KING'S NEWS

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THIS WEEK AT CHURCH

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

Installation & Rededication of ELC Staff

8:00am Worship w/ Holy Communion

9:00am Coffee & Fellowship

9:30am Summer Sunday School for 3yrs-5th grade

Jr. Youth Confirm. Class // Sr. Youth Study

Adult Bible Study // Parent Study

10:30am Worship w/ Holy Communion + livestream

11:30am Potluck Lunch

12:30pm Quarterly Voters Meeting 4:45pm Sr. Youth Back2School Tailgate

MONDAY, AUGUST 19

7:00pm Evangelism Committee Meeting

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20

12:00pm Tuesdays@Noon Summer Lunch

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21

6:00pm Confirmation Orientation

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25

Blessing of Confirmands & Teachers

8:00am Worship

9:00am Coffee & Fellowship

9:30am Summer Sunday School for 3yrs-5th grade

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WELCOME VISITORS!

We are so glad you could join us today. Please fill out a Fellowship Card found on the back of each pew and place in the offering plate. If you are in need of pastoral care, interested in membership, or would like to learn more about the Lutheran faith, please reach out to one of our Pastors or the church office at 816-436-7680. Find sermons, Bible studies, calendar and more online at KingofKingsKC.org.

TODAY

QUARTERLY POTLUCK LUNCH & VOTERS MEETING

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

Join your church friends TODAY for a potluck lunch, followed by our quarterly meeting. All King of Kings members encouraged to GATHER to enjoy fellowship with one another. Information packets available in the Narthex.

11:30AM POTLUCK LUNCH Bring an entrée AND side

dish or dessert to share. Enough to feed your family.

Drinks and table service provided.

12:30PM VOTERS MEETING Attend in-person or watch online.

(Voting abilities not available online).

SEWING SUCCESS

On August 9, twelve King of Kings sewists joined together in Parkville to create projects for the Bazaar held each October. By the end of the day, sets of placemats, casserole carriers, soft books, playmats and kitchen towels took shape. The sewing isn't complete—there are more projects to create. If you would like to make something but aren't sure what to make, contact Paula Meier, Nancy Becker or Barb Ewert for projects ideas. Watch *Kings News* for our next sewing day. Thank you to the ladies who made our sewing day a success!

THIS WEEK

CONFIRMATION ORIENTATION

AUGUST 21 & 28 - 6PM

This year's Confirmation ministry is just around the corner for our largest group yet. Confirmation Orientation sessions will be held on August 21 & August 28 at 6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Each confirmation student entering 6-8th grades, and at least one parent, are expected to be in attendance at one of these two orientation meetings.

OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER

We are looking for one more Sunday School teacher to teach this year—plus volunteers to serve as substitutes. Please prayerfully consider this opportunity to help our youngest learn about God's love and grow deeper in their faith. Contact Michelle Easterday or the church office to volunteer.

NEW EMAIL SYSTEM

We have worked hard this summer to shift to a new email delivery platform for all church news. You will receive your weekly church email each Sunday morning at 6am, plus occasional church notices, from info@kokkc.org. If you did not receive this morning's email, please check your junk/ spam folder or contact the church office to ensure we have your correct email on record.

SAVE THE DATE

RALLY SUNDAY & CHURCH PICNIC SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Rally Day marks the start of our Fall ministries and classes. GROW in your faith by joining a new ministry or study, volunteering or simply GATHER with your church family.

SUNDAY SCHOOL KICKOFF - 9:30AM

All students—preschool to high school—join us for a morning treat, meet your teachers and participate in a special activity at this fun Back-to-Sunday-School kickoff.

MINISTRY FAIR — 9AM-10:30AM

Take a stroll through our ministry fair to see all the different ministries, studies and groups to get involved with here at King of Kings. Find a new way to GROW, GATHER, GIVE or GO in your faith and church life.

ALL-CHURCH PICNIC AT HAPPY ROCK PARK — 4PM

Join us at Happy Rock park in the afternoon for our annual church-wide picnic. All ages invited. We will also host our 2nd Annual Dessert competition and games for kids. Attendees are asked to bring an entrée and side to share. Drinks and table service provided. Bring a friend to join you, and the folding chairs, too!

NOTE OF THANKS

FROM RICK MILLER

Thank you for your prayers and concerns after my surgery and rehab. Your petitions have been heard.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY CHOOSES NEW BOOK

BEGINS SEPT. 11

MEETS WEDNESDAYS AT 6PM

Led by Kathy Cunningham and Carla
Brown, the Women's Bible Study will read
Praying with Power by Patsy Clairmont.
Study guides available for \$8.00 each - for those attending or anyone who would like to do the study on their own. Book available at first meeting.

SR. YOUTH UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY! BACK2SCHOOL TAILGATE - AUG. 18

Sr. Youth is headed to Beautiful Savior Lutheran in Overland Park to join the city-wide KC Lutheran Youth Back2School Tailgate for high schoolers. Meet at King of Kings upper parking lot — carpool leaves promptly at 4:45pm.

ZACH WILLIAMS REVIVAL NIGHTS TOUR - OCT. 20

Queue up "Lord, I Need You" or "I'm so Blessed" on your Spotify because Sr. Youth is headed to hear live music at what is sure to be a fantastic Christian concert featuring Zach Williams, Matt Maher, CAIN and Ben Fuller at Cable Dahmer Arena. RSVP by August 20 on GroupMe.

ELC IS HIRING AIDES FOR FALL

START DATE: AUGUST 29

KingofKingsELC.org

Our Early Learning Center is blessed to be at almost FULL enrollment, but has an **URGENT NEED** to hire FOUR part-time, dedicated and loving Classroom Aides. Flexible schedule of 10-20 hours per week, working around your needs. If you know anyone with Christian values and a love for kids, please send them our way. Work with an incredible group of teachers and aides in the ELC. Send resumé and availability to <u>elcdirector@kokkc.org</u>

YOUTH GROUP HAPPENINGS

If you haven't joined out new groups on GroupMe, please reach out to Cindy Twillman for an invite code.

JUNIOR YOUTH (6-8)

SEPTEMBER 4 Confirmation Classes Begin

SEPTEMBER 15 Escape Room

OCTOBER 19 Confirmation Retreat - Iowa

SENIOR YOUTH (9-12)

AUGUST 18 High School Back2School Tailgate — 4:45pm

SEPTEMBER 8 Church Picnic - Game leaders

SEPTEMBER 22 Escape Room