**The Sunday Times**

**May 20, 2018**

***There will be a Town Hall meeting today at 10:15 AM. Please join us!***

**Entrance Hall Displays**

Beginning after Pentecost, the Entrance Hall display wall will be used to showcase items from the congregation. For example, the knitting group could display their prayer shawls and other creations. Others can display their photographs, grandchildren's drawings, paintings, quilts, prints, or posters they have at home and would be willing to display at church for a couple of weeks. Anything that celebrates life and God's love (which is just about anything) would be great! It can be something that is personally made or purchased....it really doesn't matter. Let Linda Truman know if you are interested and she can help with framing, displaying, scheduling etc. This will be a fun way to renew and brighten our Entrance Hall all summer.

**Volunteer Needed**

The Leadership Team is looking for someone to maintain the sanctuary candles, and at Christmas, the Advent wreath. Training will be provided. Please contact Carol Strano if you’re willing to do this.

*The flowers on the altar are given by Rick and Liz Westfall*

*in honor of their 44th anniversary.*

**Community Care Center**

We have centered our current calls for collections in a corner in the Café.

This week’s focus is on **Socks for Souls**. The Friday Morning group will soon be making a donation to the YWCA. Women’s and children’s socks are especially needed. In addition, donations of toothpaste and soap are always appreciated. Donations can be placed in the bin in the Café.

**Can Tabs for Synod**

During Synod Assembly, aluminum can tabs will be recycled, and the funds received for them will go to a worthy cause. Bring your tabs and place them in the container on the Welcome Center. Just three collection weeks remain before Assembly!

**Beginner Tai Chi Class**

An Introduction to Tai Chi class will be held here at CTK on Wednesdays at 11:15 AM, from now until June 27. You still can join! A flyer with more details, as well as a sign-up sheet are on the Events bulletin board.

**Update on Lynn Miller**

On Thursday, May 10, Lynn’s right artificial hip was removed because of infection. A temporary hip was put in on which she can put no weight. She is looking at six weeks of antibiotic therapy and six more weeks of recuperation before the doctors will put in a new hip. Please keep her in your prayers. Thank you.

*Liz Westfall and Family*

**Memorial Day Service**

***Remembering Those Who Served***

Sunday, May 27, 2018 at Noon

American Legion Post 80

76 Main Street, Binghamton, NY

Hosted by: American Legion Post 80 and Redeemer Lutheran Church

**Summer Lunch Program at Redeemer**

Catholic Charities will be running a summer lunch program at Redeemer from July 2 – August 3 and is looking for volunteers. Most of the duties include helping make sandwiches, helping with the kids and cleanup. They are a number of fun activities lined up for this year: line dancing, Finch Hollow visit, ice cream truck and many more! The children earn school supplies by daily attendance and reading for the summer. This is a wonderful program for the neighborhood kids and it can use your help, so if you have the time come help out – it’s a lot of fun for all! A sign-up sheet is on the Events board.

**Office Notes**

The office will be closed on Tuesday, May 22. Regular hours will resume on Wednesday, 5/23.

**Articles for the June Herald** are due to Marsha no later than Wednesday, May 23. Thank you!



*9:00 AM Readers:*  5/20 – Rich Lindstrom 5/27 – Marilyn Dawes

**Christ the King Weekly Calendar**

Sunday, 5/20 - Traditional Worship at 9:00 AM

- Town Hall Meeting at 10:15 AM

- Organic Worship at 11:15 AM

Tuesday, 5/22 *Office Closed*

Wednesday, 5/23 - Dinner & Faith Talk at 6:00 PM

- CTK Choir Rehearsal at 7:00 PM

Thursday, 5/24 - Prayer Shawl Ministry at 9:30 AM

Saturday, 5/26 - Men’s Group at 8:00 AM

Sunday, 5/27 - Traditional Worship at 9:00 AM

- Education Hour at 10:15 AM

- Organic Worship at 11:15 AM

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