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FEBRUARY 15, 2026
THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

❖ CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Clay Holland

Minister: Who has believed what we have heard? And to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed?

People: Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteem him stricken, smitten by God and afflicted.

Minister: But he was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole,

People: And by his wounds we are healed.

❖ GREAT ARE YOU LORD

David Leonard, Jason Ingram, and Leslie Jordan

You give life, you are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, you restore
Every heart that is broken
And great are you Lord

Chorus:

*It's your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to you only*

You give life, you are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, you restore
Every heart that is broken
And great are you Lord *(Ch 2x)*

And all the earth will shout your praise
Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing
Great are you Lord *(3x) (Ch 2x)*

❖ PRAYER OF ADORATION

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever. Amen.

Minister: What do you believe concerning “the forgiveness of sins”?

People: I believe that God, because of Christ’s atonement, will never hold against me any of my sins nor my sinful nature which I need to struggle against all my life. Rather, in his grace God grants me the righteousness of Christ to free me forever from judgment.

❖ ALL THINGS NEW AGAIN

Joe Deegan

For behold he will create
A new heavens and new earth
He will drive away our sorrow and our pain
This momentary grief, though heavy as it seems
Will be crushed by glory’s great eternal weight

Chorus:

*He will make all things new again
He will keep all his promises
He will love all who come to him
He will make all things new again*

For behold the sun will rise
Over wastelands dead and dry
In its place shall spring a river full of life
Every wrong will be undone
Every thirsty soul shall come
And drink from living water without price (*Ch*)

For behold the holy mountain
Where wolf and lamb shall graze
Where we lay our heads and finally find our home
Where the songs we sang in shadows
Will be sung to God’s own face
Where his smile will be the thing we treasure most
Oh his smile will be the thing we treasure most (*Ch*)

PRAYER FOR CHRIST’S CHURCH AND THE WORLD

DRIVE OUT THE DARKNESS

Dan Marotta, Isaac Wardell, John Swinton, & Paul Zach

Chorus:

Come, O come be our light

Drive out the darkness

Come, Jesus come

Every year under the thorn
Every wrong that we have known
Every valley will be raised
Ancient ruins will be remade (*Ch*)

Every weapon made for war
Every gun and every sword
Will be melted in the flame
To be used for gardening (*Ch*)

In the emptiness of grief
Through the night of suffering
In the loss and in the tears
God our comfort, O be near

Chorus 2:

Come, O come

Be our light, drive out the darkness

Come, O come

Be our light, drive out the darkness

Come end all the violence

Come do not be silent

Come hold to your promise

Come break all injustice

Come, Jesus come

✚ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Most loving and merciful Father, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, in what we have done, and in what we have left undone. There is no health in us.

Have mercy on us according to your great love. Blot our sins from your remembrance, and look on us as those who are clothed in the perfect righteousness of your Son, Jesus Christ.

Stir up our hearts to more fully believe that Christ died for us, rose again for us, and will come again for us.

Pour into our hearts such love for you, that we, loving you above all things, may truly obtain your promises, which exceed all we can desire. Amen.

❖ WORDS OF ASSURANCE & PEACE OF GOD

2 Corinthians 5:21

Minister: For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin,
so that in him we might become the righteousness of
God.

People: Thanks be to God!

Minister: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you!

THE OFFERING

Joe Deegan, *guitar & vocals*

SCRIPTURE READING

Leviticus 16
page 95

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON

“The Day of Atonement”
Leviticus

Rev. John Trapp

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Communion is an opportunity for all of us to seek the Lord. It is an occasion for baptized Christians to be strengthened by our Savior. All who trust alone in Christ as Savior and Lord, are members in good standing of a church that embraces the gospel, live at peace with their neighbor, and seek strength to live more faithfully are welcome to come forward to partake. If you are not a Christian, have not been admitted to the Lord's table, or choose not to partake you are welcome to come forward with your arms crossed in front of your body to receive a blessing.

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up unto the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Minister: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

All: Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Minister: Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast.

Minister: The gifts of God for the people of God.

Come and feed on him in your hearts

by faith with thanksgiving.

*During communion, wine and grape juice are served.
Grape juice, in a purple cup, is available upon request.
All communion bread is gluten-free.
Please let an usher know if it is difficult for you to come forward.*

Prayer of Humble Access

I do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in my own goodness, but only in your righteousness credited to me. I am not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose manner is always to show mercy. Grant me, therefore, O Lord, the grace to commune now with Christ by faith, that I may evermore live in him and he in me. Amen.

GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH

Jeremy Casella and William Williams

Guide me O thou great Jehovah
Pilgrim through this barren land
I am weak but thou art mighty
Hold me with thy powerful hand
Bread of heaven, feed me now and evermore
Bread of heaven, feed me now and evermore

Open now the crystal fountain
Whence the healing waters flow
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through
Strong Deliverer, be thou still my Strength and Shield
Strong Deliverer, be thou still my Strength and Shield

When I tread the verge of Jordan
Bid my anxious fears subside
Death of death and hell's destruction
Land me safe on Canaan's side
Songs of praises, I will ever give to thee
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Land me safe on Canaan's side
Bid my anxious fears, bid my anxious fears
Land me safe on Canaan's side
Bid my anxious fears, bid my anxious fears goodbye
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❖ GOD WITH US

David Ingram and Leslie Jordan

You've come to bring peace, to be love
To be nearer to us
And you've come to bring life, to be Light
To shine brighter in us
O Emmanuel, God with us

Chorus:

Our Deliverer, you are Savior

In your presence we find our strength

Over everything our Redemption, God with us

You are God with us

You've come to be hope to this world

For your honor and name

And you've come to take sin, to bear shame

And to conquer the grave

O Emmanuel, God with us (*Ch*)

You are here, you are holy

We are standing in your glory (3x)

You are here, you are holy

We are standing in your glory Lord

Our Deliverer, you are Savior;

In your presence we find our strength

Over everything our Redemption, God with us (Repeat)

You are God with us (3x)

❖ BENEDICTION

Minister: The Spirit and the Bride say, "Come." And let the one who hears say, "Come." And let the one who is thirsty come; let the one who desires take the water of life without price.

People: **We come to you, O Christ.**

Minister: May the blessing of God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – rest upon you.

People: **Thanks be to God. Amen.**

❖ DOXOLOGY

OLD HUNDREDTH, Louis Bourgeois's Genevan Psalter, Thomas Ken

Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Praise him all creatures here below

Praise him above ye heavenly host

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

Amen

Worship Leaders

Emily Cagle	<i>vocals</i>
Joe Deegan	<i>guitar & vocals</i>
Conrad Guthrie	<i>bass</i>
Michelle Hays	<i>violin</i>
Elaine Higgins	<i>prayer</i>
Clay Holland	<i>liturgy</i>
Luke Hubley	<i>drums</i>
Scott Mochon	<i>guitar</i>
John Trapp	<i>sermon</i>
Jenny Yang	<i>piano</i>

Audio/Visual Team

Phil Betti	<i>video director</i>
Maria Cavanaugh	<i>Spanish translation</i>
Sam Cornelius	<i>projections</i>
Quin Gomez-Wright	<i>camera</i>
Namath Naif	<i>technical director & audio</i>
Alex Rollo	<i>camera</i>
Clara Whites	<i>camera</i>

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*Welcome! We are so glad you are with us today.
For a full list of upcoming events,
please visit christtheking.com.*

Today at Christ the King

9:00 am
Worship Service

Nursery Care
8 weeks - PreK

10:30 am
Worship Service

Nursery Care
8 weeks - PreK

Please note that there will be no Sunday School classes (children, students, or adults) or Children's Worship today to allow many of our volunteers to attend the Men's Retreat.

Capital Campaign Update

Pledges Received	\$ 4,104,367
Pledges Committed	\$ 34,547,936
Campaign Goal	\$ 50,000,000

Sign up for a Campaign Conversation

The Building Toward the Promise Capital Campaign isn't just about buildings—it's about relationships. That's why we want to meet with every person in our church family for a one-on-one visit. These conversations will give you a chance to hear the vision, celebrate what God is doing, ask questions, and pray together.



Upcoming Events

Tonight	Student Ministry Sunday Night Live	5:30 - 7:00 pm	Redeemer Room
2/18	Ash Wednesday Services	7:00 am, 12:00 pm, 7:00 pm	The Sanctuary
2/19	Made with Love Meal Prep	9:30 am or 6:30 pm	The Kitchen
2/26	Women's Secret Supper	7:00 - 9:00 pm	
2/27	Winter Wonderland	5:30 - 7:00 pm	Christ the King
2/27 - 3/1	Student Ministry Spring Weekend		Camp Cho-Yeh
3/1	K & 1st Grade Family Lunch	11:45 am	The Great Hall
3/1	The Traveling Table	12:30 - 2:00 pm	1148 Silber
3/3	Men's Breakfast	6:30 - 7:30 am	The Great Hall
3/6	Capital Campaign Day of Prayer & Fasting		
3/8	Daylight Saving Time Begins		



Ash Wednesday Services

February 18, 7:00 am, 12:00 pm & 7:00 pm

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent—a season of repentance and reflection as we prepare our hearts for Easter. We invite you to join us as we enter this meaningful time together. Spanish translation will be available at the 12:00 pm service. Childcare is not available.



Made with Love

February 19

Ski on down to our monthly Made with Love Meal Prep gathering! We'll be cooking together in true team spirit. Choose your heat: morning (9:30–11:30 am) or evening (6:30–8:30 pm). Ages 14+ are welcome when accompanied by an adult. No cooking skills required.

Come be part of the team and help us go for the gold in serving our neighbors.



Women's Ministry Secret Supper

February 26, 6:00 pm

Sign up for a mystery dinner with fellow women at Christ the King! Various houses around Houston will host small groups of ladies, but you won't know your destination or dining partners until the day before. Come for an opportunity to connect with new people, gather in new spaces, and deepen relationships across the church. Register by February 23 at christtheking.com/women.



Winter Wonderland

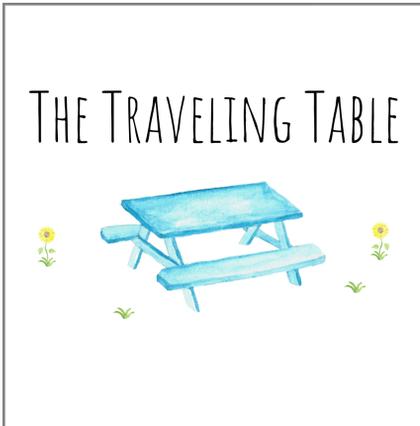
February 27, 5:30 - 7:00 pm, Christ the King

We're partnering with Cornerstone Family Ministries to host a fun evening for their students and families—and we need volunteers of all ages to make it happen! You are invited to serve by helping with setup, games, food, crafts, and creating a warm, welcoming atmosphere. Together, we'll share the joy of the season through winter-themed fun and meaningful connection.



Kindergarten & 1st Grade Family Lunch
March 1, 11:45 am - 1:00 pm, The Great Hall

Join us for a fun lunch with other Kindergarten and 1st Grade families. We'll provide food, drinks, and a sweet treat, and the kids can enjoy time on the indoor playground. Siblings are welcome—just remember to bring socks for playtime! Please sign up at christtheking.com/children.



The Traveling Table
March 1, 12:30 - 2:00 pm, 1148 Silber

The Traveling Table is a simple way for our church family to share a meal and build relationships with our neighbors at Bellrock Memorial Apartments. On select Sunday afternoons, we gather for food, fellowship, and meaningful connection—right across the street from CTK. Individuals, couples, and families are all invited to join. Sign up at christtheking.com/serve.



Men's Breakfast
March 3, 6:30 - 7:30 am, The Great Hall

Start your morning with breakfast, powerful stories of how God is at work, and a room full of guys who want to grow in faith and friendship. The Men's Breakfast is a meaningful way to kick off your day. Bring a friend, neighbor, or coworker—and come join us! No registration necessary.



Vacation Bible School
June 15–19, 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Hello, Space City! Christ the King's 2026 Vacation Bible School is launching soon, and we need your help! Our astronauts-in-training will spend the week learning how to shine before others so they can see our good works and give glory to our Father. Registration for volunteers and their children opens today—spots fill quickly!



Care at Christ the King

Congregational Prayers

Can we pray for you? Let us know at christtheking.com/care or contact catherine.duffin@christtheking.com.

Deacons at Christ the King

The deacons come alongside our church body to assist with needs like encouragement and prayer, budgeting and financial coaching, and helping widows and elderly. If you have a need, or know of a need, please email them at deacons@christtheking.com.

The Barnabas Center

We are honored to help you find healing, understanding, and hope in your life and current circumstances through Christ-centered professional counseling. Please visit our website at barnabascenterhou.com for more information and to connect with a counselor.

Pastors at Christ the King

Our staff is excited to come alongside you as you grow in your worship of Christ and your love and care for one another. Please contact any of us with questions or needs.

You can find contact information for all of our staff and pastors at christtheking.com/staff.

Stacey Croft

Clay Holland

Alex Martinez

John Trapp

Andrés Zelaya

Pastor, Adult Ministry

Pastor, Family Ministry

Pastor, Latino Ministry

Senior Pastor

Pastor of the Latino Initiative & Church Plant Resident

Ministry Budget Update

2026 Ministry Budget	\$	7,888,564
Budgeted through 2/8	\$	893,045
Received as of 2/8	\$	498,364
Variance	\$	(394,681)

Giving to Christ the King

It is by your consistent generosity that we are able to support our Mission Partners in Houston and around the world and continue life changing ministry here at Christ the King. You can give today by placing checks or cash in the offering plate as it comes by. And you can always give at christtheking.com/giving.

