## 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 24
8:30 am Sunday Church School (2)
8:30 am Worship (S)
10:00 am Worship (S & Online)
11:00 am Special Congregational Meeting (S)

### Monday, April 25
6:30 pm Women's Book Club (CK)

### Tuesday, April 26
9:00 am Willing Workers & 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 27
9:00 am LWR Quilters (FH)
1:00 pm Care & Compassion Group (Virtual)
5:00 pm Dinner: Walking Tacos (FH)
6:00 pm 6th & 7th Grade Confirmation in worship (S)
6:00 pm 8th Grade Confirmation (FH)
6:00 pm Men's Group (MPR)
6:00 pm Wednesday Church School (2)
6:00 pm Wednesday Night Worship (S)
7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal (200)
7:05 pm Adult Learning: Entering the Divine Presence (201 & Virtual)
7:30 pm High School Ministry (MPR)

### Thursday, April 28
6:30 am Son Seekers - Men's Ministries (CK)

### Friday, April 29
No events scheduled

### Saturday, April 30
7:30 am Men's Bible Study (Virtual)

### Sunday, May 1
8:30 am Sunday Church School (2)
8:30 am Worship (S)
10:00 am Worship (S & Online)
4:30 pm Family Promise Hosting

### Monday, May 2
4:30 pm Family Promise Hosting

### Tuesday, May 3
9:00 am Willing Workers & Paint, Pound & Praise (CK)
10:00 am WOW-Widows or Widowers Gathering at Perkins
10:15 am Staff Meeting (FH)
12:00 pm HTLC Food Pantry
1:00 pm Afternoon Men's Group (CK)
4:30 pm Family Promise Hosting
7:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal (S)
7:00 pm Lydia Evening Bible Study (Virtual)

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.

# Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Sunday, April 24, 2022 • 8:30 & 10:00 am
Wednesday, April 27 • 6:00 pm

2nd Week 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.*

Reconciling in Christ

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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 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 |
| 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 the birth of Levi Beck to JoJo & Adam Martinac
- For Pastor Marcia Kisner for her ministry to the homebound and residents of Mill Pond
- For the musicians and volunteers who participated in and helped with Holy Week and Easter worship
- For those working for peace

## Thanksgiving for the Saints:

- Gary Whitehead
- Bev Nelson
- June Stoermer

## Healing and Health Concerns:

- Scott Aber, nephew of Cyndi Olson
- Afghan Refugees in Iowa
- Tammie Anderson, friend of Larry & Barb Dunlavy
- Asta & Arlen Twedt's friends in Ukraine
- Erin, Gavin, & Blythe Beaumont, friends of Kristi O'Connor
- Beth Biedermann Barnett, daughter of Eric & Carolyn Biedermann
- Bob Comstock
- Fritz Dunlavy, sister-in-law of Barb & Larry Dunlavy
- Sondra Dyer, relative of Karen Dyer
- Galen Ellsberry, nephew of Joan Dietz
- Caroline Godfrey, daughter of Herb & Anne Knudten
- Les Greaves
- Ivy Hockinson
- 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
- Scott Smith
- Midge Stanley, friend of Janet Wee
- Students, staff, and families at East High School
- Jane Timm, friend of Karen Dyer
- Joel Twardokus, uncle of Desiray Walker
- Nick Wimmer, grandson of Herb & Anne Knudten

## Comfort for Those Who Mourn:

- Ed & Becky Dieleman at the death of Ed's brother-in-law, Gary Whitehead
- Lynn Nelson and family at the death of his mother, Bev Nelson
- Ashlyn, Halle, & Piper Stoermer at the death of their great-grandmother, June Stoermer

# Wednesday, April 27, 2022

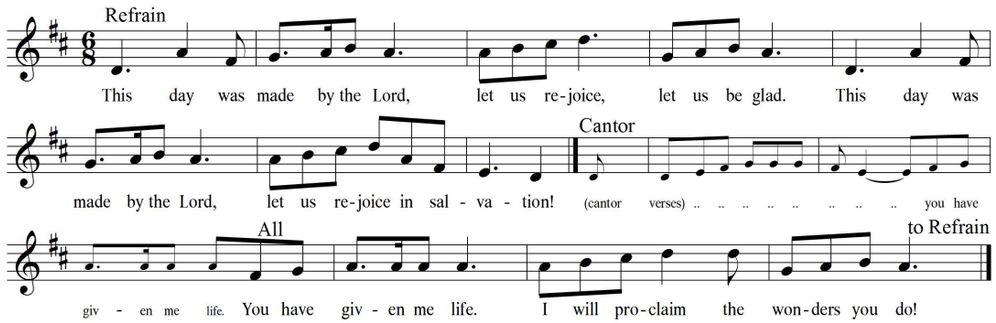
6:00 pm

## ✝ Gathering ✝

***Greeting**

***Confession & Forgiveness**

***Gathering Song** • This Day Was Made by the Lord

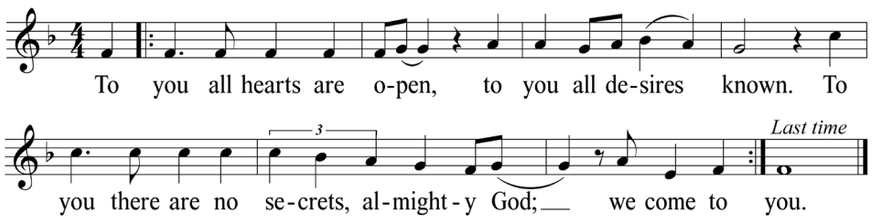



***Prayer of the Day**

## ✝ Word ✝

**Reading** • 1 John 1:8-9

**Sermon**

***Hymn of the Day** • To You All Hearts are Open

***Apostles' Creed & Prayers of Intercession**

***Peace**

## ✝ Meal ✝

***Thanksgiving at the Table**

***Lord's Prayer**

**Communion Hymn** • We Come with Joy • ELW 482

## ✝ 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).

**A Congregational Meeting will be held Sunday, April 24,** in the Sanctuary immediately following the 10:00 service. The purpose of this meeting is to elect a Call Committee and present governance changes that will be voted upon at the annual meeting on May 22. Please plan to attend.

**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*.

**Wednesday Adult Learning resumes** on April 27 at 7:05 pm. The four-part series entitled "Entering the Divine Presence" will offer an introduction to Christian Mysticism and contemplation. Instead of gathering knowledge about God, mysticism explores cultivating relationship with God. Not everyone is a mystic, but everyone can grow in faith through the practices and approaches of mysticism. The class will be offered in-person (Room 201) and virtually via Zoom. Contact Pastor Tim with questions or for the Zoom link.

**Volunteers Needed for Family Promise** for our next host week, May 1-8. Hosting will take place at HTLC. We need people to set up, clean up, cook, drive the van, and serve as evening and overnight hosts. Sign up at the Red Wall or online at *http://bit.ly/htlc-FPMay22* by April 24. Contact Carlie Fitzgerald at *Carliefitzgerald@me.com* or Scott Hamilton at *uskedaddle@gmail.com* with questions.

**Register for VBS!** Vacation Bible School is the weekend of July 15-17. The theme is "Tree of Health" and families are invited to participate in the weekend events. Activities will include hands-on learning and even a visit from a seeing-eye dog! Visit *https://bit.ly/htlc-VBS22* to learn more about the schedule and to register.

**The Widows Or Widowers (WOW) Group** will meet at Perkins for a time of fellowship at 10:00 am on Tuesday, May 3.

**USPS Food Drive May 14:** On Saturday, May 14, the USPS will hold their annual "Stamp Out Hunger" food drive, and many of the items will be given to the HTLC Food Pantry. We need people to help sort the food on Saturday, Sunday, and Monday. For more information and to sign up to help, visit *https://bit.ly/htlc-food22*.

**Year-End Celebration!** On Wednesday, May 11, at 6:00 pm we will celebrate the end of the program year! Everyone is invited, including church school/confirmation/high school students and their families, Adult Choir members, and anyone else who wants to attend. The event will begin 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/htlc-party22* if you are willing to bring a side, salad, or dessert.

# Sunday, April 24, 2022

8:30 & 10:00 am

## ✢ Gathering ✢

**Welcome**

**Prelude**

***Greeting**

***Kyrie** • *page 98 in the front of the hymnal*

***Song of Praise** • This is the Feast of Victory for Our God • *page 101 in the front of the hymnal*

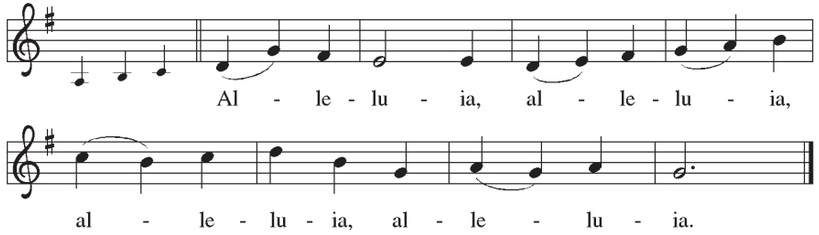
***Prayer of the Day**

## ✢ Word ✢

**Readings**

Acts 5:27-32

Revelation 1:4-8

***Gospel Acclamation** • Alleluia • *page 102 in the front of the hymnal*

**Gospel Reading** • John 20:19-31

**Sermon**

***Hymn of the Day** • Thine Is The Glory • ELW 376

***Apostles' Creed**

***Prayers of Intercession**

***Peace**

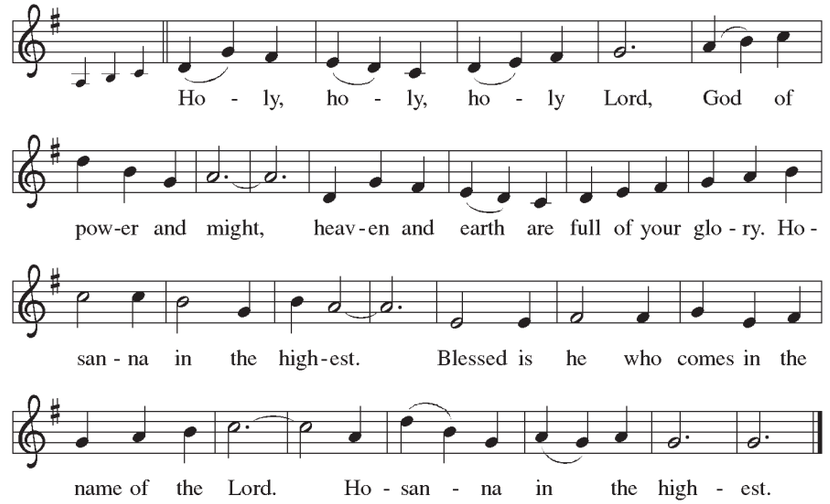
**Gift of Music** • I Will Pray • arr. James Michael Stevens • *Pat Zimmer, flute*

## ✢ Meal ✢

***Thanksgiving at the Table** • *page 107 in the front of the hymnal*



***Holy**

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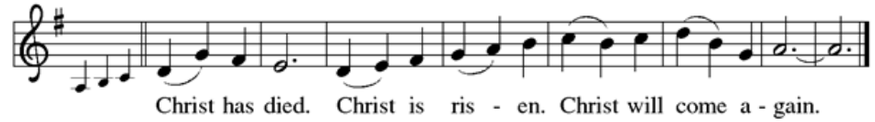
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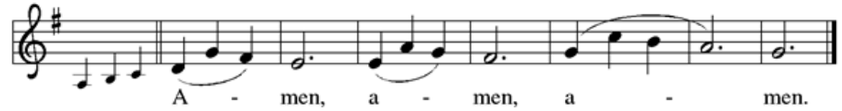
***Lord's Prayer**

***Invitation to Communion**

**Gift of Music** • In the Garden • arr. James Michael Stevens • *Pat Zimmer, flute*

***Prayer After Communion**

## ✢ Sending ✢

***Blessing**

***Sending Song** • Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing! • ELW 385 • *verses 1 & 4*

*8:30* ***Dismissal**

*10:00* **Congregational Meeting**

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