

The King's Courier

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**Christ
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Dear Friends,

During May it will be 6 months that I have been with you as your Interim Pastor. We have enjoyed many glorious times together, Christmas, Lent and Easter to name just a few.

As we continue with this interim time together, let us this month focus on some of the strengths of Christ the King.

One of the many strengths of Christ the King congregation is the ability to pray for the members of the congregation, friends and family members and people and events in this community. The example of this strength is demonstrated every Sunday in the bulletin.

A second strength is the two different styles of worship. This provides two different types of experiences in worship that have the potential of bringing people to know the Lord and come to him. Along with this strength is the Band, "Dei Light", at the 9:30 a.m. service.

A third strength is the new construction that has been done in the fellowship hall and in the preschool area.

A fourth strength is something new. It is the beginning of intentional outreach. This strength is demonstrated by having booths at festivals and making Christ the King known more in the community. The Vision of the congregation says it clearly: "Christ the King is to be a Christ-centered compassionate community that intentionally reaches out to share God's Love."

Let us celebrate these strengths and give thanks to God for his presence in and among Christ the King during this interim time. Let God's blessings be with you all.

A co-worker in Christ's mission,
Pastor Clark

From the Congregation Council President...

Greetings:

During the April meeting of the congregation council, Theresa Cogar resigned as treasurer and as a council member. Theresa has worked diligently over the past several years. She will be missed. Thank you, Theresa, for all you have done. We look forward to greeting you and your family at the worship services.

Theresa's resignation leaves two vacancies: a council seat and a treasurer. Please if anyone out there is interested in either, contact me.

Other opportunities at CTK include becoming a member of the Property Committee, volunteering in the church office, volunteering with the Summer Camp at the Pre-School.

A long-range planning committee has been established and should report its findings to the congregation council in July.

David Rhodes has agreed to chair a newly formed Finance Team. Please respond favorably if he asks you to serve.

Many of our winter worshippers are returning to their northern homes. On behalf of the members of Christ the King, I wish you a safe journey and a wonderful spring/summer/fall season. We all look forward to your return to the Tequesta area.

Later, folks!

Janet Krabec

A Note of thanks...

The angels' voices out did themselves this time with the outpouring of love and good deeds. I would like to extend a sincere thank you to everyone of you who called, wrote, visited, and prepared the memorial service and the reception.

Butterfly kisses to all. Love,
Bev Jones

Building Committee

The building committee is pleased to announce that we have successfully completed Phases I and II of the building program. The preschool has been enlarged and provides a cheerful and safe place for our students and teachers. With the new facilities, we have the room to improve our programs and provide a superior program to our students. As a congregation we can be very proud of our accomplishment. We have truly sacrificed in order to do God's work.

The fellowship hall renovation and expansion has been completed. We have more space in which to carry out our programs. The many community groups who use our facilities are grateful for the new kitchen and better air conditioning. With the additional space we are able to more adequately meet the needs of the community we serve. Christ the King has grown in many ways, physically, emotionally, and spiritually. May we all continue to do God's work.

It has been an honor to serve as members of the building committee. We thank all of you for your support, patience, understanding, and help.

Sincerely,

The members of the Building Committee:

Glenn Krabec
Jennifer Bryan
Bob Beer
Susan Leiken
Jon Carroll
Janet Krabec

Jean Selfridge
Tom Patri
Pastor Bill Miller
David Rhodes
Jane Willie

Education/Youth

Fanning the Flames of Discipleship—“Serve”

The highlighted faith practice for the month of May is: SERVE...Social and Justice Ministry...Serve for the Sake of Others.

....*For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many. (Mark 10:45).*

Sunday School News

Our final Sunday School class will be Sunday, May 5. Please take the time to thank our Sunday School teachers for their time and dedication: Sandy Curtis, April Donham, Diane Lynch, Cathy Rhodes, and Kelly Curtis.

Confirmation News

- May 5—Workshop #16--depart from CTK at 6:00 p.m.
- Confirmation Day—You are invited to celebrate with our confirmation students, Josh Patri, Matt Lynch, Mark Leikin, Glen Harris and Kate Ananson, and their families, as they are confirmed on Sunday, May 19 during the 9:30 a.m. service.
- A big thank you to Patti Harris and Tom Patri for their time and service as Confirmation Guides.
- Aid Association for Lutherans provided crosses for each confirmation student and provided a cake in honor of the confirmation students for Sunday Social Hour on May 19.

Congregational Life/Care

Good Time Fridays

Come enjoy an evening of fun with friends for May Good Time Fridays on May 17, at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Troy & Kim Priesmeyer, 282 Flamingo Pt. S., Jupiter, FL (748-3545). Bring your favorite beverage and munchies to share.

Brunch Bunch

Brunch Bunch will meet on Sunday, May 26.

Phone Angels

This is a “mutual ministry of care” for those who would like to participate in a phone ministry of checking-in with a “telephone angel” partner. Please call Dixie McGaffick (747-6321) if you would like to learn more.

Women of the ELCA

- The next WELCA meeting is Monday, May 20 at 10:00 a.m. followed by a luncheon at Schooner's (we'll order from the menu) at 11:30 a.m. Please sign up on the clipboard in the Narthex by May 16. All women are welcome to join us. Contact Mickey White (744-5611) if you have any questions.
- **Church Women United** will celebrate May Friendship Day on Friday, May 3 at 9:30 a.m. at Gardens Presbyterian Church, 4677 Hood Road, Palm Beach Gardens. Please contact Mickey White (744-5611) if you have any questions.
- **Blanket the World With Love**
The Women of the ELCA are sponsoring Church World Services' annual **Blanket Program in honor of Mother's Day**. Envelopes will be available Sunday, May 5 and throughout the month of May. Your \$5.00 donation goes toward purchasing blankets for God's people in America and all over the world. Please make the checks payable to CTK with a notation for the "Blanket Program".

Afghans for Shelters

Anyone who knits or crochets can participate in our ongoing ministry of making afghans for the children at Connor's Nursery and The Children's Place, and for the adults at the Alzheimer's Care Association. The afghans need not be very big (1 yd. X 1 ½ yards is a good size). Donations of left over yarn are greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact Carol Culver (747-3511).

Worship, Music & Prayer

Youth Handbell Choir

The youth Handbell Choir will perform for Mother's Day, Sunday, May 12. This will be the last performance as they will take a break until the Fall.

Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study

Prayer Group meets every Wednesday morning at 10:30 a.m. in the new conference room.

"Dei Light" Rehearsals

If you like to sing and/or play an instrument, please come join in with "Dei Light", our 9:30 a.m. service band. We are currently in need of a guitar player. Rehearsals are Wednesday nights at 7:30 p.m. in the sanctuary.

Worship and Music Committee

- Favorite hymns will be featured at the 8:00 AM service in June, July, and August. We would like you to write down your favorite hymns on a yellow pew card and place in the offering or give to BJ Simon. Maybe some of your favorites are from the “good old days” or maybe the blue or green hymnal. We would like to know!! Your suggestions are welcome anytime and will be worked into the services this summer.
- The next Worship & Music committee meeting will be May 21 at 1:00 p.m.

Wear Red for Pentecost

On Sunday, May 19, in observance of Pentecost (and confirmation) we would like everyone to wear RED!! Balloons will decorate the nave in celebration.

Outreach

Food Pantry

We are accepting donations of canned food and vegetables for our food pantry. Our food pantry serves many local shelters and families in Indiantown. Please include some extra canned goods the next time you are at the grocery store and bring them to the church office or put them in the Narthex on Sunday mornings.

CTK Golf Shirts...are available in the church office for a \$20.00 donation.

Al Anon & AA Meetings

Al Anon meetings are held in the fellowship hall Monday nights (Family Group) from 7-9 p.m. and Wednesday mornings (Freedom to Grow) from 10-Noon. AA meetings are Saturday nights at 8:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

Stewardship/Finance

Automated Giving Program: *Simply Giving* is Here!

Everyone can grow, everyone can benefit from our newest stewardship invitation, an automated giving program called *Simply Giving*. We invite you to consider participating in this new program that provides a convenient and reliable way to transfer your gifts to Christ the King automatically from your checking or savings account. The *Simply Giving* program is described in a brochure which is available in the church office. If you would like more information about how to enroll, contact Theresa Cogar at 741-7627 or call the church office.

General News & Happenings

Council Meeting

The next council meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 21.

Newsletter Deadline & Folding

The newsletter deadline for the June issue of *The King's Courier* is Wednesday, May 15. We will fold the newsletter on Tuesday, May 28.

Preschool Advisory Board Meeting

The Preschool Advisory Board meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 14 at 9:15 a.m.

Devotion Booklets

The Home Altar, devotionals for families with children, and *Christ in Our Home* devotionals are in the Narthex for April-June 2002.

Lutheran Counseling Services

- Looking for help for a teenager?
- Struggling to find housing for a senior relative?
- Feeling anxious and out of control?
- Dealing with job loss?
- Overwhelmed with a health issue?

Call Lutheran Counseling Service **HELP LINE 1-800-865-7889** and you will hear from us within 24 hours.

Or access our **WEB SITE** at www.LutheranCounselingServices.org



Preschool News

Our last month of preschool is here! We have had a great year, especially with moving into the new addition we have been able to spread out. In observance of Mother's Day, the classes will have "tea parties" for the moms. On Friday, May 24, "Docc the Magician" will again visit us and perform magic!!

The closing programs will be held on May 28 and 29th for the 3's and the Pre-kindergarten classes will be "promoted". Programs begin at 7:00 PM in the Nave. All are welcome! Our last day of school is Friday, May 31st.

Our 2002-2003 school year will resume mid-August 2002 with orientation days on the 15th and 16th. Spaces are available for Fall in our preschool program for children ages 2 ½- 4 and registration is ongoing.

Summer Camp 2002 is coming soon! Camp will run from June 17 through July 19. Parents can choose from a 2 ,3, or 5 day program for children ages 2 ½ - 5 years. Each week of the summer camp will be theme oriented: Summer Fun, Transportation, We Love America, Circus, and Cowboys. Pizza will be available to order on Thursdays and Fridays each week. Music classes will be held on Fridays. Please call 746-7095 for more information.

Happy Summer to you all!!
B. J. Simon

Thank you
Troy Priesmeyer for donating
two computers and a printer to
the Preschool!

May Birthdays:

May 1 Michael Hall
May 4 Barbra Kennedy
John Reno
May 5 Bill Clifton, Jr.
May 7 Brad Krabec
May 9 Susan Leikin
May 10 Carol Labzda
Bill Labzda
Joanne Salina
May 12 Lenier Ives
May 13 Chris Weber
May 17 Mary Feister
Glenn Krabec
May 18 Joyce Mohlenhoff
May 19 Josh Steib
May 21 Darby Webb
May 28 Milton Lutz
Cybele Seeds



Congratulations on your Graduation from High School!

*Tommy Carroll
Kyle Donham
Elizabeth Hall
Sara Steib
Daniel Miller*

Memorial Donations

In Memory of George Jones were given by:

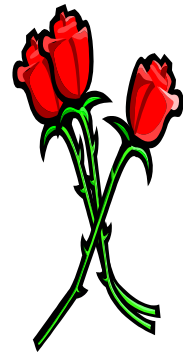
Mary Jane Custer
George & Dixie McGaffick
Sally & Harold Gell
Cathy Kollman
Julie Bosford
Hazel Barber & Vasti Graybeal
Janet & Glenn Krabec
Harry & June Pinner
Jamie & Keith Michaud
Deborah Nelson

May Anniversaries

May 6 John & Jennifer Bryan
May 7 Ben & Barbara Meyburg
Tom & Susan Patri
May 9 Gerry & Michaela Washburn
May 10 John & Vena Carothers
May 13 Paul & Carol Culver
May 22 Michael & Lianne Hall
May 25 Glen & Mickey White
May 26 David & Cathy Rhodes

Happy Mother's Day!

May 12, 2002



Worship Assistant Schedule for May

May 5 Comm.	8:00	9:30	11:00
Asst. Min.	Joyce Mohlenhoff	Jim Clark	Marlene Culler
Comm. Asst.		Ilse Miller	
Acolyte	—	Matt Lynch	—
Ushers	Ben Mohlenhoff & Wayne Wille	Jim Simon & Doris Wereszak	Paul Culler
Teller	—	Sandy Curtis	—
Greeter	Shirley Rowland	Mary Morrow	—

May 12 Comm.	8:00	9:30	11:00
Asst. Min.	Cynthia Cooper	John Bryan	Scott Bacon
Comm. Asst.		Theresa Cogar	
Acolyte	—	Mark Leikin	—
Ushers	John Lee & Janet Krabec	Bill & Jean Selfridge	Katherine Onorato
Teller	—	Gertrude Licklider	—
Greeter	Dixie McGaffick & Sue Kirk	Phyllis Stafford	—

May 19 Comm.	8:00	9:30	11:00
Asst. Min.	Kay Gerretsen	Confirmation Students	Mickey White
Comm. Asst.		Josh Patri & Kate Ananson	
Acolyte	—	Mark Leikin	—
Ushers	John Gerretsen & Wayne Wille	Perry Grant & Emily Grant	Don Russell
Teller	—	Bill Reid	—
Greeter	Don & Arlene Davis	Tina Grant & Rachel Grant	—

May 26 Comm.	8:00	9:30	11:00
Asst. Min.	Joyce DeFrancesco	Scott Swigart	Paul Culler
Comm. Asst.		Cindy Swigart	
Acolyte		Joe Donham	—
Ushers	Richard DeFrancesco & John Lee	Ben & Barbara Meyburg	Nancy Graham
Teller	—	—	Ceil O'Neil
Greeter	Paul & Carol Culver	Gail & Mike Ganzlin	

Thank you for volunteering to serve as worship assistants. In the event you cannot serve on the date or dates assigned, please arrange for a substitute and notify the church office. If you would like to volunteer to serve as Assisting Ministers, Ushers, Greeters, Teller and Communion Assistants, contact Cecilia O'Neil at 546-7123.

In Our Prayers:

Our Church Family: Bert & Deane Beytes, Kathryn Closson, Arlene Davis, Milton Lutz, Lilyanne McCarthy, Gayle Retkowski, Carol Schneider, Eyleen Simpson, Dorothy Sinicrope, Shirley Sinn, Mickey White, Irma Young, Kitty Youngdahl.

Homebound or in Assisted Living: Katherine Briggs, Marie Krull, Alvera Parker, Peg Seitter.

Our Friends and Family:

Doris Aho (Diane Salina's mother)
 Mildred Anderson (Gertrude Licklider's sister)
 Joe Balough (Brother-in-law of Jack & Carole Freeburn)
 Nicole Barrett (Phyllis Stafford's granddaughter)
 Kathy Beres (friend of John & Jennifer Bryan)
 Marge Bradlau (friend of Don & Arlene Davis)
 Lynn Brown (friend of Jennifer Bryan)
 Ronald Bruckner (Carole Vorpapel's uncle)
 Paula Caudill (friend of Lynn Keyes)
 Tina Chalky (friend of Salina family)
 Vivian Custer (Mary Jane Custer's sister-in-law)
 Bernadette Davies (friend of Gail & Mike Ganzlin)
 Jack DeHaven (Jennifer Bryan's brother)
 Mike Deskin (friend of Barbara & Ben Meyburg)
 Peggy Eidson (friend of Fiesters)
 Martha Everman (Gertrude Licklider's sister)
 Virginia Fahey (Joyce Mohlenhoff's aunt)
 Winnie Fehlhafer (David Rhodes's aunt)
 Marissa Feldman (Baylis' family friend)
 Jean Fischer (Cindy Swigart's aunt)
 Juliana Fleck (friend of John Bryan)
 Debra Franke (Jennifer Bryan's cousin)
 Brian Gaffrey (Theresa Cogar's brother)
 Florence Gaffrey (Theresa Cogar's mother)
 Beatrice Gerow (Frank Gerow's mother)
 Dorothy Giller (Jean Dempsey's cousin)
 Jerry Gordon (friend of Russell & Jean Dempsey)
 Doug Graham (Nancy Graham's son)
 Natalie Hermendorfer (Lilyanne McCarthy's cousin)
 Debbie Hitchcock (friend of Theresa Cogar)

Laverne Houchin (friend of Russell & Jean Dempsey)
 Ed Imberston (friend of Paul & Marlene Culler)
 Allen Jensen (Russell Dempsey's cousin)
 Ellenora Kennedy (Michael Kennedy's mother)
 Alan Lohman (Marjorie Lohman's son)
 Laretta Long (Virginia Clifton's mother)
 Frank Lynch (Diane Lynch's father-in-law)
 Sally MacWay (friend of Elizabeth Keyes)
 Jeanette McCready (Marlene Culler's in-law)
 Rose Mitchell (friend of Lilyanne McCarthy)
 Lavilda Murray (David Rhodes' aunt)
 Janis Oxford (friend of John & Lucille Marchese)
 John Pagano (Penny Holsinger's father)
 Lynn Parker (Nancy Peroni's brother-in-law)
 Helen Perley (Cybele Seeds' Grandmother)
 Glen Prielipp (friend of Paul & Marlene Culler)
 Barbara Richardson (friend of Cecilia O'Neil)
 Jake & Jacobi Rose (friends of John Bryan)
 Violet Seeds (John Seeds mother)
 Gene & Ann Sherrow (friends of Russell & Jean Dempsey)
 Anne Skuzinsky (Irma Young's sister)
 Theresa Strickland (Gertrude Licklider's granddaughter)
 Henry Sundell (Carole Vorpapel's father)
 Daniel Thomas (Wille family friend)
 Peg Young (friend of Eyleen Simpson)

(You may use a yellow message board card from the pew rack to add to or delete a name from the prayer list. Just fill out the card and place it in the offering plate.)



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**Sunday Social Hour
Hosts Needed**
Please sign-up to host a
Sunday Social Hour
Following the 9:30 service

May 5
May 12 WELCA
May 19 Confirmation Day (AAL)
May 26

Worship Schedule:

8:00 Traditional Service
9:30 Praise & Celebration Service
11:00 Traditional Service

We will return to two services,
8:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m.,
beginning Sunday, June 2.

Sunday School classes depart from the
9:30 service after children's message—
Final class May 5

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