

# INFORMATION & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Today at Christ the King

9:15am Worship Service  
11:00am Sunday School Classes  
5:00pm Prayer Meeting

## Sunday School Classes

Adult Class, Fellowship Hall  
*The Modern Self*, Stephen Townley  
Youth (6th-12th grade), Fireplace Room  
*Shorter Catechism*, Cody Chapman & Bruce Speck

PreK-K, 1st-3rd, and 4th-5th classes meet in their respective rooms along the South wall of the Fellowship Hall. Nursery is provided for younger kids.

## Wednesdays at Christ the King

Please join us on Wednesday from 6:30-8pm for group studies and fellowship. Our current schedule:  
- Adult Group: *Christianity & Liberalism*  
- Youth Group (6th-12th grade)  
- Children's Catechism (1st-5th)  
Nursery is provided for younger kids.

## Reminders for Next Week (9/17)

Sound:  
Communion: Hashmans  
Nursery: Stephen Townley & Julia Wilkinson

## Upcoming Events

- 10/1 Fellowship meal after service

## For Our Visitors

We are so glad you are here! We invite your whole family to participate in worship together, but for those who desire we have a loving and safe Nursery for children 4 and under, located downstairs and to the right.

If you are visiting for the first time, please fill out a connect card found in the pew back in front of you, and place it in the offering plate.

Immediately after service, please join us downstairs for a time of coffee and fellowship. At 11am, we will break into our Sunday school classes for all ages, pre-K through Adult. On the first Sunday of even months, we have a potluck fellowship meal after service in place of our Sunday school classes.

The women's restroom is located downstairs through the first door on the left. The men's restroom is across the fellowship hall in the back right corner.

Please feel free to connect to CTKWifi using the password: [whatwouldjesusdo](#)

For more information, upcoming events, to receive email updates, and to get connected, please visit us online at [www.ctkjoplin.com](http://www.ctkjoplin.com).

# Christ the King

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Equipping the Saints  
Extending the Kingdom*

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SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP  
SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

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Cody Chapman **Welcome**

### **Call to Worship** ✧

Psalm 107:1-3 Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever! Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, whom he has redeemed from trouble and gathered in from the lands, from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.

*Arise, O God, and Shine* ✧

### **Prayer for God's Blessing** ✧

*It Is Finished* ✧

Craig Patterson **Reading of the Law**

Matt. 22:35-40 Leader: And one of them asked Jesus a question to test him. "Teacher, which is the great commandment in the Law?"

*People: And Jesus said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets."*

Leader: Have you obeyed the Lord in all that He has commanded?

*People: No, but we have sinned against Him in thought, word, and deed.*

Leader: Then confess your sins to God, for in Him there is forgiveness and abundant mercy.

### **Unison Confession of Sin**

Psalm 51:1-4 *People: Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment.*

### **Silent Prayer of Confession**

### **Assurance of God's Mercy**

Titus 3:5-7 Leader: He saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out

✧ Congregation Standing

on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

*Great Is Thy Faithfulness* ✧

*In Christ Alone* ✧

### **Confession of Faith** ✧

Belgic Confession, Art. 8 *People: We believe in one only God, who is the one single essence, yet in which there are three persons: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. The Father is the cause, origin, and beginning of all things visible and invisible; the Son is the Word, wisdom, and image of the Father; the Holy Spirit is the eternal power and might, proceeding from the Father and the Son. Nevertheless, God is not divided into three, but that these three Persons are but one only God. They are all three co-eternal and co-essential. There is neither first nor last; for They are each one in truth, in power, in goodness, and in mercy.*

### **Scripture Reading**

Exodus 3:13-22 | "I AM WHO I AM"

### **Membership and Baptism — Roe Family**

Clint Loy **Pastoral Prayer**

Levi Bakerink **Sermon**

Mark 1:9-13 | "Jesus the Messiah"

*Come Boldly to the Throne of Grace* ✧

[At this time we take up our weekly offering]

### **Lord's Supper**

[We invite all professing, baptized believers to partake of the Lord's Supper. We use gluten-free bread and either wine (red) or juice (white)]

*Doxology* ✧

**Benediction** ✧

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### **Announcements**

[Please be seated after the service for announcements]