Calendar of HTLC Events

1 & 2 = Basement Rooms 1 & 2 • B = Balcony • CK = Café Koinonia • FH = Fellowship Hall
MPR = Multi-Purpose Room • N = Narthex • S = Sanctuary • V = Virtual

Sunday, October 27

8:30 am Church School (2)
8:30 am Worship (S)
10:00 am Worship (S)
4:30 pm G & B You-Book 4 Group (201)
5:00 pm Sunday Apprentice Group (MPR)

Monday, October 28

6:30 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal (S)
6:30 pm Women's Book Club (CK)

Tuesday, October 29

9:00 am Paint, Pound & Praise & Willing Workers (CK)
10:15 am Staff Meeting (FH)
12:00-6:00 pm Food Pantry
1:00 pm Afternoon Men's Group (CK)

Wednesday, October 30

6:00 pm Church School (2)
6:00 pm Confirmation-Food Drive
6:00 pm Wednesday Night Worship (S)
6:30 pm 9-12 Choir (202 - Music Room)
7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal (B)
7:05 pm Adult Learning (MPR)

Thursday, October 31

6:30 am Son Seekers/Men's Ministries (CK)
11:30 am Thursday Apprentice Group (MPR)
6:30 pm Men's Group (MPR)

Friday, November 1

No events scheduled

Saturday, November 2

7:30 am Men's Bible Study (V)

Sunday, November 3

8:30 am Church School in Worship (S)
8:30 am Worship (S)
10:00 am Worship (S)
4:30 pm G & B You-Book 4 Group (201)
5:00 pm Sunday Apprentice Group (MPR)

Monday, November 4

1:30 pm Pause Group (MPR)
6:30 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal (S)

Tuesday, November 5

All Day: Polk County General Election (CK)
10:15 am Staff Meeting
1:00 pm Afternoon Men's Group (MPR)

Holy Trinity
Food Pantry

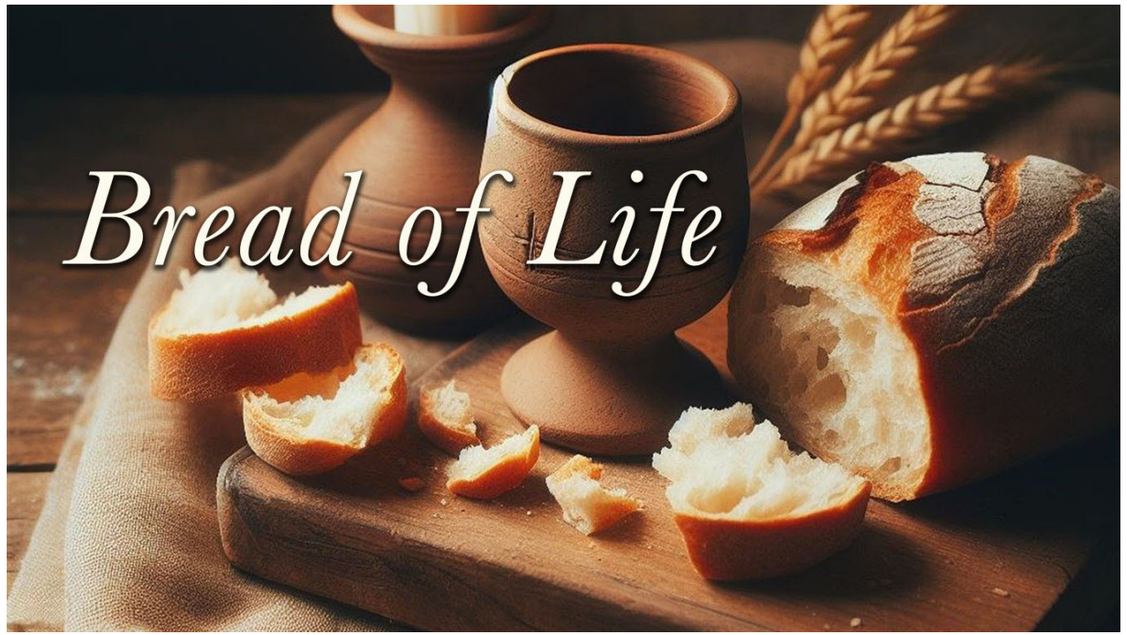
Our food pantry needs empty egg cartons, applesauce, canned soup, and toilet paper. We need canned meats, paper towels, saltine & oyster crackers, and peanut butter, as well as feminine hygiene products, diapers, and personal care items (toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo). We need frozen meat in 1-pound packages. Place non-perishable donations in the grocery carts by the entrances.

Monetary donations can be made at the kiosk in the Narthex, online at *http://bit.ly/htlc-FoodPantry20*, or placed in the offering basket or mailbox by the north doors.

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

ELCA

Sunday, October 27 • 8:30 & 10:00 am — Reformation
Wednesday, October 30 • 6:00 pm



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.

Reconciling in Christ

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Welcome to Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Our Mission: Share God's Love

Holy Communion

Communion is open to all who are baptized and trust that Christ is present in the meal, regardless of your tradition or affiliation.

- We share communion by intinction: a communion server will give you gluten-free bread to dip in the alcohol-free wine found in the chalice. Return to your seat via the side aisle.
- Children who do not yet receive communion or those who are not baptized are encouraged to come forward for a blessing. Cross your arms in front of you to signal your desire for a blessing.
- If you are not yet baptized, we welcome you to visit with one of the pastors or learn more at our website: bit.ly/htlc-baptisms so you may join in the Lord's Supper.

Welcome!

Names are important to us. Please let us know you're here by checking in at the kiosk in the Narthex or by filling out a paper Welcome Card located on the bulletin stand.

Children & Nursery

Children are invited and encouraged to worship with you.

- A supervised nursery is available for children 4 years and younger if you choose this option for all or part of the worship service.
- Busy Bags are hanging in the Narthex near the welcome desk.

Restrooms

Restrooms can be found on the north & south sides of the Narthex (lobby).

Newborn Ministry

If you have recently added a baby to your family, please let the church office know so we may welcome your little one.

Learn About Holy Trinity

For information about the church, what we believe, and how to become a member, visit https://bit.ly/htlc-join.

Prayer Requests

Please write your prayer requests on the back of a Welcome Card located on the stand by the sanctuary doors. You may also submit your prayers at https://bit.ly/htlc-Prayer-Requests

Urgent Pastoral Care

If you are hospitalized or have an urgent need for pastoral care, call our main phone line (515-964-4348) and press 1 to be connected to the on-call pastor.

Office Hours

The office is open 9:00 am-3:00 pm, Monday-Thursday. Friday hours are by appointment.

Announcements

Mission & Ministry Opportunities & Events

Welcome New Members:

Bruce and Mary Kay Paul
Roger & Brenda Baker
Jessica Keenan
Tisha, Matthew, and Nathan Roney
Torey, Mareah, and Thomas Stallsmith

Flowers at the Altar Flowers at the altar this weekend are in honor of and in Thanksgiving to God for Pastor Tim and Cyndi's 34th wedding anniversary.

Thank You Thank you for your generous donations to the FreeStore last weekend. Together we were able to fill the truck with items to help their clients start over in their new homes.

"Boatload" of Snacks for Northwest Elementary Are you wondering why is there a boat in the entryway? Good question! The Church School kids are holding a snack drive for Northwest Elementary October 20-30. We will be using the boat as a place to collect snacks during these weeks. Items needed include individually-wrapped crackers, cereal bars, applesauce & raisins, and other nut-free items.

Prayer Shawls & Neck Pillows Do you know someone in need of spiritual comfort? Give them a prayer shawl or neck pillow. They may be helpful for someone recovering from an illness, injury, or any other situation where comfort is needed. The shawls and neck pillows are in a lower cabinet in the bookshelves by the café.

Help with Food Pantry on Sundays Our food pantry receives up to 500 lbs. of food from Costco on Sunday mornings. We need help with picking up the food as well as unloading and sorting the food. The food must be picked up in an enclosed vehicle (no pickup trucks) between 10:00 & 11:30 am on Sundays and brought to the church to be unloaded. Please sign up to help at https://bit.ly/htlc-FP.

Serve in Worship Each week it takes dozens of God's people working together to make worship happen. You can be part of the ministry of worship as an usher, greeter, reader, or communion server. We have a new way to sign up through Realm (you'll need an account in Realm). Sign up at https://bit.ly/htlc-worship-signup.

Do You Get Our Emails? We have many different newsletter lists at Holy Trinity. To sign up for a list or see which ones you subscribe to, visit https://conta.cc/3gKmfb8.

Wednesday, October 30, 2024

6:00 pm

✢ Gathering ✢

Prelude, Welcome & Greeting
Confession & Forgiveness
Gathering Song • Welcome, Pilgrims on the Journey

Prayer of the Day

✢ Word ✢

Reading • John 8:12; 9:3-5
Sermon
Hymn of the Day • Christ, Be Our Light • ELW 715 • *verses 1 & 2*
Prayers of Intercession & Peace

✢ Meal ✢

Thanksgiving at the Table
Lord's Prayer
Communion Music • We Come Now to Your Table • *sing as directed:*

✢ Sending ✢

Blessing & Dismissal

Prayer Concerns

We are a praying congregation. Please take your bulletin home and pray for those listed.

Thanksgiving to God:
- For the mission trust committee
- For the baptisms of Poppy Ann Myers and Vienna Grace Kuehl this weekend
- For the new members being welcomed this weekend

Thanksgiving for the Saints:

Comfort for Those Who Mourn:

Remember in Prayer:
- Andy Adams, brother-in-law of Rick Winegardner
- Teresa Berry, friend of Nicole Hildenbrand-Elgin
- Beth Biedermann Barnett
- Jerry Brandow
- Annie Carlson, friend of the Egglands
- David Dietz, cousin of Dennis Dietz
- Elaine Ehlers
- Bruce Eller
- Linda Fevold, sister of John Bein
- Nancy Harmon, cousin of Sue Ondler
- Ken Hawcott, friend of Darrel & Patty Cox
- Landon Hepp
- Marv Hitchings, stepfather of Nicole Gade
- Jeff Hyland, uncle of Samantha Dietz
- Jan & Maggie, friends of Kathy Ellett
- Joe, son-in-law of Bruce and Kathy Friest
- Allen Johnson
- Susan Johnson, sister-in-law of Verdel Odgaard
- Charlotte Kemp
- Rich Kruse
- Georgia Larson
- Kathy Lee, daughter of Lee & Mardelle Crawford
- Dorothy Legel, aunt of Deanna Questad
- Jim & Sandy Little
- Laurel Mader, friend of Deanna Questad
- Meggan, friend for Dan & Kathy Ellett
- Corrine Mraz, friend of Pam Schroeder
- Priscilla McFarland
- Ed Meador & family
- Paul & Margaret Meyer
- Cheryl Murphy, friend of Sue Ondler
- John Niehaus, brother of Jan Herke
- Tony Niehaus, father of Jan Herke
- Livia Ocken, friend of Keven & Jill Crawford
- Dave Olsen, brother of Linda Kayser
- Tara Reinhart, friend of Lewis & Lynn Lowry
- Shirley Rod
- Samantha Ruhser, daughter of Debby Witten and granddaughter of Don & Arlene Smith
- Olivia Shfits, friend of Charles and Connie Juhl
- June Short, friend of Susan Miller
- Craig Simmons, friend of Jeff Blackmer
- Don Smith
- Ann Thye
- Bucky Vaughn, brother of Carol Schmacker
- Gwen Wiegrefe, mother of Karen Blackmer
- Linda & Paul Wold
- Jeff Wood, friend of Marty and Kelli Mahlow
- Hurricane & flood victims

Sunday, October 27, 2024

8:30 & 10:00 am

✢ Gathering ✢

Welcome

Announcements

Prelude • Come and Let Us Worship God • arr. John Bell • *Adult Choir*

8:30 **Sacrament of Holy Baptism** • *Poppy Ann Myers, daughter of Mitchell & Brittany Myers*

10:00 **Sacrament of Holy Baptism** • *Vienna Grace Kuehl, daughter of Brandon & Brooke Kuehl*

Song of Praise • Gloria • *sing as directed:*

Prayer of the Day

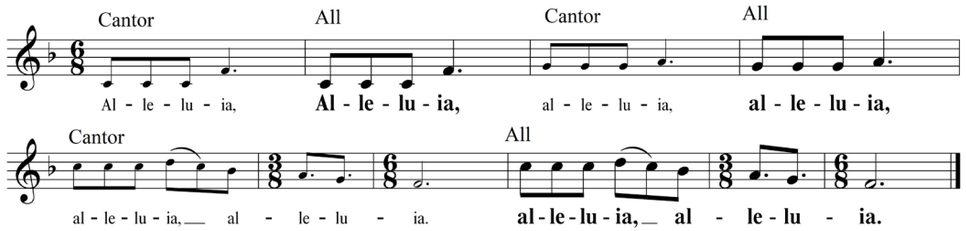
✢ Word ✢

Readings

Jeremiah 31:31-34

Romans 3:19-28

Gospel Acclamation • Alleluia • *sing as directed:*



Gospel Reading • John 8:31-36

Sermon

Hymn of the Day • Founded on Faith • *words projected on screen*

New Member Welcome

Prayers of Intercession

Peace

Offering • *The offering is received*

Let Us Build a House • by Kim Andre Arnesen • *Adult Choir*

✢ Meal ✢

Thanksgiving at the Table

Lord's Prayer

Communion Music

O Taste and See • by Carl Schalk • *Adult Choir*

Now Thank We All Our God • arr. John Netten • *Brass Ensemble*

✢ Sending ✢

Prayer After Communion

Blessing

Sending Song • As Christ Has Welcomed Us • *words projected on screen*

Dismissal

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