



OUR MISSION: *The mission of Trinity Lutheran Church is to share the good news of Jesus Christ by serving the spiritual, family and personal needs of the community. We believe that the primary reason for our existence is to bring people closer to Jesus Christ by providing worship, Bible studies, prayer and fellowship to foster spiritual growth.*

 **SPECIAL PRAYERS:** Dan Lindstrom, Bob Booth, Diana Pollard, Rudy Rentola, Kitty Evans, Rick Hoglund, Art Behnke, Ken Reeves, Donald Butenhof, Betty Giertz, Dorothy Frenz, Betty Byard, Dave MacTrinder, Joy Gottfried, Ken Wuerthele, Marilyn Tomsik, Karin Goldsmith, C.C. Acker, Debbie Thompson, Bob Palmer, Marlowe Suess, Andy Tourrette, Bill Mercier, Kathy Bultman, Mike David, George Walters, Bill Roudebush, Marion Raper, Bob Tomsik, Denise Anderson, Lyle Hoffmeister, Lois Franklin, Carol Bohlmann, Anthony Kakiou (brother of Connie Mulidore), Janice Kaiser, Matthew Crispin, Bill Early, Victor Adam, Rosalyce Peterson, Adrienne Israel, William Hoban, Mary Staudacher, Dorothy Scheler, Ralph Munden, Tom Davies.

 **SPECIAL PRAYERS – LONG TERM ILLNESS:** Carol Small, Bob Edgecomb, Darren Jansen, Joshua Jansen, Shirley Radkiewicz, Fred Suco, Marlene Losey, Traci Wise-Maupin, Pam Petro, Kirsten Reisinger (*Granddaughter of Tom & Sandie Burritt*), Tom Palmer (Bob Palmer's brother), Ann Marie Jaeger, Jean Brown, Marion Mashman, Ed Westover.

 **SPECIAL PRAYERS–SHUT-INS:** Marie Heine, George Keenan, Matthew Derrig, Merle Deterding, Mary Staudacher, Mary Wood.

Director of Music, Dr. Lorna Lee Curtis

Sunday WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

	10:30 a.m.
Audio	Lee Stump
Video	Jeff Stutler



BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES for April 5 to 11



- April 5—Kitty Evans
- April 6—Jim Jacobson
- April 7—Lois Franklin, Karen Matthews, Judi Terraciano
- April 8—Michael Ashley
- April 9—Dave MacTrinder
- April 10—Gail Despres, Shirley Minier
- April 11—Alan Goldsmith, Leon Jurczynszyn, Barry Manfredi



- April 5—Dan & Denise Anderson (23)
- April 6—Mark & Sheryl Finley (24)
- April 9—Arline & Charles Reinking-Hanf (32)



Our service will be LIVE streamed this Palm Sunday, April 5 at 10:30 a.m. Please [click here](#) to see the Live streamed Service or see previous services you may have missed.



DAILY DEVOTIONS- Also plan to join us for Daily Devotions from the Pastors on our website [here](#).



COMMUNITY OF GRATITUDE: Today there are many hungry families in our community who are in need of our help. The **Community of Gratitude Emergency Food Center**, located in Ocklawaha, is in need of food items which in turn will feed many impoverished families and children. **THE CENTER IS IN URGENT NEED OF ALL THE ITEMS LISTED BELOW AS THE DONATED FOOD IS NEARLY DEPLETED AND THE LAST GOVERNMENT FOOD DELIVERY WAS DRASTICALLY REDUCED.** Volunteers will deliver them to the food center. **This week's items are: Applesauce, canned potatoes, canned vegetables, cereal, any type of pastas, jelly, soups, condiments, cookies or cake mixes, spaghetti sauce, complete box meals-Mac n cheese, Beefaroni in cans, cereal bars. Please drop these items in the office Monday-Friday from 8:30 to 4:00 p.m.** Contact Jim and/or Nancy Steinmark at 352-299-0606 if you have any questions. Your help is appreciated. Thank you for supporting this Board of Human Care ministry.



Because We Care' Card Ministry: Please remember if you have anyone in need of a card for any reason please let Anna Gay know and a card will be sent. We send cards for Birthdays, (80 yrs, 85 yrs., and 90 and over) and Anniversaries (50th, 60th, and over). Also to Shut-in's, Get Well, Thinking of you, and Sympathy. If you know of a care giver who needs a word of encouragement please get those names to me. E-mail annamgay@gmail.com -Anna M. Gay



UPDATE FROM THE STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE-Thank you to everyone who has returned their Person Records with their Time & Talent offerings. As you can see, each week in the bulletin there are numerous requests for helpers, such as ushers, welcome desk support, flower delivery, and drivers. These Time & Talent offerings provide the church with resources to call when help is needed. Thank you again for

all the offerings that you give to our church each week. Each and every one of us make this church the special family that it is.



DAILY BREAD MINISTRY: Are you a Trinity member experiencing a temporary need of help with meals? It may be that you are recovering from an illness, injury, or surgery. Our congregation has a Daily Bread Ministry of caring volunteers willing to bring you a prepared meal just for the asking. **Contact the Church office at (352) 307-4500 if you need help.** When meals are requested, volunteers are called upon who live close to the household in need.



FOR A CHUCKLE: Who would have thought a month ago that a roll of toilet paper would be a really great gift?! -Me



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK –

“Easter is the most joyous Christian holy day ... except when it’s not. What do we do when our mood isn’t what we think it “should” be? The kids are sugared up, we’re juggling family gatherings (and maybe conflicts), our everyday challenges remain, and festive hymns — however rousing — fail to lift our spirits. We wonder, “What’s *wrong* with me, that I can’t seem to find Easter?”

Been there, done that. And it’s okay. *You’re* okay. Jesus’ resurrection doesn’t scoop us out of our troubles, but the death-defying Christ walks through them beside us, on our own Emmaus road (Luke 24). We aren’t alone.

When we can’t find Easter, Easter somehow finds us — if not on this designated Sunday, perhaps two days from now, or next week or mid-May. Watch for it; keep your heart open. Christ is risen indeed — and you shall be too. —Heidi Mann

Welcome to
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Christianity is the only religion of the world to insist that reconciliation with the creator cannot ever be accomplished by our performance. Only through the revelation of a Savior, who would be the substitute sacrifice for all of our wrongdoing and make us right with God, can we finally overcome our sense of separation from the Almighty.

This is a gift and promise of life that we rejoice in and share with Christians around the world. We share with all Christians the desire that everyone would come to know Jesus and experience a life under “new management” – the grace and purpose of God.

Trinity is a member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod. We enjoy a blessed confessional heritage of Biblical Christianity with over 65 million Lutherans around the world and over 7 million Lutherans in the U.S. alone. What we know and believe comes only from the Bible, which is God’s inspired Word. While the Bible is certainly our guide for holy living, the primary purpose of the Bible is to reveal Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

We believe every Sunday at Trinity Lutheran Church is a “little Easter”, a celebration of the resurrection of our Lord. We celebrate the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper every Sunday in both worship services. We believe the forgiveness and strength of faith we are promised through receiving the very body and blood of Christ is so greatly needed by all of God’s people, for we are truly a community of wounded healers. For a Christian Church to be anything else than a place of common fellowship and unity and a source of strength for our fragile faith is to fail its God-ordained purpose and intent.

Our pastors would like to be of service to you in any way they can. Feel free to call the church office or speak with Pastor Dan or Pastor Blair directly if you wish to find out more about the church or have more personal needs of a spiritual nature.