

Trinity United Parish

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER | GLENBURN AND LANSFORD | JANUARY 2023

Dear Friends,

Happy New Year! I hope you all have had a blessed Christmas season. 2023 will be upon us soon, and it will bring with it its own joys and challenges. As most you already know, I will leaving Trinity United Parish soon – February 5th will be my last Sunday. I have accepted a call at Trinity Lutheran in Bismarck, and will begin there mid-February.

I have been grateful these past few weeks as people have shared with me their gratitude for my service here, and their encourage for me as I move on. It has been a roller coaster of emotions for me as I have shared the news. I am so grateful for my time here in Glenburn and Lansford. You have supported me as your pastor in so many ways, and I am so thankful. From maintaining and updating the parsonage to being open to new ideas, you have made my time here a true blessing. My family and I will miss being here and miss the relationships that we have formed these past seven and a half years.

I will be working during the month of January to make the transition as smooth as possible. I am hoping to have at least the first month of pulpit supply pastors scheduled. I will be in contact with the synod office to see what they need me to do before I leave. We will have annual meetings, and that will be a nice way to tie up things. I will leave some notes, etc. for the next pastor to help them as they begin.

I have heard several people concerned about whether or not you will get a pastor. I will be praying for that next person, and I hope you are able to fill the vacancy quickly but know that the call process does not move really quickly. Please pray for the process, and join me in praying for your next pastor. I pray also that you will continue to have hope, and that current volunteers will continue working to continue the ministries of this parish, and that new volunteers will step forward to help out. Our parish will need as many volunteers as possible to make things run smoothly. Keep your eyes open for ways to help out.

As we move forward in different directions, I ask that you pray for my family and I as we begin this new chapter in our lives. Yet, know that you are loved, you will be missed, and you have made me into the pastor I am today. Thank you!

Blessings,

Pastor Martha

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Join us for Sunday worship!

Glenburn 11 am Lansford 9 am





Prayer List

For healing for Cody Zeltinger.

For healing for Gary Blowers.

For healing for Sonja Mickelson.

For healing for Ron Undlin.

For healing for Jim Weiler, Kallie Stevens grandpa.

For healing for Braiden Gavere.

For healing for Gayle Bradley.

For healing for Bob Kosel.

For healing for Rodger Zurcher.

For healing for Briggs Lee, grandson of Cal and Joellen Lee.

For healing for Bob Helming.

For strength and continued healing for Amy Artz.

For healing and strength for Cole Schlag and Tamara Zumbaum.

For healing for Cheryl Guidinger

Glenburn

January worship assignments:

Glenburn:

January 1: Ava Stevens

January 8: Oakley Trueblood

January 15: Brodey Dotson

January 22: Willa Steven (9am because of Lansford's Annual Meeting)

January 29: Ava Stevens

Glenburn Annual Meeting: Glenburn Annual meeting will be held January 29th following service.

Ruth Circle: Ruth circle will be held at 2pm in Glenburn.

Kid's Club: Kid's Club is most Wednesdays, 3:30-5pm. Kid's Club is for any kids PreK – 6th grade. There are several ministry/volunteer opportunities in Kids' Club. Let Pastor Martha know if you can help with snack or help during Kid's Club. January 11 no Kid's Club after school.

Community Christmas Program: Christmas program will be held at 6:30pm January 11th in Glenburn.

Glenburn Needs List: Please donate these items if you are able: Paper Towels, Toilet Paper, Pine Sol, Bathroom Cleaners, Clorox Wipes, Hot Cocoa Packets, and Individual Coffee Creamers.

Glenburn Food Pantry: Our Pantry could use syrup, pancake mix, gravy, jelly, peanut butter, Hamburger Helpers, soups of any kind, and toiletries. Any non-perishable food, paper products, and monetary donations are always greatly appreciated. There is a cart in the back of the church. Thanks for donating. Contact Andrea Boschert or Michelle Peters with any questions. Clothes Closet: If you have anything to drop for clothing, please call Natasha Stevens, 833-2605.

Food Pantry & Clothing Closet Dates: Typically we are open on the 4th Wednesday of every month from 6:30-7:30 pm. You can drop off donations for the food panty at the church, but if you would like to donate to the Clothing Closet, please contact Natasha Stevens (833-2605) before you drop off your donation. There are times when the Clothing Closet is full, and we don't need donations.

Backpack for Buddies Program: Is a program that will feed a student in need of food for the weekend. Non-perishable and easy to make foods needed. Examples: Oatmeal packs, veg. and fruit cups, mac n cheese cups, jellies, tuna packs, ramen noodles granola bars, etc. If you are interested in sponsoring a child, it costs \$360.00 per year. We currently have 62 students we are helping.

Lansford

January worship assignments:

Lansford:

Powerpoint Acolyte/Music

January 1: Cade Undlin Callie Martin

January 8: Eli Undlin Grady Nett

January 15: Dayton Tyler Evan Tarvestad

January 22: Callie Martin Cade Udlin (11am because of Annual Meeting)

January 29: Grady Nett Eli Undlin

LFD Annual Meeting: Lansford Annual Meeting will be held January 22 following worship.

Parish

January 22: Worship: Notice Time Change 9am GLB and 11am LFD.



Glenburn Food Pantry & Clothing Closet

Our Pantry could use (Be sure cans have a pop top) Soups - chicken noodle, beef vegetable, tomato, Tuna, Chicken, Raviolis, Spaghettios, Pop Tarts, Fruit Snacks, Microwavable Meals, Ramen Noodles, Individual Juices, Granola Bars, Individual Snackspudding, fruit snacks, Rice Krispies, Cheez Its, Applesauce, Cup of Noodles, Oatmeal, Chili - Meat and Beans. Any non-perishable food, paper products, and monetary donations are always greatly appreciated. There is a cart in the back of the church. Thanks for donating. We NEED Plastic Bags. Contact Andrea Boschert or Michelle Peters with any questions Clothes Closet: If you have anything to drop for clothing, please call Natasha Stevens, 833-2605. Food Pantry & Clothing Closet Dates: Once every month from 6:30-7:30 pm.

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If you are interested in sponsoring a child, it costs \$340.00 per year. We currently have 33 students we are helping.



Because hunger doesn't end on Friday.





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Worship: 9am Lansford 11am Glenburn	2	3	4 Kid's Club GLB 3:30- 5pm	5	6	7
8 Worship: 9am LFD 11am GLB	9	10	11 No Kid's Club afterschool Community Christmas Program 6:30pm GLB	12	13	14
15 Worship: 9am LFD 11am GLB	16	17 Ruth Circle 2pm GLB	18 Kid's Club GLB 3:30- 5pm	19	20	21
22 Worship: Notice Time Change 9am GLB 11am LFD LFD Annual Meeting following worship	23	24	25 Kid's Club GLB 3:30- 5pm	26	27	28
29 Worship: 9am LFD 11am GLB GLB Annual Meeting following service	30	31				