

March 19, 2023

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

Sunday, March 19, 8:30 a.m. Bible Study, Conference Room
Sunday, March 19, 9:00 a.m. American Sign Language (ASL) class, Library
Sunday, March 19, 9:30 a.m. Livestream Service, Sanctuary
Sunday, March 19, 10:30 a.m. Adult Forum, Fellowship Hall
Sunday, March 19, 10:30 a.m. Sunday School, Chapel
Sunday, March 19, 10:30 a.m. Confirmation, Youth Room
Sunday, March 19, 11:45 a.m. Handbell Choir, Sanctuary
Monday, March 20, 6:30 p.m. Men's Night Out, Perkins
Monday, March 20, 6:30 p.m. Finance Meeting, Conference Room
Tuesday, March 21, 9:30 a.m. Bible Study, Conference Room
Tuesday, March 21, 5:00 p.m. Social Concerns Meeting, Conference Room
Wednesday, March 22, 7:15 a.m. Prayer Group, Chapel
Wednesday, March 22, 9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting, Conference Room
Wednesday, March 22, 10:00 a.m. Prayer Group, Zoom
Wednesday, March 22, 6:30 p.m. Lenten Evening Service, Chapel
Wednesday, March 22, 7:00 p.m. TLC Choir Rehearsal, Music Room
Saturday, March 25, 9:00 a.m. TLC Congregational and Property Spring Cleaning

Planning Ahead for Easter here at TLC!

4/6 Thursday: 7 pm—Maundy Thursday Evening Service
4/7 Friday: 7 pm—Good Friday Evening Service
4/8 Saturday: 4-6 pm—Option to drop off items for Sunday Brunch, Kitchen/Fellowship Hall
4/9 Sunday: 7 am—Sunrise Service at South Park Gazebo (bring lawn chairs!)
8-10:45 am—Easter Brunch, “come and go”, Fellowship Hall
9:00 am—TLC Youth arrive to hide eggs, meet in Chapel
9:30—Traditional Service
10:35—Sunday School Egg Hunt, meet in Chapel
11:00—Traditional Service



The TLC property committee would like to invite all able and willing to gather in a facility spring cleaning. We are hoping everyone can gather on Saturday, March 25th at 9:00 a.m., for some outdoor cleanup around the church and parsonage, as well as some cleanup and minor maintenance on the inside of the church. Some tools will be available, but if there is a particular job you wish to do, it would be help if you brought your own tools (i.e. raking leaves; bring a rake).

If you have any questions please contact Matt McNemee or property manager, Kevin Cooper. Rainouts will be scheduled as needed. Hope to see you all there.

- Matthew McNemee
TLC property chair



FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Friends,

Let's prepare for Holy Week and Easter in at least two ways.

#1 Who in your world would appreciate an invitation to the MAUNDY THURSDAY and GOOD FRIDAY services at 7 P.M., and EASTER Services at 7, 9:30 and 11:00 A.M. THE 3rd ANNUAL EASTER SUNRISE @ SOUTH PARK is an especially good worship service for people not from a Lutheran background or who haven't been in church for a while –dress warmly and bring seating and blankets. The breakfast follows (inside) at 8.

#2 BIG SPRING CLEAN, SATURDAY MARCH 25, 9 A.M. Interior and exterior! In touring every square inch of this wonderful facility with the building consultant recommended to us by our Central State Synod, I was reminded again what a yeoman's task Kevin Cooper has each week maintaining our building and grounds. Have you noticed the refinished doors and baseboards throughout the church? Bring your lawn tools, towels, sprays, and dusters. Are there a couple of folks who would like to tackle the kitchen and altar areas? A dumpster will be available to dispose of big box TVs and things like the VHS tapes in the sacristy.

Renewing, Rejoicing and Reaching Out!

Pastor Jeff



This Sunday's Radio Broadcast is sponsored by Sandy Cooper.

New Members

We hope to formally receive new members on May 14! Please speak or email Pastor Jeff for more information.

jwalvestad@yahoo.com

To assist the church office with the Announcements going forward, please email any edits and additions to **both** Megan at tlcoffice@tlclawrence.org and Kate at kate@tlclawrence.org.

REMINDER: Just a reminder that we support the Trinity Episcopal Church Food Bank in its mission to provide food to hungry people in our community. We have a basket in the hall outside the office for non-perishable food items.

9:30 a.m. Livestream
www.tlclawrence.org
and

11:00 a.m. Radio Broadcast
on KLWN 1320 AM 101.7 FM

If you're interested in Sponsoring Altar Flowers Or the Radio Broadcast in honor or memory of someone special please contact the office for a list of available dates. Thank you for your help!
(785) 843-4150 or
tlcoffice@tlclawrence.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Volunteer Opportunities to "Reach Out"

The April sign up sheet is ready for volunteers for coffee/cookies each Sunday. Thanks to so many who volunteer to help with this enjoyable time for members! Coffee is provided by the church, just set up and bring cookies.

Questions? Ask Bob and Ruth Sarna (785) 842-0230

Family Promise

Family Promise volunteers still needed



Family Promise continues to need food, dinner hosts, overnight hosts and other volunteers. Contact Deb Boatright for more information. Boatrightde78@gmail.com; 758-550-9589.

Here is an update from Dana Ortiz, Family Promise executive director.

We've had several weeks without families enrolled in Hybrid model during this pilot and thus the decision that we needed to test this program out one more month (April). Please encourage your friends and volunteers to sign up! Volunteering together or as a family can be fun and a great way to serve our community. We cannot run this program without volunteers. Thank you!

Specific volunteer needs:

1. The next 2 weeks are site hosted by St Margaret's and River City. Both of them have some open slots that anyone in the network may sign up for!
2. All of the weeks in April are open for volunteer slots as of writing this note.

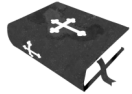
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Thank you all. We certainly appreciate your compassion and care. We can do this!

We Love
Our
VOLunteers

Easter
Brunch

Please consider contributing a hot or cold dish for our **Easter Brunch!** Sign-up sheets are located at the Welcome Desk, and any help (*especially with food serving!*) is much appreciated. Contact Kate at kate@tlclawrence.org with questions.



If you're wondering what an AED (automated external defibrillator) is—and why they seem to be located in most offices, public buildings, and even here at Trinity, you're not alone. At today's TRINITY'S FORUM, Charles Baars will walk us through the steps on how to use an AED. Someone's life might depend on us!

Adult Sunday Bible study returns on March 26, as Pr. Randy leads us through the Biblical story of Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday. What new insights into how Jesus viewed himself can we find in this familiar story?

On April 2, Pr. Randy will guide us through Matthew's account of Jesus' resurrection. Jesus is the source of our eternal life! How might we be instruments of life in the lives of others?

Thanks to everyone who has volunteered to acolyte and crucifer this spring. There are still several Sundays available for anyone who wants to help! Sign up online: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4da4ac2aaf8ceg-acolyte3#/>



There is no age requirement, but you need to be able to 1) carry the candles, 2) carry the cross, or 3) reach the candles on the altar. If you can do any one of these things, you qualify! Quick training can be provided for those who would like to practice in the sanctuary. If interested, contact Mandy Sponholtz at amanda0913@yahoo.com.

Be on the lookout for our new TLC Easter service advertisements in the printed East Lawrence Neighborhood Association (ELNA) Newsletters and LJWorld, and online at The Lawrence Times, Unmistakably Lawrence, and Facebook (all links are shareable). Please help spread the word to our beloved community!

Trinity's **Handbell Choir** is currently seeking two more members. If you are interested, please contact Susan Hires through the church office, or just come to rehearsal. The Bell Choir meets in the Sanctuary on Sundays from 11:45 - 12:45.



PRAYERS NEEDED

We pray for health and healing for those suffering from COVID and other viral illnesses.

We pray for strength and comfort for Bruce Wohlers and family on the death of his wife, Joan, on March 5.

Those ill, injured, or in need of support

Members: John and Martha Rowe, Dwight Brinkley, Ruth Sarna, Emilie Norris, Grace Brooks, Becky Lisher, Alfonso Martello, Gary Crowe, Marg Hadl, Marilyn Clark, Butch Pontow (father of Darrah Buren), Eric Walther, Georgia and Ed Lehman, Kay Carl

Relatives or friends of members: Debra Malito (daughter of Barbara Kurtz), Landen (newborn great-grandson of Janice Conrad) and his mother Bandana, Deborah Hanson (sister-in-law of Lola Ford), Poppy and Palmer (grandchildren of Dennis and Sharon Anthony), Ron Tilghman (brother-in-law of Joe Box), Glynda Behrens (friend of Kathy Buffington), Chuck Herman (friend of many at Trinity), Sue Mango (friend of several members of Trinity), Jenny (daughter of Melanie King), Vivian Neseth (mother of Karen Hickey), Kristen (daughter of Karen Hickey), Jennifer Smith (sister of Charles Baars), Victoria (Tori) Scott (daughter of Melanie King), Dennis Bean (brother-in-law of Annielaurie Seifert), Mary McNemee (mother of Matt McNemee), Mark Oeltjenbruns (uncle of Megan Duke), Beverly King (daughter-in-law of Melanie King), Eric Mater (son-in-law of Kay Carl), Emily Carlgren (mother of Terrelle Mock), Janet Fike (friend of Janet Ross), 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, contact Harriet Shaffer at shafferharriet@gmail.com or (785) 841-2158

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