

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

October 18, 2020

20th Week After Pentecost



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 Reconciling in Christ

Welcome to Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Our Mission: Share God's Love



Flowers this weekend are in honor of Pastor Appreciation Month. Thank you to Pastor Tim, Pastor Pam, and Vicar Matt for all that you do!

Worship with us Virtually! We post online worship videos for weekend worship on our website home page, HTLC app, and YouTube Channel (search for HTLC Lutheran) by 5:00 pm on Saturdays. Subscribe to our YouTube Channel to be notified when new videos are available.

The office is closed through November 22. If you need to meet with a staff member, please make an appointment. If you want to drop off an offering envelope, place it in the black mailbox on the exterior wall by the north doors. All staff members are available to communicate via email; see the staff directory in this bulletin for individual email addresses.

Online Prayer Meetings - Join the pastors and other members of the congregation for a brief prayer meeting and fellowship using Zoom at 6:30 pm on Wednesdays, October 21 and November 4 & 18. Watch your email for the link to join each meeting.

Our food pantry needs canned chicken, canned fruit, canned beans, toilet paper, paper towels, peanut butter, and recently-purchased meat in one-pound packages. The north doors are open from 9:00-11:00 am on Mondays for those who wish to drop off donations; meats should be taken directly to the Food Pantry and placed in the freezer. Monetary donations can be made online at <http://bit.ly/htlc-FoodPantry20> or placed in the mailbox on the exterior wall by the north doors. Due to space constraints, our food pantry does not offer clothing or other household items.

Pause Groups are small groups that gather weekly or twice a month to study a particular book of the bible. This year the study will be from Genesis 17 to the end of Genesis. Groups meet on Mondays at 1:00 pm, Saturdays at 4:00 pm, and Thursdays at 10:30 am. More groups will form as needed. Sign up online at <http://bit.ly/htlc-Pause> or contact Pastor Pam with questions.

Wednesday Night Adult Learning meets by Zoom on Wednesdays at 7:15 pm. The current class is a six-part series on hope, heaven, hell, resurrection and eternal life. More information is available at <https://www.holytrinityankeny.org/adult-learning.html>

Remembering Loved Ones on All Saints Day: During worship on November 1, we will remember those who have died since last November. To include a loved one who has died during this time, complete the form at www.holytrinityankeny.org/saints or email their name to Lisa Strnad at lstrnad@holytrinityankeny.org by October 21.

Winter Outerwear Drive: Project Fresh Start is requesting donations of new or clean, gently used winter coats, hats, gloves, mittens, scarves and boots. Items will be distributed to Ankeny students the weekend of November 14-15. If you have items to donate, bring them to the church on Mondays from 9:00 - 11:00 am and place them in the bin in the north entrance.

The Year-End Financial Report of the Congregation for the fiscal year ending July 31, 2020, is now online at <http://bit.ly/htlc-Financial20>. Hard copies are available in the north entrance on Mondays from 9:00 - 11:00 am. The report will be presented for adoption at the congregation's next annual meeting in May.

Trunk or Treat October 25: HTLC's High School youth will host Trunk or Treat on Sunday, October 25, 3:00-4:30 pm in the east parking lot. Guests should park in the lots to the north or south of the church and walk over. The HS Youth will decorate their cars and have treats to distribute. We will follow safety protocols to make this be a fun, safe event! Contact Kelly Heuton with any questions or to get involved.

Helping Hand Food Boxes are a local initiative to fill special boxes with non-perishable food and personal hygiene items so that people in need can access them easily. Two boxes are located in our south parking lot. We are asking members to sponsor a box for a week or more; sign up online at bit.ly/htlc-HelpingHand or contact the office.

Prayer Concerns

Prayer Matters! Please pray for those listed. Email Lisa Strnad to add a request.

Thanksgiving to God:

- For the baptism of Cameron Wood this weekend
- For the baptism of Jameson Doig last weekend
- For the quilts our congregation is sending to Lutheran World Relief this weekend
- For the installation of The Rev. Amy Current as Bishop of the Southeastern Iowa Synod of the ELCA
- For our Pastors and Vicar as we celebrate Pastor Appreciation Month

Healing and Health Concerns:

- Ken & Linda Aeikens
- Joan Bendezu
- Renee Cavanaugh, sister of Cyndi Olson
- Lori Dahl
- Jan Deuhr, mother of LeAnn DeVries
- Chuck DeVries
- John Doeden, father of Tina Stanley
- Paul Fredericksen
- Jim Frost, son-in-law of Larry & Grace Anderson
- Caroline Godfrey, daughter of Herb & Anne Knudten
- Anthony Hawkins, friend of Lisa Strnad
- Meagan Hillman & family, niece of Joan Dietz
- Ivy Hockinson
- Sue Johnston, sister-in-law of Lisa Tagye
- Marilyn Kasperbauer, aunt of Krista Gerth

- Pat Livingston, mother of Paula Farrell
- John & Laura Locher, brother of Anne Knudten
- Jenny Mahlow
- Fran McAtee, brother-in-law of Jenny Mahlow
- DuWayne McDaniel
- Herminia Mendoza, friend of Dennis & Joan Dietz
- Jim Meyer, husband of Jan Meyer
- Shirley Muehlenthaler
- Marilyn Mueller
- Myrna Murphy
- Whitney Olthoff, friend of Cyndy & Steve Hockman
- Kim Pfaltzgraff, friend of Kristi O'Connor
- Dick Rasmussen
- Phyllis Jean Razor, friend of Mary Schabacker
- Jordon Roggeman, friend of Michelle Wendel
- Sheila, sister of Jeff Wendel
- Casey Showalter, nephew of Joan & Dennis Dietz
- Denny Tague, father of Dan Tague
- Linda Treharne, friend of Sue Ondler
- Missy Walton, friend of Ed & Kris Oakie
- Marilyn Wendel, mother of Jeff Wendel
- Chuck Wilson
- Nick Wimmer, grandson of Herb & Anne Knudten
- Bob Zinn, father of Jeremy Zinn

If you are hospitalized or have an urgent need for pastoral care, contact the on-call pastor at 515-336-0811.

Even though we don't know you yet, we already love you. Your race, gender identity, mental or physical ability, sexual orientation, marital status, financial situation, social standing, education, cultural background, immigration status, or any other category or label cannot separate you from the love of God, nor keep you from being what God calls you to be.

Sunday, October 18, 2020

✠ Gathering ✠

Greeting

Gathering Song • Great God, Your Love Has Called Us • ELW 358 • verses 1 & 5



1 Great God, your love has called us here, as we, by love, for
5 Great God, in Christ you set us free your life to live, your



love were made. Your liv - ing like - ness still we bear,
joy to share. Give us your Spir - it's lib - er - ty



though marred, dis - hon - ored, dis - o - beyed. We come, with all our
to turn from guilt and dull de - spair, and of - fer all that



heart and mind your call to hear, your love to find.
faith can do while love is mak - ing all things new.

Prayer of the Day

✠ Word ✠

Readings

Isaiah 45:1-7

1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Gift of Music • Every Time I Feel the Spirit • arr. Joel Raney • *Pat Zimmer, flute; Jean Murphy, piano*

Matthew 22:15-22

Sermon • Vicar Matt Milbrodt

Hymn of the Day • Take My Life That I May Be • ELW 583 • verses 1 & 2

Apostles' Creed

Sacrament of Holy Baptism • Cameron Becker Wood, son of Mitchell & Tiffany Wood

Prayers of Intercession

Lord's Prayer

✠ Sending ✠

Blessing

Sending Song • Your Will Be Done • ELW 741

Dismissal