

News of the Son

Trinity Lutheran Church – Columbia, MO



SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT: THE PREFACE

What a wonderful coincidence that our study of the Lord's Supper should coincide with the season of Easter, the "queen of seasons." For 40 days, we jubilantly exalt our Lord's complete victory over sin, death, and the devil. He has triumphed marvelously by giving his sinless body and blood on the cross on Good Friday and rising again with a new imperishable body three days later. His victory is given to you to eat and to drink in his Holy Supper wherein he feeds you with his victorious body and blood. By this heavenly food he strengthens and preserves you in his forgiveness until we too are given imperishable bodies in the resurrection of all flesh when he comes in glory.

We've been studying the Service of the Word, which proclaims and interprets the Gospel so that faith is awakened and strengthened through hearing. Now in the Service of the Sacrament, God joins that saving word to bread and wine. We begin our study of the Service of Holy Communion with the dialogue that forms the Preface and Proper Preface.

The Preface is a series of responses between pastor and congregation forming a prayer and lead up the Sanctus (Holy! Holy! Holy!). These responses are quite an ancient part of the Divine Service, tracing back to 220 A.D. and possibly even to 90 A.D. To put it in perspective, the Preface began to take shape while the Apostle John was still living!

- P** The Lord be with you. (2 Timothy 4:22)
- C** And with thy spirit.
- P** Lift up your hearts. (Colossians 3:1)
- C** We lift them up unto Lord.
- P** Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God (Psalm 136)
- C** It is meet and right so to do.
- P** It is truly meet, right, and salutary...ever more praising you and saying:

Chiefly, the Preface is thanksgiving for the gift of our Lord's body and blood under the bread and wine, and so it is truly meet and right that we should give praise to His name with all the angels and company of heaven. We are thankful because we believe the Lord's gifts to be true and receive those gifts from the risen Lord himself through faith. We receive God's forgiveness and faith says "Amen. This is most certainly true." As in other parts of the liturgy, we confess that what God desires to give is completely true and always intended for our good.

In the Lord's Supper, this begins with a Salutation: "The Lord be with you." The Salutation is heard once before in the worship service: at the Collect of the Day. The Salutation is the pastor's announcement that the Lord is present with the minister according to his promise to be so (Matthew 28:20; John 20:21-23). The words are from Scripture (Judges 6:12; Ruth 2:4; Psalms 128:8; Luke 1:28). These words are a blessing in the form of a greeting. The response, "and with thy spirit" is an acknowledgment from the congregation that the pastor is serving in the stead and by the command of the Lord Jesus and serves the very things for which he has been called: God's Word and Sacrament.

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**Knowing Christ's Love
Seeking His Will
Spreading His Word**

The history of the next versicle, “Lift up your hearts” is largely unknown, but the response “we lift them up...” is found in Lamentations 3:41. Another way of saying these words might be “He alone is worthy of our praise!” God alone is worthy of our praise because he has come to save us. Trusting in the salvation he brings, our hearts are prepared to cast aside all other cares of this world. In doing so, our hearts and eyes are fixed where true joy is found: Jesus and his Supper!

The final versicle, “Let us give thanks...,” is an invitation to give thanks, which the congregation believes when it responds, “it is truly meet, right, and salutary so to do.” This responsory was also used in the Jewish morning prayer of *Shema* (the recitation of Deuteronomy 6:4) instead of saying “Amen.” It also may have been used in Jewish table prayers, which is fitting because the Lord’s Supper is a meal shared together (1 Corinthians 11:33). Taken together, whenever the Lord comes among his people to give his gifts, we should give thanks because he has answered our prayer to Come and have mercy upon us. For this reason many Christians call the Lord’s Supper “the Holy Eucharist.” In Greek, *eucharistia* means “giving of thanks.”

In the Middle Ages, not only the Preface but nearly all of the Communion liturgy had developed so that it was spoken or sung entirely by a priest, usually in a whisper. This was troublesome because it turned the congregation into an audience who watched in mystery and did not actually receive the bread and wine. It would be comparable to inviting children to the table just to watch the adults eat. The Scripture says the congregation is the body of Christ who is gathered and prepared to receive the Lord’s body! Though we’re well past the Middle Ages, similar heartbreaking problems can arise with this understanding in our own time. Some may think the Lord’s Supper is a good work of our own doing. When this is believed, we totally miss the point! Even if the work is a very reverent one, it’s possible to make it our work instead of God’s love given for us. This is the Roman Catholic church’s understanding of the Lord’s Supper: it is a sacrifice, something offered to God instead of a gift God gives to us. It can be helpful to remember Holy Communion is the Lord’s Supper, not the Christian’s supper. It always is supper given to Christians. The Lord is host, the head of the family, the body, and it is the Lord who serves (Luke 22:27). The Lord Jesus chiefly desires that we gladly receive His body and blood, which he has prepared for us for the forgiveness of our sins and to strengthen us for Christian living.

You may be asking, “And just what happens at those three dots when the pastor prays all those words we can’t see?” This is the *proper* part of the Preface. It is the part of the prayer that is proper or fitting for the liturgical season and emphasizes its central focus. The words of the proper are also thanksgiving. This seasonal thanksgiving culminates with “therefore with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven...” and we hear the *zimbelstern* (cymbal star) of the organ beginning its chiming twinkle as the congregation prepares to sing the Sanctus, the great song of heaven based on Isaiah 6:1-8. All of heaven and earth laud and magnify the glorious name and works of God and worship the Lamb once slain who now lives eternally (Revelation 5:6-14).

Your Servant in Christ,

Rev. Joseph M. McCalley

CHURCH WORKER STUDY GRANTS

If you are a student enrolled full-time at a university or seminary of the LCMS and are planning to become a professional church worker, you are eligible to apply for a Church Worker Study Grant through the LWML Missouri District. Applications are available at www.missourilwml.org/church-worker-grants.html and on the LWML bulletin board near the Church Office. Please note



that applications MUST be postmarked by April 15, 2021 in order to be considered. If you have any questions, contact Joanna McDowell at (573) 881-4138 or mcdowellfamily@centurytel.net.

IN-PERSON WORSHIP SERVICES AND EVENTS

† See updates in **bold** †

Trinity is holding in-person worship services and on-site events. However, the COVID-19 pandemic requires several modifications to the way we meet for worship. Based on the most recent orders from the City of Columbia, we are observing the following practices:

- † If you are in the high-risk group as defined by the City of Columbia (65 or older or have an underlying medical condition) **and have not been fully vaccinated against COVID-19**, you are encouraged not to attend services or events.
- † If you have a cough, fever, shortness of breath, loss of taste or smell, or other COVID-19 symptoms, please do not attend.
- † We are following strict social distancing guidelines. Households are encouraged to sit together, but groups must sit at least six feet from the nearest group, with vacant pews both in front of and behind each occupied pew. Please follow all written and verbal instructions given at the service.
- † **The most recent city order has removed the limit on the number of people who can attend a worship service or church event, but following social distancing guidelines in the Sanctuary puts that number at roughly 150 people.**



† Worshipers must wear face masks when attending worship services. Worshipers may, at their discretion, remove their face mask once in their seats and at least six feet from the nearest group. Face masks must be worn when arriving, leaving, or otherwise moving about the church. If you do not own a face mask or forget to bring one, we will provide a mask for you.

- † If you need to visit one of the pastors or the Church Office, you must wear a face mask. If you have a meeting or other business at the church, the only time you may remove your mask is if you are alone in a room. Masks should be removed if you are playing a sport or other athletic activity.
- † Worship services are held at regular times: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. on Sunday and 6:00 p.m. on Monday.
- † The 8:00 a.m. worship service will be livestreamed at www.facebook.com/trinitylutherancomo.
- † A special worship service will be held at 4:30 p.m. on the first, third, and fifth Mondays with extra safety measures. At these services, there will be no singing and masks must be worn at all times.
- † Communion will be offered at worship services as scheduled. Communion will also be available at other advertised times and by appointment.
- † Children's Sunday School and Adult Sunday Bible Class meet in-person at 9:30 a.m. An adult Bible study is also available online at www.facebook.com/trinitylutherancomo. Fellowship Hour has been canceled until further notice.



† Meetings and events may be held on site. Social distancing guidelines and all City of Columbia orders must be followed including rules for wearing face masks and for food preparation and service. As with worship services, high-risk and symptomatic persons are encouraged not to attend events and meetings.

**FEBRUARY 9, 2021
BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MINUTES**

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors was called to order on February 9, 2021 at 7:01 pm. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, this meeting was held via ZOOM Meeting ID 840 4968 9516. In attendance via the link included Gary Kespohl (President), Warren Harms (Secretary), Jim Harms (Treasurer), JoAnn Schoenike, Larry McCoig, Daniel Hakes, Robert Hall, Chuck Murphy, Angel Arnall, Nick Couper, Charlie Cott, and Chris Baily. Also attending was Rev. Brian Thieme.

Pastor Thieme led the opening devotion based on Isaiah 6:8, Here am I, send me, send me. Hymn 829.

The consent agenda was approved.

The minutes of the January 19, 2021 meeting were approved as written.

The following are summaries of the reports in the meeting agenda packet:

PASTORS' REPORT—Pastor Thieme

Membership Changes—NONE reported

Participated in Pastor's 2021 Planning Committee 1/28/2021 by ZOOM, contacting Circuit visitors, Presidium online in February.

Pastoral visits continue with assistance of Judy Frost calling those on the prayer list. University

Hospital is not allowing visits

Bible Classes: Sunday morning-Ecclesiastes, Psalm studies online, Monday morning-Sacrament of the Altar in the Large Catechism. Looking to expand podcasting.

Working with technology to record and cast classes from the Pastor's study and temporary casting of the Sunday morning 8 am service.

Precept Study Workshop, online February 4-6.

Family will travel to Nebraska February 12-15.

PASTORS' REPORT—Pastor McCalley

Communion canceled Jan 21 & Feb 28 due to COVID-19 vaccination day

High school youth Bible study continuing with the Truth Project

Initiating driveway visits for youth who are unable to attend meetings.

Scholar's Bowl at Calvary Lutheran HS

Winkel, Grace, Holt's Summit Feb 2. PALS gathering, Blue Springs, MO canceled Feb 4

Continuing Education—Closed Communion? w/ Pastor Thieme. Personal study of liturgics and sundry things with worship.

Consider a Thank-You to Josh Thieme by the congregation for his service in running A/V equipment during worship. Comment by Larry McCoig—this was done by the Board of Elders.

FINANCIAL SECRETARY—JoAnn Schoenike, Regular envelope collections were \$51,277 which is 117.79% of the historic anticipated total of \$43,534 for the month of January. Loose plate collections were \$381 which is 27% of the historic anticipated total of \$1,407 for the month of January.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION—No Report

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION—Board met Feb 4, 2021. Congregation treasurer, Jim Harms, in attendance to discuss PPP loan application which has been submitted. The CAA 2021 relief package allows employers to voluntarily extend two emergency paid eaves through March 31, 2021 that were originally mandated between April 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 by the Families First Coronavirus Response Act (FFCRA). The relief package does not change the total amount of leave available, the qualifying reasons for which employees may take eave, the caps on the amount

of pay employees are entitled to receive, or the FFCRA's documentation requirements. It permits employers with under 500 employees to choose to provide such leave to eligible employees. It allows the employer to choose to provide such paid leave and to seek a payroll tax credit for any such leave provided. This only applies to those employees who did not previously use their available leave in 2020. Jim advised to follow up with our payroll administrator, Erin, and verify tax credit availability. The Board finalized goals for 2021 and assigned action activities for individual Board members and the TLCLC director. The TLCLC Director's report for January 2021 is provided.

ELDERS—No Report

EVANGELISM—Rob Hall and Chuck Murphy led open discussion concerning idea to build some type of outdoor pavilion by the playground equipment west of the main parking lot. Preliminary cost estimates provided are \$6,000-\$15,000 depending on complexity of the selected project. Prefabricated "kits" are available for purchase or it could be built by congregation members with those abilities. Funding could be from evangelism budget, special offerings, and good will offering, Endowment Fund money. Suggested usage would be public use with "Trinity literature" available nearby, a "lending library" onsite, outdoor church services. Remember informal plans to possibly changing the main driveways from Rollins Road steep drives to something off of Martin Drive to the west of the property.

SOCIAL MINISTRY—No Report.

STEWARSHIP & FINANCE—No Report

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH ENDOWMENT FUND—Nicholas Couper presented balances of the three funds at 12/31/20: TLC Endowment Fund \$76,604; Youth Ministry Fund \$12,701; Bourret-Elliott Fund \$44,709.

TRUSTEES—No Report

YOUTH—No Report

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE—No Report

TREASURER'S REPORT—January 2021 church income was \$51,750 which is 9.34% of the annual budget of \$554,250. January church expenditures were \$32,564 which is 6.01% of the annual budget. The church's income over expenditures was \$19,186. The Leaning Center income for January was \$49,444 which is 7.04% of the annual budget of \$702,300. The Learning Center expenditures for January was \$40,760 which is 5.8% of the annual budget. The January income over expenditures was \$8,684. Trinity submitted it's 2020 PPP loan forgiveness request to Central Bank of Boone County on January 20, 2021. The loan forgiveness of \$109,500 is still "in process." Trinity submitted an SBA \$100,000 second draw PPP 1% forgivable loan application on January 21, 2021. This loan application was approved and funds were received on February 3, 2021. These funds are recorded in Trinity account 502-TLCLC designated account. The treasure plans to not draw from this bank account until the loan forgiveness requirements are announced by the SBA. 2020 end of year net TLC / TLCLC income over expenditures ended at \$87,665.98. \$85,716.03 was included in the 2021 budget to cover outstanding 2020 BOD / AOV approved expenditures. End of Year net \$87,665.98 minus \$85,716.03 = \$1,949.95. As per an outstanding AOV motion, \$195 (10%) will be sent to MO District LCM Missions and \$1,754.95 (90%) will be deposited to Lutheran Church Extension Fund reserve account 190-Capital Outlay Reserve for Trinity Lutheran Church.

Cash in Central Bank accounts is \$307,324 with a balance in dedicated accounts of <\$79,242> for net operating cash of \$228,082. January Lutheran Church Extension Fund reserve accounts total \$910,269. The total balance in the three Endowment Fund accounts is \$134,013. The treasurer's report was moved for approval, seconded and approved.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. A Round 2 Paycheck Protection Plan loan for 2021 was applied for by the executive officers. Loan proceeds were received via Central Bank of Boone County and deposited to the Trinity Lutheran Church checking account.

2. The president and secretary of Trinity Lutheran Church affirmed the vote with the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod to delay the 2022 Synod convention as approved by the Assembly of Voters in the December AOV meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

A. Open discussion concerning the building of a pavilion-type structure near the west playground

was led by the Board of Evangelism.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

A. The next board of directors meeting is scheduled for March 9, 2021 at 7:00 pm

B. The next assembly of voters meeting is scheduled for February 21, 2021 at 12:30 pm

At 7:35pm, Angel Arnall made a motion for adjournment, motion was seconded, motion passed.

Pastor Thieme spoke a closing prayer.



2021 Trinity Lutheran Church Officers and Board Members

President

Gary Kespohl

Secretary

Warren Harms

Treasurer

Jim Harms

Financial Secretary

JoAnn Schoenike

Board of Christian Ed.

Daniel Hakes

Kylie Sterling

Sarah Thieme

Board of Early Childhood Ed.

Carole Eilers

Cynthia Green

Christina Hartman

Karen Niederjohn

Joni Schaumburg

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Benjamin Asbeck

David Attebery

Ron Barrett

Jim Cherrington

John Frerking

Daniel Hartman

Larry McCoig

Board of Evangelism

Robert Hall

Dianne Mirtz

Chuck Murphy

Board of Social Ministry

Angel Arnall

Emily Derendinger

Kathy Ferguson

Board of Stewardship and Finance

Lori Bresnahan-
Burns

Rob & Kim Crouch

Ken Greer

Sean Huggans

Richard Mangold

vacancy

Board of TLC

Endowment Fund

Nick Couper

Gary Frisch

Carey Smith

Board of Trustees

Charlie Cott

Doug McDowell

Eddie Sterling

Board of Youth

Chris Bailey

Lisa Mefrakis

Michelle Wren

Board of Directors reports and agenda items are due to Secretary Warren Harms by noon on Thursday, April 8.

The Board of Directors will meet Tuesday, April 13 at 7:00 p.m.

The Assembly of Voters will meet Sunday, May 16 at 12:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.



Greetings in the Name of Jesus , who died for each of us,
Lutherans For Life offers Life Thoughts in the Church Year based on the appointed readings in the *Lutheran Service Book*. The following are for the Sundays in Lent, 2020:

Lent I

Abortion and assisted suicide promise control. But they don't seize power from death. Instead, they simply submit to death's reign (Romans 5:14), accepting defeat and calling it a treaty. These practices and ideologies constitute sinfulness. We need not surrender, for Jesus embodies a new model of humankind. His forgiving grace works in us a faith that gives freedom to receive life and celebrate it even amid difficulty and suffering (Romans 5:17).

Lent II

We scarcely need more help than when "coming in" (approaching birth) or "going out" (approaching death). In these times of weakness, neither hills nor pills nor legislative bills will avail unless they come from our Lord. Since Almighty Maker keeps our coming in and going out (Psalm 121:7-8) as a gracious Savior, He gets to direct the decisions about how one lives and when one dies.

Lent III

Jesus graciously offers the water of abundant and everlasting life to an adulterous woman (John 4:14-18). He has just as much compassion for those who have participated in violences against life. Let us point out how these famines starve hearts so that we may proclaim Him who showers forgiveness and deliverance. If He draws water from rocks (Exodus 17:6), how much more life will He pour forth from our lips!

Lent IV

"That the works of God might be displayed in him" (John 9:3). Wondrous honor He has given to our every affliction, even the fiercest ones. The Jesus Who has borne our sicknesses and carried our sorrows incarnates our pains unto salvation. Why consider assisted suicide when our discomforts afford us front-row seats to witness the movements of the Almighty - and the privilege of participating firsthand?

Lent V

Life issues like surprise pregnancy and terminal diagnosis cast long shadows. Sometimes our mortal eyes only behold despair and death in such circumstances. But our Lord Jesus loves nothing more than lost causes (Ezekiel 37: 5-6). He walks hope into the darkest valley, and where our resolve ends, His resurrection begins. Trusting His presence and promise and power takes hold of a life not even crisis or cancer can touch (John 11:25).

Palm Sunday

Not the form of a superhero. Not a sultan or celebrity. Not pretty, popular, or prosperous. God showed Himself to the world in the form of a servant (Philippians 2:6-7). He gave Himself as peasant, dependent, and embryo to begin with. He selected humble, gentle, fragile, mortal. This makes human life of every age, appearance, and ability precious--elderly, unborn, and the least of these too!

Resurrection of Our Lord

Jesus' bodily resurrection (Matthew 28:9) reveals as much about us as it does about God. What great majesty and honor the Almighty Maker hides (Colossians 3:3) in human flesh! And if He places such worth in a body broken by crucifixion, if He works such purpose in the rotting confines of a tomb, how much more can--will He!--do so in surprise pregnancy and terminal diagnosis!

A blessed Easter to each of you,

Sylvia Glenn

Life Ministry Coordinator for Lutherans For Life

Feel free to call me (573-592-7866) for information or concerns about life issues. For those who have had an abortion, there is a **word of hope!** "He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds" (Psalm 147:3). For *confidential post-abortion referral, counsel, and reconciliation* call WORD of HOPE, toll-free 888-217-8679, or visit www.word-of-hope.org.

LIFE TEAM UPDATE

Easter Blessings from the Life Team! What a blessed time Easter is! We remember that Our Lord and Savior Jesus rose from the dead and that we will have eternal life because of His sacrifice on the cross. April will be a busy and exciting month!

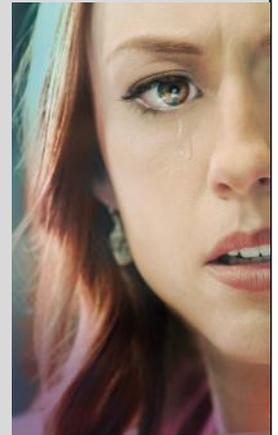
First, we want to announce the Midwest March for Life will be held Wednesday, April 14 in Jefferson



City, Mo at the State Capitol. There will be a shuttle at Capital Mall running from 7:30-9:30 a.m. and 2:30-4:30 p.m. For more information, go to midwestmarchforlife.com.

Next, at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 15, the Life Team will show the movie "Unplanned." This movie tells the story of Abby Johnson, the director of a Texas Planned Parenthood clinic and an outspoken advocate for pro-choice causes. After finally participating in an abortion procedure for the first time, Abby Johnson had a change of heart. She quit her job and became as ardently pro-life as she had been pro-choice. Please note that due to the content and subject matter, this movie is rated R. This movie is not for children, but older teens are welcome to attend. Pre-packaged refreshments will be served and social distancing and masks are required. For more information about the film, please visit www.unplannedfilm.com.

UNPLANNED



At the movie night we will also have a special speaker—Kathy Fork of the local 40 Days For Life campaign. She will give a short talk about the history of the 40 Days For Life campaign in Columbia.

The Life Team invites movie attendees to bring donations of layette items that Lutherans for Life will distribute to seminary students with young children. The items will be taken to the LFL annual meeting on April 17.

That Saturday, April 17, is the date of the annual LFL meeting in at Zion Harvester Lutheran Church, 3866 S Old Hwy 94, St. Charles, MO 63304. There is a \$10 registration fee, and the meeting starts at 9:00 a.m. and ends at 1:00 p.m. LFL, as mentioned above, is asking for baby items to donate to seminary families. There will be many pro-life speakers at the meeting so it is a good opportunity to find out more about LFL and their stance on life issues.



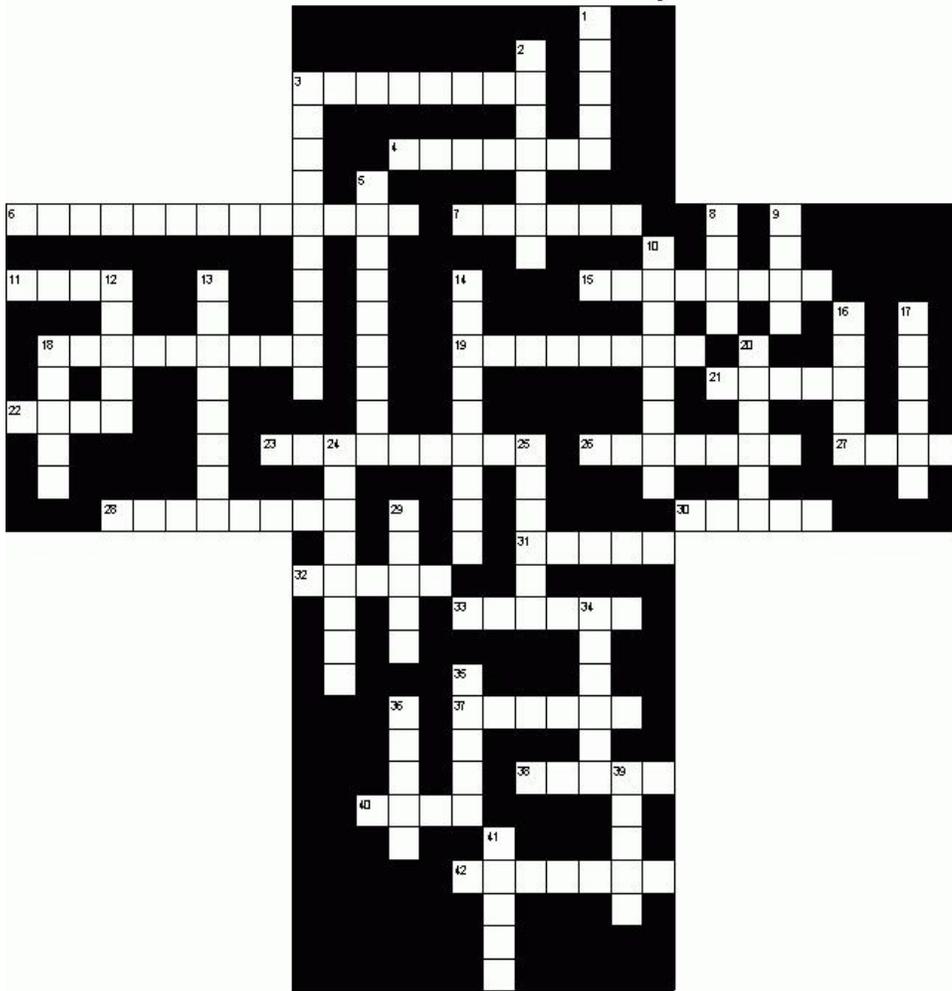
After that action-packed week, our annual diaper shower to support Lutheran Family and Children's Services will begin on Mother's Day, May 9, and run through Father's Day on June 20. Donations of diapers and wipes will be greatly appreciated.

Finally, our Life Team training that was canceled earlier this year has been rescheduled for the fall. This training is a wonderful opportunity to find out what a Life Team is, what ideas it is based on, and its purpose in our congregation. If you attend our training, you are not obligated to join. The training is simply an opportunity to see if membership would be a good fit for your life at this time.

Check our weekly news items for more information later this year.

Blessings, the Life Team

The Easter Story



Down

1. The father-in-law to the high priest. Jesus was first brought to him
2. Another name for the place of His crucifixion.
3. The garden where Jesus prayed before He was arrested
5. And it was the third hour, and they _____ Him.
8. This was written and set over His head: "_____ of the Jews"
9. Judas betrayed Jesus with a _____.
10. "Go ye into the world and preach the gospel to every _____."
12. Joseph took His body down and wrapped it in fine _____.
13. The prisoner released by Pilate instead of Jesus
14. The pharisee that brought spices for His burial
16. The apostle who betrayed the Christ
17. "Why seek ye the _____ among the dead?"
18. He was taken up; and a _____ received Him out of their sight.
20. Judas betrayed Jesus for thirty pieces of _____.
24. And they crucified Him, and parted His _____, casting lots:
25. He appeared to two disciples on the way to this village.
29. Jesus told Peter to feed His _____.
34. The Roman governor who washed his hands of the whole affair
35. This was rolled in front of the tomb and then sealed.
36. and His sweat was as it were great drops of _____.
39. The soldier pierced His side with this
41. He is not here: for He is _____ as He said.

Across

3. It means "A place of a skull;" Where He was crucified
4. These guys were crucified on each side of Him.
6. And He was numbered with the _____.
7. Jesus was anointed with precious ointment in preparation for His _____.
11. This part of the temple was torn in two from the top to the bottom
15. And when the sixth hour was come, there was _____ over the whole land.
18. This Roman said, "Truly this was the Son of God."
19. The high priest who said it was expedient that one man die for all.
21. The _____ of blood was purchased with the betrayal money
22. The disciple that took Mary home as his own mother
23. He appeared first unto Mary _____.
26. "Father, _____ them; for they know not what they do."
27. He shed His blood so our _____ would be forgiven.
28. The Last Supper was a celebration of this Jewish holiday
30. The ruler of Galilee
31. This was sent to strengthen Him when He was praying in the garden.
32. This apostle denied that He knew Jesus three times.
33. This wealthy man of Arimathea buried Him.
37. The doubtful apostle
38. "A spirit has not _____ and bones as ye see me have."
40. And they stripped Him, and put on Him a scarlet _____.
42. They gave Him this to drink when He was on the cross.



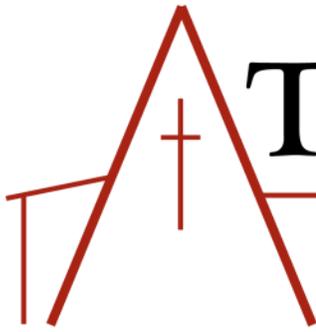
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| 1 Arla Benskin | 14 Zachary Mariott Grace Groh | 23 Connie Hanson |
| 2 Gideon Anderson | 15 Liz Cherrington Mark Unterreiner | 24 Josie Grotzinger Sue Pickett Nick Weber |
| 3 Rylee Eckhoff | 16 Kim Crouch | 25 Kenny Klussman Fred Luetkemeier |
| 5 Andrew Lawler | 17 Emma Crouch | 26 Gary Frisch Lauren Schaumberg |
| 6 Jason Kiehne Megan Walz | 18 Reese Eckhoff Conner Gibson | 27 Austin Tipton Rachel Weber |
| 8 Stephanie Baehman | 19 Trinity Reiss Nick Swartz Nicole Thompson | 28 Michael Laupp |
| 10 Timothy Kling Butch Reynolds | 20 Sarah Klingbeil Tom Myers | 29 Loralee Adam |
| 11 Tori Thompson | 21 Mary Earnhart | 30 Sam Tackitt |
| 11 Preston Baehman | 22 Betty Landers Eddie Sterling | Bob Clark |
| 12 Nathaniel Dyer | | |
| 13 Abby Eckhoff Stephen Harris | | |

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| Larry & Judy Lammers | April 3, 1960 |
| Marvin & Charlene Koop | April 10, 1982 |
| Wilmer & Beulah Brown | April 14, 1940 |
| Larry & Elaine Samuel | April 15, 1967 |
| Fred & Dana Luetkemeier | April 17, 1993 |
| Joseph Mwamgiga & Agnes Mrutu | April 17, 1999 |
| Tom & Sarah Stone | April 18, 1998 |
| James & Bonnie Lawler | April 20, 1985 |
| Larry & Diane Jeide | April 21, 1993 |
| Andy & Kelly Reiff | April 23, 2016 |
| Don & Jan Lang | April 24, 1976 |
| Buck & Norma Katt | April 25, 1952 |
| Jeffery & Nanette Schneider | April 25, 1981 |
| Jim & Debbie Harms | April 26, 1980 |
| Dan & Donna Watts | April 28, 1978 |
| Kevin & Elizabeth Kasper | April 29, 2017 |

EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Due to the ongoing pandemic, our plans for Easter Sunday worship on April 4 are different again this year. This time we are able to offer expanded Divine Worship and Communion opportunities, and the Easter Breakfast will be by preorder and pickup.

- † 7:00–8:00 a.m. — **In-person worship in the Sanctuary with Communion**
 - This service will be livestreamed on www.facebook.com/trinitylutherancomo/
 - Overflow seating will be available
- † 8:00–8:15 a.m. — **Easter Breakfast Basket Pickup**
- † 8:30–9:30 a.m. — **In-person worship held outside in the West Parking Lot**
 - Worshipers will watch the service from their vehicle and listen over the radio
 - Worshipers will be invited to join in the Drive-up Communion at the end of the service
- † 9:30–10:00 a.m. — **Drive-up Communion**
 - Worshipers from the 8:30 a.m. service and any others who wish to come will receive Communion in their vehicles
- † 9:30–9:45 a.m. — **Easter Breakfast Basket Pickup**
- † 10:30–11:30 a.m. — **In-person worship in the Sanctuary with Communion**
- † 11:30–11:45 a.m. — **Easter Breakfast Basket Pickup**



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| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| Palm Sunday 28 8a Worship Service w/Comm. 930a Sunday School 1030a Worship Service w/Comm. 330p Pickleball | 29 9a Bible Study 6p Worship Service w/Comm. | 30 | 31 845a TLCLC Chapel 5p Pickleball | Maundy Thursday 1 630a Men's Bible Study 845a TLCLC Chapel 12p Maundy Thursday Service w/Comm. 7p Maundy Thursday Service w/Comm. | Good Friday 2 12p Good Friday Service 7p Good Friday Service | 3 |
| Easter Sunday 4 See page 10 for worship times. | 5 430p Worship Service w/Comm. 6p Worship Service w/Comm. | 6 530p Board of Early Childhood Ed. 6p Stephen Ministry Supervision | 7 845a TLCLC Chapel 5p Pickleball REV. MCCALLEY'S DAY OFF | 8 630a Men's Bible Study 845a TLCLC Chapel 6p Youth Group | 9 REV. THIEME'S DAY OFF | 10 |
| 11 8a Worship Service w/Comm. 930a Sunday School 1030a Worship Service w/Comm. 330p Pickleball 6p JCC 715p JCC3 Parent Meeting | 12 9a Bible Study 6p Worship Service w/Comm. | 13 6p Vesper Guild 7p Bd of Directors | 14 845a TLCLC Chapel 930a Mary Martha Guild 5p Pickleball REV. MCCALLEY'S DAY OFF | 15 630a Men's Bible Study 845a TLCLC Chapel 11a Chapel w/Comm. @ Lenoir 6p Bd of Evangelism 6p Youth Group 7p Life Team Movie | 16 REV. THIEME'S DAY OFF | 17 |
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WORSHIP SERVICE TIMES:

SUNDAY 8:00 A.M. & 10:30 A.M.

MONDAY 6:00 P.M.

BIBLE STUDY & SUNDAY SCHOOL:

SUNDAY 9:15 A.M.

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Dear Church Family,

Please contact the Church Office when:

- a member of your family is admitted to the hospital so visits can be made
- someone you know is very ill or has passed away
- your class, board, or group would like to use the church for a meeting or event so it can be scheduled on the church calendar
- your contact information or address changes
- a new baby arrives in your family
- a member of your family leaves home for college, joins the military, or is getting married
- you would like to have a member call you to visit or assist you in some way
- you have a prayer request
- you would like to share your time and talents
- you feel the church can assist you in any way