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An ecumenical congregation within Walton Churches Partnership

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Friday 31st October 2025

This week at Christ the King

FRIDAY

Relax Teens meet in the Narthex 7.00-9.00pm





SUNDAY

It is **Remembrance Sunday**. Steve Potter will lead our 9.30am service and after this, at 10.50, there will be a joint act of remembrance for both congregations to include two minutes silence at 11.00.

At 8.15pm on Zoom there is the *Pastor's Chat and Pray*. The Zoom Meeting ID is 889 5790 1307 and the passcode: 675101.



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 Life Groups meets in the Narthex at 10.00am and 7.00pm

FRIDAY

Youth Alpha meets in the Narthex at 7.00—9.00pm.



NEXT SUNDAY

Pastor Ian will continue our series exploring Paul's Letter to the Philippians in our All-Age service. This will be on the subject of *Living in God's Peace*, drawing on Phil 4:1-9

Our first Sunday Lunch Club will be at 12.30pm at the Peartree Inn.

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 afterservice refreshments.

An audio version of our Sunday service is available from Sunday evening at: Christ The King MK or search christthe-kingchurchmk 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

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Parking

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



Naming November

To help us get to remember the names of everyone, we will have a *Naming November*. When, as you come into church, if you want, you will be given a label to wear on which you write your name (in large letters please).

Monthly Prayer Half-Hour

There is not a November meeting and the next meeting will be after the service on 14th December. This is open to everyone in the congregation and will be facilitated by Eric Wiffen.

CtK Sunday Lunch Club

We are trying out a monthly Sunday lunch at the Peartree Inn (here's a link to the menu). If the weather is good, this will be followed by a walk along the canal for whoever would like to.



The first one will be held next Sunday 16th November at 12:30pm. Everyone is welcome, please feel free to bring family and friends. If you would like to come, please speak to Catherine Hill or Stephanie Warren after a service, or email Catherine at chill273@gmail.com so we know how many to book for. If transport is a problem, please let us know and we will do our best to help. We look forward to seeing you there!

Kents Hill Care Home Services

The next service for residents at Kents Hill Care Home will be at 11.00am on Thursday 20th November and 18th December. If you are able, do come along and support this part of our ministry.

Joke of the week

Why did the golfer bring two pairs of socks? Answer: In case they got a hole in one!

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

Angel Tree 2025

Once again we are supporting the Prison Fellowship Angel Tree project providing Christmas gift to children with a parent in prison on behalf of the parent. If you would like to buy a gift, Angel Tree tags with details of a child and what they would like for Christmas will be available on Sunday 9th November from Lynn Atkinson.

You will need to buy 1 new toy for between £10 and £15 avoiding toys with batteries if possible, and consider the weight as they are being posted. Return the gift unwrapped to Lynn Atkinson on 16th November. Each gift costs £5 in postage and packing so we welcome donations towards this. Wrapping Day is Sat 29th Nov from 9.30 a.m. at Christ The King.

Helpers (still) needed!!

There are two activities that need more people to help run them well. Firstly we have an increasing number of children attending our *Children's Church* during our morning service. We really need some additional people to help run this, even if you can only manage (say) one Sunday a month. Please contact Pastor Ian if you think you can help with this.

Another role stems from us now running three or four community events a year. It would be great to have someone to co-ordinate these events—not to do everything, but make sure these get organised properly. See Steve Potter if you think you could do this.

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 breakfast 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.

