



Reformation Commemoration

Sunday, November 19 – 4:00 PM

The Reformation Commemoration will be held at Christ the King on November 19 at 4:00 PM. Bishop Macholz will be preaching and Jim Ford will be leading the music. Light refreshments will be available following the service.

There is a sign-up sheet on the Events board for various jobs. These tasks include: ushers, greeters, a parking attendant, a driver from the law firm to church, and people to set up and clean up for the reception.

Company is Coming – Time to Clean House!

In preparation for the Reformation Commemoration here at Christ the King, there will be a church work afternoon on Sunday, November 12th starting at 1:00 PM. Sign up at the Events board. Together we can get the job done and be ready for company!

Leadership Team

There will be two openings on the Leadership Team in 2018. If you are interested in serving on the Team or on the nominating committee for new team members, please talk to a Team member.

*The flowers on the altar are given by Pastor AJ
in memory of his mother, Joan Striffler.*

Friends Dinner

The next Friends Dinner hosted by Christ the King will be held Tuesday, November 7 at 5:30 PM. The Friends Dinner is a weekly dinner for individuals with HIV and AIDS that is hosted by various churches in the community and is held at Trinity Memorial Episcopal Church in Binghamton. The menu for the next dinner includes chili, cornbread, salad, and dessert. There is a sign-up sheet in the entrance hall, if you would like to contribute to the meal and/or help to serve the dinner. If you have questions, contact Angie Crawford (727-6497), Kelli Cruise (349-8557), or Carol Strano (725-6635).

Socks for Souls

The Friday Morning group is collecting socks and toiletries to be distributed to those in need. Suggested donations include socks for boys, men and women; also, toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap, and shampoo. No lotions, please. Donations can be placed in the bin at the Welcome Center.

Connections

We are trying to stay connected or reconnect with our members. Therefore, if you haven't seen someone in church for a while, or if you know that someone is ill, please make a note on the back of your blue connection card so we can follow up with them.

Refrigerator Cleaning

The upstairs refrigerator is going to be cleaned out this coming week. All opened containers of food will be thrown away, as well as anything that has gone beyond its use by date. Comments? See Karen Erdman.

Soup Kitchen

On Saturday, November 18, we will be serving our neighbors at the Soup Kitchen. Casseroles, carrots, and pie are on the menu. If you would like to contribute to the meal, please sign up in the Entry Way or contact Todd Eames (hteames@gmail.com or text at 761-3744).

If you would like to help with preparation, serving, and /or cleanup, the Soup Kitchen is held at First United Methodist Church (corner of McKinley and Monroe) in Endicott. Preparation starts at 10:30 AM and the meal is served at noon.

CHOW Food Donations

Please help fill the CHOW barrel! Once it is full, the Community Hunger Outreach Warehouse will distribute it to needy families in our community. Some examples of items they can use are: cold cereal, peanut butter and jelly, oatmeal, instant potatoes, pork and beans, tuna fish, mac and cheese, and juice. Bring your donations (no glass containers, please) to the blue barrel located in the Entry Way.

Office Notes

The Office will be closed on Friday, November 10. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, November 14.

Printed copies of the **November 2017 Herald** can be found in the Entry Way. It is also online at www.ctkvestal.org under the *Stay Current* tab.

9:00 AM Readers: 11/12 – Curtis Hartwig 11/19 – Susan Owen

Christ the King Weekly Calendar

- Sunday, 11/5
- Classic Worship at 9:00 AM
 - Town Hall Meeting at 10:10 AM
 - Progressive Worship at 11:15 AM
- Tuesday, 11/7
- Tuesday Morning Group at 9:30 AM
 - Friends Dinner at 5:30 PM
 - Property Team at 6:30 PM
- Wednesday, 11/8
- Coffee & Faith Talk at 1:00 PM
 - Dinner & Faith Talk at 5:30 PM
 - CTK Choir Rehearsal at 7:00 PM
- Thursday, 11/9
- Prayer Shawl Ministry at 9:30 AM
 - Leadership Team at 6:00 PM
 - Thursday Small Group at 7:00 PM
- Friday, 11/10
- Office Closed*
- Friday AM Group at 10:00 AM
 - Small Group (Brunt) at 6:00 PM
 - Small Group (Truman) at 7:00 PM
- Saturday, 11/11
- Men's Group at 8:00 AM
 - Band Rehearsal at 10:00 AM
- Sunday, 11/12
- Classic Worship at 9:00 AM
 - Education Hour at 10:10 AM
 - Progressive Worship at 11:15 AM

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