

# April 13, 2025 THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

Sunday, April 13, 8:30 am Bible Study, Conference Room  
Sunday, April 13, 9:30 am Traditional Palm Sunday Worship Service & Livestream, Sanctuary  
Sunday, April 13, 10:40 am Adult Sunday School, Fellowship Hall  
Sunday, April 13, 10:40 am Sunday School (Pre-K-5th), Classroom #4 (basement)  
Sunday, April 13, 10:40 am Confirmation Class, Youth Room (upstairs)  
Sunday, April 13, 10:40 am High School Sunday School, TLC Library  
Sunday, April 13, 11:30 am Trinity Orchestra Rehearsal, Music Room  
Monday, April 14, 6:00 pm Women's Night Out, Perkins  
Tuesday, April 15, 9:30 am Bible Study, Social Room (upstairs)  
Tuesday, April 15, 10:00 am Staff Meeting, Conference Room  
Tuesday, April 15, 11:30 am Handbells Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
Wednesday, April 16, 1:30 pm Naomi/Deborah Bible Study, Conference Room  
Wednesday, April 16, 7:15 am Prayer Group, Conference Room  
Wednesday, April 16, 7:00 pm Trinity Choir Rehearsal, Music Room  
Thursday, April 17, 6:30 pm Maundy Thursday Evening Service, Sanctuary  
Friday, April 18, 6:30 pm Good Friday Evening Service, Sanctuary

## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 13, 9:30 am - Palm Sunday Service, Sanctuary  
Thursday, April 17, 7 pm - Maundy Thursday Service, Sanctuary  
Friday, April 18, 7 pm - Good Friday Evening Service, Sanctuary  
Sunday, April 20, 6:30 am - Sunrise Easter Service, Inner Courtyard  
Sunday, April 20, 7:00 - 9:00 am - Easter Breakfast, Fellowship Hall (*\*see back for more info\**)  
Sunday, April 20, 9:00 - 9:15 am - Youth Hide Easter Eggs, (meet in Narthex)  
Sunday, April 20, 9:30 am - Traditional Easter Service & Livestream, Sanctuary  
Sunday, April 20, 10:35 am - Toddler/Children's Easter Egg Hunt, (meet in Narthex)  
Sunday, April 20, 10:40 am - All Children/Youth Sunday School & Music Rehearsals Cancelled  
Monday, April 21, all day - TLC Offices Closed for Easter Monday

## ✝ FROM PASTOR ✝

During Holy Week, we enter the final stretch of our Lenten pilgrimage to the cross and empty tomb. For many, the solemnity of Holy Week is an opportunity for spiritual renewal and growth amid the busyness and distractions of everyday life.

This year, our Holy Week services will begin at 7:00 p.m. on **Maundy Thursday** (April 17) as we gather to commemorate the Last Supper, hear Jesus' command "to love one another just as I have loved you," and sit in silent reflection as Psalm 22 is read during the stripping of the altar.

On **Good Friday** (April 18), we will gather again at 7:00 p.m., trusting God's promise of life even as death casts its dark shadow. The worship service, penitential in nature, confronts us with the pain of Jesus' suffering and death as we gather together at the foot of the cross. Though somber, Good Friday is also liberating, for it invites us to bring our burdens, our pain, our suffering, and our sin to the cross, trusting that the one who died so that we might live meets us there, offering healing, reconciliation, and new life.

On April 20, the silence of Saturday gives way to the joyous Alleluias of Easter morning. This year, we will offer two worship opportunities - a 6:30 a.m. **Easter Sunrise service** in Trinity's courtyard and 9:30 a.m. **Easter Communion** service in the sanctuary. Please note that an **Easter breakfast** will be served in the fellowship hall from 7:00 - 9:00 a.m., with an Easter Egg hunt for children starting at 10:35 a.m. (Confirmation and High School students will hide eggs at 9:00 a.m.).

Please consider inviting friends, neighbors, or family members to join you in meaningful opportunities during Holy Week to experience the God who is for us in all of life – for our liberation, for our healing, for our wholeness.

In Christ's Service,

Pastor Jon



### Welcome!



Trinity Lutheran Church is "a place of grace with a call for all to continue the work of Jesus!" We are committed to seeing Christ in everyone.

As a Reconciling in Christ congregation, we celebrate our human family's diversity of race, ethnicity, age, faith history, economic status, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity, education, physical and mental abilities. We are united in Christ and our growth is nurtured by embracing our differences.

We invite all people to grow with us toward greater love, understanding, and mutual respect.

### Pastor's Contact Info:

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If you would like to sponsor **Altar Flowers** or the **Radio Broadcast** in



honor or memory of someone special please follow the QR code or contact the office for a list of available dates. Thank you for your help!

### Safety Notice:

If ever needed, our **AED** (Defibrillator) is located on the north wall across from the courtyard. **First Aid kits** are in left drawers of the office copier room, both kitchens, in the sanctuary entrance usher closet, and in the basement Nursery.

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9:30 a.m. Livestream  
[www.tlclawrence.org](http://www.tlclawrence.org)  
and 11:00 a.m. Radio Broadcast on KLWN  
1320 AM and 101.7 FM

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## — Opportunities to “Reach Out”—

### \* Easter Breakfast Help Needed \*

Our Congregational Easter Breakfast will be held in the newly blessed Susanne Shaw Fellowship Hall from 7:00 - 9:00 am (between the Sunrise Service and 9:30 Traditional Service). While the meal itself (breakfast casseroles) is going to be catered, we do have many opportunities for our TLC family to help with the meal.

Please email [kate@tlclawrence.org](mailto:kate@tlclawrence.org) with your availability if you can volunteer to help with kitchen duties, and/or if you'd be interested in contributing some breakfast “sides” such as fresh fruit or coffee cake. *If you plan on bringing a side, please have everything chopped/sliced/prepped in advance and label any dishes to be returned with tape. There's no need to bring serving utensils - we have plenty!*



### FAMILY PROMISE NEEDS YOU!

Our next week for hosting Family Promise is April 13 - April 19. We will again provide hosts and meals for guests on four nights (SuMFSa). Currently, there are 3 families staying at the Mt. Hope location. That means we will need more help with providing food.

There is a signup sheet in the gathering space, or this link to our Sign Up Genius: <https://tinyurl.com/pg8udgk4>

### TLC Leadership and Volunteer Positions to fill for 2025:

Have you felt a desire to get to know more people here at TLC, a nudge from the Holy Spirit to experience the fulfillment that only comes with service for our God, congregation, and community? Or perhaps you are new to Trinity, and haven't yet found a way to become more involved in the fabric of our church body?

**We have opportunities for you! Please consider one of the following and contact the church office to learn more:**

[Property Committee Chair](#), [Usher Schedule Coordinator](#), [LINK Coordinator](#), [Ushers/Greeters](#)

### Acolytes and Crucifers Needed!

There is no age requirement, but you need to be able to:

- 1) carry the candles
- 2) carry the cross



If you can do any one of these things, you qualify! Questions? Contact Annielaurie Seifert at: (785) 865-6512 or [als7152@gmail.com](mailto:als7152@gmail.com)

You can fill in open spots on the paper sheet at the Gathering Space Sign-Up Shelf, or by checking in with Annielaurie.



**ADULT BIBLE STUDY:** regularly 10:45 - 11:45 am Sundays in the Fellowship Hall

APRIL 13 -- The women who went to Jesus' tomb on Easter experienced heartbreak, fear, remembrance, and, unfortunately, disbelief by the apostles. What do you experience on Easter Sunday? (Luke 24:1-12).

APRIL 20 -- TBD

- Pr. Randy



We are in need of more **Radio Broadcast** sponsorships for 2025. Please follow the QR code to see the available slots.



Please note that the cost of **Altar Flowers** will be raising to \$70/week in response to increasing supply issues faced by small retail businesses nationwide.



### Midweek Lenten Soup Suppers 2025 have ended.

Thank you to everyone who attended and everyone who provided food. The groups that hosted were: Worship and Music Committee, Council, Learning Committee, Choir, and Stephen's Ministers. We had 20-36 people in attendance. And we learned about all the worship assistants who contribute to our meaningful worship experience--the ministry of the baptized.

### Save the Date - WELCA Sale:

Women of the ELCA will have their Bake, Bloom & Book Sale from 8:00 am - 12:00 pm on May 9 & 10 in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring gently used books and puzzles, as well as baked goods and plants. Contact Karen Sanders with any questions: (785) 615-9595.



### New Members:

Please email Jodie at [tlcoffice@tlclawrence.org](mailto:tlcoffice@tlclawrence.org) and Pastor Jon at [pastorjon@tlclawrence.org](mailto:pastorjon@tlclawrence.org) regarding your **new or previously pending membership**, to make sure we have your names, individual or family photo, and contact info.

## PRAYERS NEEDED

We share in heartfelt praise and offer prayers of thanksgiving for the arrival of Pastor Jon Brudvig and Jodie Garcia (Office Manager) as new additions to our church body and teams here at Trinity. May God bless them with abundant fulfillment, care, and a joyous welcome from our TLC family. We look forward to the chapter to come with great optimism, anticipation, and gratitude for their service and responses to God's call.

### Those ill, injured, or in need of support

**Members:** Julie & Gary Crowe, Julie Holmberg, Kris Johnson, Julie Schmidt, Jerry Meuschke, Carolyn Wise, Barbara Kurtz, Kelly Cooper, Joe Box, Ed Lehman, Jere McElhaney, Webb & Anna Hecker, Martha Rowe

**Relatives or friends of members:** Lavella Longmire (friend of Betsy Hoke), Janet Fike (friend of Janet Ross), Hezekiah and Sedeqe (grandchildren of Karen Hickey), Colette Rieck (friend of Susan Hires), Jena Hoffman (cousin of Kevin Boatright), Mary McNemee (mother of Matt McNemee), Tylee (granddaughter of Charles Baars), David Hickey (Former husband of Karen Hickey), Lena (friend of Lynn and Jennifer Krusemark), Beverly Kiesling (sister-in-law of Kathy Buffington), Jake Hecker (son of Anna & Webb Hecker), Susan (a visitor of Trinity), Anna Wilder (mother of Derek Wilder), Ron Arsenalt (friend of Julie Crowe), Dennis Bean (brother-in-law of Annielaurie Seifert), Karen McCarley Wallace (friend of Julie Crowe), Glynda Behrens (friend of Kathy Buffington), Joyce Lancaster (niece of Barb Bishop)

After 3 months, names will be removed from the prayer list unless you ask us to keep your name on the list.

To add prayer listing requests, request a visit or call, or to report births, hospitalizations, or deaths, contact the Church Office at 785-843-4150 or [tlcoffice@tlclawrence.org](mailto:tlcoffice@tlclawrence.org).

For prayer chain requests, contact Ruth Sarna at: [rsarna@sunflower.com](mailto:rsarna@sunflower.com) or (785) 842-0230.

