

Fourth Sunday in Lent March 19, 2023

Communion- St. Paul reminds us to examine ourselves before taking the Lord's Supper. Communicants are required to be members of a Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod Congregation. We do this out of pastoral concern and in Christian love. If you have any questions, please see Pastor before worship. Thank you.

We offer gluten-free wafers during communion. If you are gluten-free, please indicate to Pastor before service or at reception.

Please complete the attendance card and give it to an usher on your way out of church. Thank you.



Today at Trinity

Our Worship Broadcast is sponsored this morning by Rozann Herwig in memory of Myrna Behn. Thank you.

Choir rehearsal is today at 8:00 AM.

Adult Bible Study and Sunday School are after church at approximately 10:15 AM.

Helping in today's service: Organist: Karen Tripp
Pianist: JoEllen Arends
Acolyte: Lane Haller

Remember in our prayers:
+Jennie Dellinger +Don Meyer +Marv Rodemeyer
+Jan Rodemeyer +Mary Jane Rodemeyer
+James Ristau +Don Fink +Merlin Behn

Last Sunday's Fruits

Fruits of our Faith from March 12th:

Sunday Service: 69 Communed: 63
Adult Bible Study: 8 Sunday School: 1
Monday morning Bible Study: 11
Midweek Lenten Service March 15th: 49

This Week at Trinity

Please join Vicar Cox for his Monday morning Bible Study tomorrow at 9:00 AM.

Confirmation classes are 5:30 PM this Wednesday.

Please join us this Wednesday at 6:00 PM for our Lenten meal. The LYF will be serving a baked potato bar and ice cream.

The midweek Lenten service is this Wednesday at 7:00PM. Vicar Cox will continue his sermon series based on Matthew 16:15: *He (Jesus) said to them, "But who do you say that I am?"* We will learn about Jesus as the Son of God.

The Easter Lily sign-up sheet is out. The cost is \$25.95 again this year and our order needs to be phoned in by Wednesday, March 29th. Let's adorn our sanctuary Easter morning with these joyful Easter flowers!



Parents of Acolytes: If you happen to know of any changes to the current acolyte schedule for Holy Week and Easter, please let Stephanie know by Thursday. Printing of the service folders will begin after this date. Thank you!

Next Sunday



St. Paul's Lutheran School kids will be singing here next Sunday and will have a brunch consisting of egg bake, cinnamon rolls, and fruit following the worship service. This is a free-will offering and will go to support their Scholarship Fund. With Educational Savings Accounts next year, it will be important to have funds for scholarships for the families who do not qualify for ESAs this coming year.

Speaking of Lutheran Schools...

The Iowa Lutheran School Tuition Organization came out with their 2023 annual report (year 2022). \$902,396.94 (85% of their goal for tax credits) was raised in 2022. 2022-2023 enrollment in Iowa Lutheran Schools is 1,363 students. St. Paul's in Latimer has 31 kids this year and benefited from \$21,429 (from 2021 funds) that was awarded to 24 recipients. The ILSTO awards tuition grants to eligible families while providing donors with an Iowa income tax credit certificate worth 75% of their gift. You can also give through IRA distributions, stock, grain, and Thrivent Choice. Go to www.iowalutheransto.com for more information or call (712) 260-2991.

Trinity's Lending Library

Thank you to JoEllen Arends for graciously reorganizing our lending library. The wood shelves were polished to a beautiful sheen! Thank you to Pastor who "proofed" the appropriateness of our reference, non-fiction, and devotional books. We "weeded" out some older and/or out of date titles as well. So, If you have any recent books that our library may benefit from, please feel free to bring them into the church office. The books will need to be checked for appropriateness before putting out. All books are free to borrow and return without the need of a "check-out" card now. Let Stephanie know if you have any questions.

This Week's Calendar

Today, Sunday, March 19, 2023

7:30 AM Lutheran Hour on KLMJ
8:00 AM Choir Rehearsal
9:00 AM Worship Service with Holy Communion
10:15 AM Sunday School and Adult Bible Study
10:15 AM Worship Broadcast on KLMJ
7:30 PM Spanish Lutheran Hour on KLMJ

Monday, March 20

9:00 AM Vicar Cox's Bible Study

Wednesday, March 22

5:30 PM Confirmation
6:00 PM Lenten Meal – LYF baked potato bar
7:00 PM Midweek Lenten service with Holy Communion

Sunday, March 26

7:30 AM The Lutheran Hour on KLMJ will be...

"Is God Missing in Action?"

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. John Nunes

Is God "missing in action?" Not if we see things from
God's eternal perspective.
(John 11)

8:00 AM Choir Rehearsal
9:00 AM Worship Service with Holy Communion
10:15 AM Sunday School and Adult Bible Study
10:15 AM – Noon St. Paul's Scholarship Brunch
10:15 AM Worship Broadcast on KLMJ
7:30 PM Spanish Lutheran Hour on KLMJ



Weekly LCMS Memory Verse Challenge

He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only
but also for the sins of the whole world.

1 John 2:2



(oops...I reversed the weeks of March 12th and 19th ☺)

March Greeters and Ushers

Greeters: Jackie Birdsell, Paul & Joyce Hauser,
Bill & Sheree Homstrom, Mike & Donna Spetman

Ushers: Jason Arndt, Alan Brown, Nate Hansen, Troy
Hansen, Mike Spetman

Extras

Please make sure all the doors are locked if you are
one of the last people to leave the church. Thank you
for being cognizant of this safety measure.

Individual/small group communion is still being offered.
Please telephone the church office if interested.

Church News Deadlines:

- Thursday mornings by 9:15 AM for the weekly bulletin.
- Tuesday, March 28th for the April Trumpeter

Church office email is trinityhamptonoffice@gmail.com
Church office hours: 9:00 AM-2:00 PM Monday-Friday

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And they devoted themselves
to the apostles' teaching and
fellowship, to the breaking of
bread and the prayers.
Acts 2:42



9:00 AM Worship with Holy Communion
10:15 AM Sunday School and Adult Bible Study
Pastor: Rev. Karl C. Bollhagen
Vicar Patrick Cox

Welcome to all who worship with us today.
It is our prayer that you will grow through your
experience with the Lord and His Word.
Please visit our website for recorded services.