

**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, August 6, 2023  
The 10th Sunday after Pentecost  
8:00 AM Worship Service in person and live streamed  
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**Preservice**  
Welcome & Opening Announcements  
Opening Song In Thee Is Gladness LSB 818  
Invocation  
Confession & Absolution LSB 151  
Service of the Word  
Scripture Readings Isaiah 55:1-5  
Romans 9:1-13  
LSB 156  
Matthew 14:13-21  
Alleluia and Verse  
Children's Message Rev. Chris Navurskis  
Hymn of the Day At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing LSB 633 sts 1-2, 4, 6, 8  
Sermon Why Do You Spend Your Money Rev. Chris Navurskis  
Nicene Creed  
Passing of the Peace  
Offering  
Prayer of the Church  
Service of the Sacrament LSB 162  
Lord's Prayer  
Distribution Hymns O Gracious Lord, I Firmly Am Believing LSB 635 sts 1-5  
Give Thanks With A Grateful Hear LSB 806  
Benediction LSB 166  
Closing Hymn Awake, O Sleeper, Rise for Death LSB 697  
Closing Announcements

*Sunday Morning Worship*

Sunday, August 6, 2023  
The 8th Sunday after Pentecost  
10:45 AM Worship Service in person and live streamed

**Preservice** *The Lord Almighty Reigns*  
Welcome & Opening Announcements  
Opening Song 10,000 Reasons  
Invocation  
Confession & Absolution  
Special Music by Men of God I Was Saved  
Scripture Readings Isaiah 55:1-5  
Romans 9:1-13  
Matthew 14:13-21  
Children's Message Rev. Christopher Navurskis  
Song Lord, I Need You  
Sermon Why Do You Spend Your Money Rev. Chris Navurskis  
Nicene Creed  
Passing of the Peace  
Offering  
Prayer of the Church  
Lord's Prayer  
Service of the Sacrament  
Distribution Songs Only By Grace  
Thank You Jesus for the Blood (Praise Team Only)  
Benediction  
Closing Song O Church Arise (Arise, Shine)  
Closing Announcements  
Musicians: Gordon Russell, piano/vocals | John Lensch, vocals | Sarah Mueller, vocals

**THIS WEEK AT KING OF KINGS**

Sun, Aug 6 8:00 a.m. Worship with Communion  
9:30 a.m. Christian Education Hour  
10:45 a.m. Worship with Communion  
4:00 p.m. Hiawatha Care Center

Mon, Aug 7 6:30 p.m. MMOC Community Choir

Tue, Aug 8 10:30 a.m. Pastor Led Bible Study  
1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting  
6:00 p.m. Governing Board  
6:15 p.m. Praise Band Practice  
7:00 p.m. Men of God Practice

Wed, Aug 9 8:00 p.m. Brass Rehearsal

Thu, Aug 10 6:30 p.m. Celebrate Recovery

Sat, Aug 12 12:00 p.m. Private Event

Sun, Aug 13 8:00 a.m. Worship  
9:30 a.m. Christian Education Hour  
10:45 a.m. Worship

**Attendance**

Worship 07/30 8:00 AM: 135 10:45 AM: 97 Total: 232

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

<b>THIS WEEK</b>	<b>08/06 8:00 AM</b>	<b>08/13 8:00 AM</b>	<b>08/06 10:45 AM</b>	<b>08/13 10:45 AM</b>
Elder 08/06 Elder 08/13	Dan Klinkenberg Dan Klinkenberg		Mike Frerking Paul Parry	
Ushers 08/06 Usher 08/13	Dale Hahn, Boyd Kaiser, John Schaefer Kyle Hibbing Bill Maurer		David Eddy Glenn Lehman Dan Hoffman, Keith Colton, Dave Treptow	
Lay Reader 08/06 Lay Reader 08/13	Greg Happel Scott Nelson		Denny Goshon Keith Colton	
Sound 08/06 Sound 08/13	Brian Carlson OPEN		OPEN Joel Silcox	
Media 08/06 Media 08/13	Sandy Germaine Denny Wangeman		Alisha Buchanan Greg Glass	
Video 08/06 Video 08/13	Davie Lempia Dan Zange		OPEN OPEN	
Greeters 08/06 Greeters 08/13	Dixie Dahl Roxy Savage Scott and Tammy Mahmens		Sharon Meyer Steve and Kathy Epley	



**Why Do You Spend Your Money**

Isaiah 55:1-5

"Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy?"

Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food." Isaiah 55:2

Why do you spend your money?

Ever heard of buyer's remorse?

What does it mean to "buy" or to "spend?"

This text assumes some kind of exchange. Is there any place in Israel's history where Isaiah 55:5 has been a reality?

Consider Isaiah 55:6-7.

Can you recall last week's Gospel lesson?

What is God's pardon worth?

Something, indeed, someone, valuable has been given in exchange for your pardon.

### Prayer of the Church – August 6, 2023

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

Father, Your steadfast love is gracious and overflowing. Teach Your people to look to You in every need; to be thankful for everything that You give them; and to know that no danger, trouble or hardship can ever separate them from Your love in Christ Jesus. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Father, we give You thanks that You have blessed us beyond what we deserve and given to us Your Church. Bless all pastors and church workers in their service to us in Your name, and bless those now considering and preparing for church work. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Father, Your Son miraculously fed the 5,000 and satisfied them. We thank You for all You provide to support our bodies and lives. Make us content with what You give, that we may not covet or turn elsewhere for what comes from Your hand alone. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Father, we are richly and daily surrounded with Your love and care. Give us eyes to see Your mercies new every morning, and grant us grateful hearts, that what we have received we may generously share with the needy and Your Church. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Father, visit us in Your compassion. Deliver the sick from their infirmity, the troubled from their afflictions, the grieving from their sorrow and the dying from their fear [especially \_\_\_\_\_]. May all who cry to You receive grace according to Your will. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Father, Your steadfast love and mercy are forever, but our faith is daily tested and tempted. Give us strength and endurance, that we may not despair but have confidence in Your sufficient grace within Your Word and Sacraments. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

O Lord, let us seek You while You may be found, call upon You in the day of salvation and be prepared by Your mercy for the day of judgment; through 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:

08/08 - Bradley Hoffman, Kimberly McCarthy  
08/09 - Dan Alden  
08/10 - Kyle Hibbing, Miriam Navurskis  
08/11 - Amanda Budde, Jacob Hoffman  
08/12 - Larry Soenksen  
08/13 - Dylan Koepnick

Richard & Charlene Boardman 08/06/1960  
Scott & Tammy Mahmens 08/06/1988  
Kirk & Sheila Monson 08/07/1987  
David & Vicki Drown 08/11/1984  
Jamison & Amanda Lane 08/13/2011

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

### 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

Marge Shay  
Leann Carlson  
Pat Harris  
Greg Yokanovich  
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:

Karen, mother of Jessica Dvorak, upon the death of her husband.  
Jen Silcox and family upon the death of her uncle Charles Brough.  
Randy & Rhonda Townley upon the death of Randy's father.  
Darrel Norman & family upon the death of his father.

### Family & Friends

Paula Easton, mother of Catherine Russell  
Eddie Dedina, brother of Dian Treptow  
Amy Stuenkel  
John Leonard  
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!

### Sunday Morning Tech Help Needed

Have you noticed open slots on the serving schedule? Help is needed! We need Soundboard Operators and Livestream Video Operators. If you would like to know more contact Gordon Russell. grussell@kingofkingscr.org or 319-393-2438.

### IDE Business Manager Position

The Iowa District East is seeking a full-time Business Manager. Key tasks of the IDE Business Manager include bookkeeping, accounting, and payroll services. The IDE Business Manager also gives direction in financial and business decisions that pertain to the Iowa District East - LCMS. An applicant for this position should have the ability to operate accounting software and Microsoft applications, maintain accurate records, manage resources of the district, and have high attention to detail. Benefits include vacation, retirement savings plan and health insurance. Salary to be negotiated. Please submit resumes to the Iowa District East Administrative Assistant at [pam@lcmSIDE.org](mailto:pam@lcmSIDE.org).

Current IDE Business Manager Sherry Brendes is retiring later this year. We thank God for her service and wish her a blessed time in retirement. See the link below for more information.

### Memorial Service for Ian Kleman's mother Ann Kleman.

The memorial service for Ian's mom will be at 10:30 on August 17<sup>th</sup> at St. Stephen's Lutheran church: 610 31st St SE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52403. All are invited to the luncheon to follow.

### Employment Opportunities at Trinity Lutheran School!

Trinity's Early Childhood department has two full-time aide positions open starting August 23, 2023. For more details and to submit a resume visit the school's website, [www.trinitycr.org](http://www.trinitycr.org), and under the School pages click on "Join Our Team" or email Jessica Kinney, Early Childhood Director, [kinneyj@trinitycr.org](mailto:kinneyj@trinitycr.org). You will be working with a fun, hardworking group of teachers in a supportive school environment. Plus the kids are adorable!

### Altar Flowers Given to the Glory of God by Gordon and Catherine Russell in honor of their Anniversary on August 3.

### GriefShare Coming This Fall

Have you experience the loss of a spouse, parent, child of friend and find it difficult to cope with this loss? King of Kings has a GriefShare Support Group that can assist you in working through your grief. This world-wide program is designed with a video, presented by professionals and lay people who give helpful spiritual and common sense ways of coping with many difficult situations. Attendees have a sharing time at the end that is helpful. The GriefShare Support Group will start at King of Kings on Monday, September 11, from 10:00AM-11:30AM in the Fireside Room. If interested in attending this class, please sign up at the Welcome Center or call Darlene Wood at 319-270-1276.

### March For Life

It is not too early to start planning for the March for Life in Washington DC. Pastor Chris would like to form a group that would attend the March in January (on the 19th).

If you are interested, please talk to him after church, email him ([pcnavurskis@kingofkingscr.org](mailto:pcnavurskis@kingofkingscr.org)) or reach him through the church office this week, 319-393-2438. (If January does not work for your schedule, we will also consider strategic state Marches as an alternative.)

### Life Groups Sign-Ups Start Next Week

It's time for Life Group Sign-Ups to begin! Starting Sunday, August 13, adults have the opportunity to join a new or existing Life Group! This year's fall campaign is a 5 week series that will start on September 10. To find out more about Life Groups, contact Ann Mueller, [office@kingofkingscr.org](mailto:office@kingofkingscr.org) or 319-393-2438.

### Zion Installation Service

You are cordially invited to the Installation Vespers Service for Rev. Kevin C. Zellers, Jr as new pastor at Zion Lutheran Church in Hiawatha, Iowa. Sunday, August 20, 2023 at 2:00 PM at Zion Lutheran Church, 201 1st Ave, Hiawatha. District President Rev. Dr. Brian Saunders will be the installer, Rev. Dr. Dean Rothchild will be the liturgist and Rev. Kevin Zellers, Sr will be the guest preacher. After the installation service, please join Zion's congregation members in the Family Life Center for a cake and card reception.



### “Somebody ought to.....”

How many times have you heard that statement in regard to the Church, or even our own congregation. You can be that somebody. The first step is to recognize that every Christian is called to serve Christ and His kingdom – no exceptions. The next step is to enroll in King of Kings' Difference Makers program. You will receive training, mentoring and other assistance in becoming “somebody” for Christ. Stop by the table in the fellowship area the next 3 Sundays for more information. It's your call.

### Updated Elder List

At the last Elder meeting, they updated their list. Below is the new list and contact information for each Elder.

**Mike Frerking:** Alden-Colton, 319-693-9042 [mjfrerki@gmail.com](mailto:mjfrerki@gmail.com)

**Shane Hartzler:** Cook-Grant, 319-721-8268 [shartzler@rallyappraisal.com](mailto:shartzler@rallyappraisal.com)

**David Hoffman:** Green-Johnson, 319-560-2986

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**Dan Klinkenberg:** Jonasson-Martin, 563-370-5229

[djkhawatha0551@gmail.com](mailto:djkhawatha0551@gmail.com)

**Paul Parry:** Martinson-Neuhring, 319-450-9875 [paulmdonnam@aol.com](mailto:paulmdonnam@aol.com)

**Tom Sandersfeld:** Offerman-Slinger, 319-521-4633 [tombsand@gmail.com](mailto:tombsand@gmail.com)

**Curt Zebuhr:** Soenksen-Zieser, 319-929-3284 [zebuhrfamily@gmail.com](mailto:zebuhrfamily@gmail.com)

The exceptions to the list are that each elder will have their own family.

As a reminder the Elders responsibilities as spelled out in the bylaws: Assisting the Pastor with Worship and the spiritual/physical well being of the pastor/members of King of Kings. If members have a need for communion at home, a hospital/nursing home visit, let an elder know. If there are family members who are in need of prayers/spiritual/physical needs let an elder know also. We will also assist Pastor Chris with these concerns and shut in visits or other areas where the pastor and the members need help.



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## STUDENT MINISTRIES

### Save The Date: August 23 - Youth Water Day

We've had some great fun during our monthly summer youth activities and there's still one more on the way. 7-12 grade youth won't want to miss this chance to cool down from the summer heat while we play some water based challenge games. There will be snacks for everyone and all friends are welcome to join. We hope to see you there!