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Sunday School/Bible Study: 8:30 AM

Sunday Worship: 9:30 AM

Rev. Jordan J. McKinley, Pastor



THE SERMON HYMN: “O Sone and Daughters of the King” [Hymn 470](#)

PREACHING CHRIST CRUCIFIED

THE PRAYERS: After each petition P: Lord, in Your mercy; C: **Hear our prayer**

THE OFFERING: “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”

THE OFFERTORY: Page 159

THE COMMUNION LITURGY: Pages 160-164 [Hymns 463, 464, 467](#)

THE CANTICLE: THANK THE LORD: Page 164

THE COLLECT & BENEDICTION: Pages 164-166

THE CLOSING HYMN: “I am Content! My Jesus Ever Lives” [Hymn 468](#)

THE POSTLUDE: “I Know That My Redeemer Lives!”

Worship Notes:

Ushers: Easton Branaman, Rob Winks

Organist: Monica Doty

Elder of the Day: Don Shoemaker

Assistant: Tom Brown

Mission Statement:

As a family of God, nourished by Word and Sacraments, we at Trinity Lutheran Church are committed to sharing His love and reaching out to meet the needs of all people.

Quasimodo Geniti- April 7th, 2024

Welcome to All, especially our guests, in the Name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. We are glad you are worshiping with us. If you have no church home, please consider making Trinity your church home.

Holy Communion: Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words and repent of all their sins. Because those who eat and drink our Lord’s body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or are not members of the Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod are asked to refrain from partaking of the Sacrament and speak to pastor. The Common Cup will be served to those who have not taken an individual cup.

+THE ORDER OF DIVINE SERVICE, SETTING ONE, Page 151+

THE PRELUDE: “The Day of Resurrection”

THE RINGING OF THE BELL

THE OPENING HYMN: “These Things Did Thomas Count as Real” [Hymn 472](#)

THE INVOCATION, CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION: Page 151

THE INTROIT OF THE DAY: *See Insert*

THE KYRIE: Pages 152-153

THE HYMN OF PRAISE: “This Is The Feast”, Page 155

THE SALUTATION & COLLECT OF THE DAY

THE OLD TESTAMENT: Ezekiel 37:1-14

THE EPISTLE: 1 John 5:4-10

THE ALLELUIA AND VERSE: Page 156

THE HOLY GOSPEL: John 20:19-31

THE NICENE CREED: Page 158

Prayers:

- Those who serve the Church: Rev. Eric Stinnett, Rev. Thomas Bernard, Tirzah Krey, Rev. Matthew Harrison (Synod President) Rev. Rick Stuckwisch (District President), Rev. Martin Keller (Circuit Visitor)
- Those ill, hospitalized, or recovering including: George Delay, Johanna Stinnett, Philip Baute, Blake Hackman, Sue Metcalf
- Our Shut-in and Homebound Members: Norma Peters, Frank Wolka, Sr., Bob Bane
- Those who mourn: The Family of Tom Ludwig
- Those celebrating baptismal birthdays, including: Brian Shoemaker, John Goss Jr., Garth Goens, Gavin Goens
- Those preparing for marriage, including Abby Brown & Jake Torrie; Joel Beck & Lillie Martin
- Expectant Mothers: Lindsey Montgomery
- Vacancies: Lord of Life (North Vernon), Holy Cross (Scottsburg), Calvary Bedford)

Attendance: March 31st, 2024

Worship: 138

This Week At A Glance (April 7th-14th, 2024)

Sunday: Sunday School/Bible Study @8:30A.M.

Divine Service Setting One @9:30A.M.

Monday: LCS Chapel @8:30A.M.

Tuesday: Circuit Meeting @10:00A.M.

LEA Meeting @6:00P.M.

Wednesday: Bible Study @6:30P.M.

Friday: No LCS School

Saturday: LWML Spring Rally @8:45A.M.

LCS Auction @5:00P.M.

Sunday: Sunday School/Bible Study @8:30A.M.

Matins Service @9:30A.M.

Stewardship:

- Offerings received last week (incl. Holy Week Svcs): \$21,253.50 (incl. \$10,550 from Trinity Lutheran Endowment)
- Total offerings received to date: \$89,075.27
- Total budget needs to date: \$98,574
- Other items from last week: \$100 Parsonage Principal Payment; \$605.52 Hearts-4-Haiti; \$6,226 Trinity Organ and Music Fund; \$293 Church Mutual Ins.; \$108 Playground Fund; \$50 Budget Treasury Missions LCMS
- Checkbook Balance: \$71,789.29
- General Fund Balance: \$37,469.82
- Parsonage Loan Balance: \$48,060.36

John 20:19 – “Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, ‘Peace be with you.’” The peace we have in Jesus is what makes a life of good works possible. Since we know that it is Jesus who saved us, and not our works, we are now free to do good works not out of self-interest, but for the right reasons: out of thanksgiving toward God and love for our neighbors.

Trinity News and Notes:

- **Lutheran Central Dinner and Auction**
Save the date, Saturday, April 13th at Pewter Hall. Tickets will be on sale soon. If you are interested in donating an auction item or being a sponsor, contact Erin Tape at 812-216-1260 or Lutheran Central at 812-358-2512.
- **150th Anniversary News**
For the 150th Anniversary, we are gathering photos, specifically those from the past 25 years. We are looking for any church activities, fish fry, youth group, choir, Sunday School, Vacation Bible School, Basement and Parsonage remodel and any other pictures you may have. Original photos will be returned. If you have any pictures or digital photos to share, please contact/text Stacey Shoemaker (812-521-9030) or Becky Brown (812-528-3791).

Mark your calendars for Sunday, April 14th, as we have our first of three 150th Anniversary celebration services. Pastor Ahlemeyer will be with us that day to help us celebrate. There will be a catered meal following the service. Please plan to be there!

One of the big projects the anniversary committee set was to put in new playground equipment and a basketball court for our younger (and young at heart) Trinity members. The “fun” committee has settled on a playground set to be placed in the grassy area between the church and the pavilion. You can see a picture of the play set and a general layout plan in the lobby. The estimate for this project is set at \$25,000-\$30,000.

- **LWML**

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