# CTS WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS July 27, 2025

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Contact the office if assistance is needed 262-542-7100. Visit CTS Website often at www.christtheservant.org.

Greetings Friends in Christ,

I will be away from July 24<sup>th</sup> through August 17<sup>th</sup> and you'll will certainly be in my prayers.

Pastor Steve Smart (414) 750-4709 will be available for any pastoral care needs, and we are bless to have Pastor Frank (July 27<sup>th</sup> & August 10<sup>th</sup>) and Pastor Joe join with our Youth to lead worship on August 3rd.

I am so blessed for the ministry we do together at Christ the Servant and beyond. As I celebrate my 18<sup>th</sup> ordination anniversary on July 21<sup>st</sup> I look forward to our ministry for the years ahead. I'll be back in worship on Sunday, August 17<sup>th</sup>.

Please reach out to the office with any questions. Peace, Pastor Karen

### CTS YOUTH GROUP UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday, August 1 - Sunday, August 3rd - Youth Camp Out and Service Weekend Sunday, August 3rd—Youth Lead Worship Service
Youth Group meets the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month.
The 2nd Sunday of each month is an opportunity to Usher

REMEMBER - Bring in your aluminum cans! Proceeds go to CTS Youth Group.

There's a recycle bin outside, just to the right of the end of the building

(facing Hwy 59 - in the small alcove area) to deposit cans in.



## **CELEBRATING 60 YEARS!**



CTS will celebrate their 60 years anniversary on September 7th. We would love for the congregation to share any pictures that reflect the life and ministry of CTS.

You can email photos to the office or to Pastor Karen, or you can bring in photos and we can scan them.

Thank You!

# Plan Ahead



Mark your Calendar for Wednesday August 13 CTS gathering at Raised Grain Brewery in Waukesha. More info to come!

# August 12th



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1:30 P - 6:00 P

Helpful tip: Make sure to eat a heathy meal and drink plenty of water before donating.



DRIVE!

LOCATION: NARTHEX 2016 CENTER ROAD WAUKESHA, WI 53189



Score a limited-edition football t-shirt when you donate.

APPOINTMENTS PREFERRED CALL 877-232-4376, or call Kay at 414-333-4364

To schedule online see Thursday's email blast.



# September 14th



Sunday school is taking a break during the summer months and will start back in session on Rally Sunday, September 14, one week later than usual due to a church picnic and 60th anniversary celebration planned for September 7th. Look for the registration forms during the month of August.

We are looking for an additional primary teacher to trade off with Mary Johnson. If teaching is something you might enjoy, please talk with Jo Pirlott.

# **September 15, 2025**



Christ the King in Delafield will be hosting the next Faith Fellowship Dinner on Monday, September 15th.

Please save the date. More information to follow.



## **Prairie Elementary Backpack Drive**

Please join the CTS Welcome and Hospitality and Community Support Committee to "shop the sales," and provide new backpacks filled with all the necessary school supplies.

- The school supply list for all grade levels is available on the posterboard in the Narthex at CTS. Take one home or see link in Thursday's email blast.
- Shop the sales and fill the backpack with the requested items.
- A T-shirt from Waukesha West will be available to be placed in each backpacks as "art smocks" for the students.
- When turning in your filled backpack Include the supply list, marking off the items purchased, and attach
  it to the backpack.
- By August 10, bring the filled backpack back to CTS and place it on the labeled table in the narthex.
- Later that week the backpacks will be delivered to Prairie Elementary.

### Our goal is to fill 3 backpacks for each grade level.

Through these efforts CTS will make a difference for a significant number of students this year, who will have the tools that they need to be successful students at Prairie Elementary.



# CTS will be collecting for Reformation's **SON**shine Pantry. **Now thru August, 17th.**

Reformation Church asks that our congregation add their neighbors' needs to our shopping lists. Household products including cleaning and hygiene products are in great need. Reformation distributes bags of household items as part of its neighborhood outreach. This **SON**shine gift bag is a means of showing hospitality towards its neighbors and building a relationship with individuals and families. **Items can include:** 

Ajax Cleanser Blech Dish Detergent

Laundry Detergent Pine-Sol Cleaner Soap

Deodorant Facial Tissue Toilet Paper

Toothpaste Toothbrushes Feminine Hygiene Product

As well as gift cards (\$10/\$15) to Wal-Mart, Dollar Store, Pick N' Save

There is a **table in the Narthex** dedicated to the **SON**shine donations.

Thank you in advance for showing God's love through simple acts of kindness, Chris Tralongo.



Chris is also asking for volunteers to join her on **August 20, 2025 from 10 am until noon** to pack the gift bags... please let her know if you are able to help out! Talk with her in person or you can email her at: chris.tralongo123@gmail.com

## CTS Calendar

Sunday, July 27

Presiding: Pastor Frank Janzow 9:30 am WORSHIP SERVICE 10:45 am Youth Group

Friday, August 1 YOUTH CAMP OUT 6:00 pm Joyful Soul

Sunday, August 3

Presiding: Pastor Joe Wilkinson 9:30 am YOUTH LEAD WORSHIP

Thursday and Friday, August 7 & 8 PARKING LOT RE-SURFACING Lot closed Thursday and Friday. Will reopen Saturday late afternoon.

Sunday, August 10 Presiding: Pastor Frank Janzow 9:30 am WORSHIP SERVICE 10:45 am Youth Group

Monday, August 11 **6:00 pm** Executive Committee

Tuesday, August 12 1:30 - 6pm Blood Drive

Wednesday, August 13 6:00 pm CTS Social Outing - Raised Grain

Friday, August 15 **6:00 pm** Joyful Soul

Sunday, August 17

Presiding: Pastor Karen Pahl 9:30 am WORSHIP SERVICE **10:45 am** Sunday Hospitality

### **CTS ATTENDANCE**

July 20, 2025-Outdoor Worship - 62



Christ the Servant Lutheran Church, ELCA 2016 Center Road, Waukesha, WI 53189 262-542-7100 www.christtheservant.org office@christtheservant.org

## Worship Servers Scheduled, Sunday, August 30, 2025 **Youth Worship**

Presiding Minister: Pastor Joe Wilkinson

Accompanist: Mary Johnson **Vocals:** Youth Participant

Worship Assistant: Youth Participant

Acolyte: Emmy Peterson Altar Guild: Missy Powers **Usher Team:** Youth Participant

**Counters:** Patti Marti, Larry Bornemeier Tech Team: Amy & Dave Mulgueen, John

Dethloff Adam Johnson **Plant Sponsorship:** 

Please let Diane know of any updates/changes.

#### Snacks



### FOOD PANTRY

### Helping those in need!

Summer is here! Many families in the Waukesha area may not be able to offer their kids fun

snacks for the summer days! That's where we can help! For July lets think about bringing in kidfriendly snacks such as:

- Fruit Snacks
- Snack size bags of Chips, Cheezits, Teddy Grams. Cookies... etc.
- Granola Bars
- Fruit and Pudding Cups
- For fun... maybe some ready to freeze ice pops

The above are just suggestions, the food pantry welcomes all types of non-perishable food items.

## Let's help the kids enjoy the summer!

You can drop the food off in the shopping cart in the narthex. The office is open between 11:00 and 3:00 Mondays through Thursdays.

If you prefer, you can drop your items off directly at the Food Pantry.

## THANK YOU!