

GRACE NOTES

Sunday – 02/11/2024 ~ <i>The Transfiguration of Our Lord</i>	
8:30a	Sunday school & Adult Bible study
10:00a	Divine Service
	Duty Elders ~ Roy Arves / Bill Sybrant
	Audio / Video ~ Barry Eastley
	Organist ~ Jeannine Eastley
Monday – 02/12/2024	
6:00p	Board of Elders
Tuesday – 02/13/2024	
6:00p	Hand Bell Choir practice
Wednesday – 02/14/2024 ~ Ash Wednesday / Valentine's Day	
9:30a	Ladies Bible study
4:30p	Confirmation classes
5:30p	Adult Choir practice
6:00p	Soup Supper
7:00p	Ash Wednesday Service
Thursday – 02/15/2024	
8:30a	Men's Bible study
Friday – 02/16/2024	
<i>Church Office closed</i>	
Saturday – 02/17/2024	
<i>Nothing scheduled</i>	
Sunday – 02/18/2024 ~ <i>First Sunday in Lent</i>	
8:30a	Sunday school & Adult Bible study
10:00a	Divine Service
11:30a	Quarterly Voter's meeting
	Duty Elders ~ Martin Bauer / Len Koelbel
	Audio / Video ~ Barry Eastley
	Organist ~ Jeannine Eastley

Please, check your Narthex mailbox!

**Quarterly Voter's meeting
Sunday, February 18, 2024
following Divine Service**

Lenten Soup Suppers ~ *Ash Wednesday is February 14th* this year and as usual we will be having Lenten soup suppers each Wednesday of Lent. As always there is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board outside the church office. Please sign-up for items to bring each week.



We are also looking for groups of people to handle the serving and clean-up each week. If your group or you and a few others would like to volunteer for this, please sign up on the soup supper sign-up sheets.

Lenten Mid-week Worship Schedule

<i>1st Lenten Mid-week Soup Supper ~ 6:00 pm</i>	<i>Wednesday, February 21, 2024 Worship ~ 7:00pm</i>
<i>2nd Lenten Mid-week Soup Supper ~ 6:00 pm</i>	<i>Wednesday, February 28, 2024 Worship ~ 7:00pm</i>
<i>3rd Lenten Mid-week Soup Supper ~ 6:00 pm</i>	<i>Wednesday, March 6, 2024 Worship ~ 7:00pm</i>
<i>4th Lenten Mid-week Soup Supper ~ 6:00 pm</i>	<i>Wednesday, March 13, 2024 Worship ~ 7:00pm</i>
<i>5th Lenten Mid-week Soup Supper ~ 6:00 pm</i>	<i>Wednesday, March 20, 2024 Worship ~ 7:00pm</i>

****NEW**cell phone ~ (406)590-6460**

New Church Contact Number ~ The congregation is asked to use this number to request prayers, inform the office of hospitalizations, or other church business.

Items Need a Good Home ~ The Stahlecker Room is nearly complete. All that needs to be done is to hang the new TV and re-home several items. The items needing a new home are an electric typewriter (with additional ribbons, etc.) and a typing table. If you are interested, please feel free to whisk them away.

COVID-19 Test kits ~ Highgate Senior Living recently gave Trinity a case of COVID-19 test kits. These have recently expired but are still good to use at home. If you would like a few test kits to take home, please see Cheryl in the church office.



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Snow Removal ~ *Are you willing to come to church early on a Sunday morning to shovel snow before services?* If so, there is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board outside the church office. Given the recent weather patterns, you may not need to ever shovel, but your willingness to come **JUST IN CASE** is appreciated.

The Lutheran Hour~ February 18th ~ "Redeeming DIY"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

Dr. Michael Zeigler talks about spiritual growth in the season of Lent and dying to self in a "do-it-yourself" world. (*Mark 1:12-13*)

Tune in on the radio or at **www.lutheranhour.org**. *The Lutheran Hour* can be heard on **KMON, 560 AM Sundays at 7:00 am; or on SiriusXM Family Talk Channel 131 at 10:00 am (EST)**. Also available on **SENTRadio 24/7 @ lhm.org/sentradio**.

Lutherans for Life ~ February 11th ~ “We live dripping with the promise of Baptism. We live fueled by the fire of God’s Word. We live created on the sixth day and recreated by God’s grace to be followers of Jesus seven days of the week until that great eighth day, called eternity, when we will sing praise in His presence forever. We live and we love and we are loved in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, sin forgiven, shame erased, status: all very good.” *Rev. Dr. John Nunes, guest speaker on “The Lutheran Hour” – A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life • lutheransforlife.org*

Sacred Music for the Season Of Lent... “*When I Survey the Wondrous Cross,*” “*In the Cross of Christ I Glory,*” “*My Song Is Love Unknown,*” “*A Lamb Goes Uncomplaining Forth.*” Beginning Ash Wednesday, you can listen to sacred music for the season of Lent 24/7 at **lutheranpublicradio.org**, TuneIn, Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod and the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

James Bible Study... **The Word of the Lord Endures Forever** is a daily 15-minute verse-by-verse Bible study produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Will Weedon. Pastor Weedon has begun on the *Book of James*. You can

listen on-demand at thewordendures.org, Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, the LPR mobile app or a podcast provider.

The week of February 4th through February 11th

Celebrating their Wedding Anniversaries this week

None in February

Celebrating their Birthday this week

<i>February 11th</i>	<i>Laura Filson, Linda Wade</i>
<i>February 12th</i>	<i>Hudson Kotz</i>
<i>February 13th</i>	<i>Riley Kotz, Jacob Mansch</i>
<i>February 14th</i>	<i>Caleb Bicsak</i>
<i>February 15th</i>	<i>Vi Nell (90+)</i>
<i>February 17th</i>	<i>Louise Kuki</i>
<i>February 18th</i>	<i>Alexandria Young</i>

Celebrating their Baptismal Anniversaries this week

<i>February 12th</i>	<i>Ruth Brenner</i>
<i>February 14th</i>	<i>Molly Church</i>
	<i>Hailey, Hannah & Hayden Houle</i>
	<i>Sarah Lautenschlager</i>

Celebrating their Confirmation anniversaries this week

<i>February 17th</i>	<i>Lauralyn Fairbanks</i>
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Contribution and Attendance Numbers

for the week of January 29, 2024 thru February 4, 2024

Adult Bible studies (Men's & Sunday)	22
Sunday school	8
Mid-week Worship Service	14
Sunday Divine Service	53
Offerings	\$3,220
Vanco	\$ 650

PRAYER REQUESTS

*For prayer requests, please call the church office (406-452-2121)
or email us at trinity@trinity-mt.org*

We pray for

the family of Sherrie Blomstrom

Carolyn Arves

Bob Nommensen

Roy Arves

Myrna Philipp

Jim Going

David O'Meara

Penny Hill

Lauretta Stanfield

Clay Isakson (Marfan Syndrome)

Joy Suek

Randy Klatt

Sherri VanVleet

Caitee Miesmer

Herm & Evelyn Bauer (Marty Bauer's parents)

Carole Beja (Chuck Lively's sister)

Betty (Sybrant's daughter's mother-in-law)

Doris (Jillian Homen's grandmother)

Janet Hussli (Pam Grosenick's sister-in-law)

Evelyn Johnson (Jillian Homen's niece)

Julie (Bob Bergan's sister)

Dorothy Krueger (Pam Grosenick's mother)

Laura (Denise Wegner's friend)

Roger & Marlene Lienau (Cheri Bauer's parents)

Amber Pederson (Tristan Bauer's mother)

Ann Schuman (Schuman's daughter-in-law)

Marek & Debbe Wojack (Rose Shelden's daughter and son-in-law)

Taylor Wojack (Rose Shelden's grandson)

We pray for our members in hospice care

Sherrie Blomstrom

We pray for our expectant mothers and their families:

Kelli & Zach Lynch

We pray for our members battling health issues and their caregivers

Chuck & Judy Lively
Chuck & Elsie Lorenz
Jerry & Colleen Mans

Henry & Alice Schuman
Wally & Diane Thompson

We pray for our shut-ins

Millie Birkholz
Bob Blomstrom (Helena)
Ellen Carpenter
Anita Erickson
Ed Hickel
Darlene Murray (Kansas)

Vi Nell (Spokane, WA)
Arlene Nelson
George & Myrtle Pence
Flo Winter (North Dakota)
Juanita Winter

We pray for those serving in the military and law enforcement

Sam Birkett, Cascade County Sheriff's Deputy
Chaplain Jonathan Schultz, USAF

Evan Brenner, USAF
Nathan Brenner, USAF
Scott Broberg, USAF
Daniel Crème', USAF

Kelli Lynch, USAF
Isaac Monroe, USAF
Martin Shabaan, USAF
Kalainee Teaney, USAF

Joshua Graham, Helena Police Department
(Blomstrom's grandson-in-law)
Matthew Erickson, USAF (Anita Erickson's grandson)
Dustin Krueger, USAF (LaVelle VanVoast's son)
Julie Timms (Waetzig's granddaughter)

Read through the Gospels or New Testament in Lent ~ We are again throwing down the challenge to Trinity to read through the New Testament during the 40 days of Lent **OR**, if you find that to be too daunting a challenge, read through just the Gospels. What better way to prepare for Easter than to read the complete story of Jesus' birth, life, death and resurrection? So, dust off your Bible as we read God's Word through these 40 days of Lent!

Read through the Gospels or New Testament in Lent		
Day	Gospels only	New Testament
February 14	Matthew 1 - 3	Matthew 1 - 7
15	Matthew 4 - 6	Matthew 8 - 12
16	Matthew 7 - 9	Matthew 13 - 18
17	Matthew 10 - 12	Matthew 19 - 24
February 18	Take a Break	
19	Matthew 13 - 14	Matthew 25 - end
20	Matthew 15- 16	Mark 1 - 5
21	Matthew 17 - 18	Mark 6 - 11
22	Matthew 19- 20	Mark 12 - end
23	Matthew 21 - 22	Luke 1 - 4
24	Matthew 23 - 24	Luke 5 - 8
February 25	Take a Break	
26	Matthew 25 - 26	Luke 9 - 12
27	Matthew 27 - 28	Luke 13 - 19
28	Mark 1 - 3	Luke 20 - end
29	Mark 4 - 6	John 1 - 5