



The Sunday Times

January 5, 2020

**Reminder: Sunday Worship at 10:00 AM
continues through January 26, 2020**



CELEBRATION FOR JIM FORD

We would like to thank Jim Ford for his 19 years of dedicated service to Christ the King Congregation. We all have enjoyed his music and he will be greatly missed.

Please join us on Thursday, January 16, 2020 at 6:00 PM in CTK Fellowship Hall

as we celebrate Jim Ford's retirement. Entrée and cake will be provided. Please use the sign-up sheet in the Narthex to let us know if you can join us and if you would like to bring a side dish. We would like to have the final count by next Sunday, 1/12.

Congregational Meeting



The Annual Congregational Meeting of Christ the King Lutheran Church will take place on Sunday, January 26, 2020.

Our Annual Congregational Meeting will begin with a joint worship service on January 26 at 10:00 AM. After beginning our time together in prayer and thanksgiving, we will discuss the mission of the church, including ministry opportunities, election of Church Council and the adoption of the 2020 church mission proposal. A light brunch will be provided for all.

On the Sunday before the meeting, January 19, an Informational Session on the mission proposal will take place in the sanctuary following the service.

All members and friends of Christ the King are invited, and encouraged, to attend both the Annual Congregational Meeting and the Informational Session.

Celebration of Life – Nancy Michael

A celebration of life for Nancy Michael, who passed away December 31, 2019 will be held on Monday January 6th at Christ the King Lutheran Church in Vestal at 2pm. In lieu of flowers, please consider donations in Nancy's name to her church, Christ the King.

Soup Kitchen

On Saturday, January 18, we will be serving our neighbors at the Soup Kitchen. Chicken & biscuits, mashed potatoes, peas & carrots, and pies 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.

Interim Music Director

Beginning next week, Kevin Murphy will be our Interim Music Director. Kevin has attended CTK since he moved to Binghamton in 2009. Over that time, he has played several duets with Jim Ford and filled in on the organ on a few occasions. While the church searches for a permanent full-time organist and choir director, Kevin will serve in an interim capacity, as his schedule allows. The first choir rehearsal of 2020 will take place this Wednesday, January 8 at 7:00 PM.

Printed Church Directory

The printed church directory is being updated. This printed directory is an unofficial listing of those who have filled out a directory information form and is solely for the convenience of those who worship at CTK. A copy is located at the Welcome Center. Please verify your information. If you would like to be included and don't see your name, fill out a directory information form (also on the Welcome Center) and place in the Church Administrator's mailbox. You may also call the Church Office to provide the information.

The 2020 Flower Chart is available on the Events bulletin board in the Narthex. If you would like to sponsor flowers for one Sunday in 2020, please sign up on the chart. As with previous years, the donation for the flower offering is \$20. Thank you for helping to enrich our worship space!

2020 Offering Envelopes are available in the Café. You'll notice that the envelopes are unlabeled. This will be easier and less costly to have them available this way. As a reminder, CTK also has online giving available. It can be found on our website www.ctkvestal.org under "Give Now" or you can call the Office.



Lorna Kinsman	1/7
Frederic Hurdum	1/8

Readers: 1/5 – Curtis Hartwig 1/12 – Rich Lindstrom

Christ the King Weekly Calendar

- Sunday, 1/5 - Worship at 10:00 AM
- Luncheon at 11:30 AM
- Monday, 1/6 - CMY Isaiah Study at 6:00 PM
- Vinsaya Yoga at 6:15 PM
- Tuesday, 1/7 - CMY Bible Study at 6:00 PM
- Property Team at 6:30 PM
- Wednesday, 1/8 - CTK Choir Rehearsal at 7:00 PM
- Thursday, 1/9 - Prayer Shawl Ministry at 9:30 AM
- Leadership Team at 6:00 PM
- Friday, 1/10 - Friday AM Group at 10:00 AM
- Congregation Mashiach Yisrael at 6:00 PM
- Saturday, 1/11 - Men's Group at 8:00 AM
- Sunday, 1/12 - Worship at 10:00 AM

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