

Welcome to King of Kings

We are glad to have you worship the Lord with us today. Members, friends and visitors are asked to complete a "Welcome" card, found in the chair pocket. Please place the card in the offering plate. Your personal information will not be shared outside of King of Kings. Prayer requests on the reverse side of the card will be offered by the King of Kings Prayer Team.

Sunday Morning Worship

Sunday, October 29, 2023

Reformation Sunday

8:00 AM Worship Service in person and live-streamed

Preservice O Love That Will Not Let Me Go
 Welcome & Opening Announcements
 Opening Hymn All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name LSB 549 sts 1-2, 6-7
 Invocation
 Confession & Absolution
 Choir Fanfare and Concertato on I Love Thy Kingdom Lord w/Brass Ensemble

 Scripture Readings Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18
1 Thessalonians 2:1-13
 Hymn A Mighty Fortress Is Our God LSB 657 sts 1-2
Matthew 22:34-46
 Hymn A Mighty Fortress Is Our God LSB 657 sts 2-4
Rev. Chris Navurskis
 Children's Message
 Hymn of the Day Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word LSB 655
 Sermon Be Holy Rev. Chris Navurskis
 Apostles' Creed
 Passing of the Peace
 Offering The Prayer
 Sunday School Students Grades 1-6 Sing The Battle Belong to the Lord
 Prayer of the Church
 Lord's Prayer
 Benediction
 Closing Hymn The Church's One Foundation LSB 644 sts 1-5
 Closing Announcements
 Postlude All Hail The Power of Jesus Name
 Musicians: Gordon Russell, keyboard/vocals | David Eddy, trumpet | Amy Blomquist, trumpet | Jonathan Offt, trombone | Steve Loesch, trombone | Kathryn Church, French horn |

Sunday Morning Worship

Sunday, October 29, 2023

Reformation Sunday

10:45 AM Worship Service in person and live-streamed

Preservice O Love That Will Not Let Me Go
 Welcome & Opening Announcements
 Sunday School Students Grades 1-6 Sing The Battle Belong to the Lord
 Invocation
 Confession & Absolution
 Choir Fanfare and Concertato on I Love Thy Kingdom Lord w/Brass Ensemble
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Rev. Chris Navurskis
 Children's Message
 Song Living Waters
 Sermon Be Holy Rev. Chris Navurskis
 Apostles' Creed
 Passing of the Peace
 Offering The Prayer
 Prayer of the Church
 Lord's Prayer
 Benediction
 Closing Song Reformation Hymn
 Closing Announcements
 Postlude All Hail The Power of Jesus Name

THIS WEEK AT KING OF KINGS

Sun, Oct 29	8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m.	Worship Christian Education Hour Worship
Mon, Oct 30	10:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	GriefShare Heart of Marion Community Choir at MMOC Difference Makers
Tue, Oct 31	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	Moms in Prayer International Pastor Led Bible Study Staff Meeting Evangelism Support Praise Band Practice Choir Practice Brass Practice
Wed, Nov 1	6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Youth Meal Pre-Confirmation & Confirmation Classes HS Youth Group
Thu, Nov 2	5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Celebrate Recovery Dinner Celebrate Recovery
Sat, Nov 4	9:00 a.m.	Celebrate Recovery Step Study
Sun, Nov 5	8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m.	Worship Christian Education Hour Worship

Attendance 10/22
 Worship: 8:00 AM: 117 10:45 AM: 103 Total: 220
 Children's Sunday School: 46

Serving Schedule - contact the church office if you'd like to serve.

THIS WEEK	10/29 8:00 AM 11/05 8:00 AM	10/29 10:45 AM 11/05 10:45 AM
Elder 10/29 Elder 11/05	Curt Zebuhr Dan Klinkenberg	Mike Frerking David Hoffman
Acolyte 10/29 Acolyte 11/05	Brad Hoffman	Max Burmeister
Ushers 10/29 Ushers 11/05	Steve Schroeder Paula Bruner Boyd Kaiser Tony YElden	Deanna Glass, Dan Hoffman, Keith Colton
Lay Reader 10/29 Lay Reader 11/05	Steve Gronemeyer Greg Happel	Keith Colton Denny Goshon
Sound 10/29 Sound 11/05	Brian Carlson Brian Carlson	Joel Silcox OPEN
Media 10/29 Media 11/05	Holly Sojka Ken Liske	Jordan Silcox Darren Jacobsen
Video 10/29 Video 11/05	Jason Sojka Kirk Monson	OPEN Kirk Monson
Greeters 10/29 Greeters 11/05	Scott Mahmens Tammy Maymens Roxy Savage Dixie Dahl	Rachel Happel Sharon Meyer

King of Kings
 LUTHERAN CHURCH
 October 29, 2023 - November 4, 2023

"Be Holy"
 Lev. 19:1-2, 15-18

What is your favorite Bible passage about Stewardship?

Does our Lutheran heritage have anything to say about Stewardship?

Did Leviticus 19 make your top 3? How about your top 10 favorite Stewardship passages?

Did you notice the gap in today's Old Testament passage?

There is a connection between God's commandments and the offerings of his people.

God has created a relationship between worship and the offerings of his people.

God's gifts always inspire our offerings.

The Holy Lord gathers his holy people.

Our offerings are acceptable only because he made us givers after his own generosity.

Prayer of the Church– October 29, 2023

Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

Mighty Fortress, Rock of refuge, sustain Your Church. Deliver her from error and preserve in her the proclamation of Your Gospel, that it would resound to every nation, tribe, people and language and that all may fear and give You glory. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Mighty Fortress, Rock of refuge, bless all ministers of Your Word. Help them rightly to preach Your Law so that all are held accountable to You without excuse and joyfully proclaim Your Gospel, that all would know Jesus Christ as their Savior. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Mighty Fortress, Rock of refuge, look with compassion on all who are blind to the bondage of their sin. Open their eyes by the words of Jesus, and grant them the true freedom of sonship and a permanent place in Your household. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Mighty Fortress, Rock of refuge, make us truly Your disciples. Keep us in Your Word, free us from all errors, and make our homes and families peaceful. Preserve all fathers and encourage them for their godly task, that children would be brought up in the fear and instruction of the Lord. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Mighty Fortress, Rock of refuge, be near to all who cry to You for healing of body and soul [especially _____]. Grant them release from their afflictions according to Your will. Sustain their hope in the full and final healing that awaits them at the day of Christ's appearing. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Mighty Fortress, Rock of refuge, we celebrate with those observing birthdays and anniversaries this week, and pray your continued blessing on their lives and marriages. Among these are []. Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Mighty Fortress, Rock of refuge, we give You thanks for all Your servants who have departed this life in faith. We especially bless You today for the great reformers of Your Church who call us back to the Gospel and to the righteousness we have in Christ alone. Keep us in fellowship with them, and bring us at last to our heavenly home to see our Redeemer face to face; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

We'd like to wish the following King of Kings Members a very happy and blessed Birthday or Anniversary:

- 10/29 - **Brendan Doty, Catherine Russell**
- 10/30 - **Roy Hesemann, Izzy Meyer, Kathy Epley, Megan Shunkwiler**
- 10/31 - **Victoria Fenton**
- 11/01 - **Adelyn Stien, Kevin Orth**
- 11/02 - **Diana Lensch, Jennifer Silcox**
- 11/03 - **Blake Oshel, Claudette Walker**
- 11/04 - **Shane Hartzler**

- Curt & Christina Zebuhr 11/02/1996**
- Darren & Tiffany Jacobsen 11/04/1995**

COMMUNION PREPARATION (Communion is observed on the first and third Sundays of the month at both service times.)
 The Bible instructs us to examine ourselves...
 +Do I truly repent of my sins?
 +Do I believe I am forgiven my sins through Jesus?
 +Do I believe that along with the bread and wine I also receive the real body and blood of Jesus for the forgiveness of my sins?
 +Do I promise, with the help of the Holy Spirit, to amend my sinful life?
If you are not a member of a LCMS church, please speak with the pastor before the service.

Members

- Bob Harris
- Kris Ruprecht
- Billy McVicker
- Ted Williams
- Leann Carlson
- Greg Yovanovich
- Paul Buchanan
- Julie Birely
- Cherie Buelow
- Lois Muench
- Marv Frerking
- Richard Nelson
- John Owen
- Jerry Green
- Jerry Cline
- Lydia Parry

Prayers for encouragement upon the death of loved ones:

The family and friends of Vince Navurskis

Family & Friends

- Eddie Dedina, brother of Dian Treptow
- Julie Gentry
- Jen Zebuhr
- Jack (Grandson of Bob & Pat Harris)

Guest Information

Welcome to King of Kings Lutheran Church! We are happy you have chosen to attend one of our two Sunday morning worship services. The message is the same at both, but the worship styles are somewhat different. You will participate in a more traditional liturgical worship (with variations) at 8:00, while the 10:45 a.m. service employs a more contemporary form. Communion is observed on the first and third Sundays of the month at both service times. Please stop by the WELCOME CENTER, near the main entrance, for information on programs and ministries at King of Kings. We hope to see you again soon!

Reformation Service at St. Silas

You are invited to a Reformation service at St. Silas Lutheran Church in their new building (70 Circle Drive, Ste C, North Liberty) on Sunday, October 29 at 3:00 pm. The Rev. Max Mons, pastor of St. Silas' mother congregation, will be the guest preacher. Desserts and drinks will be available following the service. We hope you can attend!

Join The Choir For Christmas

Come and join the choir in singing this year's Christmas Cantata! We start Cantata rehearsals at 7:30 on Tuesday evenings. Anyone is welcome to come and sing with us! We ask that you start coming to rehearsals no later than November 7th. (After that there is not enough time to learn the cantata.) Please contact Gordon Russell, Director of Music Ministry, with any questions.

Gifted For More: What's Next?

Dear friends,
 Thank you all for your support of the Gifted for More program that we used to launch this year's Life Group ministry! I would like to learn more about your experience with Gifted for More as we plan for the next stages of learning and growing in the use of our giftedness. Please plan to join the discussion during the Bible study hour on **November 12th**. I look forward to hearing your ideas for our work together! In Christ, Pastor Chris

Book of Isaiah Bible Study

The Book of Isaiah Bible Study will not meet this Sunday, October 29.

Flowers are given to the Glory of God by Gordon & Catherine Russell.

Operation Christmas Child

We are quickly approaching the Christmas season, which means that KOK Student Ministry is starting to collect donations to pack into boxes for Operation Christmas Child. Starting today, we will begin collecting toys, personal hygiene items, and school supplies for kids in countries around the world. Join our young people in their efforts to make a difference around the world. For a complete list of accepted donations, check out the missions bulletin board or scan the QR Code. Donations may be dropped off outside the Church office.



MMOC Needs Diapers and Wipes

The Marion Ministry and Outreach Center is running low on diapers size 5&6 and baby wipes. If you can help please bring them to church or have them shipped to church.

Passing of the Peace

As we enter into cold and flu season, if you aren't comfortable shaking hands during the Passing of the Peace, feel free to wave, offer your elbow or a fist bump to your fellow brothers and sisters.

Hey Singles!

Zion Lutheran Church in Hiawatha has a singles group (adults ages 18-100) and are expanding the group to include singles from Cedar Rapids/Marion LCMS churches. You are invited to the next event on **Sunday, November 12th**. We will meet for the early afternoon showing of "Journey to Bethlehem" (musical about Mary, Joseph & Jesus' birth) at the Collins Road Theatre across from Lindale, time TBD. If you have questions, please call Cindy Gewecke at 319/929-3077.

An update from the CEC

This past week Preschool took a field trip to Wickup Hill! Field trips are a great way to enhance classroom learning and familiarize children with their community. These are also an opportunity for family involvement, as parents are always invited to join.

Ms. Rachel, Ms. Delvina and the preschool class had a wonderful time learning about animals. The naturalist presented turtles, snakes, and a variety of animal skins. After the presentation, they had time to explore and play outside. What a fun way to celebrate the world God created for us!



**Summer Servant Event Trip
 July 13-21, 2024**

Youth who are currently in 8th - 12th grade (and their families!) are strongly encouraged to contact DCE Tony to learn more about our Summer mission trip to Elizabeth City, North Carolina. We have an amazing opportunity to help repair homes, paint walls, and share hope with a community in need. If you weren't able to join us last week at the meeting, reach out to DCE Tony to find out how to be a part of this amazing adventure.

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Acolyte Schedule
Sunday, October 29
8am Worship - Brad Hoffman
10:45am Worship - Max Burmeister

IN THE WORD AT KING OF KINGS SUNDAY MORNING 9:30 AM

Pastor Led Bible Study	Worship Center	Rev. Navurskis
Book of Jeremiah	Fireside Room	Rev. Konrad
Parents Connect	Red Room	Megan Dixon
HS Bible Study	Youth Room	Tony Dixon