

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 June 29 - July 6, 2023

Please contact Elaine Brady elaine.brady592ctl@gmail.com for contributions to the eNews
My AOL is still okay to use.

July

Sunday, July 2...

- Guest speaker for sermon: Gerald Wilson, Delta Veterans

Saturday, July 8...

- 10 am until 12 noon, Cleaning up the meeting room and the library corner(see article)

Sunday, July 9 after Fellowship

- Noon -2pm Cleaning up the meeting room and the library corner (see article)

Tuesday, July 4...

- Fourth of July holiday. The Church Office and La Casita closed. No online class.

Tuesday, July 11...

- 6:30 pm Class #5 Anti-racism via zoom

Saturday, July 15...

- Pinole 4 Fair Government speaker TBD

Sunday, July 23...

- Guest speaker for sermon: Amy Cook, Diocese of California

Save the Dates:

- Saturday, September 16 -Adult Musical review fundraiser
- Saturday, September 30-Pinole 4 Fair Government speaker
- Saturday, October 7- Italian Dinner
- Saturday, February 3- Adult Musical review fundraiser

Flood Resilience in our Communities

webinar by Save the Bay - **Thursday, June 29, 5-6pm.** Learn what's being done to face the mounting threats from sea level rise and flooding in the SF Bay area. Register [here](#).

Webinar is free but you must register. More information on the flyer attached with this E-news.

Anti-racism Training

We are discussing the book "*Black and Episcopalian: the struggle for inclusion*" by Gayle Fisher Stewart. Free books available upon request; class held via Zoom. NO Class on July 4. Next (and last) class is Tuesday, July 11, 2023 6:30 pm.

Join the anti-racism Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83018832798>

Meeting ID: 830 1883 2798

Passcode: 195310

Margaret Smyth has a new phone number: (925) 448-2082. She would love to hear from you.

Please keep our members in your prayers. Many are dealing with health issues.

Volunteers Needed to Clean up the CTL meeting room & library corner in the sanctuary - Come one or both days!

- Saturday, July 8, 10 am - noon
- Sunday, July 9 after Fellowship: from noon-2pm.

The highest priority job is to go through the various boxes and containers in the meeting room to figure out what to keep (gets stored in the attic) and what to recycle or throw out. There are also boxes of cards on the side bench in the sanctuary that should go up into the attic, along with the Holy Week/Easter banner. The library in the back corner of the sanctuary could also use some tidying up; plus there are several boxes of books that have been donated that should be evaluated for keeping or passing along to Goodwill. Contact Sandy and let her know how you would like to help or just show up!

Entertainment Coming to CTL: Concerts - Stephanie Smith with musicians - Saturday, Sept. 16, 2023 & Feb. 3, 2024 - Rev. Lois - 2 hour performance with one 15-minute intermission. Adult LGBTQ-friendly material. Tickets will be through EventBrite - distributions of proceeds: 10% to Stephanie Smith, 90% to CTL. We will provide finger food and beverages at intermission. More details to follow.

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

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

July - 1st Sunday Special Collection is for Rev. Lois' Discretionary Fund.

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

Pinole 4 Fair Government Meetings

Community events - Pinole 4 Fair Govt (Ivette Ricco, director) will contact us when they have scheduled their next speakers. So far they have planned two meetings, on July 15th and September 30th, 1-3pm. Christine Nadeau will be our liaison.

CTL Annual Layette Project is in the process of taking inventory and choosing a date to deliver donated items and a check to the Contra Costa Regional Medical Center in Martinez.