

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, February 19, 2023
The Transfiguration of Our Lord
8:00 AM Worship Service in person and live streamed
Divine Service, Setting 4, LSB 203

Preservice Music
Welcome & Opening Announcements
Opening Hymn **Come To Calvary's Holy Mountain LSB 435**
Invocation
Confession & Absolution **LSB 203**
Service of the Word
Introit **Psalm 99:1-5; antiphon v. 9**
Choir **Shining As The Sun**
Scripture Readings **Exodus 24:8-18**
2 Peter 1:16-21
Matthew 17:1-9

Nicene Creed
Children's Message
Hymn of the Day **'Tis Good, Lord, to Be Here LSB 414**
Message **Rise, and Have No Fear Rev. Robert Weinhold**
Offering
Prayer of the Church
Service of the Sacrament **LSB 208**
Lord's Prayer
Distribution Hymn **Love Divine, All Loves Excelling LSB 700**
Benediction
Closing Hymn **Beautiful Savior LSB 537**
Closing Announcements

Sunday Morning Worship

Sunday, February 19, 2023
The Transfiguration of Our Lord
10:45 AM Worship Service in person and live streamed

Preservice Music *Hymn of Heaven*
Welcome & Opening Announcements
Choir **Shining As The Sun**
Reception of New Members
Invocation
Confession & Absolution **2 Peter 1:19**
Scripture Readings **Exodus 24:8-18**
2 Peter 1:16-21
Matthew 17:1-9

Apostles' Creed
Children's Message
Song **Lift High The Name of Jesus**
Message **Rise, and Have No Fear Rev. Robert Weinhold**
Offering
Prayer of the Church
Service of the Sacrament
Lord's Prayer
Distribution Hymn **Come to Calvary's Holy Mountain LSB 435**
Distribution Song **Offering (Praise Team Only)**
Benediction
Closing Song **Shine, Jesus Shine**
Closing Announcements
Musicians: Gordon Russell piano/vocals | Lorie Crosbie, vocals | Gina Kleman, vocals | John Lensch, vocals | Brendan Doty, drums |

THIS WEEK AT KING OF KINGS

Sun, Feb 19	8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Worship w/Communion Christian Education Hour Worship w/Communion Special Voter's Meeting African Worship Hiawatha Care Center Gospel Mime Practice Power of Love Film Festival Kick Off
Mon, Feb 20	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	MMOC Community Choir Women's Bible Study
Tue, Feb 21	8:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Moms in Prayer International Staff Meeting Praise Band Practice Choir Practice Elder Meeting
Wed, Feb 22 Ash Wednesday	11:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Worship Tech Team Training CEC Advisory Board Meeting Worship
Thu, Feb 23	9:30 a.m. 6:30 p.m.	IDE Professional Workers Meeting Celebrate Recovery
Fri, Feb 24	6:30 p.m.	Book of Isaiah Bible Study
Sun, Feb 26	8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	Worship Christian Education Hour Worship Sunday School Team Meeting African Worship Gospel Mime practice

Attendance Last Week 02/12
Worship: 8:00 AM: 119 10:45 AM: 60 Total- 179

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

THIS WEEK	02/19 8:00 AM		02/19 10:45 AM
NEXT WEEK	02/26 8:00 AM		02/26 10:45 AM
Elder 02/19 Elder 02/26	Dan Klinkenberg Tom Sandersfeld		Curt Zebuhr Paul Parry
Ushers 02/19 Usher 02/26	Paula Bruner Bill Maurer		Jon Bartleson, Deanna Glass, Dave Treptow Colin McCarthy, Glenn Lehrman, David Eddy
Acolyte 02/19 Acolyte 02/26	Logan Beiber Jake Hoffman		Molly Yelden Coleman Loesch
Lay Reader 02/19 Lay Reader 02/26	Scott Nelson Denny Goshon		Keith Colton Tom Sandersfeld
Sound 02/19 Sound 02/26	Brian Carlson OPEN		OPEN Joel Silcox
Media 02/19 Media 02/26	Denny Wangeman Holly Sojka		Darren Jacobsen Dan Henry
Video 02/19 Video 02/26	Dave Lempia Jason Sojka		Chris Dvorak OPEN
Greeters 02/19 Greeters 02/26	Jason Sojka Holly Sojka Steve Schroeder		Dennis Bruster Virginia Bruster Sharon Meyer



"... a voice from the cloud said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." When the disciples heard this, they fell on their faces and were terrified. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Rise, and have no fear." And when they lifted up their eyes, they saw no one but Jesus only." Matthew 17:5-8

Introduction: Is your life as a Christian filled with _____?

I. Fear On the Mount of Transfiguration

- A. They fell on their faces and were _____
- B. What was going on here? Were they on a road of no return?

II. Why Were Peter, James and John Scared?

- A. Clearly not a "good fear" – This was _____ "fearful, respect"
- B. Scared of the " _____ " presence of God? –
- C. Scared at having to _____ to Jesus?
- D. Scared at being convinced of _____ Jesus is?
- E. Scared at what they would now have to _____?
- F. The answer is _____!

III. But with Jesus "Rise and have no fear."

- A. Yes, you are in the presence of God... Don't be _____
- B. Don't be _____
- C. Because they have Jesus _____

IV. Fear, Fear and More Fear...?

- A. What are you afraid of? What do we do?
- B. Fearful of _____ – "phobeo" – phobia – What do you have a fear of?
- C. Fearful of _____ to someone else
- D. Fearful of coming to terms with _____
- E. Fearful of _____ the Words of Jesus
- F. What does God say?

V. Are You Fearful of that which Threatens Your _____... Even the Church?

VI. Jesus Is the Word that Reaches Down and _____ Us Salvation

VII. Even though There is Much that Is Fearful... We Are Not _____!

Prayer of the Church –February 12, 2023

Heavenly Father, You revealed Your glory in the transfiguration of Your Son, who tabernacled among us in the flesh. Open our eyes, that by faith we would see Him continuing to tabernacle among us in the Divine Service that we may get up and follow Him with no fear. Grant that we would heed Your admonition to "listen to Him" as He forgives and preserves us at the font, pulpit and altar. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Almighty God, Moses and Elijah appeared with the Savior in glory, witnessing all that the Law and the prophets speak about Him. Grant wisdom to all pastors and church workers to open Your Scriptures in such a way that everyone would hear the voice of Jesus calling them to life. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Heavenly Father, bless this congregation as we meet in Voters assembly. Prevent us from falling into the trap of fear as we consider issuing a call for a new senior pastor. Inspire all in attendance to seek your will to be done as we cast our votes this afternoon. Send your Holy Spirit to the candidate elect that you may guide him to the path that follows your will for Your church. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Almighty Father, You alone establish all authority on earth. Bless those entrusted with authority both here and abroad to serve with integrity and honor for the well-being of all. Grant that all division, conflict and strife would give way to unity, peace and quietness. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

God of all comfort, You alone bring the peace that passes understanding to troubled hearts. Remember the afflicted, *[especially _____ and those we name in our hearts,]* that they would know Your presence, taste Your peace and receive healing according to Your gracious will, ever trusting in the hope of the resurrection. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Whereas, we pray that all Christians, here and everywhere, would be encouraged in their service of you and each other we especially remember those who celebrate birthdays and wedding anniversaries this week. We pray for _____ as they rejoice at another year of life and _____ as they give thanks for another year of marriage. Inspire and renew each of them. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Lord, we praise You, for we are fearfully and wonderfully made. Give us ears to hear Your voice speaking through Your Word, holy lips to receive Christ's blessed Sacrament with repentance and faith, and holy awe at Your glory granted to us in the Means of Grace. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Lord God, Your power is beyond compare and Your glory beyond understanding. Open our hearts and release us from the fear that so often grips our hearts that we may follow You through the glory of Your Son, whose saving will and purpose has rescued us from sin and death and made us Your own people by Baptism and faith; for to You, blessed and eternal Father, belong all honor and glory, worship and praise, with Your beloved Son 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:

Dean Rothchild 02/19
Anna Sojka 02/21
Deb Stephenson 02/22
Robert Harris 02/23

If we missed your birthday or anniversary, we apologize, we'd love to include you. Please contact the church office to update your information, 319-393-2438 or office@kingofkingscr.org

No anniversaries this week.

Members

Deanna Sanden
Sandra Butz
Cherie Buelow
Lois Muench
Marv Frerking
Richard Nelson
John Owen
Jerry Green
Jerry Cline
Lydia Parry

Family & Friends

Amy Stuenkel
John Leonard
Richard Goshon
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!

Senior Pastor Call Voters' Meeting

We are holding a Voters' Meeting today, 2/19 to vote on a Divine Call for our Senior Pastor.

- 12:00 - Light Lunch (BBQ on a bun and chips)
- A \$5.00 free will offering per meal is appreciated
- 12:30 - Voters' Meeting (childcare will be provided)

Please keep the Call process in your prayers as we seek God's will for our new Senior Pastor.

The Power of Love Film Festival

You make a difference in the world. Create a short 5-10 minute video and enter it in the second annual King of Kings film festival. The videos will be shown during the Power of Love Film Festival on March 18, 2023 at 6:30 PM. All ages are welcome to participate. Start putting your team together today. If you have questions, come to the Film Festival kickoff on February 19 at 7:00 PM at King of Kings.

Place your Bid!

Auction baskets that have been collected for the youth fundraising, will be on display in the fellowship area for your viewing and bidding on. Bidding will close on Sunday, February 19th @Noon. Need not be present to win. Make your silent bid on one Today! Proceeds from the baskets will help support the 2023 HS Youth Summer Servant Event at Mission, South Dakota. The youth and leaders will spend a week with the Lakota people of the Rosebud Sioux Reservation repairing homes and sharing the love of Jesus, July 8-16, 2023.

New Members Welcomed Today

Today we welcome new members into the family of King of Kings at the 10:45 AM Service. New members include Victoria Fenton, Taylor Fenton and sons James and Joshua Grant, Sue Burnell, Greg and Jillian Whitaker and son Holden.

Lenten Devotionals

Pick up your copy of Promised Treasures, a Lenten Devotional, on your way out of worship today. Additionally, Lenten Calendars for children will be given to Sunday School Families today, extra calendars are available on the Welcome Counter.

Altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by Dan and Joanne Alden celebrating their 50th Anniversary February 17.

We Need You!

Sound Board Operators, Media/Screen Operators, Livestream/Video Operators
Come and check out the process for helping in these areas during church services! We are holding a couple of training sessions for those who currently serve and for those who might have an interest in serving in these areas.

If you want to find out more **BEFORE** you make a commitment, then come to one of the training sessions!

Currently there are 2 training sessions scheduled:

Wed, Feb 22 from 5:30 – 6:30 pm
Sat, Mar 4 from 9:00 – 10:00 am

If you have any questions, please talk with Tony Dixon, DCE or Gordon Russell, Director of Music Ministry

Men's Bible Study

The Men's Network will be starting a new 4 session study on Monday, February 27 at 7:00 PM called Two Roads. During our walk in life as Christians we come to a fork in the road with 2 separate paths we can take. One road can lead to a lot of hard work that we feel we need to do. The other road leads to a life along side of our Savior.

Lenten Meals and Worship

As the season of Lent begins, our King of Kings community will have weekly opportunities to gather around a meal and connect with one another. Each week, a meal will be served by a different ministry group at King of Kings. Be sure to join us for good food and fellowship before midweek Worship, starting on Wednesday, March 1 at 5:30pm. The Board of Elders will be serving Pulled Pork. Stay for Worship at 7:00 PM.

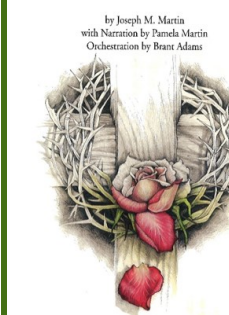
Vacation Bible School – Save the Date

VBS at King of Kings WILL BE OUT OF THIS WORLD the week of **June 12-16, 2023!** Keep an eye out for updates in the future.

Marion Ministry Meeting

The monthly meeting of directors and volunteers of the Marion Ministry and Outreach Center is Tuesday, February 21 at 6 p.m. Anyone interested in learning more about the activities of the Marion Ministry and Outreach Center is invited to attend. A primary discussion topic is development of collaborative activities with the Hawkeye Area Community Action Program, which administers the Women, Infants and Children initiative housed at the MMOC. The MMOC is located at 640 14th Street in Marion. Parking is available in the parking lot off 14th Street and on 6th Avenue adjacent to the office.

the ROSE-OF CALVARY



Easter Cantata Sunday, April 16th, 2023

Come and join us as we lead worship on April 16th singing this year's Easter Cantata, The Rose Of Calvary!

We are beginning rehearsals now on Tuesday evenings for the cantata starting at 7:30 pm. We would love to have many voices come and join us in singing. If you plan to join, please start coming to rehearsals by February 28th.

If you have any questions, please talk to Gordon Russell, Director of Music Ministry.



Men's Retreat

April 14-15, 2023 the Men's Network at King of Kings are planning a weekend of food, fun activities, fellowship, and service projects during our "Men of Courage Retreat" at Camp lo-Dis-E-Ca. This event is for men of all ages from High School on up.

Mime Meals

Our Gospel Mime group of about 20 youth and leaders will soon be meeting on Sunday evenings at 6pm for rehearsal which begins with a meal. If you would be willing to help provide a meal for the group and bless them in that way, please reach out to DCE Tony. (tdixon@kingofkingscr.org) or scan the QR code to sign up.



Attention THRIVENT members:

The deadline to designate your 2022 Thrivent Choice Dollars is March 31, 2023. You can designate your Choice Dollars to King of Kings. Go to www.thrivent.com

Enter your User ID & password (if you don't have one – call Thrivent at 800-847-4836 & say "Log In")

Click on the following tabs:

- What We Offer
- Generosity
- Thrivent Choice

From there, you can direct any Thrivent Choice Dollars to King of Kings Lutheran Church (or any other eligible organization).

If you have any questions, there is an instruction sheet on the Opportunities Counter or please contact Jonathan at King of Kings (319-393-2438 or jofft@kingofkingscr.org)



KING OF KINGS STUDENT MINISTRIES

Upcoming Midweek Events

Wednesday, February 22 – Ash Wednesday, No Youth Group
No Midweek Youth group or Confirmation during Lent
Pre-Confirmation (5th /6th grade) is done for the year

Youth Gospel Mime: 7th-12th Grade youth Needed!

It's already time to start preparing for the 2023 Gospel Mime. This great KOK Youth tradition is a fun and creative way to share the Gospel message through drama set to Contemporary Christian music. We'll view a previous year's Gospel Mime on Wednesday, February 15 during Youth Group and then pick roles for this year. Rehearsals will be on Sunday evenings from 6-9pm during Lent and start on February 19th. Meals are included as a part of our time together. Youth who are in grades 7-12 can sign up now in the Youth Room!

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.