

THE MESSENGER

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King of Kings Lutheran Church

Connecting People to Christ Now and Forever
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OCTOBER 30, 2011 REFORMATION DAY

“REMAINING FREE”
 JOHN 8:31 – 36

- 8:15 am Classic Service (Luther Chapel)
- 9:30 am Sunday School
- (See map located at both entrances and near gym entrance)
- 11:00 am CrossConnections Service (Large Worship Ctr)

PLEASE JOIN US FOR BIBLE CLASS

Colossians and Philemon

Library
 Led by Dr. Bill Polzin

Senior High “Pulse”

Room 100
 Led by Pastor Ben

Junior High

Growing in Christ

Grades 6-8 gather in Worship Center for opening with “Growing in Christ” Adult Bible Class

Discovering the Christian Faith

Led by Pastor John
 Conference Room

Growing in Christ

Various Leaders
 Fellowship Hall

At the start of Bible Study Hour, the Adult “Growing in Christ” Bible Study Group along with all Sunday School & Jr. Youth Students are invited to the Worship Center for a short time of praise.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

“Moses and the Plagues”
 Exodus 5 - 10

Preschool—Kindergarten

Grades 1—5

Gather in Worship Center for Opening



	Income	Expenditures	Net Gain/(Loss)
ECEM Actual September	\$26,391	\$29,697	(\$3,306)
ECEM Year to Date	\$76,225	\$79,405	(\$3,180)
ECEM Budget Year to Date	\$53,920	\$52,894	
General Fund September	\$44,523	\$51,024	(\$6,501)
General Fund Year to Date	\$153,159	\$161,815	(\$8,656)
General Fund Budget	\$54,167	\$ 57,267	

Stewardship Thought:

Romans 3:19 - 28: As Christian stewards we use our money, time abilities, relationships and all of our other resources to support the great work of bringing the message of salvation in Jesus to people who desperately need to hear some good news. We practice this kind of stewardship not in order to gain favor with God, but rather as evidence that demonstrates we are the children of God by God's grace and faith in Jesus Christ, our only Savior and Lord!

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES

*Seniors' Small Group—
 Power for Daily Living
 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 1:00 pm
 at Various Locations
 Led by Dick Kothrade*

*Men's Morning Bible Study
 Reading the Psalms with Luther
 Wednesdays, 7:00 am
 at Bob Evans (Pfeiffer Road),
 Led by Dick Kothrade*

*Women's Bible Study
 Wednesdays, 9:30 am
 at Mimi's Café*

*Women's Morning Bible Study
 The Patriarchs
 by Beth Moore
 Thursdays, 9:30 am
 King of Kings' Library
 Led by Debbie Billman*

*Men-In-Step—
 Saturdays, 8:00 am
 “Courageous Heroes of Faith”
 at Brueggers Bagels on
 Mason-Montgomery,
 Led by Pastor John*

*Adult Bible Study
 Sundays, 6:00 pm
 King of Kings' Library
 “Experiencing the Heart of Jesus”
 by Max Lucado
 Led By Jane Glandorf*



Birthdays

- J Clarkson 10/30
- Faith Kindberg 10/30
- Natali Tomcho 10/30
- Jennifer Flakne 10/31
- Carolyn Styers 10/31
- Scott Fennimore 11/1
- Brooke Sizemore 11/1
- Bret Smith 11/1
- Bill Senne 11/3
- Nikki Cooper 11/4
- Abby Smith 11/5
- Ted Vogel 11/5

Anniversaries

- Brian & Sherry Bendel Sr. 10/30
- David & Debbie Billman 10/30

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Don't forget to turn your clocks back for the service next Sunday. Daylight savings times starts Sunday, November 6th.

WORSHIP SERVERS NEEDED — 11:00 SERVICE

We are in need of assistance with worship at our late service, particularly in the areas of usher, greeter, and KidsConnection adult and student helpers. If you would be willing to serve in one of these capacities, please get in touch with Debbie Billman (398-6089 ext. 325, worship@koklcms.org).

WEBSITE INPUT REQUESTED

The Communications Team wants to hear what you think about the King of Kings website (<http://koklcms.org/>) Tell us what you like and don't like about it. Do you think it is easy to find what you need? Is there information missing that you'd like to see? We are interested in both positive and negative feedback. Please send your comments to Ginger Scaife (gingery_98@yahoo.com) or call her at 513-280-0384. If possible, share your thoughts by November 15. Thanks for your help.

FRIENDSHIP PADS

As you sign the friendship pads please include your first and last names and note who is taking communion so that the attendance can be recorded accurately. Thank you for your help with this, Kim.

CHECK OUT KIDZONE AND KIDSCONNECTION

Our KidZone has “quiet” activities for our younger worshippers. However, you may not realize that we have expanded some of our offerings in the KidZone. There are children’s worship bulletins designed for ages 3-6 and also for ages 7-12, so make sure your children check them out. If they don’t need them for church, they are welcome to take them home.

We have also made some changes to our KidsConnection offering at 11:00. The children are learning an invocation and the Lord’s prayer this fall, in addition to a Bible story and activities. We have received positive response from the parents, so we will continue this model and no longer use the Kids Own Worship curriculum. If you have any questions or would like to help out with KidsConnection, please get in touch with Debbie Billman (worship@koklcms.org).

CANTATA REHEARSAL THIS SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 9:30 AM

Just a reminder that we will rehearse this Saturday, November 5, at 9:30 am in Luther Chapel. Bring your books and your best singing voices! If you have questions, please get in touch with Debbie Billman (398-6089, ext. 325; worship@koklcms.org).

POTLUCK — WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH

In an ongoing effort to increase our communications and connections with each other, the Leadership Council will be hosting the next monthly potluck dinner on Wednesday November 9th at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Come and hear an update from Leadership Council and join in some fun, fellowship activities. **Please bring a dish to share**; drinks will be provided. After dinner, the children can play in the gym; supervision will be provided.

OHIO DISTRICT SR. HIGH YOUTH GATHERING VOLUNTEERS

Also, the Ohio District Sr. Youth Gathering takes place in Dublin, Ohio on Nov. 18-20. If you have a heart for youth, enjoy great speakers and meaningful worship, and are interested in chaperoning/driving please contact Pastor Ben today.

OWLS TOUR OF VOICE OF AMERICA MUSEUM

On Tuesday, November 8th the OWLS will tour the Cincinnati Museum of Broadcast History at the Voice of America Museum located at 8070 Tylersville Road - west of the WLW tower. Sign up by November 6th on the OWLS bulletin board sheet. We will meet at the church at 10:00 a.m. for the 10:30 a.m. tour. If you want to meet at the museum, please call the Biedingers at 339-0491. All adults are invited to join in this day of fellowship. A donation of \$5.00 per person is requested for this newly renovated museum.

Lunch will follow at the Lucky Dog Grille at the corner of Tylersville and Rt. 42.

DINE FOR DONATIONS - CAMPIONI'S NOVEMBER 2ND

Please join us for "Dine for Donations" at Campioni's on 6691 Western Row Road on Wednesday, November 2nd, between the hours of 10AM to 11PM.

MARKET DAY

King of Kings Early Childhood Education Ministries earned \$1,238.66 from the Market Day Catalog Fundraiser last month. Thank you to everyone who placed an order with a student, parent or staff member of ECEM. The profits will be used to purchase education materials and equipment for the school. The staff and I are both grateful that you placed an order. Thank you very much!

It's Pie month! Orders are due in the box in the narthex by Tues. Nov. 8 or online that evening by midnight. Pickup is Sat. Nov. 12 from 9-10am. Questions? Call Judi Schepmann (754-2293) or Barb Casey (683-8637).

DONATE A MARKET DAY PIE TO BUILDING HOPE IN THE CITY (BHITC)

Building Hope in the City, a Cincinnati Inner-City Ministry could use some Market Day pumpkin pies for their Thanksgiving meal that they offer the end of November to those in need of food. Last year, John Suguitan even took some pies to Fountain Square to promote BHITC! If you would be willing to donate a pie or two please fill out the order form in your church mail box, attach a check made out to Market Day, and return the form to the Market Day bin in the narthex by Tuesday, November 8th. King of Kings will send you an acknowledgement of your donation. Thank you for your help!

A MESSAGE FROM MRS. MEZCUA'S CLASS

We have just finished our Fire Safety & Prevention unit in which we learned how to stay safe - stop, drop, & roll. We had a visit from the Deerfield Township Fire department. The children were so excited when they got to sit on the fire truck.

The kids have been enjoying tracing and painting fall leaf colors. They have also been painting pumpkins. Currently we are learning about Community Helpers and Transportation. We will also continue doing fall theme crafts.

KROGER NEIGHBORHOOD REWARD PROGRAM

Thank you, Thank you to everyone who is participating in the Kroger Reward Program! We have given out almost 50 cards to King of Kings members, ECEM Preschool parents and friends. We are truly grateful to everyone who is participating. During the first two months over \$8,000.00 was put onto the reward cards from which we will be receiving a check for \$330.00. How easy and simple was that? Now if you have not used your card yet please do so. Just think if everyone used their reward card how much more

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK COLLECTION – TODAY & NOVEMBER 6TH

Interfaith Hospitality Network of Warren County (IHNWC) is a non-profit organization providing shelter, meals, hospitality, and support for homeless persons and families in Warren County. IHNWC works with local organizations to provide support services for those that are homeless because of natural disaster, fire, loss of employment, foreclosure, illness, etc. IHNWC also provides advice and advocacy for at-risk persons to prevent their becoming homeless and to help them get back on their feet. Most people using these services are back on their own in about 3 months. The number of people needing this assistance has significantly increased over the past year.

Today and on November 6, King of Kings will be collecting monetary contributions for the Warren County Interfaith Hospitality Network. The King of Kings contribution will be matched by Thrivent. Donations may be made in marked envelopes available at the display table in the narthex.

In connection with this monetary collection, the King of Kings Stewardship Team is sponsoring a WORK DAY ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5 at the Lebanon facilities of IHNWC. We will be performing various tasks from 9:00AM until 3:00PM. The two houses, which comprise this facility, are in need of gutter cleaning, interior painting, playground winterization, toy storage, and yard fall cleanup. You may volunteer by signing up on the sheet at the display table in the narthex. Tools and lunch will be provided.

MASON HEALTH CARE CENTER SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY, NOV. 6

Please mark your calendar to join us for our short worship service with the residents at the Mason Health Care Center next Sunday, Nov. 6 at 2:30. Directions to the center are on the STMO Board. Hope you can make it! (Volunteers always welcomed to help with readings, and/or sharing talents to enhance our service there with singing, playing a musical instrument, or other...just talk to Frank Farr to get you scheduled!)

LEADERSHIP COUNCIL NOMINATIONS

This is the time of year when we prayerfully consider nominations for Leadership Council. Elections will take place at the next Voters' Assembly meeting which will be held Sunday, December 4, after the 11 AM worship service. In the coming weeks, criteria for nomination will be distributed, and congregational nominations for Vice President, Treasurer, and three at-large positions will be received. Please keep the nomination and election process in prayer. If you are interested in serving on the nominating committee, please contact Jane Glandorf.

MOPS BAKE SALE — THANK YOU

Thank you all for being so generous and indulging your sweet tooth on October 9th! Thanks to your generosity, our Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) bake sale was a huge success. Thrivent will match our funds, allowing us to continue to support our moms by providing quality childcare at our meetings and even sending some moms to the International MOPS Convention in Dallas, TX next August. Thanks for supporting our MOPS ministry!

Watch for our Christmas Cookie Walk on Sunday, December 11th – Christmas cookies without the time spent baking or cleaning up the kitchen!

FEDERATION REFORMATION SERVICE — TODAY AT 3:00 PM

Please join us as we gather to worship our God in a joint Reformation Service sponsored by the Federation of Lutheran Churches of Greater Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky. The service will be today at 3:00 pm at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 5433 Madison Road, Cincinnati. If you would like to participate with the choir or handbell choir, please get in touch with Debbie Billman (398.6089 x 325, office@koklems.org).

A pie auction will take place in the gym following the service. Proceeds will go to Mrs. Rhonda Greene, wife of Rev. Everett Greene, to help with her cancer treatment costs. Bring your pies, your taste buds, and your bids. Pastor Kevin Jud will be the auctioneer. Thrivent Financial will match \$1 for every \$2 raised (maximum \$2000). For information contact Pastor Steve Schave at 513-271-4147.

THE CINCINNATI LUTHERAN

The November issue of The Cincinnati Lutheran is in your mailbox today. Please read about all the activities going on in our Federation of Lutheran Churches. Unfortunately the items for our church didn't get in for this issue but they will be in the February issue. You will see references to the Auxiliary Cookie Pack scheduled at Christ Lutheran Church at 9:30 am on Monday, December 5. Watch for more information on when to bring your donation of cookies which are packed for some of the various nursing homes in the Cincinnati area. You are encouraged to support the advertisers in this newspaper.

CRAFT SHOW AT MASON CHRISTIAN VILLAGE

A CRAFT SHOW will be held at MASON CHRISTIAN VILLAGE on Saturday, Nov. 5 from 9 am to 3 pm. There will be about 25 vendors, a bake sale and lunch available...along with good Christian fellowship. If YOU would like to rent a table, please call the Biedingers at 339-0491. All proceeds from the table rental and bake sale are used by the Auxiliary to purchase items for the Nursing areas. Recent purchases have been a large TV for the Nursing Common Area; two hydraulic lift tables; patient lifts with slings; patio furnishings for the enclosed area in Nursing; and many other items that enhance the lives of these residents in our Village Nursing facility.

FOR GOD AND COUNTRY—MINISTRY TO THE MILITARY

Peace Lutheran Church (Delhi/Green Township) will host a presentation on Ministry to the Military on Veterans Day Weekend, November 12 & 13. On Saturday, November 12, we will have several presentations and fellowship beginning at 2:30. We will close with worship/devotions at 6:00. On Sunday, November 13, there will be a Bible study at 9:15 and worship at 10:30.

Pastors James Lucas and Ron Ewell will share how they have walked with and ministered to our family and friends in the "War Zone".

MEMORIAL INFORMATION FOR KATHY ZEHNDER

Our sister Kathy Zehnder, mother of King of Kings members Sharon Nobis and Sandy Smith, entered the Church Triumphant on Tuesday, October 25. There will be a memorial service at St. Michael's Lutheran Church in Ft. Myers, Florida next Tuesday, All Saints' Day, November 1 at 4:30 pm. It will be streamed on the internet; please go to <http://church.smlcs.org/> and click on **view worship services/events live**. There will also be a memorial service at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Westlake, Ohio (near Cleveland) on Friday, November 11 at 7:00 pm.

The family has asked that any contributions in Kathy's memory be made to your local congregation or to the St. Michael's Foundation, 3595 Broadway, Ft. Myers, Florida 33901, St. Paul Lutheran Church, 27981 Detroit Road, Westlake, OH 44145 or the Cleveland Lutheran High School Association, 3870 Linden Road, Rocky River, OH 44116.

If you would like to mail a card to Don, her husband, the address is:

Don Zehnder
7026 Overlook Drive
Ft. Myers, Florida 33919

A Heartfelt "Thank You"

We wanted to offer our thanks to all of our brothers and sisters in Christ who have upheld us in prayer, with calls, and in so many other ways as we have journeyed through Kathy's illness and death. Please continue to pray for all of us as we face the days ahead. We are so grateful for your caring concern. In Christ's love, the Zehnder family

CALENDAR

Connecting People to Christ Now and Forever

October 30 - November 5, 2011

October 30	8:15 am 9:30 am 11:00 am 3 - 4:00 pm 6:00 -7:30 pm 6:00 -7:30 pm	Classic Service Sunday School Cross Connections Service (Worship Center) Reformation Service at St. Paul's Confirmation Adult Bible Study
October 31		No Scheduled Activities
November 1	9:00 am - noon 1:00 - 2:00 pm 3:00 - 4:30 pm 6:00 - 8:00 pm 6:45 - 9:00 pm	Kinder-Ready & Kindergarten Field Trip at Gorman Farms Senior Small Group ECEM Teacher Meeting (library) Engstrom/Sports Conditioning (gym) ECEM School Board (library)
November 2	7:00 am 9:30 am 11am - 10 pm 7:00- 8:30 pm	Men's Morning Bible Study at Bob Evan's Pfeiffer Road Women's Bible Study at Mimi's Café Dine to Donate - Campioni's Ministry Scheduling Meeting (fellowship hall)
November 3	9 - 11:00 am 9:30 am 6:30 - 8:30 pm 6:30 pm 7:30 pm	MOPS (fellowship hall) Ladies Bible Study (library) Rivers Crossing Community Band (gym) Handbell Rehearsal Choir Rehearsal
November 4		No Activities Scheduled
November 5	8 - 9:30 am 9 am - 4:00 pm 9:30 - 11:30 am	Men In Step at Bruegger's Bagels Arbor Square IHN Clean - Up in Lebanon Cantata rehearsal

ATTENDANCE

Sunday, October 23, 2011

8:15 Classic Worship - 104
11:00 Cross Connections - 93



*The Altar Flowers are given
by David & Debbie Billman in
celebration of their 35th wedding
anniversary.*

*Please contact the Church Office to
schedule meetings and activities on
the calendar.
Phone: 398-6089*

WORSHIP SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2011

8:15 am

Elder: Rick Bohnke
Usher: Tony & June Cantor, Stu & Sharry Long
Liturgist: Dick Kothrade
Reader: Jane Glandorf
Sound Tech: Denise Lucas
Acolyte: Katy Glandorf
Greeter: Dick & Mary Kothrade
Communion Assistant: Scott Chant

11:00 am

Elder: Tom Larkin
Usher: Andy, Kathy & Calvin Boedecker, Scott Krawec
Reader: Andy Boedecker
Worship Assistant: Timler family
Sound Tech: Matt Antal
KidsConnection: Rochelle Flenner & TBD
Greeters: Frank & Jean Farr
Communion Assistant: Tom Larkin & Frank Farr
Nursery Attendant: TBD

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2011

8:15 am

Elder: Doug Thomas
Usher: Dave & Carol Yates, Chris & Elaine Costeines
Liturgist: Pastor Ben
Reader: Jane Glandorf
Sound Tech: Denise Lucas
Acolyte: Katy Glandorf
Greeter: Bill & Su Polzin
Communion Assistant: Scott Chant

11:00 am

Elder: Tom Larkin
Usher: Kirk, Valerie, Sierra, & Dylan Whittemore
Reader: Kevin Billman
Worship Assistant: Erickson family
Sound Tech: Mark Robinson
KidsConnection: Leah Nelson & Elina Huculak
Greeters: Lyle & Mary Jo Pagel
Nursery Attendant: TBD