

Christ the Lord Church Office Hours

Sandy: Monday - Friday, 9:30am - 12:30pm
(please call first if you need to meet with Sandy)

Sunday Service 10AM

CTL eNews for Feb 8 - 15, 2024

Please contact Elaine Brady elaine.brady592ctl@gmail.com for contributions to the eNews

If you would like something to be included in the E-news please contact Elaine

February 2024

Saturday, February 10... Creativity Unlimited Group meets at 2:00 pm in the Fellowship Room. Come and share your special talent or interest. Everyone is welcome.

Sunday, February 11....CTL Annual Meeting for all CLT members, after worship. We will be voting for 2 new members to the Bishop's Committee.

Traditional PotLuck Luncheon on this special CTL day! Bring your favorite dish to share.

Wednesday, February 14...Ash Wednesday - Lent Begins: Distribution of ashes with prayer service at 12:30 pm and ashes with Holy Eucharist at 6:30 pm

Sunday, February 18...First Sunday of Lent - Regular Worship Service 10 am.

Saturday, February 24...Bishop's Committee Annual Planning meeting will be at the home of Joe Cleberg. Breakfast will be served. It will be the first meeting for the 2 newly elected BC members. The meeting will be from 9 am until 2pm.

Sunday, February 25...Second Sunday of Lent; Regular Worship Service 10 am

March 2024

Sunday, March 3...Third Sunday of Lent - Regular Worship Service 10 am

Sunday, March 10...Fourth Sunday of Lent - Regular Worship Service 10 am: Daylight Saving Time begins

Sunday, March 17... Fifth Sunday of Lent - Regular Worship Service 10 am

Sunday, March 24...*Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord - Regular Worship Service 10am*

Thursday, March 28...*Maundy Thursday - evening Eucharist service - TBD*

Friday, March 29...*Good Friday - Church sanctuary open from 12 noon to 3 pm for contemplative prayer and reflection*

Sunday, March 31...*Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord - Regular Worship Service 10am*

Invitation to the May 4 ordination and consecration of the New Bishop for the Diocese of California The Rev. Austin Keith Rios

will be ordained and consecrated Bishop Coadjutor of the Episcopal Diocese of California at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 4 at Grace Cathedral. Please share this invitation ([English](#), [Spanish](#)) with your congregation and anyone else who may want to attend in-person or via livestream.

The 1st Sunday of February Donation

Recipient is the Interfaith Council of Contra Costa County.

Donations and pledge payments to support CTL and our various ministries may be given at <https://christthelord.gvtls.com>, or by sending a check to the church. Remember you can always give to charities of your choice at any time.

The “Ark” Birthday/Special Intentions Bank

2023 donations will be given to the Heifer International.

Homebound Communion for CTL members

We have a Eucharistic visitor who will bring the communion elements (bread/wine/juice) and/or also do a service in your home. Please contact Elaine Glimme (510) 859-5317 or ElaineGlimme@comcast.net

Creativity Unlimited takes place every 2nd Saturday of the month in the fellowship room at 2pm at CTL. All are welcome.

have annual meetings and elect new vestry members, make sure that they get the resources and training they need. Five new, online classes are now available:

- The Vestry Journey – understanding the work and leadership of vestry
- Vision and the Vestry – ways to allow true vitality to emerge
- Understanding Vestry Finances – importance of financial oversight and transparency
- Vestry Team Building and Conflict – Healthy approach to inevitable conflict & anxiety
- What Every Vestry Member needs to know about Money – another great financial workshop

These are all available free for the diocese of California. [Check out this page for details.](#)

This page of RESOURCES also highlights great information for Vestries and Bishop’s Committees as well as the canonically mandated training for all elected lay leaders. And at the bottom of the page we have best practices for opening meetings and sharing leadership information. [CLICK HERE.](#)

If you have questions or resources to share, contact Amy Cook (amyc@diocal.org).

[Resources and new vestry and bishop’s committee Training for 2024!](#) As our churches