

## 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

### Sunday, March 13

8:30 am Worship (S)  
 10:00 am Worship (S & online)

### Monday, March 14

6:00 pm Stephen Ministers (MPR)

### Tuesday, March 15

9:00 am Willing Workers & Paint, Pound & Praise (CK)  
 10:15 am Staff Meeting (S)  
 12:00 pm HTLC Food Pantry  
 1:00 pm Afternoon Men's Group (CK)  
 1:00 pm Lenten Book Study (MPR)  
 6:30 pm Journey Through Grief (FH)

### Wednesday, March 16

6:00 pm Wednesday Night Worship (S)  
 7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal (200)

### Thursday, March 17

6:30 am Son Seekers - Men's Ministries (CK)

### Friday, March 18

No events scheduled

### Saturday, March 19

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

### Sunday, March 20

8:30 am Worship (S)  
 10:00 am Worship (S & online)

### Monday, March 21

1:30 pm Pause Group (FH)

### Tuesday, March 22

9:00 am Willing Workers & Paint, Pound & Praise (CK)  
 10:15 am Staff Meeting (S)  
 12:00 pm HTLC Food Pantry  
 1:00 pm Afternoon Men's Group (CK)  
 1:00 pm Lenten Book Study (MPR)  
 6:30 pm Council Meeting (Virtual)  
 7:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal (S)

### Wednesday, March 23

9:00 am LWR Quilters (FH)  
 1:00 pm Care & Compassion Group (Virtual)  
 5:00 pm Dinner: Maid-Rites & Tater Tots (FH)  
 6:00 pm 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Small Group Confirmation  
 6:00 pm 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation (with small groups)  
 6:00 pm Wednesday Night Worship (S)  
 7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal (200)  
 7:30 pm High School Ministry (MPR)

# Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Sunday, March 13, 2022 • 8:30 & 10:00 am  
 Wednesday, March 16, 2022 • 6:00 pm

2<sup>nd</sup> Week of Lent



Ed De Guzman

***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.*



Holy Trinity  
 Food Pantry

**Our food pantry needs** canned soup, mandarin oranges, canned meats, canned fruit, toilet paper, paper towels, and peanut butter. We also need feminine hygiene products, diapers, and personal care items (toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo, shaving products). We also 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.

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# Welcome to Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Our Mission: Share God's Love



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

**Face masks are optional** during periods of low and moderate Covid transmission, per CDC guidance. Masks are available in trays in the Narthex if you wish to wear one.

**Holy Communion** is open to all who are baptized and trust that Christ is present in the meal, regardless of your tradition or affiliation. Pastors are available to talk about Holy Baptism if you desire to join in the Lord's Supper.

- To receive communion, proceed to one of the stations as the usher directs you. Remove your mask, take the bread, and receive the cup of wine. Place your empty cup in the tray as you return to your seat via the side aisle.
- Gluten-free bread is available at the table in the front center aisle. Remove a wafer from the bowl, then step forward to hear the words "given for you" and receive the wine.
- 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.

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

**Children** are invited and encouraged to worship with you.

- A supervised nursery is available on Sunday and Wednesday 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 balcony steps.

**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.

## Staff Directory

Staff Member	Title	email @holytrinityankeny.org	Extension
Timothy V. Olson	Lead Pastor for Mission & Vision	tolson	206
Pamela Schroeder	Pastor for Care & Community	pschroeder	205
David Fandrich	Minister for Worship & Music	dfandrich	210
Ellen Rothweiler	Minister for Learning	erothweiler	207
Becky Dieleman	Hospitality Ministry Associate	bdieleman	215
Deb Hopkey	Children's Ministry Coordinator	dhopkey	222
Krista Gerth	Worship & Operations Administrator	kgerth	212
Kristi O'Connor	Communications Director	koconnor	202
Sue Ondler	Kitchen & Food Ministry Associate	sondler	219
Kelsey Sissel	Mission & Learning Ministry Administrator	ksissel	203
Lisa Strnad	Pastoral Ministry Administrator	lstrnad	201
Tammy Walls	Finance & Human Resources Director	twalls	204

## Prayer Concerns

Prayer Matters! Please take your bulletin home and pray for those listed.

### Thanksgiving to God:

- For those working for peace

### Thanksgiving for the Saints:

- Lois Stryzewski
- Lloyd Harding
- Bill Pohlmann

### Healing and Health Concerns:

- Scott Aber, nephew of Cyndi Olson
- Linda Aeikens
- Asta & Arlen Twedt's friends in Ukraine
- Beth Biedermann Barnett, daughter of Eric & Carolyn Biedermann
- Sarah Boury
- Bob Comstock
- Sondra Dyer, relative of Karen Dyer
- Galen Ellsberry, nephew of Joan Dietz
- Caroline Godfrey, daughter of Herb & Anne Knudten
- Meggan, friend of Dan & Kathy Ellett
- Ivy Hockinson
- Michelle Johnson, cousin of Sharon Jones
- Greg Kayser, brother of Bob Kayser

- Charlotte Kemp, mother of Karen Glock
- Katie Kendall
- John & Laura Locher, brother of Anne Knudten
- Lindsay Mattix & family, daughter of Sandy Little
- Marlene Miller
- Shirley Muehlenthaler
- Wayne Pederson, father of Kim Helmbrecht
- Myrna Prange
- Midge Stanley, friend of Janet Wee
- Gunnar Stockdale, son of Wendy & Rick McCarty
- Jane Timm, friend of Karen Dyer
- Joel Twardokus, uncle of Desiray Walker
- Anne Williams
- Nick Wimmer, grandson of Herb & Anne Knudten
- For the people of Ukraine and Russia
- For the students and staff at East High
- And for peace throughout the world

### Comfort for Those Who Mourn:

- Sarah & Byron Smith and family at the death of Sarah's grandmother, Lois Stryzewski
- Melva & Gary Schmidt at the death of Melva's brother, Lloyd Harding
- Kathryn & Steve Duffy at the death of Kathryn's brother, Bill Pohlmann

**Prayer Shawls & Neck Pillows Available** - 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 Resource Center.

## ✝ Gathering ✝

### Welcome

### \*Confession and Forgiveness

### \*Gathering Song • As the Winter Days Grow Longer



1 As the win - ter days grow long - er, draw - ing short the hours of night;  
2 As the vines burst in - to blos - som, fra - grant in the morn - ing air,  
3 As we jour - ney through this sea - son, pil - grims through a thirst - y land,



as our ea - ger ex - pec - ta - tion waits for Eas - ter's dawn - ing light—  
lift - ing spir - its with their sweet - ness, lur - ing hearts to thank - ful prayer—  
quench us with your liv - ing pres - ence; guide us with your lov - ing hand.



yearn - ing peo - ple, here we gath - er, turn - ing watch - ful eyes to you:  
Lent - en peo - ple, here we gath - er, seek - ing lives re - freshed from sin.  
Wan - d'ring peo - ple, here we gath - er, called to rest a - long our way.



God who bless - es earth with spring - time, shine with - in our world a - new!  
God who bless - es earth with spring - time, bloom with - in our hearts a - gain!  
God who bless - es earth with spring - time, grant us sab - bath joy this day!

### \*Prayer of the Day

## ✝ Word ✝

### Reading • Matthew 5:21-24

### Sermon

### \*Hymn of the Day • We Are Called • ELW 720 • verses 1 & 2

### \*Prayers of Intercession

### \*Peace

### \*Thanksgiving at the Table

### \*Lord's Prayer

### Communion Hymn • I Come with Joy • ELW 482 • verses 1 -3 & 5

## ✝ Sending ✝

### \*Blessing

### \*Dismissal

## Announcements

### Mission & Ministry Opportunities & Events

**Worship In-Person or Online!** Worship in-person on Sundays at 8:30 & 10:00 am and Wednesdays at 6:00 pm. We live stream the 10:00 & 6:00 services on YouTube and Facebook; the videos can be watched any time after that on our website, HTLC app, Facebook page, and YouTube Channel (search for HTLC Lutheran).

**Spring Clean-up Day** will be held on March 26 from 8:00 am-noon. There will be a variety of indoor and outdoor tasks; more details will be available soon. Please help if you are able.

**Cookies for Easter Fellowship:** We will serve cookies during fellowship between services on Easter, April 17. If you are willing to provide a dozen (or two) cookies or bars, sign up at <https://bit.ly/htlc-Cookies22> or at the Red Wall.

**Interested in learning more about Holy Trinity?** For information about the church, what we believe, and how to become a member, visit <https://bit.ly/htlc-join>.

**The Nominating Committee** is seeking members who are willing to serve in the following elected positions: Vice President, Treasurer, Council member (2). Please contact Pastor Tim for information or to express an interest.

**Adult Learning During Lent** will study *Doers of the Word: Living Faith in the Book of James*. This four-part series will meet by Zoom on Wednesdays, March 16- April 6, at 7:05 pm. Join the Adult Learning Group in Realm for updates and access to the Zoom instructions. Call the office with questions about joining the group.

**Wednesday Lenten Worship** is held at 6:00 pm during Lent (through April 6). These Lenten worship services will address five of the most serious challenges each of us face every day – Division, Violence, Climate Change, Individualism, and Secularism. Each week we will seek a word of restoration that helps us stand against the challenges.

**Christ in Our Home** devotion booklets for April-June are now available in the Narthex. Contact Lisa in the office to have a copy mailed to you.

**Lent Hunger Project: Give so the Village Grows!** This year Holy Trinity's Hunger Project will provide funding to help a village secure clean drinking water, healthy food for children, vaccinations, farm animals, and a community garden. Our goal is to raise \$7,000 by April 17. You can help by visiting <https://bit.ly/htlc-Hunger22> to donate and to learn more about our Lenten Hunger Project.

**“You Are Loved” Yard Signs:** We are excited to brighten up these wintery streets and share the message of God's love this Easter with “You are Loved” yard signs. This fundraiser will support the High School mission trip to Minneapolis this summer. To rent your sign for just \$20, visit <https://bit.ly/htlc-sign22> by March 27.

**Registration is now open** for the Global Greens Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) program. Purchase a subscription now to get a weekly share of vegetables grown using organic practices by former refugees who are establishing local small vegetable farming businesses. Sign up today at [www.lsiowa.org/refugee/csa](http://www.lsiowa.org/refugee/csa).

Sunday, March 13, 2022

8:30 & 10:00 am

✝ Gathering ✝

Welcome

Prelude

\*Confession and Forgiveness • sing as directed:

Cleanse us, O Lord, from all our sins; wash us and we shall be clean, clean as new snow.

A - men, a - men, a - men, a - men, a - men.

\*Prayer of the Day

✝ Word ✝

Readings

Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18

Philippians 3:17--4:1

\*Gospel Song • The Thirsty Fields Drink in the Rain • sing as directed:

1 The thirst - y fields drink in the rain, the earth re -  
 3 The dark - ness yearns for dawn to break, the flow - er  
 5 We wait for you, O God, our rock, we seek your

ceives the sow - er's seed and cov - ers it. So,  
 o - pens up its bud to face the sun. So,  
 light, your word, the truth we need to live. So,

Lord, we re - ceive your ho - ly Word.  
 Lord, we re - ceive your ho - ly Word.  
 Lord, send us now your ho - ly Word.

\*Luke 13:31-35

Sermon

\*Hymn of the Day • If You But Trust in God to Guide You • ELW 769 • verses 1, 3 & 4

\*Prayers of Intercession

\*Peace

Gift of Music • Here I Am, Lord • arr. Joel Raney • Pat Zimmer, flute

✝ Meal ✝

\*Thanksgiving at the Table

\*Holy, Holy, Holy • page 207 in the front of the hymnal

\*Lord's Prayer

Communion Music • My Faith Looks Up To Thee • arr. James Curnow •

Pat Zimmer, flute

\*Prayer After Communion

✝ Sending ✝

\*Blessing

\*Sending Song • The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve • ELW 551 • verses 1 & 4

\*Dismissal