

Welcome! We're Glad You're Here!

Pastors Jon Larson & Amelia Houdek would love to connect with you, say hello.

Listening devices are available—please ask an usher.

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.

Church Council

Please see the Meet the Team page on our website for contact information

Jen McKinnon · Council President

Tricia Dege · Vice President

Jason Livingston · Vice President

Kevin Schwartz · Finance Chair

Tami Olson · Secretary

Rebecca Kurtz · Member at Large

Todd Dexheimer · Member at Large

Sermon Notes / Spiritual Practices



Connect

Our website and app are great places to find information about learning, service, worship opportunities, and more. **Interested in getting our weekly E-newsletter and a Bit of Encouragement** email Dianne Johnson at dianne.johnson@kingofkingswoodbury.org

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1583 Radio Drive, Woodbury, MN 55125 · Monday-Friday, 9:00am – 3:00pm



*Centered on God, our mission is to
Feed physical hunger, spiritual hunger
and our hunger to be in community.*

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

Sunday, May 5

10:45 a.m. Contemporary Service
Sam Johnson – Worship Lead

GATHER & PRAISE

Song – *House of the Lord*

Song – *Miracle Power*

Welcome

SCRIPTURE & PRAISE

Bible Reading – Matthew 24:32-44 · p. 806

Children's Message

Song – *I Speak Jesus*

THE WORD

Message – *“Wait for it, Wait for it...Now!”* Pastor Jon Larson

OUR RESPONSE /THE LORD'S SUPPER

Gifts / Offering – *Glorious Day*

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Holy Communion/Distribution Song – *Holy Forever*

BLESSING & SENDING

Blessing

Announcements

Benediction

Song – *Praise*

Worship Band

Acoustics – Todd Rau

Bass – Bob Jackson

Drums – Andy Kelleher

Electric – John Gillson & Sam Johnson

Keys – Joey Johnson

Vocals – Emily Rau, Kimberly Berg, Malia Berg, Deb Ries

Congregational Life Events

Christian Sympathy to the Family of:

Marnie Marks, Alan & Brent Katzenmaier on the loss of their Husband & Step-father Harlen "Lee" Marks.

Kimberly Gartner on the loss of her mother.

Early Bird Registration for the 2024/2025 school year Opens ·

April 17 for Kids of the Kingdom (3yr olds-5th grade) and Middle School (6th grade-8th grade). Sign up early from April 17-May 31 to save.

Vacation Bible School Donations · drop off by May 10. Pool noodles, rinsed and clean bottle caps, rinsed and clean 2-liter bottles with caps, blue & green crepe paper streamers. For more information contact Paula Arland at paula.arland@kingofkingswoodbury.org

Baccalaureate Sunday · May 19, for more information or to sign-up contact Michael Carmack at michael.carmack@kingofkingswoodbury.org
SCHOLARSHIP · One time scholarship for any student attending an ELCA college. Go to our website under EDUCATION for application.

Maple Syrup FOR SALE · Support our youth

Purchase your bottle at the Welcome Desk ¾ pint-\$10, pint-\$13, quart-\$22

Gertens fundraiser plants and cards will be available for pick-up at King of Kings the afternoon of **Tuesday, May 7th**.



Did You Know?? We are a collection site for: Grocery bags for Open Cupboard; used cell phones, iPads, glasses, hearing aid.



Men's Fellowship Golf · Friday June 14, 8am at Oak Marsh Golf Course. Play 18 holes of golf and stay for lunch. Registration is open on our website under REGISTER.

Upcoming Events

Sunday Live · "How Good is Good Enough" 10:45am
Little Steps Playgroup · Mondays, 10:15-11:30am, infant-young 5 yr olds
Cancer Support Group · 2nd Monday of the month, 6:30pm
Garden Tuesdays · 9am-12pm, join us beautify the church gardens
MOPS & MOMSnext · May 6, 7-9pm mops@kingofkingswoodbury.org
Dinner with Friends · May 7, 5:30pm at Lakewood Tavern, Lake Elmo
Men's Bible & Breakfast · May 11, 8:30-10:30am
Men's Discipleship Group · May 13 and/or 14, 20 and/or 21, 6:30am
Retired Men's Group · May 14, 7:45am Mayor and City Administrator to speak
Spirit Song Spring Choir Concert · May 19, 3pm
Men's Last Saturday of the Month Bible Study · May 25, 9-10am

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

The Prayer Prompt

In today's message Pastor Jon asks this question: **What would it mean to wait with hopeful anticipation and live like today may be the day!** This week, let us look to the



author and perfecter of our faith, Jesus Christ to renew our hearts and minds to live with unwavering HOPE in God's promises. And while waiting for the promises to be fulfilled, let us live lives of turned towards helping others live in hope too. We pray: God who fulfills all your promises, waiting can be so hard. While we wait let your hearts be turned to you while our focus is on sharing your light, love, healing, and justice in a world that often seems hopeless. Amen.

Pray it Forward · Leave a prayer on the prayer board and take a prayer that has been stamped with "Angel Wings", to pray over.



Donate items to help send students to camps & mission trips. TODAY is your last date to drop off donations (9am-12pm)
Shop: May 8 (member sale 5-8pm) May 9 & 10 (8am-6pm)
Donation guidelines and Volunteer Sign-Up: on our website under NEWS + UPDATES

Join King's Sisters at the MN Landscape Arboretum · May 23, 10am-3pm. Meet at King of Kings for a chartered trolley ride to the Arboretum, a tour and picnic lunch. Reserve **by May 10** with Sandra Bruckner skbruckner@comcast.net



Summer Skollie Program · Skoolie is the name of the colorfully painted bus that goes out into the community bringing free food and fun to families all summer long. King of Kings will be partnering in the Skoolie program on **June 25, 5-6:30pm** at Newport Elementary, providing fun activities. Interested in helping at the event or have activity ideas? All ages are invited to

join us. Email Pam at pam.hoeffel@kingofkingswoodbury.org your ideas and/or to volunteer.

Thank You from the Gardens! Thank you to everyone who helped at the Spring Garden Clean-Up last week. The Church grounds are ready for a brand new growing season. Those interested in working in the church gardens, join us Tuesday mornings from 9am-12pm. All are welcome!



Donations to King of Kings
Donate on line: Simply scan the QR code at left, text 833-245-6561