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# CtK Connect

Friday 4th July 2025

# This week at Christ the King

#### **SUNDAY**

This Sunday is a very important one for our church. Ian will formally 'Preach with a View' at this Communion Service, exploring *Persevering in Prayer*, drawing upon Psalm 13 and Luke 18: 1-8.

The service will be followed by an **Extraordinary Congregational Meeting** in the Hall at which members will vote on accepting Ian as our permanent minister. This meeting will be followed by a **'bring and share' lunch.** All are welcome to come along to both the meeting and lunch, but only members can take part in the vote.

At 8.15pm on Zoom there is the **Pastor's Chat and Pray** followed by a 15 minutes Compline service. See joining details overleaf.

#### TUESDAY

Our **Renew Café** meets in the Community Centre Hall from 9.30— 11.30am. Free refreshments, chat, magazines and the odd jigsaw puzzle to amuse.

#### WEDNESDAY

Our daytime *Life Groups* meet in the Narthex at 10.00am and our evening group at 7.30pm. The evening meeting will take a break in July and August, but with social events on 23rd July and 13th August.

#### FRIDAY

**Relax Teens** meet from 7.00—9.00pm in the Narthex to go for outdoor games

#### SATURDAY

Our summer community fete will be in the Community Centre Hall and garden from 12.00 – 3.00pm. See next page for details. Do come and join us.



#### **NEXT SUNDAY**

We will have a visiting speaker, Katie Jenkinson, from the Church Mission Society (CMS), which we support via our tithe payments. She will preach on Mark 4: 35-5:20 and share with us the work of CMS.

#### New to Christ the King?

Are you new to CtK? If you want to know more about us and how to get more involved in the life of our congregation, please speak to the service leader or welcoming people and give us a way to contact you. Otherwise email christthekingmk@live.co.uk and one of our Stewards will be in touch.



Our regular Sunday service at Christ the King is at 9.30am. There are activities for children and we also have after-service refreshments.

An audio version of our Sunday service is available from Sunday evening at: <u>Christ The King MK</u> or search christthekingchurchmk on Facebook.

If you wish to donate to the work of our church and don't do this electronically, there is a card/device reader and collection box by the door at the back of the church area. For online donations see the *Finance Matters* panel at the bottom of the next page.

#### **Church Contacts**

For **pastoral matters** contact our pastor, Ian Pearce, on 07719 968 356 (email ipearce@live.com). Note that Ian's days off are Monday, Tuesday afternoon and Saturday.

For general church enquiries contact Steve Potter on 0777 985 4597

#### CtK WiFi: VD3dMaHQ9JcenN

Or use this QR code:

#### Parking

Please don't park in front of the shop by the church.





Our summer community fete will be the Community Centre Hall and garden on **12th July** from 12.00 – 3.00pm. Do come and join us and invite your friends.

# **Monthly Prayer Half-Hour**

Our next monthly post-service prayer meeting will be after the service this Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July and then on 10th August. It is open to everyone in the congregation and will be facilitated by Eric Wiffen.



# WCP News and Events

The ever-popular **WCP BBQ** will take place on the afternoon of Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> July at Wavendon Rectory.

Sunday 27th July: 3.30pm to 6pm @ Wavendon Rectory, Walton Rd, Wavendon, MK17 8LW • Relax with friends across the partnership • Enjoy good food

Donation £3 per adult, £1.50 per child (cash or card) Bring a side dish or pudding to share (no raisins or nuts please) and a blanket or camping chair to sit on.

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# **Conundrum of the week**

What can you put in a bucket to make it weigh less?

Answer next week

## **CtK Connect**

*CtK Connect* is both to provide information about CtK Community Church activities and to allow us to share news and encourage each other. Each edition will be e-mailed ahead of the Sunday services. Send any contribution to: potterstephen40@gmail.com

If you wish to unsubscribe from CtK Connect please send an email to christthekingmk@live.co.uk

# Sunday Evening on Zoom

The **Pastor's Chat and Pray** takes place on Zoom on Sunday evenings at 8.15pm followed by a 15 minutes Compline service. Do log into



this. The Zoom Meeting ID is 889 5790 1307 and the passcode: 675101. If you prefer a link to log into the



meeting, please email Ian.

**Exploring Prison Ministry** See Lyn Atkinson for details of this event. You can join via the Prison Fellowship webpage at: <u>Home - Prison</u>

Fellowship

Date: Wednesday 16th July Time: 7.00pm - 8.00pm Cost: FREE Where: Online via Zoom

# Autumn Alpha Course

We at Christ the King will hold a Partnership autumn Alpha Course. This will be on Wednesday evenings starting on Wednesday 24th September at 7.30pm. If you are interested in joining this, or finding out what its about, please get in touch with Pastor Ian.

## Walnut Tree Food Bank

# Here is a list of suggested items for the Walnut Tree Food Bank:

Tins of meatballs, hotdogs, macaroni cheese and soup; White pasta (not wholemeal); Tomato ketchup, brown sauce and mayonnaise; Chocolate spread, jam, peanut butter; Multi-packs of sweets (to split up for children); Tea bags, coffee and Long life milk; Biscuits and cereals; Shower gel, deodorants, shampoo, wet wipes; Multi-purpose cleaner.

## **Finance Matters**

If you wish to arrange regular giving (standing order or cash) please contact our Treasurer Ros Bateman (email: rosalind.bateman@btinternet.com

We have a card reader in church and there is an <u>online giving page</u> This also provides an opportunity for those joining online to support us if they so wish. Do tick the **Gift Aid** box if appropriate.

