

## 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, May 15

8:30 am Worship (S)  
10:00 am Worship (S & Online)  
11:00 am Post Office Food Drive Sorting (FH)

### Monday, May 16

1:30 pm Post Office Food Drive Sorting (FH)

### Tuesday, May 17

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)  
6:30 pm Journey Through Grief (FH)

### Wednesday, May 18

9:00 am LWR Quilters (FH)  
6:00 pm Men's Group (MPR)  
7:05 pm Adult Learning: Entering the Divine Presence (201 & Online)

### Thursday, May 19

6:30 am Son Seekers - Men's Ministries (CK)  
1:00 pm Knitting Group (MPR)  
6:30 pm Council Meeting (201)

### Saturday, May 21

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

### Sunday, May 22

8:30 am Worship (S)  
10:00 am Worship (S & Online)  
11:00 am Annual Meeting (S)

### Monday, May 23

6:30 pm Women's Book Club (CK)

### Tuesday, May 24

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)

### Wednesday, May 25

9:00 am LWR Quilters (FH)  
1:00 pm Care & Compassion Group (Virtual)  
6:00 pm Men's Group (MPR)

### Thursday, May 26

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

# Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Sunday, May 15, 2022 • 8:30 & 10:00 am

5<sup>th</sup> 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.*



Holy Trinity  
Food Pantry

**Our food pantry needs** saltine & oyster crackers, canned soup, 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. 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 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 baptism of Henry David Bray last weekend
- For the church school students and volunteers

### Thanksgiving for the Saints:

- Russ Heinzerling
- Diana Houge
- Wenonah Berkland
- Drew Gibson

### Healing and Health Concerns:

- Scott Aber, nephew of Cyndi Olson
- Tammie Anderson, friend of Larry & Barb Dunlavy
- Asta & Arlen Twedt's friends in Ukraine
- Beth Biedermann Barnett, daughter of Eric & Carolyn Biedermann
- Eric Biedermann
- Verna Brandt, mother of Roxanne Rathje
- Bob Comstock
- Fritz Dunlavy, sister-in-law of Barb & Larry Dunlavy
- Galen Ellsberry, nephew of Joan Dietz
- Jim Frost, son-in-law of Larry & Grace Anderson

- Rob & Deanne Gibson, daughter of Ed Dieleman
- Caroline Godfrey, daughter of Herb & Anne Knudten
- Ivy Hockinson
- Greg Kayser, brother of Bob Kayser
- Charlotte Kemp, mother of Karen Glock
- Katie Kendall
- John & Laura Locher, brother of Anne Knudten
- Jim Meyer, husband of Jan Meyer
- Marlene Miller
- Shirley Muehlenthaler
- Dave Reinders, friend of Lisa Strnad
- Scott Smith
- Midge Stanley, friend of Janet Wee
- Students, staff, and families at East High School
- Jane Timm, friend of Karen Dyer
- Jim Twedt, brother-in-law of Marty & Roxanne Rathje
- Cindy VanderZyl, friend of Sue Ondler
- Nick Wimmer, grandson of Herb & Anne Knudten
- Grace Zihlman, friend of Michael French

### Comfort for Those Who Mourn:

- Pam Heinzerling and family at the death of her husband, Russ Heinzerling
- The family and friends of Diana Houge
- Bergetta & John Beardsley and family at the death of Bergetta's mother, Wenonah Berkland
- Ed & Becky Dieleman and family at the death of Ed's grandson, Drew Gibson

# Register for Vacation Bible School!

## Announcements

### Mission & Ministry Opportunities & Events



Vacation Bible School is the weekend of July 15-17. The theme is “Tree of Healing” 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.

**Worship In-Person or Online!** Worship in-person on Sundays at 8:30 & 10:00 am. We live stream the 10:00 service 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).

**The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held Sunday, May 22,** in the sanctuary at 11:00 am. We will approve the 2022-23 budget, elect new leadership, and vote on changes to our governing documents. Please plan to attend. View the annual report online at <https://bit.ly/htlc-report2022> or pick up a copy in the Narthex.

**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>.

**USPS Food Drive Sorting:** This weekend HTLC’s food pantry received food from the USPS “Stamp Out Hunger” food drive. We need people to help sort the food on Sunday (May 15) after 10:00 worship and Monday at 1:30 pm. For more information, visit <https://bit.ly/htlc-food22>. Meet in the Fellowship Hall - all ages welcome!

**Love Lunches** returns to Sunset Park this summer! HTLC is responsible for providing volunteers June 2-16 and August 8-9. For information or to sign up for those weeks, visit <https://bit.ly/LoveLunch22>.

**Love Lunches is requesting donations** of non-perishable items (individually-wrapped crackers, granola bars, and fruit/applesauce cups) and grocery gift cards (Sam’s Club, Fareway, Aldi, or Hy-Vee). Bring donations to the church office.

**Join Holy Trinity’s NEW Church Directory!** Watch your inbox for weekly emails to learn how to add your household to the new Church Directory. Or, call the church office if you don’t have email. We will add you to the directory.

**Senior Blessing Next Weekend:** Both worship services next weekend (May 22) will include a blessing for high school seniors. Please plan to attend with your student!

**Adopt a Flower Bed!** We have several beautiful flower beds around the building that need to be weeded on occasion. We would like to have individuals or families “adopt” a flower bed and weed and/or water it throughout the summer. This can be done on your own schedule as needed. If you are willing to help, contact Krista Gerth in the office.

**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.

**Help with Worship!** We need readers and communion servers every Sunday. If you’re interested in helping, sign up online at <http://bit.ly/htlc-WorshipHelp> or at the white board in the Narthex. If you’re willing to serve on an usher team, as a sound tech, or would like to help with fellowship or communion set-up & clean-up, contact Krista Gerth in the office.

**Sunday, May 15, 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**

10:00 **Gift of Music** • They'll Know We Are Christians • arr. Lloyd Larson • Grades 9-12  
Choir; Jill Bjorklund, director

✠ **Word** ✠

**Readings**

Acts 11:1-18

Revelation 21:1-6

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

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

**Gospel Reading** • John 13:31-35

**Sermon**

**\*Hymn of the Day** • Great God, Your Love Has Called Us Here • ELW 358 •  
verses 1, 3 & 5

**\*Apostles' Creed**

**\*Prayers of Intercession**

**\*Peace**

**Gift of Music** • Kum Ba Yah • arr. John F. Wilson • *Handbell Ensemble*

✠ **Meal** ✠

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

**\*Holy**

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of  
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
san - na in the high - est. Blessed is he who comes in the  
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

**\*Christ Has Died**

Christ has died. Christ is ris - en. Christ will come a - gain.

**\*Amen**

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

**\*Lord's Prayer & Invitation to Communion**

**Communion Music** • Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence • arr. Bill Ingram • *Handbell Ensemble*

**\*Prayer After Communion**

✠ **Sending** ✠

**\*Blessing**

**\*Sending Song** • Alleluia! Jesus is Risen! • ELW 377 • verses 1 & 4

**\*Dismissal**