

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 August 18-24, 2023

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

August

- Sunday, August 20...

Father Dave will be the celebrant while Rev. Dr. Lois is away.

September

- Saturday, August 12...

Creativity Unlimited hosted by Elaine Glimme from 2 pm - 4 pm in the Fellowship room at CTL.

- Saturday, September 16...

Adult Musical Review CTL fundraiser.

Creativity Unlimited Vol.1. Doors open at 6:30 pm; the concert starts at 7:00 pm. See article *Entertainment Coming to CTL* for more info and the link to order tickets online through EventBrite. See article.

- Sunday, September 17...

Bishop's Committee Meeting via Zoom at 2pm

- Sunday, September 24...After service, our guest speaker Debbie Plato will present important information concerning end of life funeral preparation. Light lunch provided.

- Saturday, September 30...1 pm. Pinole 4 Fair Government speaker TBD

October

- Saturday, October 7, 2023...

Italian Extravaganza Dinner from 4:30 to 6:30 at CTL. \$25.00 per person

Save the Date:

- February 3, 2024 - Adult Musical review CTL fundraiser

FYI- Donations to Hawaii for their recent wildfire and hurricane devastations may be made payable to the Hawaii Episcopal Relief Fund. If you donate cash, be sure to let us know you would like it to be for Hawaii.

AC Update! Everything is A-OK. We now have a cool and comfortable church for our services and special events!

Fellowship Continues with me as the coordinator. However, I need your help and support. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex for you to donate food. I will help you set up and clean-up on the day you bring your food donation. I will monitor and order supplies such as napkins, plates, etc. Coffee will continue to be set up by Vanessa. Teamwork will keep this tradition alive

and well. Thank you for your support and cooperation.

New Church Cleaner Needed for Sundays. Patricia will not be able to continue as cleaner for our church starting in September. The job description is as follows: Reliable person to do light cleaning of our church after worship services each Sunday. Job starts September 3, 2023. Work schedule is 12 noon -1:30 pm each Sunday. Compensation is \$25.00/per hour. Contact Sandy for more details.

Entertainment Coming to CTL
September 16, 2023: *Creativity Unlimited Vol. 1* Doors open 6:30 pm; Concert starts at 7:00pm Rev Dr. Lois has arranged Concerts with Stephanie Smith and her musicians/performers - Saturday, Sept. 16, 2023 & Feb. 3, 2024 - 2 hour performances, each with one 15-minute intermission. Adult LGBTQ-friendly material. Tickets are available through EventBrite (see how to order tickets below). Distributions of proceeds: 10% to Stephanie Smith, 90% to CTL. CTL will host and also provide finger food and beverages at intermission. Sign-up sheet in Narthex for hosting and food donations.

How to order tickets for *Creativity Unlimited Vol. 1* The Concert highlights the wonderfully diverse and rich pool of performing artists in our local Bay Area community. Composers of color, members of the LGBTQ+ community, and minorities are what make up their vibrant and thriving artist scene. Come celebrate! Tickets are \$20 and available for advance online

purchase [here](#). Information and ticket ordering is also available on our website.

CTL Italian Extravaganza: Italian Dinner (Saturday, Oct. 7 from 4:30 - 6:00 pm) - Rev. Lois has contracted with Palermo's Restaurant in Vallejo to cater this event. Suggested ticket price: \$25/person. More details to follow.

The "Ark" Birthday/Special Intentions Bank
2023 donations will be given to the Heifer Project.

August - 1st Sunday Special Collection is for Food Bank of Contra Costa and Solano Counties

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.

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