



## The Sunday Times

February 9, 2020

### **Town Hall Gathering and CTK Brunch TODAY**

Please stay after worship and join us for a Town Hall Gathering as we enjoy Brunch provided by the "Polar Babes." The Town Hall Gathering will be a time for Pastor Cheryl Ann to continue to get to know us.

### **God's Work Our Hands – Socks for Homeless Souls**

Did you know that there are more than 24 homeless persons sleeping under bridges in Binghamton alone?

Did you know that in 2019, there were 1500 people in shelters in the Southern Tier, including 300 families with children?

During the month of February, we will be collecting socks and other items for the Southern Tier Homeless Coalition. The Coalition is a collaborative non-profit organization committed to providing solutions for homelessness in the Southern Tier area. They would greatly appreciate supplies for "Outreach Kits" which are given to those in need.

Suggested items for the kits are:

- Insulated Socks (Men size 6-12 & Women size 5-9)
- Gloves/Knit Hat
- Toothbrush/Toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Soap/Washcloth
- McDonald's Gift Cards
- Bottled Water

Please bring your items by February 29 and place on the table in the Entry Way. If you have questions, please see Evelyn Goetz.

*The flowers on the altar are given by John and Judy Hiza  
in memory of their niece, Cathy Ann Gould.*

## **You are Invited!**

The Binghamton University Interfaith Council invites you to the grand opening of their new shared space on **February 13** from **2 to 4 pm** in the University Union West Room 306 at Binghamton University.

The Binghamton University Interfaith Council (BUIC) is composed of various religious institutions and organizations around the greater Binghamton area that have committed themselves to serving the religious and spiritual needs of the University community. Pastor Wolling was an inaugural member of this group. Kathy Brunt now serves. Please feel free to ask Kathy about the Council or the Grand Opening!

## **Soup Kitchen**

On Saturday, February 15, we will be serving our neighbors at the Soup Kitchen. Beef stew, bread/biscuits, salad, and cookies 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.

## **Ashes to Go**

Ashes to Go will be happening again this year at Redeemer Church, 72 Main Street in Binghamton, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM on Ash Wednesday (February 26).

On Tuesday, February 25 at 3:00 PM, we will be putting together sandwiches here at CTK for Ashes to Go. Everyone is welcome to help!

## **Communion & Worship Assistants**

Due to some changes that need to be made in setting up communion prior to worship service, and preparing the altar at the time of communion, there will be a short meeting of all our worship and communion assistants immediately following the worship service on Sunday, February 16. It would be helpful if everyone involved would attend. Thank you. *Karen Erdman*



Joshua Faughnan	2/13
Linda Truman	2/15

Readers: 2/9 – Marilyn Dawes 2/16 – Pat Doyle

### **Christ the King Weekly Calendar**

- Sunday, 2/9                   - Worship at 10:00 AM  
                                  - Brunch at 11:15 AM  
                                  - Town Hall at 11:15 AM
- Monday, 2/10               - CMY Isaiah Study at 6:00 PM  
                                  - Vinsaya Yoga at 6:15 PM  
                                  - Worship Planning at 7:00 PM at Pastor's house
- Tuesday, 2/11              - CMY Bible Study at 6:00 PM
- Wednesday, 2/12         - CTK Choir Rehearsal at 7:00 PM
- Thursday, 2/13             - Prayer Shawl Ministry at 9:30 AM
- Friday, 2/14               - Friday AM Group at 10:00 AM  
                                  - Congregation Mashiach Yisrael at 6:00 PM
- Saturday, 2/15             - Men's Group at 8:00 AM  
                                  - Soup Kitchen at 10:30 AM
- Sunday, 2/16               - Worship at 10:00 AM  
                                  - Faith Formation at 11:15 AM

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