



CHRIST THE KING
Presbyterian Church

Exploring Together the Answers Found in Christ

FOR OUR GUESTS

Welcome to Christ the King Presbyterian Church

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:

Adult and children's Christian education classes are at 10:00 am. Information can be found in the back of the bulletin on current Adult Class offerings.

FOR CHILDREN:

Nursery: Nursery is provided during worship and Sunday School for infants and toddlers.

The Nursery can be found in room #111 and if needed room #119.

Nursing Mothers Room: For crying infants and their mothers/nursing moms, room #112 has rocking chairs and audio/video of the service.

COMMUNITY GROUPS:

These groups are our attempt to walk through life with one another. We meet in homes throughout the Roanoke Valley. Church membership is not required to visit or participate. Interested or would like more information? Email office@ctkroanoke.org or check out our website at www.ctkroanoke.org.

SERMONS:

Sermons can be downloaded from our website, www.ctkroanoke.org, or through our podcast on iTunes, "Sermons - Christ the King Presbyterian Church."

REALM:

Realm is an online tool to help the people of CTK connect, grow, and serve together. To find out what is happening each week at CTK, please email office@ctkroanoke.org to request an invitation to Realm.

WIFI:

If you are needing to get online, we have a dedicated "guest" account set up for you. It's called: CTK Guest Wifi and the password is: comethoufount.

HEARING ASSISTANCE:

Download the Audiofetch app to connect your bluetooth hearing device to our service.

1. Go to Google Play or Apple App Store
2. Search for AudioFetch
3. Download the free AudioFetch app
4. Connect to the CTK Guest WiFi in your phone's settings
5. Open AudioFetch App and start listening!

QUESTIONS OR MORE INFORMATION:

Please contact the church office at 540-725-5835 or office@ctkroanoke.org.

STATEMENT OF FAITH

Christ the King Presbyterian Church, a member of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA), believes that the Bible is the inerrant and infallible Word of God and holds to that system of doctrine summarized in the Westminster Confession of Faith and Catechisms.

ORDER OF WORSHIP
DECEMBER 11, 2022

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADVENT READING | *Micah 5:2-5a*

8:30: The Thompsons

11:00: The Pfisters

But you, O Bethlehem Ephrathah, who are too little to be among the clans of Judah, from you shall come forth for me one who is to be ruler in Israel, whose coming forth is from of old, from ancient days. Therefore he shall give them up until the time when she who is in labor has given birth; then the rest of his brothers shall return to the people of Israel. And he shall stand and shepherd his flock in the strength of the LORD, in the majesty of the name of the LORD his God. And they shall dwell secure, for now he shall be great to the ends of the earth. And he shall be their peace.

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP | *Psalm 145:1, 3, 10, 18, 21*

(Leader) I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever.

(All) Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and his greatness is unsearchable.

(Leader) All your works shall give thanks to you, O LORD, and all your saints shall bless you! The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.

(All) My mouth will speak the praise of the LORD, and let all flesh bless his holy name forever and ever.

*Congregation standing

Worship Leader | 8:30 Rev. Tobias Riggs
11:00 Rev. Andrew Martin

1. An - gels, from the realms of glo - ry, wing your flight o'er all the earth;
2. Shep- herds in the fields a - bid - ing, watch- ing o'er your flocks by night,
3. Sa - ges, leave your con - tem - pla - tions, bright- er vi - sions beam a - far;
4. Saints be - fore the al - tar bend- ing, watch- ing long in hope and fear,
5. All cre - a - tion, join in prais- ing God the Fa - ther, Spir- it, Son;

ye who sang cre - a - tion's sto - ry, now pro- claim Mes - si - ah's birth:
God with man is now re - sid - ing, yon - der shines the in - fant Light:
• seek the great De - sire of na - tions; ye have seen his na - tal star:
sud - den - ly the Lord, de - scend - ing, in his tem - ple shall ap - pear:
ev - er - more your voic - es rais - ing to th'e - ter - nal Three in One:

REFRAIN

Come and wor - ship, come and wor - ship, wor - ship Christ, the new - born King.

*PRAYER OF ADORATION

CORPORATE CONFESSION

Let us pray:

Heavenly Father,


You have loved us with a love beyond our understanding and called us to be holy as you are holy. Yet, we have gone deaf to your call and sought a righteousness of our own. You have called us into the church, your Body, yet we have continued to live as individuals, being factious, and spurning the unity you have called us to. You have called us to love our neighbor and to serve one another, yet we have ignored the needs of our neighbor and served our own self-interests. You have told us to praise you and give you glory, yet we have exalted ourselves and sought our own honor. Father forgive us. Forgive the ways we have substituted your truth with lies. Forgive how we have sought our own kingdoms rather than yours. Forgive us; and soften our hearts to your word, open our eyes to your will, direct our steps to follow your path, and hear our prayers of silent confession...

SILENT CONFESSION



ASSURANCE OF PARDON | *Titus 3:4-7*

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.



ADVENT ENSEMBLE





1. What child is this, who, laid to rest, on Mar - y's lap is sleep - ing?
 2. Why lies he in such mean es - tate, where ox and ass are feed - ing?
 3. So bring him in - cense, gold, and myrrh; come, peas - ant, king, to own him;


Whom an - gels greet with an - thems sweet, while shep - herds watch are keep - ing?
 Good Chris - tian, fear; for sin - ners here the si - lent Word is plead - ing.
 the King of kings sal - va - tion brings, let lov - ing hearts en - throne him.

This, this is Christ the King, whom shep - herds guard and an - gels sing:
 Nails, spear, shall pierce him through; the cross be borne for me, for you:
 Raise, raise the song on high, the vir - gin sings her lul - la - by:

haste, haste to bring him laud, the babe, the son of Mar - y.
 hail, hail the Word made flesh, the babe, the son of Mar - y.
 joy, joy for Christ is born, the babe, the son of Mar - y.



1. While by the sheep we watched at night, glad tid - ings brought an
 2. There shall be born, so he did say, in Beth - le - hem a
 3. There shall the child lie in a stall, this child who shall re -
 4. This gift of God we'll cher - ish well, that ev - er joy our

f REFRAIN *p* echo
 an - gel bright.
 child to - day. How great our joy! Great our joy!
 deem us all.
 hearts shall fill.

f *p* echo *f*
 Joy, joy, joy! Joy, joy, joy! Praise we the Lord in

echo *p*
 heav'n on high! Praise we the Lord in heav'n on high!

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

(8:30) Caroline Elizabeth Gerrish , daughter of Andrew and Ashley Gerrish

To the parents:

1. Do you acknowledge your child's need for the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ, and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?
2. Do you claim God's covenant promise to be your God and the God of your child and thus present her for holy baptism as the sign and seal of her reception into the covenant family of God?
3. Do you now unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before her a godly example, that you will pray with and for her, that you will teach her the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God's appointment, to bring her up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

To the congregation:

Do you receive Caroline Elizabeth Gerrish as an infant member of this church and promise to surround her with Christian love, to assist her parents, and to set an example for her of genuine Christian faith and virtue so that she will early in life know the reality of personal salvation and rich fellowship in the Kingdom of God?

*SONG OF WELCOME | Jesus Loves Me, This I Know

Warner, 1859 | Bradbury, 1861

**Jesus loves me! This I know,
For the Bible tells me so;
Little ones to Him belong;
They are weak, but He is strong.**

Refrain:

**Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me!
The Bible tells me so.**

PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH AND THE WORLD

8:30 Elder Stuart Bowman
11:00 Elder Frank Smith

(Pastor) This is the Word of the Lord.

(All) Thanks be to God.

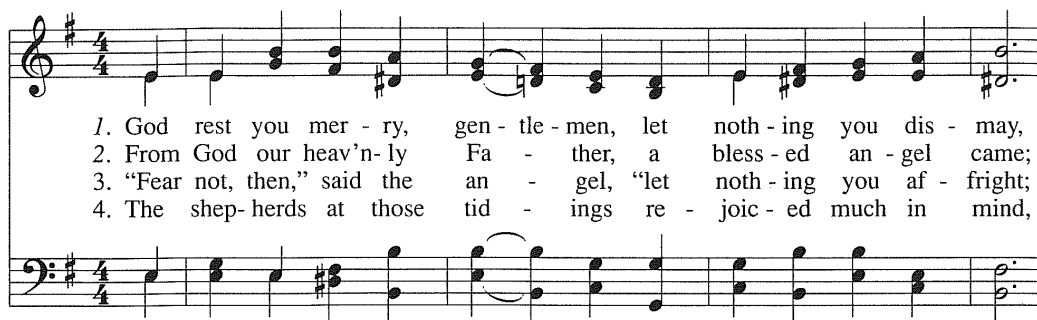
1. The King We Need

2. The King Who Came in Humility

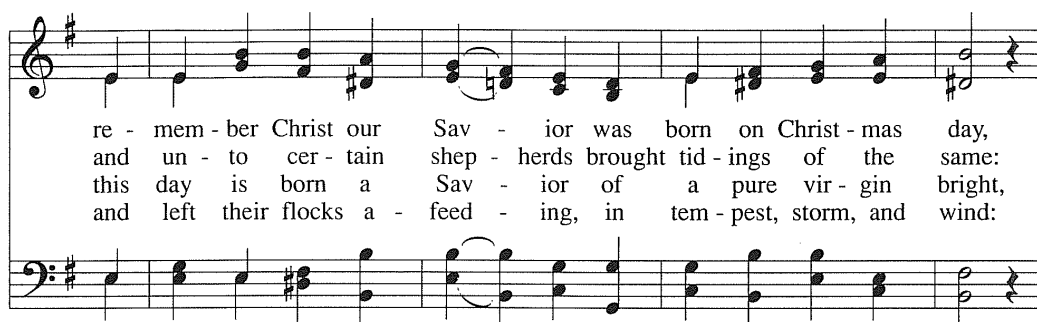
3. The King Who Comes in Exaltation

*SONG OF FAITH (No. 211) | *God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen*

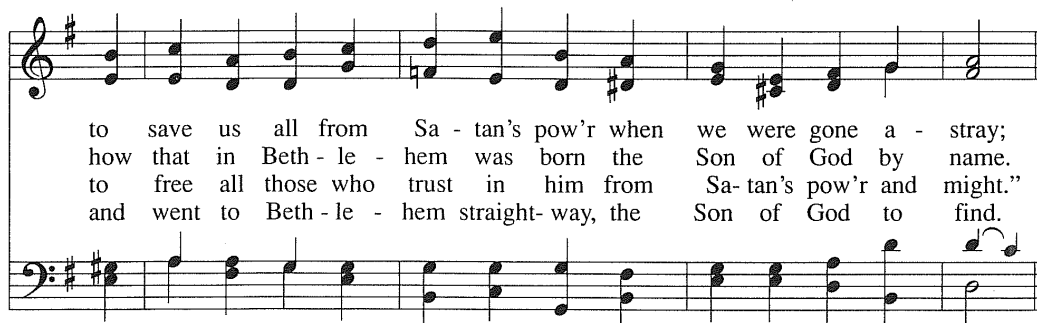
English carol, 18th cent.
English melody, 18th cent.



1. God rest you mer - ry, gen - tle - men, let noth - ing you dis - may,
2. From God our heav'n - ly Fa - ther, a bless - ed an - gel came;
3. "Fear not, then," said the an - gel, "let noth - ing you af - fright;
4. The shep - herds at those tid - ings re - joic - ed much in mind,

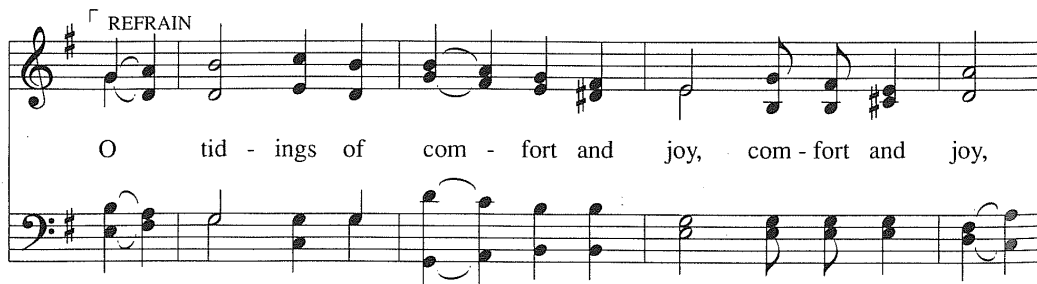


re - mem - ber Christ our Sav - ior was born on Christ - mas day,
and un - to cer - tain shep - herds brought tid - ings of the same:
this day is born a Sav - ior of a pure vir - gin bright,
and left their flocks a - feed - ing, in tem - pest, storm, and wind:

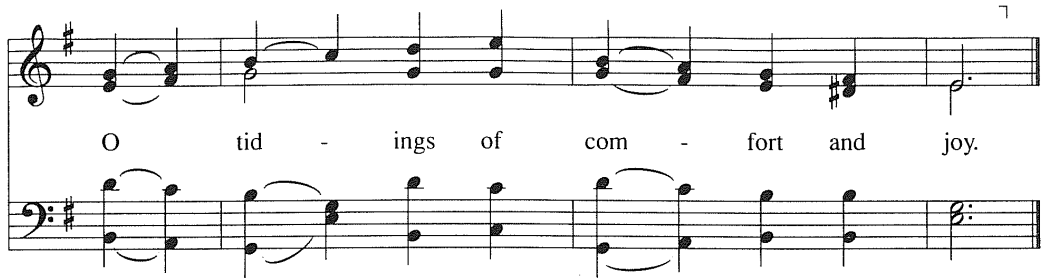


to save us all from Sa - tan's pow'r when we were gone a - stray;
how that in Beth - le - hem was born the Son of God by name.
to free all those who trust in him from Sa - tan's pow'r and might."
and went to Beth - le - hem straight - way, the Son of God to find.

REFRAIN

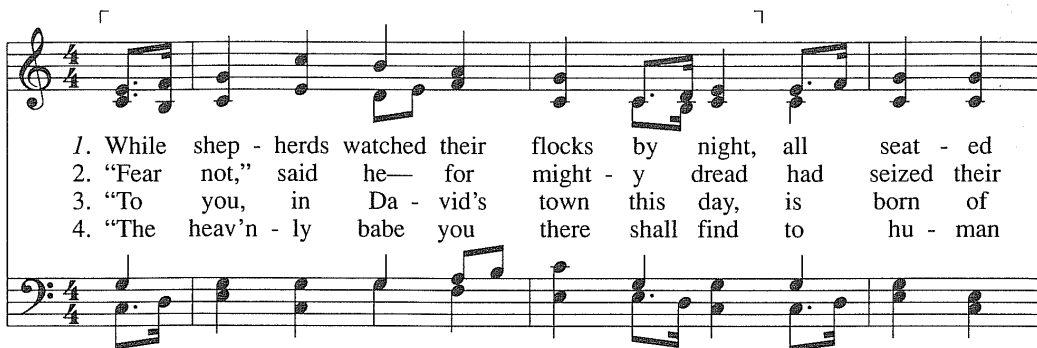


O tid - ings of com - fort and joy, com - fort and joy,

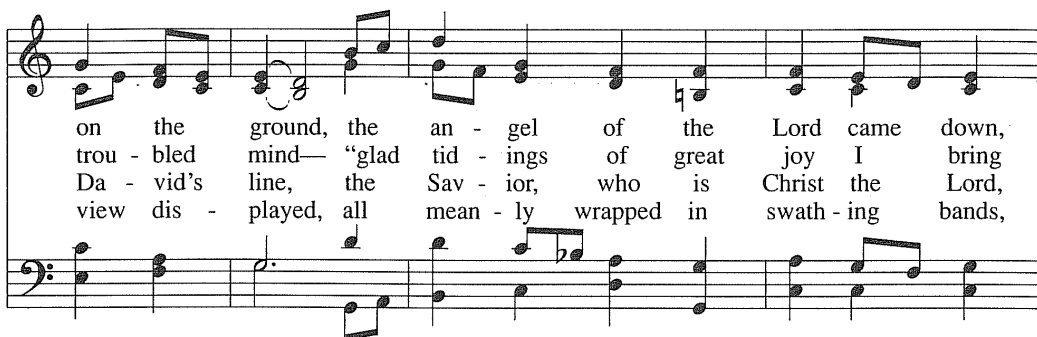


THE LORD'S SUPPER | *See comments below*

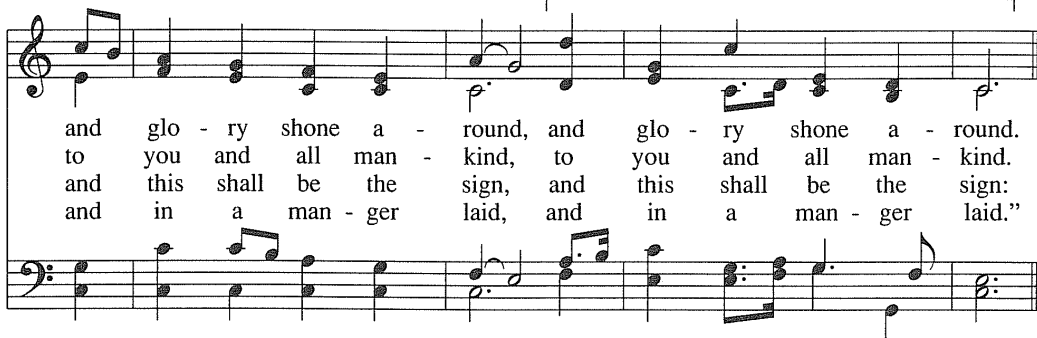
We come forward by row to receive the elements. Wine is found in red cups (outer ring), grape juice in clear cups (inside rings). Gluten free wafers are available in both serving lines. If you are unable to come forward, please notify the server walking around with the elements. You are welcome to participate in the Lord's Supper if you are a baptized Christian and a member of an evangelical church. If this does not describe you, we encourage you to spend this time in prayer to consider your relationship to Jesus Christ. We also ask that children who have not yet publicly professed their faith in Christ refrain from partaking until doing so. The Lord's Supper is a time for our faith to be strengthened and our hope renewed.



1. While shep - herds watched their flocks by night, all seat - ed
 2. "Fear not," said he— for might - y dread had seized their
 3. "To you, in Da - vid's town this day, is born of
 4. "The heav'n - ly babe you there shall find to hu - man



on the ground, the an - gel of the Lord came down,
 trou - bled mind— "glad tid - ings of great joy I bring
 Da - vid's line, the Sav - ior, who is Christ the Lord,
 view dis - played, all mean - ly wrapped in swath - ing bands,



and glo - ry shone a - round, and glo - ry shone a - round.
 to you and all man - kind, to you and all man - kind.
 and this shall be the sign, and this shall be the sign:
 and in a man - ger laid, and in a man - ger laid."

5. Thus spake the seraph, and forthwith
 appeared a shining throng
 of angels praising God, who thus
 addressed their joyful song,
 addressed their joyful song:

6. "All glory be to God on high,
 and to the earth be peace;
 good will henceforth, from heav'n to men,
 begin and never cease,
 begin and never cease!"

1. Love - ly child, ho - ly child, gen - tle, mild, un - de - filed;
 2. Child of light, born to - night, our de - light, prom - ise bright;
 3. Rest your head, sweet - est head; gifts we'll spread at your bed.
 4. To this boy, our great joy, we em - ploy hymns of joy;

in - fant King, fair - est King, gifts we'll bring and an - thems sing:
 child so fair: see him there; now de - clare him ev - 'ry - where:
 Je - sus Lord, be a - dored, may this word now be out - poured:
 child so fair: see him there; now de - clare him ev - 'ry - where:

f Al - le - lu - - ia, *p* al - le - lu - - ia.

f Al - le - lu - - ia, *p* al - le - lu - - ia!

*DOXOLOGY (No. 105) | *O God We Praise Thee* (vv 1 & 3) Te Deum, ca. 4th cent. | Scottish Psalter, 1615

> 1. O God, we praise thee; and confess that thou the only Lord
 2. To thee all angels cry aloud; to thee the powers on high,
 > 3. O ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, whom heav'n-ly hosts o - bey,
 4. Th'a - pos - tles' glo - rious com - pa - ny and proph - ets crowned with light,
 > and ev - er - last - ing Fa - ther art, by all the earth a - dored.
 both cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim, con - tin - ual - ly do cry.
 > the world is with the glo - ry filled of thy maj - es - tic ray.
 with all the mar - tyrs' no - ble host, thy con - stant praise re - cite.

*THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

All music used by permission. CCLI License #2711171 All hymns from Trinity Hymnal, 1990, Psalms taken from the Trinity Psalter Copyright 2009 Crown & Covenant Publications. Used by permission. All scripture from the English Standard Version.

This week @ Christ the King

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11

Children's Choir,

9:30 - 10:00 am in room 209.

Youth Group Christmas Party (combined),

6:00 - 8:00 pm at CTK.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13

Men's Bible Study,

6:30 am at CTK.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

Morning Prayer Zoom,

6:30 am.

HS Girls Bible Study,

6:00 - 8:00 pm at the Lexes,
5353 Chaucers Ct., 24018.

MS Guys Discipleship,

6:30 - 8:00 pm at the Martins,
5335 Luwana Dr., 24018.

MISSIONS

Christianity Explored

What's the best news you've ever heard? This question kicks off Christianity Explored, an eight week course that gives people time and space to discover the best news they can ever hear, the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Who do you know that needs to hear this news? Invite them along and, together, join us as we share a meal, explore Mark's Gospel, and find out who Jesus is, why he came, and what it means to follow him. Meets Tuesday evenings, 6-8 pm in the CTK gathering area, Feb 9th-Mar 30th. For more information contact the church office or

Tobias Riggs at triggs@ctkroanoke.org.

CHURCHWIDE

Upcoming Service Times

Saturday, December 24th - 4:30 pm
Candlelight Service

Sunday, December 25th - No Sunday School
10:30 am Service

Sunday, January 1st - No Sunday School -
10:30 am Service

January 8th starts our new Sunday School and Service Times

Sunday, January 8th - 9:00 am Sunday School
10:30 am Service

CHURCHWIDE

Sunday Service Times

Just a friendly reminder that we will have one worship service (10:30am) and no Sunday school on both December 25th and January 1st.

Additionally, the Session has decided to continue with one worship service after the holidays. So, with Sunday school resuming on January 8th, the schedule will be: Sunday School, 9:00-10:00am, and worship, 10:30am.

We're excited for us to return to worshiping as one body and the help this will give to our volunteers.

Chrstmas Eve Candlelight Service

Join us at 4:30 pm on Christmas Eve for a candlelight Sservice. The service will be live streamed and can be accessed through our website. This is a kid friendly service. No nursery will be provided.

Congregational Meeting

Sunday, January 8th we will be having a congregational meeting for the purpose of electing officers immediately following service.

Wednesday Evening Prayer

It's been said that prayer "is an exchange of confidence between God and his covenant people: God is positioned in mercy, waiting for his people's obedience, while God's people are positioned in trust, recalling his promises." Come join us, then, as we gather together as God's covenant people to pray to him with confidence. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday evenings in room #207 upstairs from 6:30 - 7:30 pm. *Please use the side entrance and go up the stairs next to those doors. Another group is meeting in the lobby during this time.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Classes resume January 8

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Sunday School:

Middle School: *God's Promises Genesis - Exodus*

Teachers (6th-8th): Caroline Little
Andrew Martin

High School: *Matthew*

Teachers (9th-12th): Joseph Darwin
Chloe Dunham

Youth Sunday Evening Study Series:

Proverbs

Upcoming Youth Events

Combined Christmas Party (6th-12th),
Sunday, December 11th, 6:00 - 8:00 pm @ CTK

Invite your friends to join us for food, fun,
and a gift exchange!

RYM High School Summer Retreat
July 28 - Aug 1, 2023

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Friendship House Toy Drive

Children's Ministry is teaming up with the Missions Committee on the annual Toy Drive for Friendship House in Roanoke, VA.

Please bring in new toys/gifts that will be donated to the Friendship House Toy Store. There will be a table in the gathering area labeled Toy Drive. These toys and gifts can be board games, toy cars, barbies, dolls, lotions, stationery sets, and scooters. Please do not buy any toy guns, weapons, or violent video games. All toys should be in by **THIS SUNDAY**, December 11th. If you have any questions please email Melinda Hanko at mhanko@ctkroanoke.org.
THANK YOU SO MUCH!

Children's Choir

Children's Choir will meet every Sunday from 9:30am-10:00am in room 209.

This choir is for 1st-8th graders.

For more information please contact Melinda Hanko at mhanko@ctkroanoke.org.

Mom2Mom

The first Wednesday of every month from 9:30-11:30 am.

Moms and kids of all ages meet in the gathering area of the church to drink coffee, play, encourage and spend time together.

This event does not require an RSVP.

If you have questions email Melinda Hanko at mhanko@ctkroanoke.org.

Upcoming Children's Ministry Events

Sunday, December 18: Children's Sunday School Program at 4:00 pm in the sanctuary. A light reception to follow.

MEN'S MINISTRY

Men's Wednesday Morning Breakfast

Men's Wednesday Morning Breakfast group meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month.

8:00 am at Famous Anthony's (4913 Grandin Rd).

For information or questions contact

Bob Saville (540) 524-8666.

Men's Bible Study

Our men's Bible study meets on Tuesday mornings between 6:30 and 7:30 in the church gathering area. We enjoy coffee, donuts, rich discussion, and prayer.

Currently we are reading and discussing Carl Trueman's *Strange New World*. For more information contact Tobias Riggs at

triggs@ctkroanoke.org.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Bible Studies

1 Samuel, At His Feet Studies

Beginning Thursday, January 5th at CTK.

AM Group – meets at 9:45 weekly, childcare available upon request.

PM Group – meets at 7:00 every other week, no childcare available.

Sign up at:

<https://tinyurl.com/CTKwomen-2023winter>

Glimpses of Grace

with Trish Collier & Suzy Mullins

Monday, January 30

7:00 pm-8:30 pm at CTK in room #200/201.

CTK ladies are invited to enjoy treats while Trish & Suzy share their testimonies. Childcare not provided; babies in arms welcome.

No RSVP is required. Bring a friend!

Today's Volunteers

12/11/22

Nursery

8:30 am

Captain: Anna Blevins
Volunteers: Karen Oliver;
Sophie Mullins

10:00am

Captain: Anna Blevins
Volunteers: Kat Pennylegion;
Susan Stilwell

11:00am

Captain: Julie Simmerson
Volunteers: The Mitchells;
Anna Bowman; Amia Knowles

Coffee

Set Up/Serve: Becky Schneider
Clean Up: Mary Eggleston

Usher

8:30 am: Gary Mohnsen

11:00 am: Kaifang Zheng

Communion

Set Up 8:00 am: The Nettles

Reset 10:15 am: The Olivers

Clean Up 12:15 pm: The Bowmans

Sound Booth

8:30 am

Slides: Staci Otto

Sound: Sam Deir

11:00 am

Slides: Michele Kahle

Sound: Matti Settle

Livestream: Noah Settle

Deacon of the Day

Jeff Perry

Next Week's Volunteers

12/18/22

Nursery

8:30 am

Captain: Becky Schneider
Volunteers: Megan Milburn;
Finley Otto

10:00am

Captain: Suzanne Ely
Volunteers: Rebecca Bowman;
Heather Martin

11:00am

Captain: Bev Hanko
Volunteers: The Browns;
Mari Addo

Coffee

Set Up/Serve:
Clean Up: Larry Yeager

Usher

8:30 am: Chris Oliver

11:00 am: Evan Massengill

Communion

Set Up 8:00 am: The Muenches

Reset 10:15 am: The Knowles

Clean Up 12:15 pm: The Moores

Sound Booth

8:30 am

Slides: Staci Otto

Sound: Sam Deir

11:00 am

Slides: Adam Bowman

Sound: Matti Settle

Livestream: Noah Settle

Deacon of the Day

Joe Meador

CTK STAFF AND LEADERSHIP

Pastor John Pennylegion
jpennylegion@ctkroanoke.org

**Associate Pastor of Adult Education
& Discipleship**

Tobias Riggs
triggs@ctkroanoke.org

Associate Pastor of Youth Ministry
Andrew Martin
amartin@ctkroanoke.org

Youth Ministry Intern
Chloe Dunham
cdunham@ctkroanoke.org

Church Administrator
Doug Eggleston
deggleston@ctkroanoke.org

Administrative Assistant Staci Otto
sotto@ctkroanoke.org

Worship Director Parker Adams
adams143@cox.net

Children's Ministry Director
Melinda Hanko
mhanko@ctkroanoke.org

Nursery Coordinator Suzanne Ely
sely@ctkroanoke.org

Bookkeeper Micah Young
myoung@ctkroanoke.org

Church Treasurer Joe Meador
jmeador@ctkroanoke.org

Elders
Stuart Bowman, Chuck Brinkman
Doug Eggleston, Bob Saville
Frank Smith

Diaconate
Jarl Hamren, Ben Leatherland
Joe Meador, Jeff Perry
Thomas Thompson
Daniel Vos, Jim Wissler

CTK Financial Update

Monthly Financial Update

	October 2022	Year To Date	Year To Date
	Actual	Actual *	Budget *
General Fund Giving	\$87,217.10	\$287,690.13	\$276,666.68
General Fund Expenses	\$68,832.52	\$275,585.76	\$272,686.76
		12,104.37	

* Year To Date data is for the fiscal year beginning 7/01/2022 and ending 6/30/2023

	Original	Balance As Of
	Amount	Nov. 2022
Mortgage Balance	\$1,700,000.00	\$996,585.51

GIVING

If you would like to give an offering today, you may drop it in the offering box located in the Gathering Area or you may scan this QR code with your phone to give online.



CONNECT WITH US!

Thanks for being our guest today. Please connect with us by scanning this QR code and filling out the online form. We will follow up with you as soon as we are able.





www.ctkroanoke.org

540-725-5835/office@ctkroanoke.org