

# KLC ANNOUNCEMENTS

## SUNDAY AUGUST 27

**9:30AM Worship in the Sanctuary and Livestream Worship Service**

**Pastor Nisar Stephen Preaching & Presiding**

**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**CONGREGATIONAL VOTE: PASTOR & COMPENSATION**

**Matthew 16:13-20 Isaiah 51:1-6 Romans 12:1-8 Psalm 138**

## THIS WEEK AUGUST 28 – SEPTEMBER 3

MON. Aug. 28: **Church office closed**

5:00 PM Kent Community Supper

7:00 PM KGO Board Meeting ZOOM

TUES. Aug. 29:

WED. Aug. 30:

THUR. Aug. 31: 4:00 PM Thursday Supper

FRI. Sept. 1: Kent Lutheran Quarterly Fall issue

SAT. Sept. 2:

SUN. Sept. 3: 9:30 AM Informal Worship Service You Tube and, in the Sanctuary

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**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**Matthew 16:21-28 Jeremiah 15:15-21 Romans 12:9-21 Psalm 26: 1-8**

## COMING UP

MON. Sept. 4: **Church office closed**

5:00 PM Kent Community Supper

**Labor Day**

TUES. Sept. 5: **9:30 AM Mission Support ZOOM**

**7:00 PM Worship & Music ZOOM**

WED. Sept. 6:

THUR. Sept. 7: 4:00 PM Thursday Supper

**7:00 PM Policies, Procedures and Practices Meeting ZOOM**

**7:00 PM Property Management ZOOM**

FRI. Sept. 8:

SAT. Sept. 9: **10:00 AM Centering Prayer in the Prayer Chapel & ZOOM**

SUN. Sept. 10: **God's Work, Our Hands Sunday**

9:30 AM Traditional Worship Service You Tube and, in the Sanctuary

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**NEW!** See the calendar by clicking here:

<https://www.mychurchevents.com/calendar/57804657/month>

**Or check out the KLC Website and find a link for the calendar at the bottom of the Home page:**

[www.kentlutheran.org](http://www.kentlutheran.org)

Sept. 12 Race Relations Reading Group

Sept. 13 5:30 PM International Dinner at The Harp Bar & Restaurant

Sept. 15 6:00 to 9:00 PM Sip & Savor

Sept. 17 Sunday School Begins



### August 2023

Aug 5	Rhonda Gleason	Aug 5	Brian Ironside	Aug 5	Elizabeth Padiat
Aug 5	Christy Ulleland	Aug 6	Ryan Lucker	Aug 8	Amanda Lucker
Aug 12	Robb Brennecke	Aug 16	Samantha Ironside	Aug 17	Kathy Nixon
Aug 17	Linda Stockham	Aug 22	Melat Ward	Aug 23	Eliana Pederson
Aug 24	Lexi Morton	Aug 25	Sally Linebarger	Aug 26	Avery Watson
Aug 28	Vaughn Meier	Aug 28	Riley Watson		

### Anniversaries

Aug 2	Joanne and Brian Nelson (48)	Aug 3	Lanny and Rhonda Gleason (49)
Aug 5	Mike and Monne Ironside (49)	Aug 14	Travis and Sara Savala (13)
Aug 24	Doug and Joan Graham (55)	Aug 27	Jane and Mike Wilson (35)
Aug 28	Clay and Barbara Anderson (47)	Aug 28	Kary and Jody McCaw (30)

## COFFEE HOUR

**KLC Committees now hosting coffee hour:**

**September 3: Outreach**

**September 10: Property Management**

**September 17: Social Concerns**

**September 24: Youth & Family**

**October 1: Adult Education**

**October 8: Executive and Memorial**

**October 15: Mission Support**



# KENT YOUTH & FAMILY SERVICES AUCTION

Save the date for:



**KENT YOUTH & FAMILY SERVICES AUCTION:**

**THE 2023 ONE THING EXPERIENCE ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7th**

**6:00pm Renton Pavilion**

**Tickets are \$125/each to sit at a table for 8 people from Kent Lutheran Church.**

**Send payment to the church office marking it for the KYFS Auction and let Jody know you are attending the auction.**

Our communities continue to face unprecedented challenges including an acute youth mental health crisis. The services we provide help local youth and families meet their needs and reach their goals, employing both preventative and responsive strategies to well-being.

These services include:

- individual, school-based, and family counseling
- support groups
- youth and family support services
- substance use disorder treatment
- early childhood education
- youth development programming

**Your support helps our community grow and thrive. We hope you'll join us!**

## OUTREACH

The next international / local Kent dinner is Wednesday, Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 PM at:

**The Harp Bar & Restaurant**

**24437 Russell Rd, Unit 117, Kent, WA**

**Irish cuisine**



Please let Janice know by Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>, if you are planning on coming so she can make reservations.

Phone 206-491-3659

Email [jhelgeson43@gmail.com](mailto:jhelgeson43@gmail.com) Or just let her know during coffee hour.

Looking forward to another wonderful dining experience together. The Outreach Team

## OUTREACH TRIP TO WOLF HAVEN

Mark your calendar to join the Outreach Team going to Wolf Haven (a sanctuary for wolves). Sunday, September 24th. Reservation is at 1:30, maximum participants is 20. If we have 10 participants, we get a reduced entrance fee of \$10.00 instead of \$20.00/person.



We can carpool or just meet there at 1:15pm. Here is the information:

Wolf Haven

1113 Offut Lake Road

Tenino, Wa 98589

[Info@wolfhaven.org](mailto:Info@wolfhaven.org)

Please let Janice know if you are planning on coming, [jhelgeson43@gmail.com](mailto:jhelgeson43@gmail.com)

206-491-3659 leave a message if I don't pick up.

Thanks, Outreach Team.

## SOCIAL CONCERNS



God's Work, Our Hands is very different than last year, no sign-up sheets. For the next two Sundays you will be asked to pull a yellow "hand" out of the basket. Your hand may have a statement on it, or your hand may be blank. There are also pink hands in the Narthex on a table. We will explain the complete directions during the announcements on Sunday.

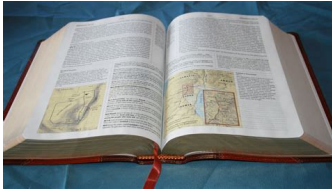


**Needed:** Items for the snack packs. (Juice boxes, fruit cups, granola bars, individual sandwich cracker packs/ cheese and or peanut butter.) Bottled water.

**WE NEED SOCKS! (We are out)**

**Thank you for helping our neighbors!**

## BIBLE STUDY



Ever had reading the entire Bible on your bucket list? You each have an invitation to join Crossways, a two-year Bible study course. The class is taught by retired Pastor Mike Anderson, who taught the course at Holy Spirit Lutheran Church in Kirkland for over 35 years! It is now offered virtually! Each week you can watch a recorded lecture about a biblical book. You watch the lecture at your leisure in your own home and then, if you choose, join a Zoom conference later in the week to discuss and consider

questions related to the lecture. If we have enough people here in Kent, we can set up a Zoom conference of the local folks.

This Crossways course gives the participants the historical, theological, and contextual background to every Biblical book. Although the class is primarily academic and challenging, it is not “difficult.” You can consider big ideas – graduate-level ideas – but there are no tests, papers, or homework other than reading the Bible. People who have taken the course say they have never heard some of the ideas presented, and it opened the Bible in new and profound ways for them.

Everyone is welcome to attend this program, and geography is of no concern because it is entirely virtual. Anyone, anywhere, will be able to participate!

Fall 2023 through Spring 2024 will cover the Old Testament and begin on October 1, 2023. Registration of \$25 helps cover the costs of staff and supplies for Crossways. *However, to help raise interest in the class, the cost will be covered for the first eight people from KLC who register.* Please email [KLCrossways@outlook.com](mailto:KLCrossways@outlook.com) with questions or to register

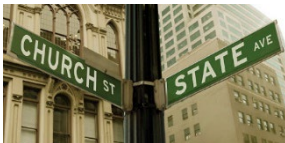
## WILDFIRE RELIEF



Lutheran Disaster Response is coordinating with the Pacifica Synod and other partners to assess the needs of people impacted by the wildfires. They will work together to provide for immediate needs and long-term recovery amid the widespread destruction. Lutheran Disaster Response is committed to accompanying recovering communities in the years ahead.

Your generous donations may be made here: <https://community.elca.org/uswildfires>

## CIVIC LIFE AND FAITH (FROM THE SYNOD)



### “A Study Curriculum on Civic Life and Faith”

#### Your feedback is desired!

Feedback forms for “A Study Curriculum on Civic Life and Faith” are due Oct. 15. Your input is key to shaping a new social statement on church, state and civic participation.

The study’s six sessions are customizable and focus on topics such as the purpose of democracy and how we as Lutherans relate to government. To download the sessions, go to [elca.org/civicsandfaithstudy](http://elca.org/civicsandfaithstudy). A Spanish translation is also available.

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

### FOR HEALING AND HOPE:

Lola Swinford, Terry Barnes, Sam Watkin, Svetlana Belyavskaya, Alica, Cheri, Don Clark, Gertrude, Jean Flewelling, Bob & Barb Strom, Jody McCaw, Carrie Travica, Joy Miller, Pat Lundgren, Heidi, Michelle McCormick's co-worker, Brent, Joe Lawhun, Art Tilly, Bob Strom Jr., Jo Ann Philpot, Elaine Skarstad

### FOR THOSE MOURNING THE DEATH OF LOVED ONES:

Joann Reed, Rick Henning, Marie Perry, Jenny, Doug Johnson, Evelyn Sjostrom, Dan Ursino, John Ylenni, Nancy Merz, Pat Lundgeren, Mark Lamphere

### MINISTRIES SUPPORTED:

Natl. ELCA Bishop Elizabeth Eaton & NWWA Bishop Shelley Bryan Wee, Holden Village

### GLOBAL MINISTRY SUPPORTED:

ELCA African Mission in South Sudan, Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Holy Land & Jordan

### LOCAL PARTNERS IN MINISTRY:

Lord of Life Lutheran, Nativity Lutheran, Kent Youth & Family Services, Catholic Community Services

### NWWA SYNOD MISSION STARTS:

Grace Chinese Lutheran Church of South King County in Renton, Roots of the Table in Renton, Ministry to International Students and Scholars at UW in Seattle

### KLC MINISTRIES:

Centering Prayer, Choie Teams, Youth Ministry Jail Ministries

### PRAYERS FOR MEDICAL PERSONNEL:

Michelle (Bentz) Cordova, Randy Mertes, Adrienne Kleven, Amy Driggers, Matt Bremmer

### LIVING WITH AND IN TREATMENT FOR CANCER:

Jason Thomas, Bob Blakemore, Leticia Garcia, Edna Neuharth, Carol Fettig, Gail Clark, Mike Ellers, Susan Davis, Diane Watanabe, Dewey Spencer, Raynisha Kundert, Emma Bryant, Shannon Meyers, Betty Repp, Suzy Richardson, John Stefer, Deborah Simmons, Mary Vermeersch, Rob Connery, Evelyn Gregory, Christine Miller, Margie Windstrom, Lee Shephard, Cheryl Kincer, Ferne Neeb, Ricardo Gebrera, Daphne Jean, Netia Hancock, Linda Lee, Bob Oberto, Kim Wilbur, Rachel Key, Karen Young, Anna Hart, Marlyn, April, Don Long, Shaunette B, Linette Lasher, Barb Olson, Marit, Kitty B, Elaine Hammack, Ruthie, Roy, Clarence Devela, Mary Smalley, Jeff Marsh, Teresa S., Pam, Sally, Frances Lund, Kevin, Jay, Mogi, Debi, Doreen Twohy, Julie Murphy, Lisa, Tim Clokey, Brenda Graham-Blizzard, Kerry Farnham, Betty Macneeham, George Roney, Sandi, Lori Arndt, Kimberly, Jeri Williams, Myriah Perez, John Shearer, Karen Sue Campbell, Jeff Hash, Cathey Scheu, Fran Weinberg, Nancy Early, Walter Sippel, Pam Carter, Shawn Dickerson, Lori S., Jeremy Bjork, Lou Faehnrich, Kelly Wilson, Gayle Evetts, Dolores Walkenhorst, Jerry Cox, Mary Hyde, Jeff Ganzer, Matthy Welling, Stacy Gavino, Scott Homans, Laura Graham, Kelly Wilson, Bruce Prinz, Kate Frey, Miles Cherry, Kara Paulson, Wayne Daily, Kathleen, Cathy Serly, Ken Hasbargen, John Schuster, Sue Gurley, Pat Fish, Barbara Elgin, Kristie Vandersluis, Don Kosen, Bruce Hansen, Jean Flewelling, Bob Strom Jr., Jo Ann Philpot

## MILITARY

Cale Stevens  
Tim Denegar  
Mark Parlin  
Kyle Music  
Tia Maria Hawk  
Caleb Pulver  
Sean Clausen  
Cassie Pineda  
Eric Worsham  
Jeremy Lytle

Corey Molsberry  
Mike Voit  
Amanda Clark  
Timothy Jacobson  
Vernon O'Neill  
Derrick Salmund  
Ryan Krantz  
Sean & Daniel Cook  
Bobby Jones  
Theresa Luna

Anthony Buedhler  
Troy Merkel  
Jonathan Kundert  
Lane Cordova  
Jayce Allen  
Chad Gallinger  
Jake Schuster  
Jenifer Osborne

## STEWARDSHIP

### Offerings

Here are some ways you can contribute to our KLC Ministry:

- 1) Mail a check to Kent Lutheran Church. Our mailing address is: 336 Second Ave S, Kent WA 98032-5849.

There are several methods available for electronic giving:

- 2) Set up bill pay through your bank and the bank will send a check to KLC. You can set up a one-time payment or a recurring payment using this method.
- 3) Simply Giving – you fill out a form (available through the church office) and give the form and a cancelled check to our financial secretary, Kathy Nixon. Kathy enters your information and the fund transfer(s) occur as you specify. When you want to make changes, contact Kathy and she can process the changes.
- 4) Donate Using Kent Lutheran's Website. Use the "Make a Donation" button on our webpage [www.kentlutheran.org](http://www.kentlutheran.org). Pressing this button takes you to a Kent Lutheran screen on a secure server. You are asked to create a giving profile or to login to a profile you have already created. You specify what amounts you want to contribute and if you want to make recurring donations.

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ON GOING PASTOR CELL: 206-660-1199 (will remain in service for emergencies)  
EMAIL : [KLC Pastor@KentLutheran.org](mailto:KLC Pastor@KentLutheran.org)

Sean Haley, Director of Music Ministries  
Jody McCaw, Office Ministries Manager  
Mona Lee, Treasurer  
Kathy Nixon, Financial Secretary  
Joseph Lual, Seminarian

**OUR VISION**  
Kent Lutheran Church is a  
Christ-centered sacred place  
for spiritual, cultural and  
community enrichment.

**TODAY: AUGUST 27, 2023, THANK YOU!**

<b>Bread Provider:</b>	Mike Bentz	<b>Communion Set Up:</b>	Barb Anderson
<b>Ushers:</b>	Lisa Kurth Tom Calvin Eliza Daniel	<b>Worship Team:</b>	Barb Anderson Jody McCaw Cindi Bentz Mike Bentz Proctor McCaw
<b>Greeter:</b>	Marilyn Bowman		
<b>Coffee Hour Host:</b> Mission Support			



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Church Office Hours  
Tuesday-Friday  
10:00am-2:00pm

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