

KLC ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY OCTOBER 24

9:30 Worship in the Sanctuary and Livestream Worship Service

Twenty Second Sunday After the Pentecost For the Path Forward

Guest Preacher Eliza Daniel

OUR SANCTUARY IS OPEN!

Mark 10:46-52

Hebrews 7:23-28

Psalms 126

THIS WEEK –OCTOBER 25 - 31

MON. Oct. 25: **Church office closed**

4:00 PM Kent Comm. Supper

7:00 PM KGO Board Meeting ZOOM

TUES. Oct. 26: 3:30 PM Bible Conversation ZOOM

<https://zoom.us/j/91885251144?pwd=b0VONG1ZR2Y0K0szT2xVUis3anJDZz09>

Meeting ID: 918 8525 1144 Password: 643379

WED. Oct. 27:

THUR. Oct. 28: 4:00 PM Thursday Supper

4:30PM Outreach Comm. MTG. ZOOM

7:00PM Race Relations Conversation ZOOM

FRI. Oct. 29:

SAT. Oct. 30:

SUN. Oct. 31: **REFORMATION SUNDAY**

7:30 AM Worship Recording Team

9:30 AM **OUR DOORS ARE OPEN! All are welcome**

23rd Sunday after the Pentecost

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

MASKS REQUIRED

The masking requirement has been reinstated. Please wear a mask while in the KLC building.

NEXT SUNDAY OCTOBER 31

9:30 Worship in the Sanctuary and Livestream Worship Service

Twenty Third Sunday After the Pentecost For the Path Forward

Reformation Sunday

OUR SANCTUARY IS OPEN!

John 8:31-36

Romans 3:19-28

Psalms 46

COMING UP

MON. Nov. 1: **Church office closed**

4:00 PM Kent Comm. Supper

TUES. Nov. 2: 3:30 PM Bible Conversation ZOOM

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Meeting ID: 918 8525 1144 Password: 643379

7:00PM Worship & Music

WED. Nov. 3:

THUR. Nov. 4: 4:00 PM Thursday Supper

4:30PM Outreach Comm. MTG. ZOOM

7:00PM Race Relations Conversation ZOOM

FRI. Nov. 5:

SAT. Nov. 6: *Daylight Saving Time "Fall Back"*

SUN. Nov. 7: **ALL SAINTS SUNDAY**

7:30 AM Worship Recording Team

9:30 AM **OUR DOORS ARE OPEN! All are welcome**

24th Sunday after the Pentecost

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

MAKE PLANS (PUT IT ON YOUR CALENDAR)

SAT. Nov. 6

Daylight Saving Time “FALL BACK”

SUN. Nov. 7

All Saints Sunday

SUN. Nov. 21 10:45AM

KLC SUNDAY SCHOOL “Littles & Middles”



Kristin Kettel, Oct 25

Bill Nirk, Oct 25,

Peggy Grant, Oct 26,

Lisa Kurth, Oct 26,

Reuben Kettel, Oct 30,

SEPTEMBER FINANCIAL REPORT:

The month of September was our fourth consecutive month when giving outpaced expenses. Our expenses were lower than expected and we have been getting steady income from renting out our facilities.

Due to very generous giving and hard work from our Staff at KLC we are seeing an overall increase in our cash position. KLC is very grateful for the hard work and generosity shown to us and our community.

VOLUNTEER

BLOODWORKS NORTHWEST NEEDS OUR HELP

Please make room in your schedule to give blood. Click the link below to schedule an appointment <https://schedule.bloodworksnw.org/DonorPortal/GroupLanding.aspx?s=3005>

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Today, October 24th is back to Sunday School!

FROM THE NWWA SYNOD

WILDFIRE DISASTER RESPONSE

Lutheran Disaster Response is working with synods and social ministry organizations in the western states to develop a coordinated response to the wildfires. We anticipate that immediate needs will include food and other necessities. Long-term recovery will likely take years.

[DONATE HERE](#): Your gifts will support wildfire survivors. Gifts to “U.S. Wildfires” will be used in full (100%) to assist those affected by wildfires, until the response is complete.

AFGHAN REFUGEE ASSISTANCE

Please help support incoming Afghan Allies, Special Immigrant Visa holders, who are being evacuated to the United States. Join with these organizations:

Lutheran Community Services Northwest: <https://lcsnw.org/>

Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service:
https://lirsconnect.org/get_involved/action_center/siv

HAITI CRISIS

Lutheran Disaster Response is collaborating with partner organizations in the communities to meet relief needs, including food, nonfood items and temporary shelter. Gifts to “Haiti Crisis” will be used in full (100%) to assist those affected by the earthquake until the response is complete. Together, we can help provide immediate and long-lasting support. Give today to support this response and others like it [HERE](#).

MISSION SUPPORT

All Are Welcome

This is the ninth in a series of articles that focus on the different recipients of Kent Lutheran Church benevolence giving. These will continue through the fall and winter to inform us about these critical gifts and the organizations we help



support. This week we learn about the Kent Community Supper. Last year, KLC gave \$1500 (5% of our benevolence giving) to this wonderful group.

(The information below is from our church website: <http://kentlutheran.org/klc/community-supper/>)

Kent Community Supper serves a meal every Monday to those in need. We have been in continuous operation every Monday night since 1983. We first began meeting to formulate the supper in 1982 when needs in Kent prompted us to organize it. The first meal was served January 10, 1983. We had hoped it would be a short-lived program, but the need continues.

Most of the diners live in or near Kent. We serve young families struggling to make ends meet, single parent families, elderly who are lonely, and homeless and low-income men and women. We are not a government-sponsored program and do not require personal information from our diners. Our bylaws state we will serve those in need, whatever is their need.

Teams of volunteers serve once a month. Volunteers come from Kent area churches and service organizations. Gleaners collect fruits and vegetables from participating grocery stores. Other volunteers work in the morning preparing food, afternoon setting tables, and evening serving food and cleaning up, taking down the tables and chairs and mopping the floor.

We have an annual budget of about \$12,000 a year. Before the coronavirus changes, we were serving 150 meals each week for 52 weeks a year, providing some 7,800 meals every year. We estimate it takes about 175 volunteer man-hours each week to provide the meal, at a cost of a little more than \$1.25 a meal. In addition to this hot meal, there is a take-home table allowing diners to take home food for the rest of the week. These foods are leftovers from the supper and bread, bakery items, milk, and fruits and vegetables from our gleaning.

In keeping with state guidelines due to the coronavirus, the Monday Supper has moved to serving sack meals outside and encouraging people to leave. Some food preparation is done in the morning and in the afternoon sack meals are set up and the main course added at the last minute. We're

distributing around 90 meals each Monday. The handwashing station donated by Kent Youth & Family has gotten a lot of use both on Mondays and Thursdays at the Thursday Supper. We appreciate it very much and the people coming appreciate being able to wash their hands before they get their meals. The medical van still comes on its schedule.

Kent service organizations, such as Kiwanis, Rotary, Soroptimist, HRH Family Foundation, Lions, churches in the Kent area, and individual donations and bequests help support Kent Community Supper. At times grocery stores have donated their unused frozen meats. Many of our faithful volunteers can't help at this point because of their age. We're doing fine with a skeleton crew, but if you're able to volunteer, leave a message for Emily Bumpous at the KLC office.

Kent Community Supper Time: Every Monday from 4 to 5 pm

Kent Community Supper Place: Fellowship Hall

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY – NOVEMBER 7

Help us prepare for All Saints Sunday, November 7, 2022. On this traditional day of remembrance, KLC will celebrate the lives of those who have gone before us this past year. The candle will burn brightly, and the resonance of the bell will be heard with the reading of each name. We do not want to omit anyone, so this is where you can help us. **Please email the church office by October 29th** to include the name of someone you would like to have remembered. Please include the person's name, date of passing, relationship to you and a photo to accompany their name on our scroll of remembrance.

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CLERGY APPRECIATION



October is Clergy Appreciation Month!

We give thanks for all rostered ministers - especially the amazing, wise, talented, compassionate, and faithful deacons and pastors in our synod!

THANK YOU each for sharing your abundant gifts so graciously!

YOU ALL are invited to show your gratitude for your pastors and deacons this month! Hold them in your prayers and consider notes of appreciation and/or gifts that

encourage health and wellbeing.

God Bless our Pastor Jane and Pastor Linda!

SOCIAL CONCERNS

God's Work Our Hands

Please let us know what acts of service you did surrounding God's Work Our Hands. It is not required that you did something on that day, so think about it. Knowing this congregation, you surely have at least one generous, selfless act of service you could tell about! Please email your act of service story to the church office so Social Concerns can brag about you in our next quarterly newsletter.

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FUNERAL MEMORIAL SERVICE

FUNERAL MEMORIAL SERVICE AND RECEPTION

Doris Hansen passed this last August 25. Her family is having a memorial service and reception Wednesday, November 3, 2021. The service will start at 1:00pm with reception following. The family welcomes all in the Kent Lutheran congregation who would like to attend and remember the life of Doris.

KENT GRAND ORGAN

Our community supported Kent Grand Organ is finally beginning to show some physical manifestations of progress to all coming to our services. Other than the outer shell of the temporary organ which used to reside in the Chancel area (the front of the Sanctuary on the left side), most of the innards have now been moved to the balcony area where they will become the majority of the “gallery” organ. Unfortunately, from the pews most of the pipes will be invisible because they are going to reside behind the fabric lining on the back wall of the balcony. However, once the gallery organ is completed, and until the Chancel organ is completed, you will get to see the organist playing it because the console (which houses the keyboards) will stay at the front of the church. Unless COVID-19 interferes once again, we hope to have this gallery organ completed by Christmas of this year. However, with that completion comes another obligation to pay our organ builder about \$40,000 for which The Kent Grand Organ nonprofit corporation still needs some donations in order to write them a check that won't bounce. Those of us on the Board of Directors have been trying to find these funds from every source that we can think of, but in these times of the pandemic, most of the grants are being made to organizations dealing directly with its effects rather than on projects related to the arts. The local business organizations have been unable to meet in person, so we have had no opportunity to make direct appeals to them as we had originally planned to do. We will continue our efforts to find these funds to support this wonderful instrument that will be a major asset for the Kent community as well as for our congregation. There will be no other instrument between Seattle and Tacoma that will have the capability to enhance our lives like this one. When it is complete, we plan to make it available not only to professional organists to demonstrate their artistry in scheduled community concerts, but also to students to learn how to play an organ (and maybe present recital concerts for all of us to enjoy their newfound expertise). These are exciting times!

www.kentgrandorgan.org



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

FOR HEALING AND HOPE:

Anne Timlick, Mike Frickel, Peggy Grant and her sister, Olga Hayden, and their whole family, Justin Landry, Deborah Charles, Walter Sippel, Ben & Judy Lawrence, Pam Carter, Shawn Dickerson

FOR THOSE MOURNING THE DEATH OF LOVED ONES:

Doris Hansen, Pastor Jeremy Fuerst, Rebecca Schoffstall, Cherry McNeshi Rose Frey, Myrna Beckman

MINISTRIES SUPPORTED:

Natl. ELCA Bishop Elizabeth Eaton & NWWA Bishop Shelley Bryan Wee, Thursday Supper

GLOBAL MINISTRY SUPPORTED:

ELC African Mission in South Sudan, Young Adults from the NW Synod in Global Mission

LOCAL PARTNERS IN MINISTRY:

Lord of Life Lutheran, St. Mathews Lutheran, Catholic Community Services, Host & Support Churches for H.O.M.E.

NWWA SYNOD MISSION STARTS:

Reborn Fellowship in Shoreline, Emmaus Table in Seattle, Seattle Taiwanese Lutheran Church in Issaquah

KLC MINISTRIES:

Jail Ministries, Quilters, Centering Prayer, Choir Teams, Youth Ministry,

PRAYERS FOR MEDICAL PERSONNEL:

Michelle (Bentz) Cordova, Randy Mertes, Adrienne Kleven, Amy Driggers, Dirk & Marlys Powell, 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, Janis Korsmoe, 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, Dawn Kozen, Clarence Devela, Ron Ongstad, Mary Smalley, Jeff Marsh, Teresa S., Pam , Sally, Jean Flewelling, Frances Lund, Kevin, Jay, Mogi, Debi, Doreen Twohy, Julie Murphy, Lisa, Tim Clokey, Bill Peloza, Brenda Graham-Blizzard, Kerry Farnham, Betty Macneeham, George Roney, Rob Roth, Sandi, Lori Arndt, Kimberly, Jeri Williams, Penny Kimmel, Myriah Perez, Greg Garcia, John Shearer, Karen Sue Campbell, Jeff Hash, Jay Barry, Paula Bachtold, Cathey Scheu, Fran Weinberg, Patty Connor, John Schuster, Nancy Early, Walter Sippel, Pam Carter, Shawn Dickerson

Serving in the

MILITARY

Cale Stevens
Tim Denegar
Mark Parlin
Kyle Music
Tia Maria Hawk
Phil Watson
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
Jason Humphries
Nick McCain
Lane Cordova
Jayce Allen
Chad Gallinger
Jake Schuster

STEWARDSHIP

Offerings

Here are some ways you can contribute to our KLC
Ministry during this time of social distancing:

- 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. 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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Pastor
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OUR VISION

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



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KENT LUTHERAN CHURCH

Lives and celebrates the accepting love of Christ