

# INFORMATION & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Today at Christ the King

9:15am Worship Service  
11:00am Fellowship Meal

*There is no Sunday school or evening prayer meeting today. Please join us in the fellowship hall immediately after the service to hear the Children's Catechism class perform their song!*

## Wednesdays at Christ the King

Please join us on Wednesday from 6:30-8pm for group studies and fellowship. Our current schedule:

- Men's Group: *1 Samuel*
- Women's Group: *Contentment*
- Youth Group (6th-12th grade)
- Children's Catechism (1st-5th)

Nursery is provided for younger kids.

## Reminders for Next Week - 12/10

Sound: Jordan Baker  
Communion: Blakelys  
Nursery: Julia Wilkinson & Jacob Blakely

## Upcoming Events

- 12/9 Men's Breakfast
- 12/9 Ladies Fellowship
- 12/24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Service, 4:30pm

## For Our Visitors

We are so glad you are here! We invite your whole family to participate in worship together, but for those who desire we have a loving and safe Nursery for children 4 and under, located downstairs and to the right.

If you are visiting for the first time, please fill out a connect card found in the pew back in front of you, and place it in the offering plate.

Immediately after service, please join us downstairs for a time of coffee and fellowship. At 11am, we will break into our Sunday school classes for all ages, pre-K through Adult. On the first Sunday of even months, we have a potluck fellowship meal after service in place of our Sunday school classes.

The women's restroom is located downstairs through the first door on the left. The men's restroom is across the fellowship hall in the back right corner.

Please feel free to connect to CTKWifi using the password: [whatwouldjesusdo](#)

For more information, upcoming events, to receive email updates, and to get connected, please visit us online at [www.ctkjoplin.com](http://www.ctkjoplin.com).

*Our full church calendar is online at...*  
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# Christ the King

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*Exalting Christ  
Equipping the Saints  
Extending the Kingdom*

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SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP  
DECEMBER 3, 2023

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Levi Bakerink **Welcome**

### **Call to Worship** ✧

Isaiah 40:9 Go on up to a high mountain, O Zion, herald of good news; lift up your voice with strength, O Jerusalem, herald of good news; lift it up, fear not; say to the cities of Judah, "Behold your God!"

*O Come, All Ye Faithful* ✧

### **Prayer for God's Blessing** ✧

*Glory Be to God the Father* ✧

### Clint Loy **Reading of the Law**

Matt. 22:35-40 Leader: And one of them asked Jesus a question to test him. "Teacher, which is the great commandment in the Law?"

*People: And Jesus said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets."*

### **Unison Confession of Sin**

Psalm 130:1-4 *People: Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord! O Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy! If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared.*

### **Silent Prayer of Confession**

### **Assurance of God's Mercy**

Psalm 32:5 Leader: I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord," and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

*Jesus, I Come* ✧

*It Is Well with My Soul* ✧

### **Confession of Faith** ✧

Apostle's Creed *People: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.*

### **Scripture Reading**

Luke 1:46-55 | "Mary's Song"

### Levi Bakerink **Pastoral Prayer**

*People: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.*

### Levi Bakerink **Sermon**

Genesis 1-3 | "God With Us: Lost"

*For All that You Have Done* ✧

[At this time we take up our weekly offering]

### **Lord's Supper**

[We invite all professing, baptized believers to partake of the Lord's Supper. We use gluten-free bread and either wine (red) or juice (white)]

*Doxology* ✧

**Benediction** ✧

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### **Announcements**

[Please be seated after the service for announcements]