

June 7th, 2026 • 9:30am Traditional Worship

Sundays,
Spring 2026



Breaking News



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WHY FORGIVING OTHERS STILL MATTERS

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Welcome to Worship!

Today we're continuing our sermon series, Why "It" Still Matters, where we're exploring why our Christian traditions started and how they continue to shape our faith today.

We're glad you're here!

Worship Order

Notes

Gather and Praise

Prelude – *Largo from Xerxes*

Welcome & Announcements

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness p. 94

Opening Hymn – *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven* ELW 865 (1,3,4)

Kyrie p. 147

Hymn of Praise – *This is the Feast* p. 149

Prayer

Special Music – *Praise to the Lord* Jeff Eliason, Euphonium

The Word

Bible Reading – Matthew 18:21-22

Children's Message

Message – *Why Forgiving Others Still Matters* Pastor Amelia Houdek

Our Response

Offering – *Forgive Our Sins As We Forgive* ELW 605

Offering Prayer

Offertory – *Now Thank We All Our God*

Apostles' Creed p. 105

The Meal

Prayers of the Church

Great Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer p. 154

Distribution – *Lamb of God* p. 154

Distribution Hymn – *Now We Join in Celebration* ELW 462

Special Music – *Be Thou My Vision* Jeff Eliason, Euphonium

Post Communion Canticle – *Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise* p. 207

Blessing and Sending

Benediction & Sending

Sending Hymn – *Go, My Children, with My Blessing* ELW 543

Postlude – *God of Grace*

Organist: Beci Eliason - Cantor: Robyn Casey

Announcements



Thank You, Becky!

Becky Hagen has officially retired from being the Holy Grounds Cafe Manager. Be sure to grab a slice of cake to celebrate with her. Thank you Becky for your years of hospitality!



Food Rescue & Weekend Meal Kits – During the 2025/26 School Year

Thank you to our dependable volunteers who worked behind the scenes this school year to fight hunger in our community. Through Basic Needs Food Rescue, King of Kings volunteers rescued over 42,000 lbs of food. Through Every Meal Weekend Meal Kits, volunteers filled over 100 backpacks every week for students in need.



Skoolie Bus Events – Summer Community Events

We partner with the Skoolie Bus program to provide meals and activities at schools throughout the summer. Save the date to attend, or email Pam to volunteer with King of Kings. The events run from 5:00–6:30pm: June 16 at Newport Elementary, June 25 at Armstrong Elementary, July 8 & 29 at Royal Oaks Woodbury.



Career Opportunities

We have two part-time positions available at King of Kings: a Holy Grounds Cafe Manager and Worship Coordinator. Learn more about these roles and how to apply under “careers” on our website or by scanning the QR code.



Upcoming Events

- **Men’s Ministry D-Groups:** June 8 or 9, 6:30-7:30 am, Youth Room | June 14, 10:45-11:45am, Fellowship Hall
- **Red Cross Blood Drive:** Mon, June 8, 12:00-6:00pm, Multipurpose Room
- **Men’s Bible & Breakfast on Galatians 1-6:** Sat, June 13, 8:30-10:30 am, Holy Grounds Cafe
- **Retired Men’s Group Meeting:** Tue, June 9, 8:00am, Cafe – Speaker Woodbury Fire Chief Chris Klein
- **Kings Sisters Event:** Thur, June 11, 11:30am, Cafe – RSVP to skbruckner@comcast.net
- **Explore King of Kings:** Sun, June 14, Noon – Register on our website
- **Shred & Share Event:** Sat, June 27, 9:00-10:30am, King of Kings Parking Lot – Bring documents to shred & canned goods to donate!
- **Garden Tuesdays:** Every Tuesday morning from 9:00–Noon – Gardening, socializing, & outdoor fun!

Visit our website www.kingofkingswoodbury.org for more events & details

Give

A Season of Activity and Opportunity

As we begin the summer months, where routines may shift and travel increases, we want to gently remind everyone of the importance of your consistent financial support. Your faithful giving sustains the ministry of King of Kings year-round and enables us to continue serving our community without interruption.

Here are just a few ways that your gifts are making an impact: providing meals for our local community including the Community Dinner and Skoolie Bus events, maintaining our building and grounds so that we continue to have a safe location to gather, and supporting our summer camp programming with the hire of our summer employee.

As a congregation we remain deeply grateful for the ongoing generosity of our community and want to thank you for your continued commitment! Let's continue into summer with hearts full of faith and a spirit of generosity.

May Actual: \$174,166

June Goal: \$200,070

Year to Date Actual: \$1,013,817

Budget Year to Date: \$915,723

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First Time Visitor?

- Pastor Jon Larson & Pastor Amelia Houdek would love to meet you. Say hello!
- Childcare is provided for infants–3 years in the Nursery.
- Kids of the Kingdom education classes (ages 3–5th grade) are offered during both service hours, September–May.
- Listening devices are available at the Welcome Desk.
- If you want to get involved, submit a Prayer Request, or receive care from a pastor, fill out a “Connect Card” and place it in the offering basket so we can reach out to you.
- For one-on-one prayer, there is a Prayer Minister waiting for you in the Prayer Nook.
- If you have any other questions, we’d love to help you at the Welcome Desk.

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