Christ the Lord Church Office Hours

Sandy: Monday - Friday, 9:30am - 12:30pm

Sunday Service 10AM CTL eNews for August 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

August 2024

<u>Sunday, Aug 11 at 3 pm</u> - Join us at CTL to watch the live-stream of Bishop Austin Rios' installation (from Grace Cathedral)



The August 2024 1st Sunday Donation

Recipient is the Sabbatical Leave Fund (to cover costs of supply priests when Lois takes sabbatic)

Visits with Rev. Lois - From July to September Lois will be available to schedule social visits with us. Visits can be scheduled for after 5 pm on weekdays and after 10 am on Saturdays. Please text or call either Sandy (510-691-0310) or Lois (408-655-3084) to schedule a visit.

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 2024 donations go to "Doctors Without Borders".

Upcoming Events 2024

<u>Saturday, October 5</u> -Italian Dinner Extravaganza at CTL

Friday, October 25 and Saturday

<u>October 26 -</u> Diocesan Convention, San Francisco

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. All are welcome. New project: "My Story." Meetings are at the home of Elaine Glimme. Please contact her for more info. (510) 859-5317. See separate email "My Story discussion at Creativity Unlimited" for more info and how to get a template for writing.



Fellowship & Hospitality - This is a lovely tradition for us to continue and enjoy. Please see the sign-up sheet in the Narthex and choose a day that works for you to share your CTL spirit.



La Casita on summer

break: La Casita is on their break from July 27 thru Friday, August 16. There will be staff development (no children)

on Monday & Tuesday, August 19 & 20. The fall La Casita teaching session begins again on Wednesday, August 21.

2024 Bishop's Committee members: Please contact a Committee member if you would like to have a specific item addressed at one of the monthly Committee meetings. All congregation members are welcome to attend the monthly meetings, which are held on Zoom at 2 pm on the 3rd Sunday of the month. Contact Sandy to get Zoom access information.

Randy Miller (Senior Warden) 214-952-7388
Joe Cleberg (Junior Warden) 510-640-7727
Joanne Addy 510-424-2570
Chris Cornish 415-314-8144
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Christine Nadeau (Treasurer) 510-275-3341 Sandy McNeel (Clerk) 510-691-0310

Prayer List

O Lord, please remember friends and family for whom we now pray. Comfort them and ease their suffering. Bless them with Your loving care, renew their strength, and provide comfort and healing. We ask this in Your holy name. Amen.

<u>8/1/2024</u> Trisha Finnegan, RIP. Trisha passed away peacefully in her sleep on August 1. Her family is, of course, devastated at this unexpected occurrence, so please keep them in your prayers as well. A memorial service will be scheduled at a future date.

7/21/2024 Healing prayers for Ethan Layne (Connie Salcido's nephew) who was severely injured in a car crash. He has multiple organ damage and broken bones. 6/23/2024 Irina Smirnova requests prayers for the soul of her ex-husband, David Keeports. 6/12/2024 John Crooms, Sr., RIP 6/6/2024 Kathy Cleberg, healing for a broken wrist.

(Please notify Sandy or Elaine B if you would like to include yourself or someone you know on the eNews prayer list.)

ROTA SCHEDULE July 28 - Sept 1: Printed copies of the Rota are on the narthex table.

News Beyond CTL:

Interfaith Council of Contra Costa County upcoming events:

<u>August 2024</u> - End of Summer Pot-Luck and Appreciative Inquiry Opportunity - Get to Know Your Neighbors

<u>September 2024</u> - Healthy Democracy Workshop

October 2024 - Constructive Conversations and Restorative Practices Workshop

For more details and information about Interfaith Council events, please contact Christine Nadeau christinenadeau50@yahoo.com or 510-275-3341.