

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2026

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Office Hours: Karen ~ Monday - Thursday 9-noon

Pastor Effie ~ Monday and Wednesday 9-noon and by appointment.

Food Pantry Needs:

Tuna fish, Cereal, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Pasta Sauce, Pasta, Mac and Cheese, Rice, Ramen Noodles, Mashed Potatoes, Canned Vegetables, Soup, Canned Fruit, Granola Bars, Crackers, Jello, Toilet Paper, Paper Towels

$ 25 Gift Cards are always welcome!

Annual Winter Apparel Drive

We now are collecting winter apparel for our neighbors. **All sizes** are needed (especially men's and women's XL and XXL coats). Also looking for all warm and cozy clothes to keep the cold away! Apparel drive will be held on **FRIDAY** December 18, 2026 from 10:00 AM-12:00 PM.

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Christ the King Sunday

Worship and Sunday School

11/22 @ 9:00 AM

Interfaith Thanksgiving Service @

Phillips Memorial Baptist Church

11/22 @ 6:30 PM

Church Council Meeting

11/23 @ 7:00 PM

WISH

No meeting this week

Wisdom Seekers

11/25 @ 7:00 PM

THANKSGIVING!

(Image by: Pam Etheridge)

Please give any announcements to Karen no later than Tuesday. Announcements should be brief with expanded versions going to Hannah for the Circuit Rider.

UPCOMING EVENTS

COMMUNITY INTERFAITH THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Will be held on November 22, 2026 at 6:30 PM at Phillips Memorial Baptist Church, 565 Pontiac Avenue, Cranston, RI 02910.

DRESS REHEARSAL FOR FOR THE FAMILY MINISTRY CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

Following worship on December 6th, the children will have a pageant rehearsal in the sanctuary. They are welcome to stay until 2:00 PM for activities and a pizza lunch while parents enjoy extra time for holiday preparations! Please let Lisa Marciniak know in person or at lhardgrove@yahoo.com if your children will be attending. Please also share any food allergies with Lisa or Megan Crete so that they can plan lunch accordingly.

APPAREL GIVE-AWAY: Please note that the apparel give-away is on FRIDAY, December 18, 2026, from 10:00 AM-12:00 PM. There was some confusion as to whether it was Friday or Saturday. Warm and cozy includes hats, gloves, scarves, socks, underwear, toys, etc.

GIVING TREE: We are beginning to organize our Giving Tree Event. More details will be coming soon!

SPECIAL THANKS *to all who participated in the Thanksgiving Basket event! Your generosity was truly beautiful! Whether financial, time, or just showing up to lend a hand, I'm very thankful to all of you! We were able to help* ***over 60*** *families!*

PRAYERS

Stash & Sue	Glen & Nancy	Steve H.
Mike K.'s Dad	Aggie C.	Tom & Gail
Rachel's Mom	Trish	Nancy W.
Kevin & Theresa	Mike C's surgery	Josh
Girls Running @ URI	McKinley Family	Jeri F
Kevin S @ Cherry Hill	Jeffrey	Nora's 9th

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Mission Statement

We are a multi-generational Christ community seeking to sing God's spirit into the world by inviting all, serving all, loving all.