

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

April 25, 2021

Fourth Weekend of Easter



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 Reconciling in Christ

Welcome to Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Our Mission: Share God's Love



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 open 9:00 am-3:00 pm, Monday-Thursday. Friday hours are by appointment only. All staff members are available to communicate via email; see the staff directory in this bulletin for individual email addresses. Visit <http://bit.ly/htlc-Covid> for more information about the phases and metrics used in our response to the pandemic.

Easter 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 May 16. You can help by visiting <http://bit.ly/htlc-Hunger21> to donate and to learn more about our Easter Hunger Project.

Pastor Pam is on sabbatical until July 6. We wish her the best during her time of study and relaxation. She will not be checking her email or voice mail during her absence.

Our food pantry needs canned chicken, canned fruit, canned beans, toilet paper, paper towels, peanut butter, and recently-purchased meat in one-pound packages. We also need clean, used plastic grocery bags. If you have perishable items to donate, please contact Lisa Strnad in the office to find out if we have the capacity to store those items before bringing them to the pantry. Donations are accepted during regular office hours (Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm). 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.

Make Cookies for the FreeStore! The FreeStore is requesting cookies to distribute to clients when they move into their new homes. They ask that the cookies be kid-friendly and nut-free. Package six cookies or bars in Ziploc freezer bags and label with the flavor and date. Deliver the cookies (may be frozen) to the church during office hours. No need to sign up; they would like to receive several dozen cookies per week.

Small Groups of 25 or less may meet at Holy Trinity if your group desires. Masks are required and distancing is expected. Groups may meet in the Cafe, Multi-purpose room, and Fellowship Hall. To schedule a time for your group to meet, contact Lisa in the office.

Help with Family Promise! Our next host week will be June 20-27. We are tentatively planning to host at Holy Trinity. We will need people to help with set up, clean up, and meals; we also need van drivers, evening hosts, and overnight hosts. Sign up online at <http://bit.ly/htlc-FPJune21>. Contact Carlie Fitzgerald at Carliefitzgerald@me.com or Scott Hamilton at uskedaddle@gmail.com with questions.

A Parking Lot Communion Worship Service will be held at HTLC on Sunday, May 16, at 10:00 am. The service will broadcast through your car radio on 87.7 FM; it is also available through Spotify, iHeart Radio, the HTLC App, and our website. Sign up online at <http://bit.ly/htlc-May16worship> or contact Krista Gerth by email or phone so we can plan accordingly. Please indicate the number of passengers you expect to receive communion in your vehicle. Contact Pastor Tim with questions.

Submit Your Pledge to Give This Year - God has given us much; blessed us with abundance. God has also called us to do much with what we have received. We ask that you submit your "plan to give" because we are preparing our budget and planning how to conduct our ministry this year. Please log in to your Realm account to make your commitment by May 3. Visit <https://www.holytrinityankeny.org/give-online.html> for instructions on how to submit your pledge for giving, or pick up a paper copy inside the north entrance.

Habitat for Humanity Rock the Block & Panel Build Join Holy Trinity and other Ankeny churches for Rock the Block and the annual Panel Build! Sign up at <http://bit.ly/htlc-rock21> to help with Ankeny Rock the Block on June 10 & 11 (location TBD). Visit <http://bit.ly/htlc-build21> to sign up for the June 12 Panel Build at Holy Trinity.

Prayer Concerns

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

Thanksgiving to God:

- For the baptism of Everett Otto Hyler this week
- For the marriage of Emily Murtha and Bradley Brue last weekend
- For health care workers, researchers, and those providing essential services

Thanksgiving for the Saints:

- Janice Duehr
- George Shidler
- Sue Johnston

Healing and Health Concerns:

- Ken & Linda Aeikens
- Lisa Bennett
- Bob and family, friends of Janet Gross
- Sarah Boury
- Renee Cavanaugh, sister of Cyndi Olson
- Jill Curry, niece of Larry & Fran Nielsen
- Devin, Zarah, and baby
- 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
- Carla Greiner
- Wendell Harms, friend of Kathryn Duffy

- Jane Heinsen, friend of Jim & Jan Meyer
- Brian Hines, son of Lorraine Hines
- Marilyn Kasperbauer, aunt of Krista Gerth
- John & Laura Locher, brother of Anne Knudten
- Deb Markert, friend of Lisa Cole
- DuWayne McDaniel
- Diane McDonald
- Marlene Miller
- Joe Mohr, nephew of Bruce & Mary Eller
- Alan Muehlenthaler, son of Shirley Muehlenthaler
- Shirley Muehlenthaler
- Myrna Murphy
- Cyndi Olson
- Kim Pfaltzgraff, friend of Kristi O'Connor
- Jennifer Pigg Osa, friend of Larry & Fran Nielsen
- Bill Pohlmann, brother of Kathryn Duffy
- Savannah and Joe, friends of Janet Fisher
- Shirley Rod
- Bishop Craig Satterlee, friend of Pastor Tim
- Cathy Secoy, friend of the Maronn family
- Kathy Stim, friend of Pastor Tim
- Dick Webb, friend of Vic Anderson
- Emily Weers, daughter of Marlene & Rick Miller
- Marilyn Wendel, mother of Jeff Wendel
- Chuck & Martha Wilson
- Nick Wimmer, grandson of Herb & Anne Knudten
- Samantha Witten

Comfort for Those Who Mourn:

- LeAnn & Chuck DeVries at the death of LeAnn's mother, Janice Duehr
- Rachel Shidler and family at the death of her husband, George Shidler
- Jim & Lisa Tagye at the death of their sister-in-law, Sue Johnston

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.

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.

Sunday, April 25, 2021

✠ Gathering ✠

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Song of Praise • Alleluia! Jesus is Risen! • ELW 377 • verses 1, 2 & 4

Prayer of the Day

✠ Word ✠

Readings

Acts 4:5-12

Psalm 23

1 John 3:16-24

Gift of Music • Nearer My God to Thee • arr. Tom Trenney • *Mark Bjorklund, tenor*

John 10:11-18

Sermon Pastor Tim Olson

Hymn of the Day • The King of Love My Shepherd Is • ELW 502 • verses 1, 4 & 6

Apostles' Creed

Sacrament of Holy Baptism • Everett Otto Hyler, son of Andrew & Kayse Hyler

Prayers of Intercession

Lord's Prayer

✠ Sending ✠

Blessing

Sending Song • Day of Arising • ELW 374 • verses 1, 2 & 4

Dismissal