

July 26th, 2026 • 9:30am Traditional Worship

Sunday,
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Breaking News



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WHY THE OLD TESTAMENT 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!

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Gather and Praise		
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Prayer of the Day		
Special Music	Melissa Beer	
The Word		
Bible Reading – Romans 15:4		
Children’s Message		
Message – Why the Old Testament Still Matters	Pastor Amelia Houdek	
Our Response		
Offering – <i>In Christ There Is No East or West</i>	ELW 650	
Offering Prayer		
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Special Music	Melissa Beer	
Blessing and Sending		
Benediction & Sending		
Sending Hymn – <i>God of Grace and God of Glory</i>	ELW 705 (1, 3, 4)	
Postlude – <i>CWN Rhondda</i>		
Organist: Jim Lindstrom – Cantor: Emily Johnson		

Announcements



Live Brave 5k – Sat, August 8, Colby Lake Park

King of Kings is participating in the annual 5K and 1 mile run/walk by Live Brave, who are promoting eating disorder awareness, prevention, and recovery. Registration closes on August 7th at 10:00pm. Scan the QR code to sign up.



Guest Preacher Daudi Msseemma – Sun, August 2nd

We look forward to welcoming Daudi, our missionary partner based in Tanzania, to King of Kings! After hosting our travelers last summer, we are excited to have him visit and share a message with us! He will be preaching during both the traditional service and the contemporary service.



New LED Screens Installed!

Thank you to everyone who donated to The Future Is Bright campaign and volunteers who helped with installation. If you would like to be part of the behind-the-scenes action, email Jake Pickett at jake.pickett@kingofkingswoodbury.org to volunteer in the sound booth.

Upcoming Events

- **Skoolie Bus Event:** Weds, July 29, 5:00-6:30pm, Royal Oaks Elementary – Free meals and activities
- **Community Dinner:** Thurs, Aug 6, 5:00-6:30pm, Fellowship Hall – All are welcome to enjoy a free meal
- **Men's Bible and Breakfast:** Sat, Aug 8, 8:30-10:30am, Holy Grounds Cafe – Pre-read Ephesians ch. 4-6
- **PM Book Club:** Mon, Aug 10, 7:00pm, West Conference – *Heaven & Earth Grocery Store*, James McBride
- **Upcoming Sermon Series: Grace on the Go!** - Sun, Aug 16, 9:30am & 10:45am

Visit our website www.kingofkingswoodbury.org for full calendar & details

Christian Prayers & Sympathies

Please keep the family of Helen Prendergast in prayer on the passing of her son Wayne. Services will be held on Monday, July 27 at Acacia Cemetery and Chapel.

Please continue to keep Larry and Ginny Gunderson in prayer as the service for their son Jeff will be held on Saturday, August 1 at King of Kings. Visitation is at 10:00am, service is at 11:00am, and interment is at the King of Kings Columbarium with Luncheon to follow.

Give

The Gift of Summer

Summer brings a different rhythm to life at King of Kings. Many in our church family take this season to travel, reconnect with loved ones, and experience God's goodness in new places. With many taking advantage of the gift of this season, we also experience a seasonal shift in giving.

We have a bit of ground to make up:

July Goal: \$175,428 July Actual: \$117,428



Scan to Give

Regardless of the season, we offer our benevolence gifts to our partners quarterly, providing our them with the resources they need in a timely and consistent manner. With your help, we can continue this practice of generosity and faithfulness.

If you're traveling this summer, we invite you to continue supporting the mission and ministries you love by using the online Give Now button or by setting up a recurring gift. Or, if you are in a position to do so, please consider making an additional gift this summer. Your faithful generosity helps ensure that ministry continues uninterrupted, allowing us to serve our church and community. Thank you for your ongoing support and partnership in God's work that makes a lasting impact throughout the year!

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.
- 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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