

Trinity Spirit

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH



NEWSLETTER

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BEHIND THE STORIES:

TEMPTATION

INTRODUCTION Taking the Bible seriously as the word of God and reading the bible literally are not the same thing. In the ELCA we do indeed take the bible seriously, however, we do not necessarily take it literally. We do not always believe that the stories in the bible are historically or scientifically accurate. We do believe that the stories in the bible are written to convey God's word and bring us more closely into relationship with God.

THE GOSPEL READING On the First Sunday in Lent the Gospel reading is always the story of Jesus' temptation in the wilderness. (*This year we read it from Matthew, next year will be Mark, and then Luke.*) The story of the temptation comes fast on the heels of Jesus' baptism when he hears God's voice proclaim him to be the Son of God.

I believe that faithful Christians may or may not read these stories as being historically accurate. There are certainly differences between the three versions of it, especially in Mark who does not give any detail about the temptations themselves.

PERSONALLY Speaking for myself, as I have grown in my journey with Christ through the years, I am less concerned with holding that biblical stories are accurate in all of their particulars. Instead, I want to know **why** these stories are included in the scriptures **and what** they have to teach us. When it comes to the stories of the temptation, I realize that their were no eyewitnesses to the events other than Jesus himself, who may or may not have conveyed what happened to his disciples. That is speculation and is fine as far as it goes, *but personally*, I do find it meaningful. And yet, I find the stories of Jesus' temptation in the Gospels very meaningful.

THE TEMPTATIONS Matthew, Mark, and Luke, all include a story about Jesus' temptation. **It was important for them to tell us that Jesus, like us, suffers temptation, or that, just because he is God's Son does not mean that he gets off easy. Like us, Jesus is also tempted to turn away from God, to satisfy his own desires.** This is the first and most basic meaning of the story and, I think, the primary meaning of it for Mark as he does not give us much more detail.

Matthew and Luke, however, tell us about three specific temptations that Jesus faces in the wilderness. All of these are tied in with what Jesus experiences in his baptism. When Jesus emerges from the waters of baptism, he is proclaimed to be God's Son. The Holy Spirit then leads Jesus out into the wilderness where he fasts for 40 days.

40 days is an interesting detail. I don't know that Jesus, or anyone else, was actually counting. What I do know is that the Israelites wandered in the wilderness for 40 years, and that Moses went up onto Mt. Sinai for 40 days. 40 was a significant number in the Old Testament and the Gospel writers want us to make the connection between Jesus and Moses. Jesus being in the wilderness for 40 days would make that connection for the Gospel writers' earliest readers.

Jesus is proclaimed to be the Son of God. As we read the Gospels, we already know this. *What we do not know is what it means to be the Son of God. What does being the Son of God look like?* Greek and Roman culture had their own definition of this, which generally meant lording it over and dominating other peoples. But the point of Jesus being the Son of God is that through looking at Jesus we come to see and understand who God is for us.

So, what does God's Son tell us about who God is? Enter the devil. The temptations Jesus faces show us what being the Son of God means. The devil says, *"If you are the Son of God..."* I love that line. The devil is both calling into question Jesus' identity as the Son of God, and trying to define it for him. *"If you are the Son of God..." turn these stones into bread, throw yourself from the temple.* In other words, the Son of God should never suffer hunger or want. His needs should be fulfilled and he should serve himself. Also, God will not let him be harmed but send angels to protect him. The final temptation is to worship the devil, turn away from God, and then all the kingdoms of the world will listen and obey him. **These are the temptations, and Jesus' response shows us who God is.**

Jesus does not serve and feed himself. Rather, we will see Jesus feeding those who are hungry. Jesus is not protected from physical harm. Rather, he will suffer and die upon the cross. And Jesus will not rule over the kingdoms of this world and be obeyed. Rather, he will be rejected and condemned by the rulers of this world.

The temptations show us that Jesus, Emmanuel, God with us, comes into our world to care for others, to oppose the powers that rule this world, and to suffer and die for the sake of our world. Jesus is a Son of God who gives his life for the sake of the world, for us.

In Christ's Peace,

Pastor Robt Kosky

WORSHIP

SEASONS of CHANGE

#TRINITYTOGETHER

After much consideration and input from congregation members, Trinity's Worship & Music team has recommended to the Council that our Saturday worship service move to Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock. This provides a worship time that avoids both night-time driving and early mornings—concerns mentioned by some who attend the Saturday service.

To best accommodate the addition of a Sunday morning service, the team also recommended that the time of the Created to Praise worship service move to 9 o'clock. This will provide more time for the transition between services—time for the parking lot to partially empty, time for members who attend either service to enjoy coffee hour and visit with one another, and time for pastor to visit with members between services.

Change is always a challenge and in this instance, we will ALL need to adjust. Those that prefer the Liturgical worship will be adjusting to an entirely new day and time—while for the Created to Praise attenders and Children's Ministry families it will be a matter of adjusting schedules by one half hour.

We will begin the new worship schedule on April 5th—Easter Sunday.

Join us in worship as we celebrate our risen Lord on Easter morning at 9 AM or 11 AM—and then moving forward, at those same times each Sunday morning.

We plan to assess how this change is going after 3 months. It is our hope having both our worship services on one day will actually help us enhance and grow both worship services as musicians, singers, cantors, readers, etc. will only need to be available on Sundays. *This will also make a difference as we seek a new pastor.*

Thank you for your understanding and support of these important changes in the life of Trinity.

Together by Grace & Gratitude

CONGRATULATIONS!

Once again, the annual cook-off was a friendly, tasty and tough competition, and in the end, three chilies rose above the rest!

Congratulations to our COOKOFF WINNERS:

-  **1ST PLACE**
Nancy & Pat Harvey
-  **2ND PLACE**
Patrick Budoff
-  **3RD PLACE**
Todd Meeks



The only way to top off an annual meeting at Trinity is to gather together over a hearty chili cookoff! This event is thoroughly enjoyed by many generations, the only difference is—"some of us actually use a spoon"!!! *When it comes to filling the Heritage Room with fellowship and family—we were all Chili CookOFF winners!*



HAVE WE MET? NOT QUITE YET.

INTERIM PROCESS UPDATE | Pastor Robb has been settling in at Trinity, getting to know members and how things work here. He has been helping with confirmation and organizing a Sr High Youth Servant trip for this summer, meeting with the Worship and Music team and Adventures in Renewal. The first major step in the transition process will be establishing the **MET (Ministry Exploration Team)** to study our life together at Trinity. *The Mission Exploration Team will be appointed by the Council in consultation with Pastor Robb after Easter.* Once this team is assembled and has their footing, they will begin working on our **MSP (Ministry Site Profile)**—a comprehensive report that will help identify potential pastoral candidates as well as help any candidates for ministry understand our congregation's identity, demographics, and leadership expectations.



Greater Milwaukee Synod Together in Mission 2026

Pastor Robb Kosky and Trinity member, Katie Martin attended the Synod's Together in Mission event, held at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church in Wauwatosa on Saturday, February 7th.

FROM: KATIE MARTIN | On February 7th, Pastor Robb and I had the privilege of attending the Greater Milwaukee Synod's Together in Mission gathering on behalf of Trinity's Adventures in Renewal Team. I found this experience to be extremely beneficial and wish to share with our congregation.

The opening presentation announced that 2026 will focus on collaboration, the fourth of the synod's core values. Then the featured speaker, Tia Richardson was introduced. Ms. Richardson shared a short documentary film, [Rockford Taking Flight](#) that demonstrated the process of how she worked with SecondFirst Church of Rockford, Illinois to create a community mural. To explore the theme of collaboration, the Greater Milwaukee Synod is working with Tia Richardson to design and produce a synod mural that will be installed in Milwaukee later this year. The documentary was inspiring! I highly recommend viewing it to see how a church and community worked together to unite people from the entire city of Rockford.



Tia Richardson

After the opening presentation, I attended two workshops. The first workshop, **Talking without Microaggressions**, focused on providing education to help recognize, interrupt and prevent microaggressions towards LGBTQIA+ people at church and in society so that we can ensure our communities can be authentically welcoming in words and in actions. Resources shared were: [ReconcilingWorks](#), [The Trevor Project](#), and [Q Christian Fellowship](#). The second workshop, **Don't Just Do Something, Sit There** was the reason that I attended the conference as I was able to participate in more active listening practices that the Adventures in Renewal team at Trinity has learned about and is working to implement with our congregation.

Other parts of the conference that I experienced was the Lunch Church worship service and the Greater Milwaukee Synod North Conference meeting. Lunch Church which was a refreshing and enjoyable way to worship and converse with people from other congregations. And the North Conference meeting was informational and helped me gain more understanding of the collaboration and practices between ELCA congregations near Trinity.

One other informative thing I learned about was the [Lutheran Office for Public Policy](#)—until this time, I didn't know it existed. With the uncertain times we are living in, I found the information they provided beneficial because they share ways for Lutherans to engage in advocacy actions that align with my values. *I encourage you to join their mailing list to stay up to date with current actions.*

RESOURCES:

- Faith in Action, Take Action Now Guide from the Lutheran Office for Public Policy https://drive.google.com/file/d/1EIVKTKR_OvDpMXVx_IA5saifByK9dDhe/view
- Rockford Taking Flight Documentary | <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3tof2EYW-04&t=4s>
- ReconcilingWorks | <https://www.reconcilingworks.org/>
- The Trevor Project | <https://www.thetrevorproject.org/>
- Q Christian Fellowship | <https://www.qchristian.org/>

ECUMENICAL LENT WORSHIP | WEDNESDAYS at NOON

MARCH 4	Holy Angels Catholic Church	—Chaplin Mary Hernik
MARCH 11	Trinity Lutheran Church	—Rev. Jakob Kroener
MARCH 18	Immanuel UCC	—Rev. Jim Hearne
MARCH 25	Fifth Avenue Methodist Church	—Rev. Robb Kosky



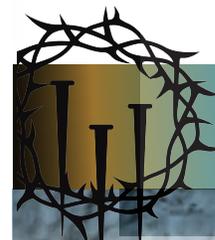
PALM/PASSION WORSHIP MARCH 28/29

From "Hosanna" to "Crucify Him"
Trinity's Confirmation youth will lead
Palm/Passion Worship
• 4:00 PM | Saturday
• 9:30 AM | Sunday



MAUNDY THURSDAY APRIL 2

Walking through the Last Supper and reflection Jesus' words, "I give you a new commandment."
• NOON | Holy Communion
• 6:30 AM | Holy Communion



GOOD FRIDAY APRIL 3

The ultimate act of love and sacrifice—Jesus crucifixion.
• NOON | Worship
• 7:30 AM | Tenebrae Worship

Tenebrae is the Latin for darkness. Gradual extinguishing of candles takes place and Worshipers leave in silence to ponder the impact of Christ's death.



EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 5

He is Risen! He is Risen INDEED!
NOTE NEW WORSHIP TIMES

- 9 AM | Created to Praise Worship
- 11 AM | Traditional Worship

HOLY COMMUNION AT BOTH SERVICES

• 8 AM-11AM | **Easter Breakfast**
The Sr High youth will be hosting Easter Breakfast—a **FREE-WILL OFFERING will be collected to help support the 2026 Sr High Summer Servant Trip** (see page 5 for trip info).



FOLLOWING IMMANUEL SERVING HAPPILY
4TH-6TH GRADE YOUTH MINISTRY

FAMILY EVENT

Sunday | March 8

12:30-3:30 PM

The whole family is invited to join our F.I.S.H. kids for an afternoon that is sure to be filled with fun at



7084 SYCAMORE DRIVE
CEDARBURG, WI 53012

LET THE GOOD TIMES ROLL!

SKATELAND EVENT COST: \$11 PER PERSON

COST INCLUDES

Admission
Skate Rental
Pizza and a Drink!

RSVP by Sunday, March 1st
Alyssa | 262-343-5557



ALL ABOUT YOU ^{tr}

YOUTH SCHEDULES, EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

SHARING THE LOVE & PROMISE OF GOD WITH 3 YR OLD - 6TH GRADE

SEE it • MAKE it • MOVE it • TELL it • TASTE it — SHARE it!

SUNDAYS | 9:30 AM — Come, join us anytime!

MARCH 01



5th Grade **FIRST COMMUNION**

KEEPING THE PROMISE ROTATION

LITTLE LAMBS
SIXTH GRADE BRIDGE

MARCH 08



BRING-A-FRIEND SUNDAY

CROWN OF THORNS ROTATION

LITTLE LAMBS
SIXTH GRADE BRIDGE

MARCH 15



CROWN OF THORNS ROTATION

LITTLE LAMBS
SIXTH GRADE BRIDGE

MARCH 22



CROWN OF THORNS ROTATION

LITTLE LAMBS
SIXTH GRADE BRIDGE

MARCH 29



CROWN OF THORNS ROTATION

LITTLE LAMBS
SIXTH GRADE BRIDGE

GEAR UP FOR PINE LAKE CAMP

NOW is the time to register to secure your spot and **EARLY BIRD** pricing!

All youth who have finished 1st Grade on up to 12th Grade are invited to join us as we head to **PINE LAKE** Crossways Camp as a group for "WEEK 8" | JULY 26 - 31, 2026



EARLY BIRD PRICING ENDS MARCH 15th

Register your camper at croswayscamps.org with code **EARLY2026**

Talk to Alyssa about Camperships for those who need assistance.

SAVE THE DATE

APRIL 17, 2026
Pizza & Movie Night
Family Camp Fundraiser
5 PM | PIZZA
6:30 PM | MOVIE STARTS



CAMP T-SHIRT DESIGN DEADLINE

REMINDER | ALL Camp T-shirt design submissions from Trinity Campers are due on Movie Night!



CONFIRMATION FAITH FOUNDATIONS

A JOURNEY OF FAITH FOR OUR 7TH & 8TH GRADERS
WEDNESDAYS | 6:30 - 8 PM

CONFIRMATION LEADER: *Nancy Hanvey 414-364-4986*



COMPLETING 8th - 12th GRADES

We are planning a Summer service trip for our Sr. High youth—joining **YouthWorks** and heading to **Savannah, GA | July 18-25**

Our group will come alongside existing local ministries and organizations to meet ongoing needs. Projects *could* include assisting with home repair projects, serving at the food bank, partnering with clothing distribution ministries, connecting with homeless organizations or supporting a local therapeutic horse center. In the evenings we'll be able to experience more of the community by visiting the Savannah River front, Tybee Island and First African Baptist Church, where we'll learn about their involvement in the Underground Railroad. *YouthWorks has been serving in this community since 2000.*



The cost of the trip will be \$479 -person PLUS transportation.

A number of fundraising efforts to support the trip are being planned—including: selling Seroogy candy bars, hosting the Easter Breakfast and a Raffle/Silent Auction in May. **Your support of these Sr High youth ministry fundraisers are appreciated!**

Sr High Youth interested in participating in the trip and parents with questions, please contact Pastor Robb

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

PALM/PASSION WEEKEND MARCH 28/29

The confirmation s youth will lead ALL worship services that weekend

NOON to 5 PM Saturday
8 AM - 10:30 AM Sunday

Reserve this weekend for this important purpose and experience for our congregation and confirmation youth.

We need all youth to participate.

LOCK-IN

CONFIRMATION LOCK-IN

FRIDAY, MARCH 13 | 6:30 PM

ENDS 8 AM SATURDAY

Parents, scan the QR code to see how you can help with the lock-in.



MARCH WEDNESDAYS

MARCH 04 Life of Jesus | Article 2
SNACK: *Vayda*

MARCH 11 Life of Jesus | Article 2
SNACK: *Charlie*

MARCH 18 PALM/PASSION
WORSHIP PREPARATION
SNACK: *Evie*

MARCH 25 PALM/PASSION
WORSHIP PREPARATION
SNACK: *Mia*

CONFIRMATION YOUTH
LEAD PALM/PASSION
WORSHIP SERVICES

MARCH 28 WORSHIP
SAT | NOON - 5 PM

MARCH 29 WORSHIP
SUN | 8 AM - 10:30 AM



APRIL 01 NO CONFIRMATION
Enjoy your Spring Break!



VBS | SAVE -THE-WEEK | JUNE 15-19 | 9 AM-NOON

DO YOU LIKE TO CRAFT AND CREATE? We could use some help making our Rainforest come alive for **RAINFOREST FALLS VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** this summer. Susie Kelnhofer and Alyssa Brockman have put together some TAKE-HOME KITS for you so you can create from the comfort of your own home. Kits will include all the supplies you will need, instructions, and a sample of the finished product. Have fun creating and bring your finished kit back to church when you are finished. **Look for kits in the Heritage Room or talk to Susie and Alyssa!**

VBS "FunShop"- *Are you interested in being involved this summer with our Rainforest Falls Vacation Bible School?* We have a great opportunity for a morning of training from VBS experts. Alyssa is putting a group of people together to attend. This workshop is for those that would like to have a larger involvement with VBS and not required to be a teacher/volunteer for one of the classrooms in June. **Please let her know by March 15th if you are interested. We'd LOVE for you to join us!**

FunShop event is Saturday, April 18th | RAINFOREST FALLS VBS is June 15-19—9am-noon



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

KEEPING THE PROMISE is a special rotation presented within Trinity's Children's Ministry program every year. It is made up of six workshops designed to help each grade level develop a deeper understanding of one aspect of the promise their parents made for them at their baptisms.

For four weeks each 3 year old– 5th Grader will be exposed to different presentations of the baptismal focus for their grade level.

- Little Lambs Baptism/Prayer/The Church
- K-1st Grade The Lord's Prayer
- 2nd Grade The 10 Commandments
- 3rd Grade The Books of the Bible
- 4th Grade The Apostle's Creed
- 5th Grade Worship and Communion

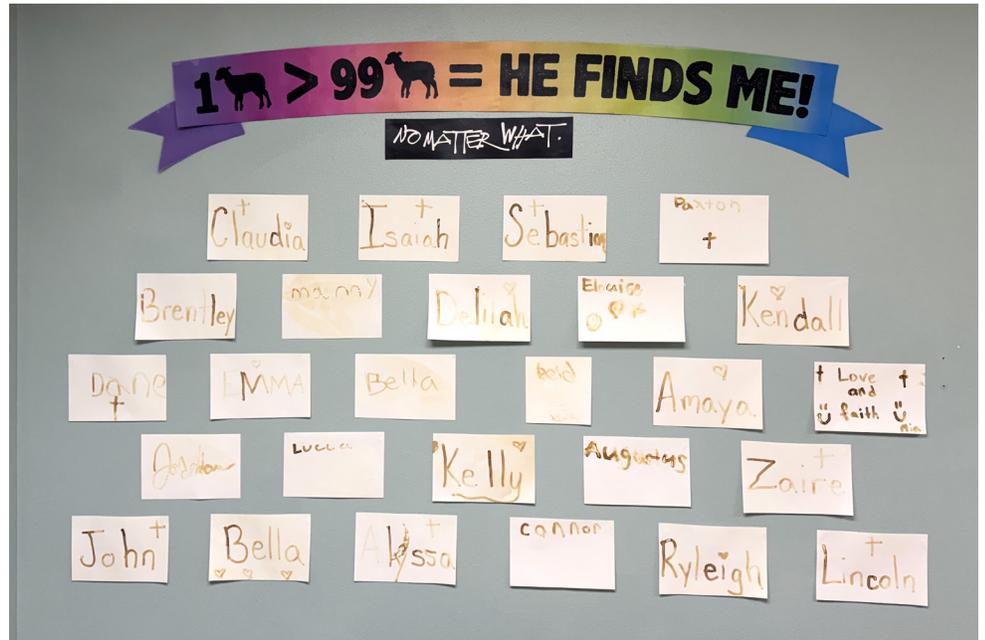


As part of the **KEEPING THE PROMISE** rotation, Trinity's 3rd Graders had Bibles placed in their hands on February 8th and 5th Graders will receive their First Communion on Sunday, March 1st.

THANK YOU to my February volunteers

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|------------------|-----------------|
| John Kenworthy | Susie Kelnhofer |
| Izzy Beckman | Caitlin Kemmett |
| Kristin Robinson | Nicole Hoffman |
| Joan Hanson | Brenda Dehler |
| Dane McIntyre | Mia Hanvey |
| Emma Parchim | Manny Jones |
| Jayden Hanvey | Kennedy Butzler |

Feeling called to get involved with **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**—?!
Contact Alyssa Brockman today!



During the Christ the King Rotation we learned about **THE PARABLE OF THE LOST SHEEP**. In the **MAKE IT** workshop, each child used lemon juice to write their name on paper. When they were done, they could not see their names—it was like they were lost. After we ironed the paper, their names appeared! The exercise demonstrated that, even in the times we feel lost and God seems far away from us—the truth is God is always with us, always loves us, and is always ready to forgive us. We look for him until HE finds us—no matter what!



LITTLE LAMBS JESUS LOVES ME THIS I KNOW



ABOVE: 5th Graders discussing aspects of Worship and Communion



LEFT: In **MOVE IT** 3rd Graders were challenged by a books of the Bible game.



ABOVE & BELOW: In **TELL IT** 1st Graders had to "blindly" trust each other in order to avoid temptation!





FOLLOWING IMMANUEL SERVING HAPPILY
4TH-6TH GRADE YOUTH MINISTRY

F.I.S.H. Valentine Party

Trinity's 4th-5th graders had a great time sharing games, fun and food with friends during a Valentine Party in Fellowship Hall on Sunday, February 15th.

Thank you to parent leaders Nicole Hoffman and Ashley Bungert for organizing and hosting the event!

F.I.S.H. events are designed to grow both faith and friendships among our 4th-6th graders—many of whom attend different schools. *In grades 4 - 6, children's friendships become more and more vital to their opinions, their behavior, and their self-image.* F.I.S.H. ministry provides a vehicle for deepening and expanding the connections this age group begins to make with each other on Sunday mornings. In this way, we seek to help them develop friendships with those who will be their fellow travelers in their faith journeys through their confirmation, Senior High and into their adult years.



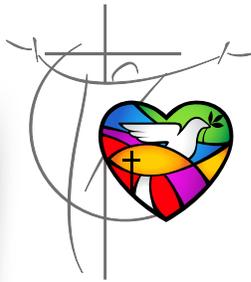
faith & fellowship

WEDNESDAYS | 5:30-6:30 PM

You are invited to join us for **faith & fellowship**— an unassuming time for exploration, support and open conversation as we take advantage of multiple resources that can help us grow and renew our individual faith journeys.

Share an hour of faith & fellowship! Whether you want to be part of the conversation or just sit back and take it in, we hope you will join us.

Want more info?
TEXT Nancy Hanvey | 414-364-4986



INCLUSIVENESS TEAM

Last April, Pastor Dave invited a number of people to form an **Inclusiveness Team** for the purpose of helping guide Trinity in living into its welcome statement.

First on the team's agenda when they met last spring was to review Trinity's welcome statement —*something the Reconciling in Christ organization asks RIC churches to do every few years*. This was the first time our statement was reviewed since its inception in March of 2017. It is important to note that our wide open welcome has not changed, however, some terms that are more relevant today (*9 years after the original draft of the statement*) were added and some edits were made in an effort to insure our statement was clearly conveyed to anyone who reads it.

Trinity's welcome statement is unique and has been lifted up by many newer members and visitors as the reason they stepped inside our doors.

The Inclusiveness Team will continue to meet about once a month, looking at different categories within our welcome statement and seeking related educational resources and activities that we might bring in and share with the congregation (and the community) throughout the year.

Members who have participated in the team are: Melissa Parchim, Cindy Tikusis, Haley Kordosky, Paul Bauman, Pat Hanvey, Sandy Poenitsch, Chris Pamperin, Tanya Lohr, Marcia Vrankin, Danielle Paswater, Izzy Beckman and Caitlin Kemmet.

If you are interested in being part of this team or are aware of resources we can tap into and share so that we may better live into our Trinity Welcome, please contact Melissa Parchim, or talk to any of the team members listed above.



MONDAY, MARCH 23 | 6:30 PM

A SAFE PLACE *to share* offers us time to share our concerns about the world. *It is not a place for answers, but a place to share and encourage one another as we try to live our Christian commitment in a world that often seems to be very un-Christian.* It is a **SAFE PLACE** because we gather not to condemn or berate, or even to convince—but to listen with respect, share in vulnerability, and support one another.

ALL ARE WELCOME IN THIS SAFE PLACE —We typically meet on the last Monday of each month, **join us at any time!**

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Thrivent members are eligible to request Action Funds in the amount of \$250 in support of ministry efforts twice a year. If you are a Thrivent member and would like to designate your Action Funds to support ministry efforts through Trinity, please contact Sue in the church office.



THANK YOU, TRINITY! Your support of the **Brief Appeal** on behalf of our local schools resulted in the collection of **372 pieces of underwear!** Hazel and Greg Griffin sorted and delivered them all and were thanked by some extremely grateful School nurses! **The donations were very much needed and appreciated!**

EASTER GARDEN

You are invited to purchase a plant for Trinity's Easter Garden of Spring Flowers—these flowers always enhance the chancel area in the sanctuary each Easter morning!

Plants can be purchased "just because", for blessings received, or dedicated in honor of memory of someone special (*names provided will be printed in the Easter bulletin*). Plants can be picked up anytime after the 11 AM worship service Easter morning.

Easter Garden plants will come in an assortment of Tulips, Hyacinth, Daffodils and Easter Lilies —*variety at the discretion of the Florist.*

PLANTS ARE \$15 EACH
ORDER DEADLINE: MARCH 22

Order forms are available at church



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT



Kaori Rosalina Ramos Benito is a Compassion International child sponsored by the Trinity congregation.

Our **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY** offering goes toward sponsorship of Kaori, but your donations help us keep things on track.

Thank you for your prayers and support. Scan the QR code to donate toward Trinity's sponsorship of Kaori now.



Full Shelf  Food Pantry
WEST BEND

ITEM OF THE MONTH

CEREALS & OATMEAL

Cereal is a crucial food pantry donation because it's a nutritious, shelf-stable breakfast option that can provide essential nutrients and energy, especially for families and seniors who may struggle to access regular meals.

WISHING YOU Birthday BLESSINGS

ON THE DAY YOU WERE BORN, GOD DANCED, ANGELS SANG AND THE STARS ALIGNED. WE HOPE THAT YOUR BIRTHDAY WILL BE A HAPPY CELEBRATION FILLED WITH BLESSINGS.

- Kaiden Naumann 3/01
- Cheryl Page 3/01
- Gavin Schauble 3/01
- Sydney Chlupp 3/02
- Denise Riederer 3/02
- William Dayton 3/03
- Landon Ketter 3/03
- Gordon Reitz III 3/03
- Kelly DeLuka 3/04
- Nicole Foyse 3/04
- Sherie Kruse 3/04
- Lisa Cranney 3/05
- Jonathan DeLuka 3/05
- Susan Pawlowski 3/05
- Joseph Hurley 3/06
- Annette Ziegler 3/06
- Alec Pitzen 3/07
- Evan Pitzen 3/07
- Conrad (CJ) Schiller 3/07
- Ayla Abraham 3/08
- Linda George 3/08
- Keith Kirchner 3/09
- Michael Marlett 3/09
- Bryan Schlosser 3/09
- Diana Schlosser 3/09
- Ann Zube 3/09
- Kenneth Brehmer 3/10
- Elizabeth Gruber 3/10
- Amanda Hull 3/10
- Christopher Naumann 3/11
- Deacon Falconer 3/12
- James Gruber 3/12
- Amy Kreutzer 3/13
- Ian Kenworthy 3/14
- John Kenworthy 3/14
- Cheryl Scaffidi 3/14
- Phyllis Naumann 3/15
- Shannon Stadelmayer 3/16
- Gary Draeger 3/17
- Martha VandeBoom 3/18
- Jeffrey Schramm 3/19
- Mary Wilson 3/19
- Grace Myrhum 3/20
- Maribeth Nielsen 3/20
- Clayton Kappler 3/21
- JJ Ziegler 3/21
- Rylie Dwyer 3/23
- Gerald Faber 3/23
- Ellie Carlson 3/25
- Ashley Granger 3/25
- Bella Hanson 3/25
- Kevin Brehmer 3/26
- Dominick Davis 3/26
- Drake Omernick 3/26
- Dennis Polinski 3/26
- Gabe Markgraf 3/27
- Tammy Nelson 3/27
- Kerima Davis 3/29
- Rae Bauman 3/30
- Daniel Pawlowski 3/30
- Darci Ketter 3/31



Citizen Advocates est. 1978

LUCKY BINGO!

MONDAY MARCH 9, 2026 3:30 - 4:30pm

TRINITY LUTHERAN
Corner of 7th & Elm St
USE ALLEY ENTRANCE

JOIN US FOR A LUCKY, FREE & FUN-FILLED TIME OF BINGO WITH PRIZES!

Sponsored by Citizen Advocates and hosted by Trinity Lutheran Church, this event is open to the public — all ages and abilities are encouraged to attend!



Sharing Comfort and Joy

THURSDAYS | 1 PM

The Trinity Comforters make blankets of warmth for people in need in and outside our community. Blankets are made from (barely used and new) flat cotton sheets.

No sewing skills needed!

Join us on Thursday afternoons to create some comfort and joy with others—for others!

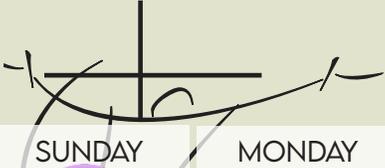
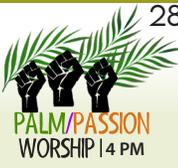


ALUMINUM TAB WELCOME ALL YEAR LONG!

Tabs saved from beverage cans make a difference for families being served by Children's Hospital in Milwaukee.

Thank you for your continued support of this outreach effort!

MARCH 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY					
 1  CTP Worship 9:30 AM FIRST COMMUNION Children's Ministry	2 MUSIC THERAPY 1:30 PM	3 7 PM NA	Ecumenical LENT NOON WORSHIP Holy Angels Catholic Church  5:30 PM CONFIRMATION 6:30 PM	5  COMFORTERS 1 PM 7 PM NA	6	7 LENT LITURGICAL Worship 4 PM Clock AHEAD before BED! 					
LENT CTP Worship 9:30 AM BRING-A-FRIEND Children's Ministry  F.I.S.H. SKATE 12:30	8  BINGO 3:30 PM MUSIC THERAPY 1:30 PM	9 7 PM NA	10 Ecumenical LENT NOON WORSHIP Trinity Lutheran Church  5:30 PM CONFIRMATION 6:30 PM	11  COMFORTERS 1 PM 7 PM NA	12 LOCK-IN CONFIRMATION 6:30 PM - 8 AM	13 LENT LITURGICAL Worship 4 PM					
LENT CTP Worship 9:30 AM Children's Ministry	15 MUSIC THERAPY 1:30 PM	16 7 PM NA	17 Ecumenical LENT NOON WORSHIP Immanuel UCC  5:30 PM CONFIRMATION 6:30 PM	18  COMFORTERS 1 PM COUNCIL 7 PM 7 PM NA	19 20 1ST DAY OF Spring 	21 LENT LITURGICAL Worship 4 PM					
LENT CTP Worship 9:30 AM Children's Ministry	22 A SAFE PLACE 6:30 PM MUSIC THERAPY 1:30 PM	23 7 PM NA	24 Ecumenical LENT NOON WORSHIP Fifth Avenue Methodist  5:30 PM CONFIRMATION 6:30 PM	25  COMFORTERS 1 PM 7 PM NA	26 27  PALM/PASSION WORSHIP 4 PM	28					
 PALM/PASSION WORSHIP 9:30 AM Children's Ministry	29 MUSIC THERAPY 1:30 PM	30 7 PM NA	HOLY WEEK FROM HEAVEN TO EARTH, FROM EARTH TO THE CROSS, FROM THE CROSS TO THE GRAVE, FROM THE GRAVE TO THE SKY—LORD, I LIFT YOUR NAME ON HIGH				31	1 NO CONFIRMATION	2 MAUNDY THURSDAY WORSHIP 7 PM NA	3 GOOD FRIDAY WORSHIP	4 NO SATURDAY WORSHIP

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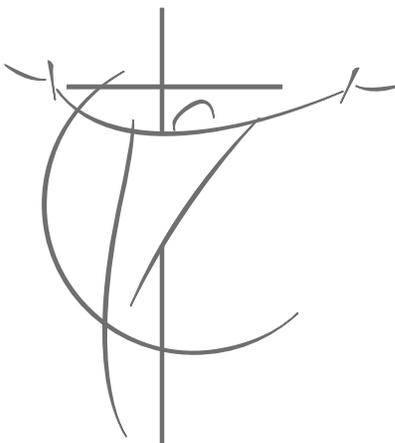
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