



KING OF KINGS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Stay Connected to His People and His Ministry

This Week at King of Kings

May 12th - May 19th

TODAY	Worship Gathering - CONFIRMATION	9:00am
	Misa en español	10:30am
	No Bible Study - Confirmation Reception	10:30am
	Mother's Day Italian Luncheon	11:30am
MONDAY	ESL Class	6:00pm
TUESDAY	Citizenship Class	10:00am
	Leadership Council Team Meeting	7:00pm
WEDNESDAY	Breakfast at Denny's	9:00am
THURSDAY	ESL Class	10:00am
	Citizenship Class	7:00pm
SUNDAY	Worship Gathering	9:00am
	Misa en español	10:30am
	Bible Study, Women's Bible Study, Teen Bible Study, Sunday School	10:30am
	Estudio Biblico	11:30am

Serving at King of Kings

This Week of May 12 - May 19

Next Week of May 19 - May 26

Altar Guild	Marla Dellalonga	Altar Guild	Marla Delalonga
Fellowship	Open	Fellowship	Open
Greeter	Jerry & Gloria Sydow	Greeter	Open
Accompanist	Mary Plocher	Accompanist	Marla Dellalonga
Ushers	Andrew & Robin Quebe	Ushers	Dennis Pospisil & Joel D
AV Team	Noelle Hoffman & Andrew Sierszyn	AV Team	Noelle Hoffman & Sarah Sierszyn
Communion Assistant	Jon Plocher	Communion Assistant	Mike Breese
Announcements	Jon Plocher	Announcements	Mike Breese
Church Cleaning	Michael Moss	Church Cleaning	Michael Moss
Lawn Care	Lucas Adrian & Josh Robertson	Lawn Care	Mark Allison & Bob Fuller
Planter Care	Open	Planter Care	Open
Sunday School	Open	Sunday School	Open
Sunday Offering Counter	Mark Allison	Sunday Offering Counter	Noreen Gaitan
& Noreen Gaitan			

Worship Gathering Last Week

English Worship Attendance - 91
Live Streaming - 15
Spanish Worship Attendance - 24

Offerings on 5/5 - \$6,925
Offerings on 4/28 - \$5,695
Offerings on 4/21 - \$7,300
Offerings on 4/14 - \$4,461
(Needed Each Week: \$9888.40)

Electronic Giving -
www.kokgg.org



From the Treasurer - April is the tenth month of our fiscal year (fiscal year is 12 months: July 2023-June 2024). For the ten months, July through April, we have recorded a net loss of \$53,161 (Income: \$498,039; Expenses: \$551,200). The General Fund income ("Gifts of Love Offerings") was 27.2% less than budgeted (a \$121,757 shortfall). The school income was 9.0% less than budgeted (K-8, PreK and Day Care programs combined, a \$15,638 shortfall). The total expenses were 13.8% less than budgeted. For the month of April alone there was a net loss of \$11,414.

Flowers: The altar flowers are provided each week by *Everyday Flowers*. Thank you for beautifying our worship!
This week's Flowers are sponsored by the Gaitans in honor of the blessing of Mothers and the blessings of growing faith in our confirmands!

This Week's Highlights

SPRING FLING - Performances from the school children (PreK-8th) will be held at the Elks Lodge across the street **TONIGHT Friday, May 10**, piano students will be beginning at 6:10 pm, songs from the preschool and **DESTINATION AMERICA** will be starting at 6:30 pm. Invite your family and friends!

CONFIRMATION THIS SUNDAY - 3 youth - Gia Stubbs, Kira Doeblner and Marcos Aguilar - will be confirmed **THIS Sunday, May 12th** during our worship service.

CONFIRMATION RECEPTION - Everyone is invited to a light luncheon with smoked pork sandwiches, cake and more to celebrate the confirmation of Kira Doeblner and Gia Stubbs. This will be held on the patio after the service.

CLHS ASSOCIATION AND K-12 MEETING - TOMORROW SATURDAY, May 11th there will be an association meeting at CLHS at **10:00 a.m.** This important meeting will have updates from our principal, superintendent, and School Board Chairman. Following that meeting there will be a meeting with information and time for questions about the K-12 Feasibility Study. Please consider joining us for this important meeting about the future of the High School! Here is a **LIVESTREAM** link shared if you cannot join in person! (<https://meet.google.com/cjq-gkxv-kqd>) If you have any issues/questions or would like a recap of the meeting after, let Josh Robertson know!

PAN DE VIDA MOTHERS DAY ITALIAN LUNCHEON - You are invited to a Mother's Day Italian Luncheon **THIS Sunday, May 12th at 11:45 am.** The entire meal will be provided. Please speak to Pastor Hagen if you would like to attend or have any questions

SECRETARY/OFFICE MANAGER POSITION AT KOK AVAILABLE - We are looking to hire an hourly person to be the office manager for the School and Church. During the school year, the hours are 7:30am to 3:30pm, Monday - Friday. There is some flexibility regarding schedule during vacations and summer. Please talk with Pastor Doeblner or Jon Plocher for more information or if you are interested in the position.

FAMILY NIGHT OUT - Our final Family Night Out restaurant fundraiser will be held on **Wednesday, May 15**. Join us for a meal of delicious egg rolls and orange chicken at ANY Panda Express. A flier with more details will be handed out this Sunday for you to order online. When you do, Panda Express will donate 28% of your purchase back to the school. Our code is 922398. Please share the information with your family and friends, because anyone across the country can use our code to donate!

MLC CALL DAY - Our college of ministry will have their Graduation and Call Service on **Saturday, May 18th**. The graduation will be at 8:00 a.m. and the Call Service will be at 12:30 p.m. Both services can be watched live at this link: <https://mlc-wels.edu/events/commencement/> This Call Day is particularly important for us as we have asked the Lord of the Church to provide a Middle Grades teacher and Athletic Director to serve us next year! Our high school is also hoping for three graduates to fill their needs. Please tune in and keep praying with confidence that God will provide for all our needs in His timing.

VICAR RONNY NGUYEN IS RETURNING FOR THE SUMMER AT KOK - Praise God! We anticipate that his time here will be a blessing again for us and our ministry! If you are able to house him for the summer (**roughly June 1 - August 7**), please talk with Pastor Doeblner as soon as possible. He will have a car for transportation. Housing would be providing a room to sleep in and offering him meals with your household.

Upcoming Events

- May 10 - TONIGHT Friday School Spring Fling - 6:30 p.m.
- May 12 - Confirmation Sunday - 9:00 a.m.
- May 18 - Saturday - MLC CALL DAY - 12:30 p.m.
- May 21 - Tuesday - School Awards Night - 6:30 p.m.
- May 23 - Thursday - Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary Call Day - 8:00 a.m.
- May 23 - Thursday - School Commencement - 6:30 p.m.
- May 24 - Friday - California Lutheran High School Pops Concert - 7:00 p.m.
- May 25 - Saturday - California Lutheran Graduation - 10:00 a.m.

PRAYER REQUESTS – Mark Allison is our prayer request coordinator . Please email or call him with any prayer requests at: prayers@kokgg.org or (714)-658-1672.

HURTING? NEED COUNSELING? Pastor Doeblen is available at all times for *pastoral counseling* that includes listening, searching God's Word and prayer. **He can also connect you with further *professional Christian counseling* if circumstances call for it.** Feel free to contact Pastor Doeblen at 714-262-3704 or email pastor@kokgg.com. **If you are having suicidal thoughts or know someone who is, call the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline hotline at 988 or go online to <https://988lifeline.org/chat/>**

School Team - Lucas Adrian

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT OPEN - Did you hear? Enrollment is open for the 2024/25 academic year at King of Kings Lutheran School! We welcome applications for all grades, from Preschool to 8th grade. Secure your child's spot for a journey of academic excellence.

60th ANNIVERSARY - King of Kings School will be celebrating its **60th anniversary this next school year**. The School Team is looking for interested alumni, parents, students and church members who would like to be part of a celebration planning committee. If interested, please speak to Jon Plocher or Lucas Adrian.

SAVE THE DATE You are invited to join us on **Sunday, June 30**, for the farewell and congratulations party for Mrs. Nancy Sanchez and Mr. Josh Robertson. The worship service begins at **9:00 am** followed by a meal and festivities right after. More details will be distributed soon, including how to RSVP. We hope you can join us as we come together to thank the Lord for these dedicated teachers who have faithfully served here at King of Kings.

Youth and Children Ministry Team - Josh Robertson

BIBLE STUDY - BURNED OUT - In our last two Teen Bible Studies of the school year we will be looking at what God has to say to us when we are feeling Burned out Emotionally and Spiritually. Please plan on joining us at 10:30 m in the Green Room Sunday, **May 19th and Sunday, May 26th!**

GSBC AND STUDENT FINANCIAL GIFTS - It is time again to start preparing for Good Shepherd which will be **July 7-13th**. Everyone currently in 3rd grade-99 years old is eligible for camp! Camper and Volunteer Registration is open: [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER FOR CAMP](#) Let Mr. Robertson know if you have any questions about camp!

Last year our church also started a fund to give families in need or with multiple students a financial gift to help defray the costs of the camp for each family. If you would like to donate to this account to ensure we have enough to give gifts this year while continuing to keep the account for future campers, please give an offering to the office designated to GSBC Camper Gifts or speak to Mr. Robertson. If you would like your student to be considered for one of the financial gifts please fill out this google form: [CLICK HERE FOR GIFT FORM](#)

CLHS UPDATES, PRAYERS, AND REQUESTS

- **Gala Update!** Thank you to everyone: attendees, supporters, volunteers, donors, faculty, staff, and sponsors of our JAM for the VAN 2.0 Dinner and Auction! Thanks to you, we're still receiving funds! We've raised \$55,050 towards our new van purchase and tuition assistance! We are so close to our goal of \$60,000, can you help us reach our goal before we close the books on our event?

Women's Ministry - Tracy Gaitan

LUTHERAN WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (LWMS) - If you are interested in LWMS and would like to receive email updates (1x a month, at the most) kindly use this link to sign up for them; [LWMS Golden West Email Updates](#). Your KoK LWMS Reporter is Tracy@Gaitan5.com or 714-403-0254, feel free to reach out anytime with any questions, or interest in this type of service with your mission sisters in the Golden West Circuit.

Outreach Ministry Team - Lacey Gaitan

ESL CLASSES - King of Kings and Pan de Vida are now offering FREE English as a Second Language classes on campus twice a week. Classes are on **Monday nights from 6pm-8pm and Thursday mornings from 10am-12pm**. Please contact Pastor Hagen at 920-284-6990 if you would like to sign up for class or if you are interested in helping as either a conversation partner or lead teacher!

HELP WITH CITIZENSHIP CLASSES (Outreach) - Our highly successful classes are looking for 1 new teacher and 2-3 new helpers. Helpers simply help the students follow along, practice hearing, understanding and speaking English to prepare them for their exam. Classes are at **Tuesdays 10-11am and Thursdays 7-8pm**. It is a very enjoyable and rewarding ministry! By volunteering, you will be blessed to help and a blessing to the teachers and students!

GRAB A HANDFUL OF “COME AND SEE” INVITE CARDS TODAY! (Outreach) They are a simple tool for inviting anyone that you have a relationship with to hear the gospel at King of Kings!

Celebrations

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Alexis Dellalonga	May 3	Melissa Serna	May 20
Joel Feiock	May 8	Gloria Sydow	May 21
Andrea Blair	May 9	Tom True	May 22
Morris Feiock	May 11	Eva Zavala	May 23
Andrew Quebe	May 16	Ronnie Traksa	May 23
Anita Riley	May 17	Brooklyn Pospisil	May 24
		Bob Fuller	May 24

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Mike & Maeta Breese May 18

WEEKLY PRAYER

May 12 - *Called worker shortage* – Lord of the Church, you have entrusted us with the responsibility of making disciples of all nations. Open our eyes to see the need for workers. Inspire young people to consider a career as a pastor, teacher, or staff minister. Provide parents with words that encourage their children to consider full-time gospel ministry. Also, move adults to consider a second-career path to ministry according to your will. Help our synod and congregations best utilize the workers with which we are blessed and move us to value them and their ministries. Use us, Lord, to share the good news of salvation in Christ Jesus with our communities. We pray this in Jesus’ name. Amen.

NEWS FROM WELS

Pastoral Studies Institute - The Pastoral Studies Institute (PSI) of Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary exists to walk with kingdom-committed spiritual leaders worldwide. Through PSI, men from nontraditional backgrounds train to serve as confessional Lutheran pastors to the people of their culture. These men can remain in their home congregations while their local pastor serves as their supervising pastor and instructor for much of their theological instruction.

WELS Annual Report - “Your gifts, God’s blessings: An annual report to our members” is now available. The 24-page report includes photos of Christian brothers and sisters around the world, stories of faith, and updates on WELS’ ministry. View the stories and updates, download a PDF or Powerpoint, or order copies at wels.net/annualreport.

WHO'S WHO? *Here is a list of our congregation's leadership*

Leadership Council, Faculty, and Ministry Teams		
Office or Team	Person or Leader	Contact Information
President	Mike Breese	president@kokgg.org
Treasurer	Don Vossler	treasurer@kokgg.org
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Director	Andrew Sierszyn	wodirector@kokgg.org
Director	Rob Goetz	pftdirector@kokgg.org
Director - School (K-8 and PreK)	Gabriel Gaitan	schooldirector@kokgg.org
Principal and 6-8 grade teacher	Jon Plocher	mrplocher@kokgg.org
3-5 grade teacher, Athletics	Josh Robertson	mrrobertson@kokgg.org
1-2 grade teacher, Music	Mary Plocher	mrsplocher@kokgg.org
K teacher	Nancy Sanchez	mrssanchez@kokgg.org
PreK director	Becky Buth	mrsbuth@kokgg.org
Soul Care Team	Tracy Gaitan	soulcare@kokgg.org
Fellowship Team	VACANT	
Children & Youth Team	Josh Robertson	youth@kokgg.org
Stewardship Team	Mark Allison - Noreen Gaitan	stewardship@kokgg.org
Worship Team	Lauren Buth	worship@kokgg.org
Outreach Team	Lacey Gaitan	outreach@kokgg.org
School (K-8 and PreK) Team	Lucas Adrian	school@kokgg.org
Property Care Team	Tricia Zubke	propertycare@kokgg.org
Technology and Media Team	Noelle Hoffman	technology@kokgg.org
Facilities Team	Adam Buth	facilities@kokgg.org