

February 11-12, 2022
TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
www.TrinityLutheranVP.com

Pastor Robert Rogers..... 630.439.6176
Parish Secretary: Margaret Cotterill.....630-834-3440

WELCOME TO TRINITY! We are very happy that you are here to worship with us today. Trinity Lutheran Church and Nursery School believes that we are called to be "ALWAYS GROWING IN CHRIST" and we want to do everything possible to help you grow. We pray that the Gospel you hear today will take root in your life and do just that, grow.

The Lord's Table: We believe that the Lord's Supper, Holy Communion, is the real body and blood of Jesus Christ, for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith. If you believe likewise, please join us at the altar when it is time to celebrate this holy meal. Even if you do not believe as we do, we still welcome all adults and children to come forward at Holy Communion to receive a blessing from Pastor. Just decline the wafer at Holy Communion and Pastor will give you a blessing. Please note, the center ring of the tray of individual cups is non-alcoholic wine.

Budget Offerings

Rec'd last week: \$6530.00 **Jan** E-Offering: \$3445.50 Avg weekly deficit: \$500.00
We need \$5 more per week, per household, to meet our budget goals for 2023.

TO STAY ON TRACK FOR 2023 we need each household to donate \$5 more.

Attendance Saturday 13, communed 13; Sunday 93 communed 84

ALTAR FLOWERS – In thankfulness and praise from Brust Funeral Home

NEXT WEEKEND we celebrate The Transfiguration of Our Lord. The sermon is titled "Authority of God's Word," with the hymn of the day "O Wondrous Type! O Vision Fair" (LSB 413). The scripture lessons for worship are:

Old Testament	Exodus 24:8-18	<i>The Covenant Confirmed</i>
Epistle (sermon text)	2 Peter 1:16-21	<i>Christ's Glory and the Prophetic Word</i>
Gospel	Matthew 17:1-9	<i>The Transfiguration</i>

ANTHEM at the 10:30 service, "This Little Light of Mine," will be sung by the Sunday School. The origins of this song are unknown, but it is likely based on Matthew 5:14-16: "You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven." This freedom song was often performed during the civil rights movement of the 1950s and 1960s.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14 @ 3:30-5:30: THE PROJECTS after-school for junior high youth. Have a snack, a devotion with Pastor Rogers, then choose a project in the craft room, kitchen, or workshop. Volunteers are needed to lead mentor, lead a project, or just lend a hand. Contact Judy Bruschk, 630-220-6364 or jbruschuk@aol.com for more info.

ALTAR GUILD MEETING Altar Guild will meeting is on February, 21st at 7:00 pm in the Trinity Center. All are welcome and encouraged to join.

LWML SWEET SHOP Come to the LWML sweet shop **TODAY** for some delicious baking goods. Your support will go to LWML missions.

COME JOIN THE WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP GROUP on **Wednesday, February 15th** at 11 o'clock for a potluck luncheon in the Trinity Center (immediately following Pastor Allyn's Bible study). Sign-up sheet is in the narthex next to the ushers closet. Any questions, please contact a board of human care member. Thank you!

ASH WED IS FEB 22nd The Midweek Lenten sermons this year will focus on a book written by Dr. Daniel Paavola [Patience & Perfection](#). I encourage you to read the book prior to Ash Wed so the sermons will have a greater impact for you. Books are in the Trinity Center. Please use the envelope with the book if you are able to make a donation of \$15.

SOUP SUPPERS begin on **Wednesday, February 22**. If you'd like to help out by donating a pot of soup or dessert, there's a sign-up board in the Narthex.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25 @ 11:00 - 4:00: VILLA PARK COCOA CRAWL Trinity will be a stop on the VP Cocoa Crawl. What a fun way for us to reach out to people in the community! Groups or Boards are invited to participate. The crew from The Projects will have cookie decorating. If you'd like to help please contact Judy Bruschk.

PASTOR AND DANYA THANK GOD that Neal has completed his time of service with the United States Navy (9 1/2 years) and will be officially discharged from military service on March 31, 2023. However, his duty was completed Feb. 10th. To celebrate this occasion, we would like to invite all of you to come to the **Trinity Center after the 10:30 worship on Feb. 26th** for some coffee, cake and other sundry fattening delicacies.

PLEASE JOIN THE DORCAS GUILD - Tuesday, March 6th at 7pm when we learn the "Art of Soap Making". All the ingredients and tools will be provided. Cost \$15 per person. Let Deb Thompson or Karen Magnuson know if you are able to join us.

TCNS IS CURRENTLY SEEKING a dual role program Director/lead teacher for part time hours for the 2023/24 school year. Must be a DCFS qualified Director. Email resumes and questions to Tcnschair@gmail.com Questions call Deb Thompson 630-217-1625.

CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES Please use the envelopes in the pew or a plain envelope for your Feb/Mar donations and include your name & envelope number on the envelope.

MISSIONS HIGHLIGHT Million Dollar Life Match (MDLM): The people of LCMS love children & families, & they demonstrate this love through many acts of mercy in their communities. To support these local pro-life efforts (both big & small) the LCMS will offer \$1 million in matching grants to LCMS congregations. www.lcms.org/serve/grants/life-grant

HOMEBOUND

Lutheran Home: Elizabeth Stearns
Lexington Elmhurst: Eileen Reese
Aperion, W. Chicago: Deborah Bychowski
Beacon Hill: LaVera Levin
The Bickford, Aurora: Grace Finke
Brighton Gardens, Whtn: Bill Rothenburger

AT HOME: Pastor & Carol Drews, Ron & Betty Edwards, Georgianna Ryl, Edith Schneider, Marcy Seils, Keith & Carol Speers
Strength and patience for all the caregivers.

IN NEED OF HEALING: Alice Bezik, Greg & Sue Bukowski, Martin Frankel (cousin of Mary Rinda), Linda Gibboney (daughter of LaVera Levin), Mark Grimh (nephew of the Bennins), Arlene Johnson, Barb Livermore (friend of the Buehre's), Lisa Miller (daughter of Judy Sheridan), Rick Miller (son-in-law of Judy Sheridan), Tracy Schumpp (niece of Donna Williams), Judy Sheridan.
We pray for peace between Russia and Ukraine.

FOR THE CHURCH:

Seminarian: Jackson Scofield Bishops: Matthew Harrison and Jamison Hardy
Missionaries to the Dominican Republic-Rev. Dr. Jonathon and Deaconess Cheryl Naumann
Jay and Julie Dass, Lutheran Confessional Church of Pakistan
Morren Chelsi Lempas (Youth sponsored child from Indonesia) Asian Indian Ministry

SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES: Commander in Chief - President Joseph Biden
Adam Biladeau, Matt Boudro, Peter Halpin (son of Dan & Rhonda Halpin), Will Hinckley (grandson of Ed Gustovich), Cameron Littleton (Traci Dale Maher's brother-in-law), Matt & Mary Macella (grandchildren of Arlene Johnson), David & Alexander Nordman (grandsons of Ron Nordman), Josh Preisel (grandson of Alice Bezik), Neal Rogers, Ella Sperry (granddaughter of Cliff & Olinda Sperry), Paul Stahlke, Quentin Stubbs.

BIRTHDAYS **13**-Jim Bruschnik, **14**-Bob Devermann, Richard Miller
15- Brady Carbon, Aiden Ridley **17**- Joe Urso **18**- Kristina Scherer

ANNIVERSARIES: **12**-John & Lynne Johnson

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF February 12th:

Sunday: **Worship 8:00 AM** (FaceBook Live) & **10:30 AM**
Monday: 1:00-Al Anon 7:00 Womens/Mens Bible Study
Tuesday: 3:30 The Projects 6:00 Bible Study 7:45-Darts 8:00 AA
Wednesday: 10:00 Bible Study 4:00-Confirmatiion 6:00-Big House
6:30-Growing in Prayer
Thursday: 7:00-The Others 8:00 Choir
Friday:
Saturday: **Worship 4:30 PM**

THOSE WHO SERVE February 12th:

Keyboard / Organ: **4:30pm** - Kurt Linstead **8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke
Vocalist: **8:00** Dave Bruschnik **10:30** Christy Crandell
Ensemble: **10:30** Sunday School Music
Lay Assistants: **8:00** Henry Meier **10:30** John Dorn & Ron Boettger
Acolytes: **8:00** Aliyah Brockie **10:30** Caroline Marchewka/LoreLai May
Ushers: **4:30** Rich Kumnick
8:00 Bert Dale, Derek Bruschnik, Josh & Erin Bruschnik, Neal Rogers
10:30- Dave Heuser, Harley DeJong, Keith Wojtas
Greeters: **8:00** Bonnie Dale **10:30** Donna Heuser
Altar Guild Marilyn Bloechle, Olinda Sperry, Cindy Weber

THOSE WHO SERVE February 19th:

Keyboard / Organ: 4:30pm – Kurt Linstead **8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke
Ensemble/Vocalist: 8:00 Jubilate Choir **10:30** Jonathan Stahlke
Vocal Quartet: 10:30 Christy Crandell, Kate Ilcken Mary & Jonathan Stahlke
Lay Assistants: 8:00 Darren Taylor **10:30** Carlo Airdo & Kate Ilcken
Acolytes: 8:00 Jacob Bruschuk/Cruz Collins **10:30** David Sullivan
Ushers: 4:30 Craig Musa
8:00 Scott Golz, Dante Apuzzo, Dino Apuzzo, Neal Rodenbostel
10:30- Gary Buehre, Rich Kumnick, Barbara Wolski
Greeters: 8:00 Celeste Golz **10:30** Diane & Bob Devermann
Altar Guild Marilyn Bloechle, Olinda Sperry, Cindy Weber

THOSE WHO SERVE February 22nd:

Keyboard / Organ: 12:00 pm & 7:00 pm Mary Stahlke
Ensemble: 12:00 pm & 7:00 pm Jubilate Choir
Lay Assistants: 12:00 John Dorn **7:00 pm** Darren Taylor
Acolytes: 7:00 pm Caroline Marchewka/LoreLai May
Ushers: 12:00 Ron Boettger
7:00 pm Jon Alvarez, Steve Boudro, Joe Peacock
Altar Guild Marilyn Bloechle, Olinda Sperry, Cindy Weber

THOSE WHO SERVE February 26th:

Keyboard / Organ: 4:30pm – Kurt Linstead **8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke
Vocalist: 8:00 Dave Bruschuk **10:30** Greg Billing
Lay Assistants: 8:00 Henry Meier **10:30** Jodie Esposito & Diane Devermann
Acolytes: 8:00 Hank Pavlovsky **10:30** Caleb Ilcken
Ushers: 4:30 Bert Dale
8:00 Jon Alvarez, Steve Boudro, Joe Peacock
10:30- Ron Boettger, Bob Rundgren, & Chris Gore
Greeters: 8:00 Marilyn Bloechle **10:30** Carol Edwards
Altar Guild Marilyn Bloechle, Olinda Sperry, Cindy Weber