

MARCH

Trinity Trumpet
March 2022



Servant Thoughts

WITNESSES TO CHRIST: PEOPLE FROM HIS PASSION

John tells us why he wrote his Gospel: “Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in His name” (John 20:30–31). Life! When we believe that Jesus is the Christ, God gives us life—abundant life, forgiven life, and eternal life.

Historically, the Fourth Gospel is likened to an eagle—an image that suggests John soars to heights of glory and grandeur. That’s because the evangelist paints a stunning portrait of Jesus, who is the bread of life, the resurrection and the life, and the way, the truth, and the life. Life in Jesus. That’s God’s gift to you!

This Lent, our life in Christ will be strengthened as we hear the witness of those in John’s Gospel who journeyed to the cross. Along the way, we’ll meet villains, such as Barabbas and Pontius Pilate, as well as sinners, such as Peter (who denied Jesus *three* times), and Mary Magdalene (who was possessed by *seven* demons).

Please join us for worship as we hear the witness of these people in John’s Gospel:

Ash Wednesday: *John the Baptist*, John 1:29–34

Midweek of Lent 1: *Mary, the Sister of Lazarus and Martha*, John 12:1–11

Midweek of Lent 2: *Malchus*, John 18:1–11

Midweek of Lent 3: *Peter*, John 18:12–27

Midweek of Lent 4: *Barabbas*, John 18:33–40

Midweek of Lent 5: *Pontius Pilate*, John 19:1–16

Good Friday: *John, the Gospel Writer*, John 19:25–37

The Resurrection of Our Lord: *Mary Magdalene*, John 20:1–18



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Christian Family Night Menu

March 2

Chili
Crackers
Carrots & Celery
Cinnamon Rolls

March 23

Fish Sticks Casserole
Bread
Green Beans
Apple Sauce

March 9

Potato Chowder
Crackers
Celery & Carrots
Peaches

March 30

Italian Soup
Crackers
Pickles
Pudding

March 16

Split Pea & Ham Soup
Crackers
Pickles
Leprechaun Poke
Cake



Set Apart to Serve Survey

Do you know any young man who would make a great pastor? How about someone who would be a great Lutheran school teacher, deaconess or DCE? Jesus gives His church people who work full time in service to the Gospel. He told us to pray for such workers. The LCMS continues to pray, and has begun *Set Apart to Serve* (sas), an intentional effort to encourage young people to consider church work as their career. Your opinion can help improve sas. Please fill out a brief survey at lcms.org/set-apart-to-serve-survey by March 15, and let us know how you think sas can be beneficial to your congregation. Thank you.



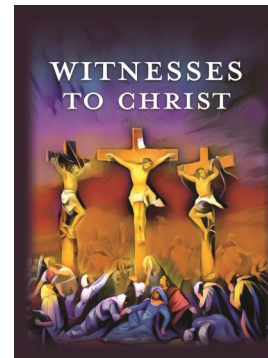
March 10, 2022

Opening: "Journey" by Brenda Bierman

Program: "A Journey of Joy" by Barb Batie

Closing: Mite Box Moment– Brenda Bierman

Hostesses: Linda Moore and Sally Leu



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Ash Wednesday (3/2): *John the Baptist*, John 1:29–34

Midweek of Lent 1 (3/9): *Mary, the Sister of Lazarus and Martha*, John 12:1–11

Midweek of Lent 2 (3/16): *Malchus*, John 18:1–11

Midweek of Lent 3 (3/23): *Peter*, John 18:12–27

Midweek of Lent 4 (3/30): *Barabbas*, John 18:33–40

Midweek of Lent 5 (4/6): *Pontius Pilate*, John 19:1–16



LUTHERAN HOUR– KRVN(880 AM)

Sundays at 10:00 a.m.

♦ March 6

♦ "One Thing Needful"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler
The Bible is not a Magic 8-ball; it's a portal into a new world.
(Luke 10: 38-42)

♦ March 13

♦ "No Room for Demons"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler
Why did God allow evil? The Bible doesn't answer that question. The question it does answer is, "In spite of evil, what will God do?"
(Luke 11:14-28)

♦ March 20

♦ "Everything I Have Is Yours"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler
Being very bad can get one lost, but so can being very good.
(Luke 15:1-32)

♦ March 27

♦ "TBD"

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Jason Broge
(Acts 2:22-36)



2022 Lenten Lunches
Sponsored by
Lexington Ministerial Association

Lunch 12:00-12:20 p.m.
Service 12:20-12:45 p.m.

March 10	Calvary Assembly of God
March 17	Trinity Lutheran Church
March 24	Grace Lutheran Church
March 31	First United Methodist
April 7	First Presbyterian Church

Free Will Offering for Lunch



Prayers

In order to keep our prayer requests up to date, those prayers that are short term in nature, will be listed for two weeks. If, after that time, you would like your request to remain, please resubmit your request to the church office. Members will be in bold.

Health Concerns

Ron King, Carol Shutz, Marilyn Licking, Larry Hauptmeier, Lacy Bowman, Lyle Dredge, Peg Block.

Chronic or Long Term Health Conditions

Barb Horn, Jackie Rowan, Jon Buhlmann

Mission & Ministry

Ferry Family, Chelsea Irwin

Kearney Circuit Pastors and Congregations

Special Prayers

THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY

Lucas Horn, Randy Kwiatkowski, Jason Murray, Dylan Samway, Jennifer Ballenger, Perry Pierce, Andy Howard, John C. Moore, Ben Wichelt, Devin Hueftle, Nic Van Cura, Tyler Schukar, Dakota Kwiatkowski





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Roxanna Wobbema, 03-02

Rob Sattler, 03-05

Ryan Johnson, 03-10

Kendall Trampe, 03-13

Cicely Batie, 03-17

Eli Olsen, 03-18

Julie Loudon, 03-19

Dana Thornburg, 03-19

Amelia Wieseler, 03-21

Alexander Kuefner, 03-21

Sara Koerting 03-22

Jan Phillippi, 03-22

Chuck Wobbema, 03-22

Alivia Stauffer, 03-22

Deloris White, 03-27

Adrianna Hendricks, 03-29



Jared and Alex Olsen, 03-01

Joseph and Katie Alvarado, 03-08

Kyle and Michele Hoehner, 03-14

James and Shannon Callahan, 03-14

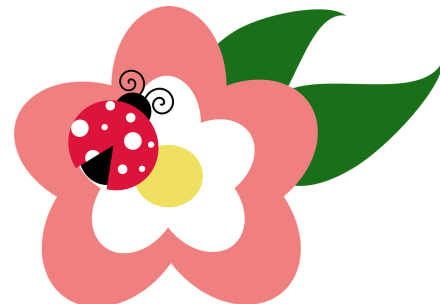
Keith and Loretta Anderson, 03-18

Trevor and Jennifer Soncksen, 03-19

Shawn and Mindy Area, 03-19

Mike and Wendy Thome, 03-23

Tracy and Brenda Wolf, 03-27



- ♦ Our Anniversary and Birthday list is generated by information in the computer. If there is a mistake or we missed something, please let us know in the office. Thank you!

TRINITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Monday, February 7, 2022

7:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER & DEVOTIONS

The meeting was called to order by Steve Gierhan. Pastor led the devotion, Acts 18. Apollos came to Ephesus. He had not heard of Jesus requesting that you be baptized in the name of the Lord, he knew only of the baptism of John. He learned more from Priscilla & Aquila. Apollos was very influential. Some say he may possibly be the author of Hebrews. Paul said, you do not follow me or Apollos, it's Jesus that you follow.

ATTENDANCE

Pastor Rob, Peg, Deb, Marcus, Don, Julie, Dana, Steve, Josie, Jared, Kim & Shirley

MINUTE CORRECTIONS

None. Julie motioned to approve the minutes and Don seconded the motion. Minutes were approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Report attached. Pastor Rob reported that the HSA amount comes out at the beginning of the year, so it will look like we are way over budget under "professional", but that will balance out over the next few months. The refrigerator is now paid off.

EDUCATION REPORT

Josie reported that they did meet in January. VBS dates have been tentatively set for July. They had coffee host duties for the month of January. New curriculum was received for Sunday School. Pleased to report that there were 16 children in attendance on Sunday, 2/6/22.

ELDER'S REPORT

Kyle was not feeling well and was absent. Pastor Rob reported that they are updating shut-in & shepherd's list. They plan to send letters to members with photos of their Elder that belongs to each shepherd list. Pastor Rob and the Elders will be sharing shut-in visit duties, with Pastor doing a 1/3 and the two Elder teams take the others, then rotating each month, so Pastor sees each shut once every three months.. The Easter Lenten schedule was discussed. They are still working on filling a cast for the Last Supper pageant.

INREACH/OUTREACH REPORT

Peg reported that no meeting was held in January

PLANNING COMMITTEE REPORT

Shirley reported that no meeting was held in January. She did ask about any possible new members and Pastor said we may need to do a new member welcome soon. Confirmation will be held on April 24th and the Planning Committee will do the breakfast and a small cake. There will be 3 confirmands this year.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Don had nothing to report

TRUSTEE REPORT

Jared reported that the furnace filters were changed out. He will have to get on to the roof to check the exhaust fan that is over the stove. Salt has been put out in buckets at each entrance. A total that had a leak around the seal has been fixed. The old refrigerator can be disposed at the city at no cost. Don said he may bring a trailer on Sunday and load it up after church.

YOUTH REPORT

Julie reported that they are still doing the LCMS Bible Study. The theme is In All Things. There will be six total going to the Youth Gathering this year.

PASTOR'S REPORT

Pastor Rob reported that the Pastor at Trinity Amherst has received a call. There are 5 churches participating in the Lenten Luncheons this year. Trinity will be hosting the Lenten Luncheon on March 17th. We are using Shepard's Staff for software, last year we went to Faithlife, and we have been having some issues and trying to work those out, but since Faithlife purchased Servant Keeper we were able to begin using that program for free and it works like Shepherd's Staff before they changed the program and we had troubles that prompted us to make the switch. The copier lease is up and we will be getting a new copier.

OLD BUSINESS

By-law committee has started reviewing the by-laws. The two big changes will be to look at combining the Board of Education & Youth to one committee and also combining Stewardship & Elders. A proposal would have to be brought to the voters. A reminder was given to turn in your Foundation grants or applications.

NEW BUSINESS

The Nominating Committee will consist of Pastor Rob, Peg, Don, & Eric. We will need to fill Education/Youth, Planning, Trustee, & Elder Elect. Two nominees will be needed for Foundation & Vice Chair. The 100 Year Church Anniversary will be celebrated in 2030 and a committee will need to be formed at the Voter's Meeting.

MEMBERSHIP CHANGES

None

Next Meeting – Monday, March 7th, 2022 at 7:00 PM

Closed with the Lord's Prayer

Respectfully Submitted

Kim Richman

Secretary



LLL
St. Patrick's
Day
Bake Sale
AFTER EARLY SERVICE

Sunday
March 13th

THRIVENT GRANT
MISSION PROJECTS



As an update to the congregation... at the February Elder's Meeting it was decided that during the summer we would have just one Sunday morning worship service. We will continue to have a Saturday night service, but between Memorial Day and Labor Day, we will have a 10:00 am Worship Service with a 9:00 am Bible Class/ Sunday School which will be intergenerational and be led by Pastor. On Memorial Day we won't be having the Bible Class/ Sunday School.