

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, April 23

8:30 am Sunday Church School (1)
 8:30 am Worship (S)
 10:00 am Worship (S & online)

Monday, April 24

6:30 pm Mourning to Dancing (MPR)
 6:30 pm Women's Book Club (CK)

Tuesday, April 25

9:00 am Paint, Pound & Praise (CK)
 10:15 am Staff Meeting (FH)
 12:00 pm HTLC Food Pantry
 1:00 pm Afternoon Men's Group (CK)
 7:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal (S)

Wednesday, April 26

9:00 am LWR Quilters (FH)
 1:00 pm Care & Compassion Group (Virtual)
 3:30 pm Mill Pond Worship (Offsite)
 6:00 pm 6th & 7th Grade Large Group Confirmation (FH)
 6:00 pm 8th Grade Worship & Small Group Confirmation (S)
 6:00 pm Wednesday Church School (1)
 6:00 pm Worship (S)
 6:15 pm High School Choir Rehearsal (200)
 7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal (200)

7:05 pm Adult Learning (MPR)

Thursday, April 27

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

Saturday, April 29

7:30 am Men's Bible Study (Virtual)
 9:30 am Joan Jackson Visitation (N)
 10:30 am Joan Jackson Funeral (S)

Sunday, April 30

8:30 am Sunday Church School (1)
 8:30 am Worship (S)
 10:00 am Worship (S & online)

Monday, May 1

1:30 pm Pause Group (MPR)

Tuesday, May 2

9:00 am Paint, Pound & Praise (CK)
 10:15 am Staff Meeting (FH)
 12:00 pm HTLC Food Pantry
 1:00 pm Afternoon Men's Group (CK)
 7:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal (S)
 7:00 pm Lydia Bible Study (CK)

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church



Sunday, April 23, 2023 • 8:30 & 10:00 am
 Wednesday, April 26, 2023 • 6:00 pm

Third Sunday of Easter



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! They also need canned meats, canned fruit, toilet paper, paper towels, saltine & oyster crackers, 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. 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 front of the baptismal font. 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 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
Travis Segar	Pastor for Care & Community	tsegar	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
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 the baptisms of Gaike Gerardy and Davis Doig this weekend
- For the baptism of Addison Trau last weekend
- For the wedding of Jim Zuehls & Beverly Havlik last weekend

Thanksgiving for the Saints:

- Gene Olson
- Bob Kayser
- Wayne Akerman
- George & Charles Dvorak

Remember in Prayer:

- Ellen Allen
- Larry Anderson
- Eric Biedermann
- Bill Brubaker, friend of Kristi O'Connor
- Ray Boll, brother-in-law of Annette & Walt Doman
- Davon, friend of Melanie Hartman
- Dan & Ashley Dvorak & family, son of Laine & Marj Dvorak
- Elaine Ehlers
- Chuck Fenner, father of Samantha Dietz
- Jim Frost, son-in-law of Larry & Grace Anderson
- Nancy Hallenbeck

- Lawrence Handlos, friend of Larry & Fran Nielsen
- Connie Heuton, relative of Jen Topp-Segar
- Marv Hitchings, stepfather of Nicole Gade
- Carleton Jackson
- Larry Kramer
- Jim & Sandy Little
- The Derek Lyons family
- Laurel Mader, friend of Deanna Questad
- Lynzee Makowski, friend of Deb Hopkey
- Bill Marrison, friend of Jan Meyer
- Lindsay Mattix, daughter of Jim & Sandy Little
- Mark Murphy
- Cliff Olson, brother of Jerry Olson
- Dave Olsen, brother of Linda Kayser
- Rex & Sue Ondler
- Ardie Pearson
- Jim Schmadeke
- Rick Vande Stroet, uncle of Nicole Hildenbrand-Elgin
- Nick Wimmer, grandson of Anne Knudten
- Michael Wolf, brother of Donna Cottingham
- Grant Woodley, friend of Pastor Travis
- Gene Wyman, friend of Walt & Annette Doman

Comfort for Those Who Mourn:

- Sue Olson & family at the death of her husband, Gene Olson
- Linda Kayser, Mike & Jane Kayser, and their families at the death of their husband and father, Bob Kayser
- Sue & Ron Warner at the death of Sue's father, Wayne Akerman
- Laine & Marj Dvorak at the death of their grandsons, George & Charles Dvorak

✝ Gathering ✝

Prelude

Welcome

***Greeting**

***Thanksgiving for Baptism**

***Gathering Song** • We Are Baptized in Christ Jesus • ELW 451

***Prayer of the Day**

✝ Word ✝

Reading • Acts 2:1-13

Sermon

***Hymn of the Day** • Every Time I Feel the Spirit

Refrain

Ev - 'ry time I feel the spir - it mov - ing
 in my heart, I will pray. Ev - 'ry time I feel the
 spir - it mov - ing in my heart, I will pray.

***Apostles' Creed**

***Prayers of Intercession**

***Peace**

✝ Meal ✝

***Thanksgiving at the Table**

***Lord's Prayer**

Communion Hymn • Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ • ELW 674

✝ Sending ✝

***Blessing**

***Dismissal**

Announcements

Mission & Ministry Opportunities & Events

Communion on Sundays will be served at two stations in the front of the sanctuary. If you have mobility concerns, please sit near the front or alert an usher that you'd like to have communion brought to you in your pew.

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

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>.

A New Member Gathering will be held on Tuesday, May 23, from 6:30-7:30 pm. This is a chance to meet other new members, visit with Pastor Tim & Pastor Travis, and ask questions. If you are interested in attending, contact Lisa Strnad in the office.

Habitat for Humanity Panel Build: Join Ankeny Circle of Faith and Greater Des Moines Habitat for Humanity to build the walls to a future home in just one day! The build will take place at HTLC the morning of June 10. You must be 16+ to volunteer; students ages 16-17 must volunteer with an adult 21+. Register online at <https://bit.ly/htlc-Habitat23>.

Help with the HTLC Vegetable Gardens! HTLC has several garden beds that provide fresh produce for our Food Pantry. We are looking for individuals to help care for the beds this season. Tasks include preparing the soil, planting, weeding, watering, harvesting, and/or fall cleanup; many of these things can be done on your own schedule. If you are interested in helping, contact Carol Williams at ankenywill@mchsi.com.

M&M's for World Hunger Appeal: Our goal is to raise \$7,000 for ELCA World Hunger. If you picked up a tube of M&M's during Lent, please return it to the office or place it in the offering basket as soon as possible. To give online, visit <https://bit.ly/htlc-MM23>.

Synod Revival Registration: The Southeastern Iowa Synod of the ELCA invites you to a one-day event at Grandview University in Des Moines from 10 am-3 pm on Saturday, May 20. This free event is designed to nourish and connect people and to re-imagine our relationships in and with the church. It will be a fun gathering for all ages full of inspiration, worship, and prayer. Register at <https://bit.ly/htlc-Revival23>

Year-End Celebration! On Wednesday, May 10, at 6:00 pm we will celebrate the end of the program year, and everyone is invited! The event begins with worship at 6:00 pm, followed by dinner outside, weather-permitting. Bring a lawn chair if you wish. We will provide pulled pork, buns, and lemonade. Visit <https://bit.ly/potluckparty23> if you are willing to bring a side, salad, or dessert.

The annual USPS "Stamp Out Hunger" Food Drive will be held on Saturday, May 13. HTLC's food pantry will receive much of the food collected in Ankeny. Watch the bulletin and Epistle for information about dates and times you can help sort the food.

Sunday, April 23, 2023

8:30 & 10:00 am

✝ Gathering ✝

Welcome

Prelude

Greeting

8:30 **Sacrament of Holy Baptism** • *Gaige Thomas Gerardy, son of Nick & Jodi Gerardy*

10:00 **Sacrament of Holy Baptism** • *Davis Bradley Doig, son of Andrew & Alyssa Doig*

***Song of Praise** • *This is the Feast* • page 140 in the front of the hymnal

***Prayer of the Day**

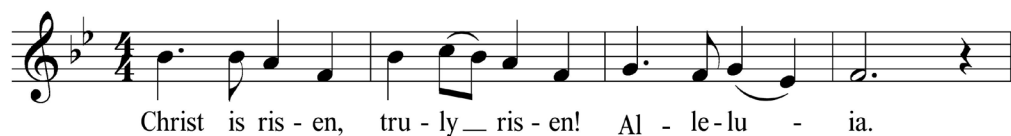
✝ Word ✝

Reading • Acts 2:14a, 36-41

Reading • 1 Peter 1:17-23

***Gospel Acclamation** • *Christ is Risen, Alleluia!* • by James Chepponis

Sing as directed:



***Gospel Reading** • Luke 24:13-35

Sermon

***Hymn of the Day** • *Alleluia! Jesus is Risen* • ELW 377 • verses 1-3

***Prayers of Intercession**

***Peace**

Offering • *The offering is received*

8:30 *In the Breaking of the Bread* • by Zebulon M. Highben • *Adult Choir*

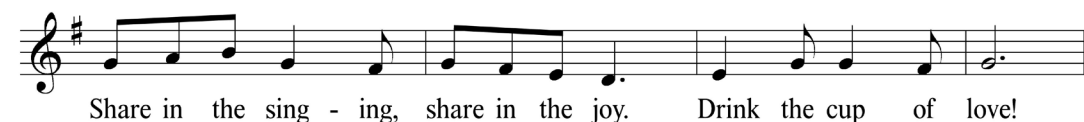
10:00 *Thine Is The Glory* • arr. John Netten • *John Netten, piano*

✝ Meal ✝

***Thanksgiving at the Table** • page 144 in the front of the hymnal

***Lord's Prayer**

Communion Song • *Come to the Banquet* • *Sing as directed:*



Communion Hymn • *Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ* • ELW 674

✝ Sending ✝

***Prayer After Communion**

***Blessing**

***Sending Song** • *Rise, O Church, Like Christ Arisen* • ELW 548 • verses 1 & 2

***Dismissal**

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