






Trinity Lutheran Church and School
 To save the lost and to strengthen the saved ~ Matthew 28:18-20
Church Announcements For The Week of April 7, 2019


	<p><i>Fifth Sunday in Lent</i> 8:30 a.m. Divine service will follow page 184 Setting 3 HC Opening #430; Sermon #909; H/C #429, 565; Closing #425 11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship 9:45 a.m. Bible Study in the Library and SS in Lower Level</p>	<p style="color: purple;"><i>The Season of Lent</i></p> 
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	<p>Funeral for Ella May Ulrich will be held today, April 7 at 3:00 p.m. with lying in state starting at 2:00 p.m. May God's comfort in Christ be with this family during their time of loss.</p>
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<p>The flowers are placed on God's altar by Burt and Laurie Beyer to commemorate their 41st Wedding Anniversary.</p>	<p style="color: purple;"><i>Altar Flowers</i></p> 
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<p>Handbells at the 8:30 a.m. Divine Service "Throned Upon That Awful Tree" —Barbara Baltzer Kinyon</p>	
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<p>Martin Luther's Morning Prayer: I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen</p>	
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<p style="color: purple;">THE LORD'S SUPPER</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION AT TRINITY:</p> <p>The Lord's Supper is celebrated in this congregation in the belief and confidence that in this Sacrament, Christ is truly present, giving us His body and blood, in, with and under the forms of bread and wine (1 Corinthians 10:16, Mark 14:22-24). As Christians (and specifically as Missouri Synod Lutherans), we believe that it is through Jesus Christ alone that we have the hope of eternal life. We believe that we are sinners in need of forgiveness and that in the Lord's Supper, God gives that forgiveness, strengthens our faith, and strengthens our union with Him and each other (Romans 3:23, Matthew 26:26-28). As Christians, we also believe that as we come to the Lord's Supper, we are making a commitment to amend our sinful lives with the help of the Holy Spirit (2 Timothy 2:19, Romans 8:6).</p> <p>GUESTS AND VISITORS: Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed or confirmed, or who hold to a doctrinal position differing from that of this congregation and the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor (1 Corinthians 11:27-29). At Trinity we practice Close Communion as adopted by our Synod in Convention.</p> <p>ALCOHOL CONTENT IN WINE: The "red" wine in the chalice and in the outer rings of the communion cup tray contains alcohol. The "white" wine in the center of the tray is de-alcoholized wine (alcohol nearly 100% removed). You may use the red or white wine in the tray but please remember that the chalice has only "red" wine with normal alcohol content.</p> <p>Q: Typical question asked by visitors: Can only LCMS members take communion at Trinity Burr Ridge? A: The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod has never understood or applied the historic practice of close[d] Communion in such a way as to mean that only LCMS members are permitted to commune at LCMS altars. The official position of the Synod is that not only are members of other Lutheran churches with whom we are in altar and pulpit fellowship invited to commune with us, but also that in certain extraordinary cases of pastoral care and in emergencies members of churches not in fellowship with us may be given Communion. The Synod stated, for example, in 1986 "that pastors and congregations of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod continue to abide by the practice of close Communion, which includes the necessity of exercising responsible pastoral care in extraordinary situations and circumstances" (1986 Res. 3-08 "To Maintain Practice of Close Communion"). Please see www.lcms.org for more information.</p> <p>Gluten Free Communion Wafers Available Upon Request ~ Please request from Pastor Bob at least 10 minutes before the service.</p>
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Church News



Our series for Lent takes you through some of the most familiar teachings of Jesus from his Sermon on the Mount in Matthew 5-7 and relates them to the events surrounding Christ's life, death and resurrection. In the process, the services will powerfully reveal that the cross itself is the ultimate sermon on the mount for our journey of faith in this sacred season. Join us for the Sermon on the Mount special service for Week 5 of Lent. In this service we recognize that we build our lives on very shaky foundations, and then we are surprised when things start collapsing. Jesus reminds us in his teachings that the only solid foundation is himself, the Rock of our salvation. On him alone we build.

Mid Week Lenten Services **Apr 10 ~ 10:00am and 7:00pm**
Lenten Lunch.....**Wednesdays 11am (after 10am service)**
Palm Sunday.....**April 14 at 8:30am & 10:45am HC at both**
Maundy Thursday Services.....**April 18 at 10am & 7pm HC**
Good Friday Services.....**April 19 at 10am & 7pm**
Saturday Easter Vigil.....**April 20 at 6:30pm**
Easter Sunday.....**April 21 ~ 6:30, 8:30 & 11:00 am with HC at all services**



Help the Altar Guild create a riot of colors on the altar to celebrate our Risen Savior on Easter. Now is your chance to order your very own spring plant(s), display it on the altar and then take it home to plant in your yard.
 Use the order form located on the table in the Narthex.
 Fill it out, place the order form and your payment in the envelope provided and place them all in the white box. Then on Easter morning,
after the last service on Easter morning, take your plant(s) home with you.
 What a wonderful way to celebrate our Risen Savior!! Lilies are \$13,
 Pink Azaleas are \$20.00, Yellow or Purple Mums are \$14.00 ~ Your Trinity Altar Guild
 Orders are accepted until **Palm Sunday, April 14, 2019**



The Board of Family Life invites you and your family to attend the 13th Annual Easter Egg Hunt on **Saturday, April 13, 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.**
 Start your weekend by joining us for a lovely Easter Egg Hunt and Continental Breakfast with entertainment featuring "Cold Blooded Creatures."
 We will meet in the School Gymnasium. Cost for the event is as follows:
 \$5.00 per person and \$20.00 maximum for immediate Family (Parents and Children).
 Please prepay no later than March 18. Mark checks out to Trinity.
 All we ask is that you preregister and prepay in order for us to purchase food.
 Check out the table in the church narthex for more information.

The next meeting of the Ladies Aid is **Monday, April 8th at 6:30 p.m.** in Trinity's fellowship hall. Prior to this meeting, at 6:00 p.m., there will be a jewelry sale from "Paparazzi" arranged by Sue Voelz. Please join us.
 We extend a warm welcome to women of all ages to "Come, Serve the Lord with Gladness!"



Dear Lutheran Women in Mission, and other Mission minded ladies of Trinity Lutheran, You are now encouraged to meet with the LWML of Hope Lutheran in Countryside. Our LWML has not met for some time and the LWML group is active at Hope. You may take your Mites, and join in the Mission activity with their ladies. They have asked us to "please invite anyone" who would like to join with them in prayer and support of Mission work. The next meeting is **April 13 at 10:00 a.m.** at Hope Lutheran Church. On May 9th, they will host Ladies Nite Out. If you have questions, please call Jodi at 708-354-6176

DVDs of our worship services are available in the church library They are free to check out for one week. You may copy the library DVD at your home or work for no charge. Shut-Ins & College students can receive **free copies** by request through the **church office**. If you would like to purchase a copy of a DVD at \$3.00,



Church News

BIBLE STUDIES

All studies are weekly unless otherwise noted.

Sunday Morning

Adult and Youth Bible Studies – 9:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. The Adult Study is held in the Church Library, they are using the Answers in Genesis curriculum.

Small Group TLC meets in the lower level of school, “John 15”.

Sunday School is held in the church lower level for Three-Year-Olds through Grade 8 in the church basement

High School Youth Bible Class meets in the school conference room with Pastor Bob.

Tuesday Evening

We are studying “The “I AM” Sayings of Jesus” in the school conference room at 7:00 p.m. This class meets weekly and is facilitated by Rob Grady.

Wednesday Morning

Men’s Bible Class meets weekly at 6:30 a.m. in the Church Library. Facilitated by Roy Carr (630-323-3688)

Studying Francis Chan’s book “Forgotten God”. Come when you can. Extra study guides available.

Wednesday Morning TLC

We will begin our study on Romans Part 2 at 10:30 a.m. in the church library.

We meet the second, fourth Wednesday and fifth Wednesday if there is one.

Thursday Afternoon

Ladies Bible Class meets weekly at 1:00 p.m. in the home of Susie Carr (630-323-3688).

Thursday Evening TLC

We meet every 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month in the school conference room at 6:45 p.m.

Studying the topic “Holy Spirit”. Come and join us! If you have questions, contact Sharon Wendte.

Friday Evening TLC

TLC Bible Study Group meets in members homes . (led by Cliff Gustafson) (815-372-9937). Study on Prayer.



Sunday School is in the church lower level from 9:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. We are rehearsing a new song for **Palm Sunday, April 14, 8:30 a.m. service.** The song can be found on YouTube and is called “Cloaks and Branches” by Richard Cootes. Please check it out and hear what the kids are singing. Also help your child to learn the words and music by listening to the song on YouTube. I do have lyrics that you can take home to practice. Remember we will not have class on Easter Sunday, April 21. Our last Sunday school is on May 19. I hope you will all join us in June for VBS. Your servant in Christ, Karla O’Shea



Youth News

Easter Breakfast setup will be on Saturday, April 20th, from 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Bake sale items can be dropped off at that time.

The Easter Breakfast on Sunday, April 21th,

will begin at 7:45 a.m. and will conclude around 10:15 a.m.

The youth group will start cooking around 6:30 a.m. and with clean-up, will be done around 11:00 a.m.

Please come and support the youth group at their bake sale and yummy breakfast.



Recycling Event ~ The youth are trying a different fundraiser this year. Instead of having a rummage sale, they will be collecting clothes, shoes, purses, soft luggage, bedding, belts and towels. No books, glass, furniture or holiday decorations.

They will get paid per pound by Savers resale shop. Please call the church office and speak with Rob to schedule a time to drop off items. Collection takes place until May 11.

THE POD IS HERE!

Bike Ride Downtown ~ On **Saturday, April 27** we will leave Trinity at 8:15 a.m. to head to the train station. We will rent bikes and ride along the lakefront for two hours, then have lunch.

The cost for your train tickets, bike rental, helmet (may bring your own), and lunch is \$25.

Friends are invited to attend. We will return to Trinity around 3:30 p.m.

Parents are needed to drive to and from the train station. Sign-up deadline is Easter Sunday.





Though she grew up in a pro-life home, Abby Johnson was captivated by the well-practiced talking points of Planned Parenthood representatives who visited the university she attended. In no time, she became a volunteer, escorting women into the clinic. Fast forward, and a few years later, Johnson was one of Planned Parenthood’s youngest clinic directors. But everything changed when she observed an in utero baby fighting for life during an ultrasound-guided abortion. After eight years and 22,000 abortions, she could no longer deny the reality that innocent babies were being put to death on her watch. She was done. Today, Johnson is one of the nation’s most influential advocates for life. Her 2010 tell-all book, Unplanned, is a dramatic narrative of her journey from an abortion provider to pro-life activist. Parents are advised to see it first and consider watching and discussing it with older children. **Cities that are showing Unplanned are Woodridge, Lombard, Orland Park, Naperville and more starting March 29.** Text “baby” to “53445” for a 30 minutes sneak peek video.

Despite a media blackout, a ‘R’ rating designed to discourage viewers and little coverage outside conservative media circles, the new movie “Unplanned” opened in 5th place this past weekend and it will expand to even more theaters next weekend. The film doubled its projection for expected box office earnings – bringing in \$6.1 million in its opening weekend despite a projection of \$2-3 million. And Lifetime, Hallmark Channel and HGTV all rejected commercials promoting the film, according to The Hollywood Reporter. Fox News reportedly was the only major network to agree to run the ads. The film took in an estimated \$6,110,000 or a cumulative per-screen average of \$5,770 on only 1,059 locations across the country. The average would have put the movie in third place, according to Box Office Mojo. “We are very happy for the success of this film,” said Pure Flix CEO Michael Scott. “We hope that those on both sides of the debate will see Unplanned and begin to have their own dialogue. This film can be that spark to bring more hearts and minds to understanding the value of life.

New

The LCMS Northern Illinois District office is looking for an Administrative Assistant for the Mission Facilitator for Schools. This is an under 30 hour position with some flexibility with hours. Job Summary: The Primary purpose of the Administrative Assistant is to provide: 1) personnel support for ALL Commissioned workers in the churches and schools in the Northern Illinois District (NID), and 2) administrative support for the Education Office of the NID. Through this support, Lutheran schools in the NID will be better prepared to serve God’s mission in equipping disciples of Jesus Christ. Qualifications: Member of a LCMS church, At least three years administration assistant experience (preferred), LCMS Teacher’s License (could be a plus). Start Date – immediate. Please send resume to Ronda Wilmot.Wilmot@nidlcms.org, LCMS Northern Illinois District, 2301 South Wolf Road, Hillside, IL 60162 (For the full job description, call the district office at 888-708-5267, or email the church office at csecretary@tlbr.org.)



New



School News



Greetings in the name of Jesus! Have you been to our website lately? If not, go to mytls.org and check out our BRAND NEW website! We have been working very hard and it is finally ready! There are picture galleries for each grade, sports, and several special activities! We have information pages and much, much more! Please share this news with all your family and friends as well. Did you know that Trinity has a Referral Program?!? Any existing family can earn \$500 back on their tuition for the year if they refer a new family to Trinity. What an awesome incentive to help spread the Good News of Jesus Christ to more families in our area! If you have not enrolled yet, it is not too late! We want all our students and families back! Please stop in the office and fill out your registration form for the 2019-2020 school year!



In His Service, Mr. DeWitt *Principal*



The School TRIP program. The next gift card order will go in on **Monday, April 8** and they will be available a week later. Paper copy forms are available in the school lobby and in the church narthex by the flower chart. Drop off the order forms in the school office.

For questions, please call Michele Geaschel 708-839-1444. Trip ordering is also available online, where there are hundreds more merchants and monetary increments.

**GIFT CARDS ARE SOLD EACH WEEK IN THE NARTHEX
IF YOU DON'T SEE CARDS YOU WOULD LIKE, WE CAN ORDER THEM.**

Please use the “Trinity Lutheran and Blueberry Hill Voucher” found in the church narthex or at school. When you plan your next meal out, go to the Darien Blueberry Hill Café. This is an easy way to help the school raise money. 20% of your bill will be donated to Trinity Lutheran School.



Trinity church and school are environmentally friendly for we recycle ink cartridges, used markers and batteries. We also collect box tops for education. The collection boxes are located under the flower chart in the church narthex and boxes are at school.

Community News

What is Tre-Ore? Tre (three) Ore (hour) is a worship service on Good Friday focusing on the Seven Last Words of Christ on the Cross. The worship service is divided into seven segments, with each segment lasting 20-25 minutes. Each worship segment contains a hymn, a Scripture reading, and a short message. A musical interlude between each segment allows worshippers to come for all or part of the service.

Please join us for this unique worship service that for many centuries the Christian Church has honored and which Zion Lutheran Church has observed since 1939. It begins at **12:00 noon and concludes at 3:00 p.m.** Strengthen your faith and devotion to Christ this **Good Friday on April 19, 2019** at Zion Lutheran Church, 204 South Grant Street in Hinsdale, IL.

Speakers for the Tre Ore Worship from 12 noon - 3:00 p.m.

First Word	Luke 23:32-38	Rev. Dr. Allan Buss	12:00 - 12:25
Second Word	Luke 23:39-43	Rev. Keith Haney	12:30 - 12:50
Third Word	John 19:25-27	Rev. Matthew Zickler	12:55 - 1:15
Forth Word	Matthew 27:45-49	Vicar Cameron Harms	1:20 - 1:40
Fifth Word	John 19:28-29	Rev. Steven Anderson	1:45 - 2:05
Sixth Word	John 19:30	Vicar Chris Kolupa	2:10 - 2:30
Seventh Word	Luke 23:44-49	Rev. Walter Otten	2:35 - 3:00



St. John Lutheran Church located at 7214 South Cass Avenue in Darien, will host an Easter Eggstravaganza on **Saturday, April 20, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.** with an Egg Hunt at 10:00 a.m. Jeremiah, a Lutheran Church K-9 Comfort Dog, will be on hand to personally greet everyone. In addition to looking for treat-filled plastic eggs, children and their families will have the opportunity to participate in games and to make crafts at 9:00 a.m. There will be a puppet show at 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. This family-friendly event is open to the public free of charge. It promises to be a joy-filled morning.



Historic St. Matthew Lutheran Church and Soup Kitchen, 2108 W. 21st Street, Chicago
 Our homeless have told us they feel like they are the 2nd congregation of St. Matthew, singing and praising God. They listen when we read the Bible to them and are happy to participate in our devotions. It is true, we have two congregations, Praise God!! **If you would like to help serve food, the next opportunity is April 9th. Meet at the church office at 11:00 a.m.**

St. John Lutheran Church, at 7214 South Cass Avenue in Darien, will host the LCMS Area Director for Eastern and Southern Africa, Rev. Shauen Trump, on the weekend of **April, 6-7.** Rev. Trump will preach a sermon on "The Church in Antioch" on **Saturday at 5 p.m.** and on Sunday at 9 a.m. Those interested in attending the breakfast presentation are asked to RSVP by contacting the church at 630-969-7987 or info@sjlcdarien.org on or before April 2. For more information about the event, go <https://www.sjlcdarien.org/events/missionary-weekend.html>.



Holy Trinity Lutheran Church **Rummage Sale**
 8659 S. Sayre Avenue, Burbank, IL
 (2 blocks east of Harlem Avenue on 87th Street)
Friday, May 3 ~ 9 a.m. - 12 noon
Saturday, May 4 ~ 9 a.m. to 12 noon (\$3.50 a bag sale)

New

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH in Countryside and Aging Care Connections is hosting a Seniors Luncheon for a suggested donation of \$2.50 on **Wednesday, April 17, 2019.** Before the luncheon at 11:15 there will be a Bible Study opportunity and lunch will be served at noon. The lunch will be provided by Salerno's Pizzeria & Sports Bar and the entertainment will be by Jake Pallisard who will perform popular music of the 50's thru the 70's on his guitar.



I live just down the street from Trinity Lutheran Church on German Church Road. I am looking for a nanny for my now 8-month old son for about 24-30 hours per week. Kendra (Dre) Tosheff, Ktosheff@argoroofing.com, 630-725-8191 (3/20/2019)

New

St. Paul Lutheran Church, 4660 W. 94th Street in Oak Lawn, cordially invites you to come to their German Fest fundraiser on **Saturday, April 27 from 4:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.** Dinner is served from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. The evening entertainment is provided by a German Band. Admission is \$7 without food, \$16 with food. \$15 if you order tickets ahead of time by calling: 708-423-1040



New



Those Serving This Weekend.....

Sunday Preacher.....Pastor Robert Geaschel
 Saturday Preacher.....Pastor Paul Cwynar
 Organist.....Howard Eggert
 Contemporary Worship Leader.....Jake Pallisard
 Saturday Night Reader.....Karla O'Shea
 Guitarist.....Lisa Haak

Altar Guild ~ Jan Baranek, Spring Kneller, Kim Valentino, Mary Windzio

Usher Group 3: 8:30 a.m. ~ Steve Voelz, Alan Van Dahm, Keith Wendte, Jason Hansen

*Usher Group 1: 11:00 a.m. ~ Richard Thorburn, Jr.,
Gerald Tiedt, Gene Weisbecker, Frank Mika Jr.*

*Communion Assistants: Saturday ~ 6:30 p.m. : Jake Bulthuis
8:30 a.m.: Steve Gehrt and Bob Sass*

*Acolytes: 8:30 a.m.: Keeley Mahoney and Kiley Mahoney
11:00 a.m.: Alex Vasquez and*

*Greeters: Sunday ~ 8:30 a.m.: Bob and JoAnna Carroll
11:00 a.m.: Winterroth Family*

Sunday Apr 7

8:30 a.m. Divine Service HC
 9:45 a.m. Bible Class (CL) and Sunday School (TFH)
 10:45 a.m. Parish Education (CL)
 11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship
 3:00 p.m. Funeral for Ella May Ulrich (CH)
 5:00 p.m. Confirmation Parent Meeting (CL)

Monday Apr 8

6:00 p.m. Ladies Aid (TFH)
 7:00 p.m. Adult Volleyball (G)
 7:00 p.m. Council (CR)

Tuesday Apr 9

11:15 p.m. St. Matthew Soup Kitchen (OP)
 6:30 p.m. Bell Choir (N)
 7:00 p.m. TLC (CR)

Wednesday Apr 10

6:30 p.m. Men Bible Class (CL)
 10:00 a.m. Lenten 4 Worship Service
 10:45 p.m. Lenten Lunch (CL)
 4:45 p.m. Public School Confirmation (CL)
 7:00 p.m. Lenten 4 Worship Service
 8:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir (CH)

Thursday Apr 11

1:00 p.m. Ladies BC (OP)
 6:30 p.m. Praise Band (CH)
 6:30 p.m. Youth Board (YR)
 6:45 p.m. TLC Wendte (CR)

Friday Apr 12

7:00 p.m. TLC Gustafson (OP)

Saturday Apr 13

8:30 a.m. Trustees
 9:15 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt (G)
 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Polish School
 6:30 p.m. Celebration Service HC

Bulletin Bloopers (Mistakes)



- The choir invites any member of the congregation who enjoys sinning to join the choir.
- At the evening service tonight, the sermon topic will be "What is Hell?". Come early and listen to our choir practice.
- The third verse of Blessed Assurance will be sung without musical accomplishment.

Visit Our Website

We Invite You To View Our Website WEEKLY : www.TLBR.org

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Prayers

Our Members who are homebound...

*Jon and Jackie Laatz, Dorothy Tiedt, Jan Osysko,
Herman Pastori, Darlene Ciolek*

Our Members who are in assisted living or nursing homes...

Joyce Rabas, Lorraine Buczko, Laurie Verba



Our Members who are celebrating their baptismal birthdays the week of April 7



*Philip Abraham, Mary Rockrohr, Zachary Schwoebel,
Ryan Murray, Paul Rozum, Irma Hoffer,
Dawn Zasadzinski, Laurel Buege, Joshephine Cook*

Our Members who are celebrating wedding anniversaries the week of April 7

*Ricky and Lynn Hughes; Craig and Lisa Benes
Burton and Laurie Beyer; William and Trisha Kulis
Fred and Pat Halek; Stu and Ann Zimmerman*



Our Members or Friends of Our Members In The Military....



Peter Davidovitch (El Paso, TX) US Army Pilot, godson of Bill & Judy Jung

Thomas Logan ~nephew of Cathy LaFlame

Sarah Mears~ National Guard

Jeremy Marwitz (US) ~ Grandson of Lee Marwitz

Chaplain Mike Sneath (Tennessee)

Lt. Col. Timothy Luther Albrecht ~ Kirtland Air Force Base, New Mexico

Lt. Col. Angie Marie Albrecht, MD (Kirtland, AFB, NM) Daughter-in-law of Pastor & Janet Albrecht

Michael Grimes (Ft. Carson, CO) member, son of Janet Grimes

Chaplain Mike Moreno~ Naval Reserves, serving at Lutheran Family Services of Iowa
nephew of Bessie Kuske

Adam Koshiol ~ ARNG-2006-2012, Air Force National Guard, son of Kim Valentino

Connor Mersch ~ US Army, Fort Drum, New York

Riley Gentile ~ US Army Paratrooper in Italy, cousin of Sharleen VanDahm



“Jesus came to save us, to show love to us. He came because He is pro-life, pro-eternal life, and He came to give eternal life to you, to me, to those children unwanted by anyone else, to those mothers who have fallen into sin, to the disabled and elderly forgotten by everyone else. Jesus came for you, not to condemn you, but to save you. He came to destroy death with all of its power over us, and His Easter victory, which we will celebrate very soon, is a day of life, eternal life, for all.”



Week of March 31
Weekend Worship
Attendance ~ 256
Communion ~ 30
Lent Wednesday

10:00 a.m. ~ 47
7:00 p.m. ~ 33



Planning a Baptism or a Wedding at Trinity?

A Meeting with Pastor Geaschel is required before every Baptism & Wedding. Please call the church office to schedule your appointment with Pastor Bob.

Prayers

Weekly Prayers



CANCER PATIENTS:

Sheryl Ill ~ Req. by Sandi Bulthuis,
Amy Sojka, Debbie Hotwagner ~ Req. by Barb Rossi
Bob Bordak, Peter Trinche ~ Req. by Lori Trinche
Gay Roby and Beth Johnson ~ Req. by Jan Miller,
Joseph Ritson ~ Req. by Ava Franco, Roberta Kleyweg,
Elaine Rice ~ Req. by Susan Villarreal, Linda Lahey ~ Req. by Nancy Montelbano
Margie Hammes ~ Req. Neil Hammes



Rachel & Hope Salverredy, Nanci Saucier, Scott Browne, Betty Suhr (hospice)

The Week of April 7

Ella May Ulrich's Family ~ Prayers of comfort for the Ulrich family as they grieve
Ron Edwards ~ Prayer for healing ~ Req by Eileen Marrs
Dan Cermak ~ Prayers for healing from eye surgery ~ Req. by Pat Cermak
Jerry Cermak ~ Prayers for comfort in hospice ~ Req. by Pat Cermak
Steve Voelz ~ Prayers for continued healing after hip replacement
Julie Marie ~ Prayers for healing and strength following surgery ~ Pastor Albrecht's daughter
Dolan Elizabeth Lange ~ Prayers of thanksgiving for baby girl, born to David and Amy Lange
Dolly Harding ~ Prayers for strength and healing

March 31

Lukas Voelz ~ Prayers for healing of this 22 month old little boy. ~ Helen Voelz's great grandson
Sara and Luke Weeks and twin girls ~ Prayers for strength for all
and a prayer of thanks on the birth of Adelynn and Emma Weeks, born on March 21
Kim Freese ~ Prayers for healing
Ella May Ulrich Family ~ Prayers for peace and comfort as her health is declining
Arline Gehrt Family ~ Prayers for comfort after Arline's death on Wednesday ~ Steve Gehrt's mother
Prayers for the upcoming election

March 24

Kelley Sutman Family ~ Prayers for this family after Kelley's death ~ Karla O'Shea's sister
Sarah (Ulrich) Mears ~ Prayers for safety as she left on deployment with the Army
Kim Freese ~ Prayers for healing

If you would like a prayer request continued, please email or call the church office. If you have a Private Prayer Request (NOT announced during the worship service) for our Prayer Circle Group please email or call the church office 708-839-1200 or csecretary@tlbr.org Thank you, Nancy



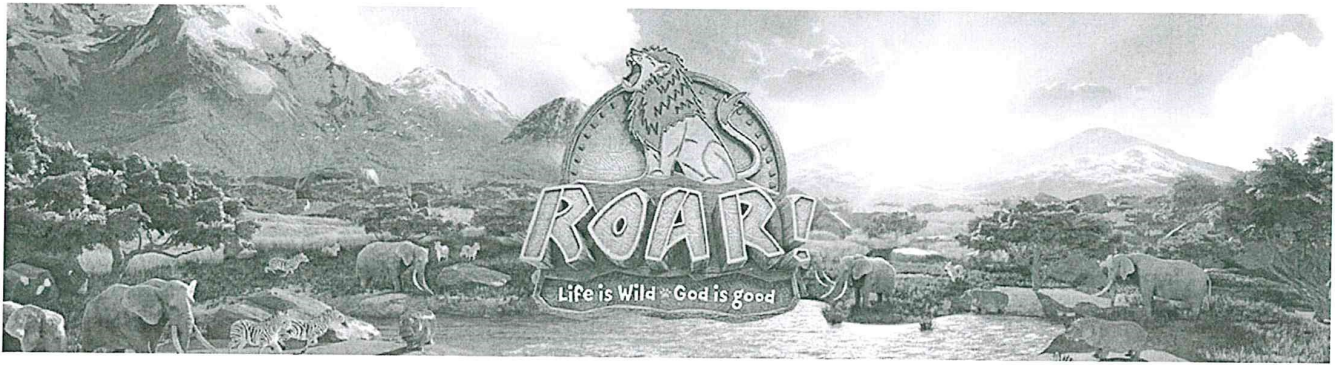
To Prepare For Next Week's Worship Service
Deuteronomy 32:36-39; Philippians 2:5-11; Luke 22:1-23



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Hear God's Word for you through Worship Anew! Worship Anew celebrates the new life that all people have in Jesus with a weekly 30 minute broadcast service. Christ's love is shared through scripture readings, favorite church hymns, prayers, and a pastor's message that reveals God's grace and truth.
Sunday at 8:00 a.m. Chicago's CW Station WPWR Channel 50
Sunday 10:30am ~ (TLN) Comcast 138 (TCT) DirecTV 377

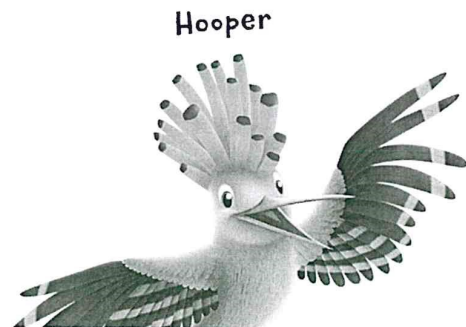


CRAFT and FOOD DONATIONS NEEDED FOR VBS 2019

It's hard to believe that plans are in the works for this summer's Vacation Bible School at Trinity. We are again asking for donations of items to help defray the cost of crafts again this year. Listed below are the items we are looking for at this time. The list continues to be updated as items are received. Each year the number of children attending Trinity's Vacation Bible School has grown and we are planning to be able to witness to over 150 children this summer! Thank you in advance for your support.

Please place any donations in the bin marked "Vacation Bible School Donations" in the Narthex or drop them off to Rob Grady's office. Monetary donations are also welcome to help purchase supplies we may not receive from this list. If you have any questions regarding the items, please contact Sheri Abernathy. If you would like to help with cutting or prepping our craft items let us know!!! **If you can help out any day during the week of VBS in our Craft Area, please let us know. We are looking for adult helpers.**

- 150 Sheets Plain Tan Cardstock 8 ½" x 11 "
- 300 Sheets Plain Bright Orange Cardstock 8 ½" x 11"
- 300 Sheets Plain Bright Yellow Cardstock 8 ½" x 11"
- 15 Small Bottles Brown Acrylic Craft Paint
- 300 Wiggle Eyes 12 mm
- 150 Pint Mason Jars Without Lids
- 5 Large Bags Assorted Colored Raffia
- 10 Bottles Elmer's Kids Glue
- 15 Large Bottles Tacky Glue
- 150 Kids Preschool Size Paintbrushes
- 2 Rolls Paper Towels
- 2 Bottles Windex
- 1 Box Snack Ziplock Bags
- 750 Styrofoam Luncheon Size Plates



Thank you in advance for your donations. If you have any questions or can help out in any way please contact Sheri Abernathy (708) 987-8768 or e-mail abernathysheri@gmail.com.

- 200 Chocolate Pudding Cups
- 7 Large Packages Vanilla Oreos
- 5 Large Boxes of Animal Crackers
- 200 Twinkies
- 10 Bags of Pretzel Sticks
- 4 Bags of Chocolate Chips
- 5 Boxes Mini Vanilla Wafers
- 8 Boxes of Graham Crackers
- 3 Large Boxes of Teddy Grahams
- 10 Cans of Blue Frosting
- Red Fruit by the Foot
- 10 Bags of Goldfish Crackers

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- 3 Bags of Mini Marshmallows
- 4 Large Boxes of Mini Ritz Crackers
- 4 Large Bags of Red Twizzlers
- Assorted Colorful Sprinkles
- 750 Styrofoam Plates
- 750 Napkins
- 750 8 oz. cups
- 400 spoons
- 10 Rolls of Paper Towels
- 1 Bottle of Liquid Soap



BEST FLOWERS IN TOWN

Spring is in the air at Trinity Lutheran Church.

We hope it is at your home too!

Start planning your flowerbeds now!

Fill out the attached order form and conveniently pick up your sorted pre-order at Trinity Lutheran Church/School with no wait!!

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH PLANT SALE SPONSORED BY THE TRINITY YOUTH GROUP SATURDAY, MAY 11TH, 9:00 A.M.- 10:30 A.M.

The Youth Group is once again offering high quality plants to you at AMAZING prices! Simply fill out the order form and return it to the large flower pot by the Plant Sale display in the church narthex, **OR** mail the form to the church office, Trinity Lutheran Church, ATTN: Plant Sale/ Rob Grady, 11500 German Church Rd, Burr Ridge, IL 60527 **OR** e-mail your order to rgrady@tlbr.org

**Please be aware, your order will not be processed
until your pre-payment check has been received**

(make checks payable to TRINITY YOUTH GROUP)

Turn in your pre-paid orders no later than **Easter Sunday, April 21, 2019.**

Chairperson for this program is: Rob Grady (708) 839-1200 Ext. 6. Any questions may be directed to the chairperson or any member of the Youth Board.

**Please help the Youth Group make this sale, A HUGE SUCCESS!!
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!**

Walking with Christ,

Trinity Lutheran Youth Groups

