



what's happening at ctk...



A NOTE FROM PASTOR BRANDON

Have you ever wondered if someone's faith can save another person? I think the biggest example of this in Scripture is in Luke 5. In this text, the friends of a paralyzed man lowered him in from a roof to be healed by Jesus and because Jesus saw their faith, He healed him. This week, we look at a father who asked Jesus for more faith, so that his son would be healed. We'll hear the compassion in his voice when he asks Jesus, "help my disbelief."



AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Monday | September 15 | 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM | Fellowship Hall

To schedule your appointment, sign up online at RedCrossBlood.org > Use Sponsor Code: [ChristKing](#)
Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.

COUNTRY LINE DANCING LESSONS

Tuesdays & Thursdays | September 9 - October 9 | 4:00 - 5:00 PM | Fellowship Hall

Come kick your heels up and enjoy a time of fellowship while you learn some new moves! Contact Carol Kidd.

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP

Friday | September 26 | 6:00 - 7:30 PM | Fireside Room

Do you or someone you know have diabetes? You're not alone! Join us for a time of sharing experiences and knowledge as we support each other through this relentless and often isolating condition. This group is led by Crystal and Nimitz Bagtas. Crystal has type 1 diabetes and Nimitz has type 2 and they are a wealth of knowledge on this topic. Contact Crystal Bagtas.

NEW MEMBERS CLASS

Sundays | October 5 - 26 | 9:30 - 10:15 AM | Fireside Room

Join us for our four-week New Members Class starting on Sunday, October 5. This class will help you to understand the vision and values of our church, and how you can become an active part in our church community as we fulfill our mission to "Be and Make Disciples." We will also talk about why we are Lutheran. Hope to see you there!

Register online via the [Church Center app](#) or on our Events page.

Contact Pastor Mike Anderson.



YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES — KINGDOM BUILDERS

The first Friday of each month | October 3 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM | Fireside Room

It can be hard to find a space in church that feels like it's meant for people in this stage in life. Often, this is a time of transition—starting careers, building relationships, and deepening faith. This group aims to be a "home" for young adults in their 20s and 30s where they can connect, grow spiritually, and serve together.

We offer a mix of:

- Bible studies and worship nights to grow closer to God.
- Social events such as game nights and coffee meetups to build relationships.
- Service projects to live out our faith in the community.

Contact Hannah Reynoso.



CTK Preschool would like to thank this congregation. Because of your generosity, we have been able to start the 2025 school year with fresh and beautifully equipped indoor classrooms, as well as provide some fun new things in our outdoor classroom. The ongoing support and generosity of this church is truly a blessing, and we could not offer this caliber of childcare and education without you! Most importantly, we thank you for showing the love of Christ to our littles and their amazing families.



FALL CLASSES



NOURISHING YOUR FAITH — CHRIST ABOVE ALL

Mondays | Through October 6 | 5:00 PM | Fireside Room

Join Tom Deans for this 10-week study taken from the book of Colossians. In Colossians, the Lord led the Apostle Paul to paint one of the most vivid portraits of Jesus Christ in all of Scripture in order to help believers understand that Christ is above all and superior to any belief system promoted by any false voices. In this new book by Dr. Jeremiah, *Christ Above All*, he goes verse by verse through Colossians to help you come to better know who Jesus is theologically, and how to live in light of this. Contact Tom Deans.

ANXIETY CLASS

Wednesdays | Through October 1 | 6:15 PM | Sanctuary

Due to the current state of technology, news media, and social disunity, anxiety has become more prevalent in our society. While the growth of anxiety is on the rise, anxiety itself is nothing new. In scripture, in both the Old and New Testaments, God's people suffered from anxiety. But God has given us powerful minds to change our perspectives to see anxiety as an opportunity to see his will. Romans 12:2 says *"Do not conform to the pattern of this world but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will."* Join me as we learn how to overcome this age of anxiety.

Contact Pastor Brandon Way.

JOHN, THE BELOVED — A STUDY OF THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

Wednesdays | Through October 1 | 4:00 - 5:30 PM | Fireside Room

John presents a different gospel than that of Matthew, Mark or Luke. He wrote his book when he was an elderly man, most likely in the 80-90s AD. Other gospels were written 30 or more years earlier. Why another Gospel? Let's study together to find out more about this remarkable disciple, his family, his position and relationship with Jesus, and his passion for skeptics to know Jesus from the vantage point of one who knew Jesus, firsthand. We will delve into the background of John, who could be opinionated and loud spoken as a young man, and who changed to become the beloved disciple as a result of Jesus' tutelage. Come to the study with your Bible from 4:00 to 5:15 PM, and stay for *Wednesday Night Live* dinner, fellowship and family activities. All are invited to this seven-week study of John's Gospel. Contact Pamela or Neil Nevills to sign up for this class.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY — THE HOLY SPIRIT

This class will be taking a break through the fall and will resume in the new year.

BIBLE STUDY — FAITH FOR CAREGIVERS

This class will not be meeting during the month of September.

BIBLE STUDY WITH THE PASTORS — THE STORY

Wednesdays | Ongoing | 10:00 AM | Library

Join us to discover the heart of God's Upper Story — his master-plan unfolding in the lives of the Bible's characters as well as in your own life — and experience the joy that comes as you align your story with God's.

Contact Pastor Brandon Way.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY — REVELATION

2nd-5th Saturdays | Ongoing | 8:00 AM | Fireside Room

Join the men of CTK on Saturdays, as we deep dive, verse-by-verse through the book of *Revelation*.

Contact Pastor Brandon Way.

MIDDLE SCHOOL
HIGH SCHOOL



YOUTH ACTIVITIES

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL — YOUTH GROUPS

High School | Mondays | Ongoing | 6:00 - 8:30 PM | Youth Room

Middle School | Wednesdays | Ongoing | 5:30 - 8:00 PM | Youth Room

This is a time of worship, biblical learning, fellowship and fun. Contact Jeremiah Trujillo.

YOUTH WINTER CAMP REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN!

High School | January 30 - February 1 | Lake Arrowhead

Middle School | January 23 - 25 | Forest Home

Registration now open! Contact Jeremiah Trujillo.