In the

remaining 3 classes we will be taking a look at the slogans; "Real Presence," "Scripture Alone," and Simultaneously Saint and Sinner." Join us for a time of inquiry and spiritual growth.

Restock the Pantry

### Ministry Quick Links

#### Calendar



#### Pastor

Rev. Dr. James A. Clark

#### Program Staff

Deborah Scarazzo,  
*Christian Education Coordinator*

#### Music Staff

Dr. John Broman,  
*Chancel Choir Director*

Sandra Lutters,  
*Minister of Music*

#### Administrative Staff

Kathy Voerg,  
*Business Manager*



#### Christ the King Preschool

Jakima McCall,  
*Preschool Director*



#### Hospitalization Reminder



## LWR Quilting Wednesday, June 14 9:30 - 2:30 p.m.

There are just 2 more opportunities to reach our goal of 150 quilts for Lutheran World Relief. The next quilting sewcialbee is Wednesday, June 14th from 9:30 - 2:30. Bring your sewing machine, scissors, thread and lunch. Our final opportunity is our quilting boot camp. This is our big 3 - day event. This year we will be quilting on WEDNESDAY, July 12 - FRIDAY, July 14th. We will be quilting from 9:30 - 2:30 each day. Bring your sewing machine, scissors, thread and your lunch. We have many

opportunities for YOU to help. You don't need to know how to sew. So, try to join is for any or all of the days. Looking forward to seeing old friends and making new ones. Any questions contact Cathie Gibbons at 678-923-2964 or Catherinegibbons4@gmail.com



## Bags of Love

Outreach is helping with the "Bags of Love" again this year. These are lunches that are delivered during the summer to children that get free lunches during the school year. Without 'Bags of Love Lunches' these children would not have anything to eat during the summer.

**We will be supplying 100 lunches the weeks of July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>.** Below are the ways you can help.

- Pray for these children and their families.
- Volunteer to help make the lunches any of the above Sundays. We will be making lunches Sunday mornings in the kitchen.
- Donate one or more of the following items and place them in the bin in the Narthex:
- Ham (lunch meat for sandwiches) please place in the refrigerator in the kitchen and mark "Bags of Love."
- Lunch bags (paper)
- Ziploc sandwich bags
- Juiceboxes
- Lunch size bags of chips
- Cookies (pre-packaged)

Items (except ham) can be placed in the plastic bin in the Narthex marked "Bags of Love." Outreach and the children of Forsyth County thank you for your generosity. For more information please contact Lu Leeds at 770-315-7113 or luleeds@comcast.net.  
God Bless

Please remember if you or another member of Christ the King has been admitted to the hospital, please notify the church office.



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# GET YOUR RED OF STUFF

## Yard Sale Items now being received!

The garage is open on Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. for your yard sale donations.



## Do You Have Pictures that You are able to send CTK?

Christ the King is looking for pictures of any of the events we have had in 2017. Did you take pictures on Easter, or at the church picnic or at another church event? Please share them with us by sending to [Kathy Voerg](#) and make sure that you have something in the subject line and body of the email so the office knows who is sending them. Your help is greatly appreciated!!



## A Letter about Family Promise - Sign Up for June NOW!

*Members of Christ the King*

Many families and individuals in our community go without proper food, shelter, and essential medical care every day due to a variety of factors

including low wages, job loss, injuries, illness, age, domestic violence, or divorce. While all of us are susceptible to hard times, children are at the most risk. Right now there are over 500 children homeless in Forsyth County.

Would you like to help us make a difference? We need people like you to donate time, energy, and experience in a variety of areas. We need volunteers to make and serve meals. Volunteers to mentor, play games and at times tutor children. We also need overnight volunteers to stay with the families.



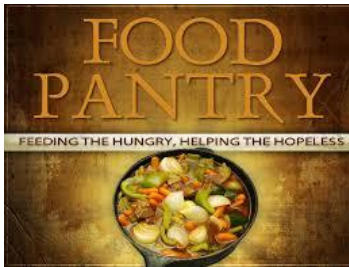
Together, we will be able to help many of these families and individuals not only to meet essential daily needs, but to work toward a brighter future through Family Promise. Our volunteers say they feel rewarded many times over for the help they provide in making a difference in the lives of others. For more information you may contact us at 678-246-9789 or email us at [joelamberts@gmail.com](mailto:joelamberts@gmail.com).

Thank you, and God Bless,  
Mary & Joe Lambert

[Click here](#) and you will be taken to the website to sign-up for many of the volunteer opportunities available during the week that the families are here at Christ the King. Our volunteers for February helped make this ministry successful. The following are the remaining host weeks for Christ the King in 2017:

Jun 11<sup>th</sup> thru Jun 18<sup>th</sup>  
Aug 6<sup>th</sup> thru Aug 13<sup>th</sup>

Sep 24<sup>th</sup> thru Oct 1<sup>st</sup>



### Help needed to replenish the Food Pantry at The Place

Congregations throughout Forsyth County are working together to support our local agency - The Place. Their goal is to have a sustainable pantry for families in our county. They presently serve over 300 families each month in their food market.

You can be a part of this effort by providing needed items. Each month will feature a certain item. Just grab a can or two before you leave for church each Sunday morning. There will be a container in the narthex and the kids will bring their donations forward during the children's sermon. A representative from The Place will pick up the food items bi-weekly.

**June Canned Pasta (like Spaghettios)**

This is a great way to involve the whole family in a much needed effort. Thanks for your support!

*The Outreach Team*

## Calendar of the Week at Christ the King

Date	Date	Date	Event
4-Jun	Sunday		<b>Day of Pentecost</b>
		8:00 - 9:00	Early Holy Communion
		8:30 - 11:15	Scrip on Sale

		9:00 - 10:00	Contemporary Holy Communion
		10:00 - 10:45	Reception for Confirmands and New Members
		11:00 - 12:00	Holy Communion - Rite of Confirmation
		4:30 - 5:00	Volunteers for VBS report
		5:30 - 8:15	<b>Vacation Bible School: Hero Central</b>
5-Jun	Monday	5:30 - 8:15	<b>Vacation Bible School: Hero Central</b>
6-Jun	Tuesday	10:00 - 11:00	Christians In Action (CIA) Bible Study
		1:00 - 3:00	Lydia Circle
		5:30 - 8:15	<b>Vacation Bible School: Hero Central</b>
7-Jun	Wednesday	1:00 - 4:00	Mahjongg
		5:30 - 8:15	<b>Vacation Bible School: Hero Central</b>
8-Jun	Thursday	5:30 - 8:15	<b>Vacation Bible School: Hero Central</b>
		7:30 - 9:00	Sonlight Praise Band Rehearsal
11-Jun	Sunday		<b>The Holy Trinity</b>
			<b>Family Promise Week</b>
		8:00 - 9:00	Early Holy Communion
		8:30 - 11:15	Scrip on Sale
		9:00 - 10:00	Contemporary Holy Communion
		10:00 - 10:45	Fellowship Hour
		11:00 - 12:00	Holy Communion