

Christ the King Community Church

An ecumenical congregation within
Walton Churches Partnership

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Friday 15th August 2025

This week at Christ the King

SUNDAY

A visiting speaker, Neil Katterhorn, will preach at our 9.30am service on *Kingdom People, Kingdom Mission*, which will be led by Steve Potter.

Please note that during August there is no Children's church, but there will be a kid's table at the back of the church if you wish to take your children there.

After the service, refreshments will be available in the Narthex area and then our monthly Prayer Half-Hour will take place in the Community Centre Hall.

At 3.00pm we will holding our time of **World Prayers** and at 8.15pm on Zoom there is the **Pastor's Chat and Pray**. See joining details over-leaf.

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 Group** meets in the Narthex at 10.00am. The evening meeting is taking a break until September when this will recommence leading into our Alpha Course (see next page for details).

THURSDAY

Our monthly service at Kents Hill Care Home will take place in their lounge at 11.00am.

NEXT SUNDAY

Jim Churcher will lead our 9.30am service.

Sunday Services



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: [Christ The King MK](https://www.facebook.com/ChristTheKingMK) or search christthekingchurchmk on Facebook.

If you wish to donate to the work of our church and don't do this otherwise, 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.



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.



Monthly Prayer Half-Hour

Our next monthly post-service prayer meetings will be after the service on 14th September. It is open to everyone in the congregation and will be facilitated by Eric Wiffen.

Music Group

We presently don't have a music group to lead our worship songs and hymns on a Sunday. It would be good to get this going again. If anyone who plays an instrument (particularly keyboard or guitar) or knows someone who could be invited, contact Pastor Ian.

WCP News

Rev Matt Trendall is taking a 3-month sabbatical (along with Alise), starting on 22nd August and running through until 21st November. They would greatly value your prayers as Matt and Alise seek to recharge their batteries over the Autumn.

WCP's 40th Anniversary

We are coming up to the 40th anniversary of our ecumenical partnership. On Saturday 4th October from tea time to early evening we will hold a special celebration here at Christ the King involving a short service, shared food and a Ceilidh barn dance! For those who were around 10 years ago, here's a picture of the fun we had at a WCP Ceilidh then (see if you can spot Fr James and Rev Matt in there!). Put 4th October in your diaries!



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

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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.



Autumn Alpha Course

We at Christ the King will hold a Partnership autumn Alpha Course. This will be on Wednesday evenings starting on Wednesday 10th 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.

We have also had a note from Charlier Deacon who chairs the Food Bank, in response to our tithe gift. He wrote: *Please pass on our heartfelt thanks to everyone involved, we are now struggling a little financially with very little money coming in, so this will make a very big difference and help enormously.*

Conundrum

Last week you were asked *What is always in front of you but can't be seen?THE FUTURE!*

Here's a nice one: **Ask this question all day long, but always get completely different answers, and yet all the answers will be correct. What is the question?**
Answer next week

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 [online giving page](#) This also provides an opportunity for those joining online to support us if they so wish. Do tick the **Gift Aid** box if appropriate.

