

CtK Connect

Friday 8th August 2025

This week at Christ the King

SUNDAY

Our 9.30am service will be taken by Pastor Ian exploring Exodus 6 v 1 - 7 & Ephesians Chapter 1 v 5 -8.

At 3.00pm we will holding our time of **World Prayers**

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. The evening meeting will have a social event this week and then take a break until September when this will recommence with our Alpha Course (see next page for details).

NEXT 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 provided at the back of the church if you wish to take your children there.

Kents Hill Care Home Service

The next monthly service will be in the lounge at Kents Hill Care Home at 11.00am on Thursday 21st August

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.

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 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.





Monthly Prayer Half-Hour

Our next monthly post-service prayer meetings will be after the service on 17th August (please note change of date) and then 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.

URC Children's Adventure Weekend

If you have children interested in going on this, please get in touch with Pastor Ian.



Conundrum

Last week you were asked 'What has a lot of teeth but can't bite?'

Answer: A comb.

Try this: *What is always in front of you but can't be seen?*

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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.



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.

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 40th Anniversary

It's the 40th anniversary of our ecumenical partnership. On Saturday 4th October we will hold a special celebration involving a short service and shared food (and there has even been mention of a Ceilidh!!)

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.

