

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Seventh Sunday of Easter

May 12, 2024

WELCOME TO TRINITY We are glad to have you worship with us today!
We ask visitors who wish to participate in Holy Communion to visit with the Pastor or an Elder before the service. Thank you.

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SUNDAY DIVINE SERVICE 9:00 A.M.

BIBLE STUDY & SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:20 A.M.

SERMON: *The Greater Testimony*

SERMON TEXT: 1 John 5:9-15

SERMON HYMN: *537 Beautiful Savior*

SERVING TODAY: Elder: Sam Mapes

Altar Guild: Robin Holcomb

Schedule:

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Altar Flowers: are given by Kevin and Robin Holcombe to the glory of God.

Our Prayer Requests:

- † Maleah Durand, recovering from surgery.
- † Lori Hill, cousin of Sharon Tyler receiving treatment for breast cancer.
- † Sheila VerStraeten, recovering from a seizure.
- † Gary Smith, has cancer receiving treatment.
- † Steve Rutz & Bruce Rutz, brothers of Sue Coon, undergoing cancer treatments.
- † Tammy Sherrill, cousin of Becky Kinney, dealing with cancer.
- † Clark Brittain, has cancer and receiving treatment.
- † Marilyn Van Zee, sister of Dennis Smith & Gray Smith, for healing.
- † Mary Haglaud, cancer, friend of Dennis Smith.
- † Linda Marquardt for the trials and tribulations she faces with her MS.

If you have Thrivent, remember to designate your Thrivent Choice Dollars

Raccoon River Days Ice Cream Stand - we will be selling ice cream at Raccoon River Days on Saturday, Jun 1 in the afternoon. Official time hasn't quite been determined but probably start around 2 or 3 and run until after the evening meal has been served or until we run out of ice cream. We will need 6 or 7 volunteers for set up and serving. Please sign up on the sheet in the Narthex or talk to Diane Koch. Thank you!

If you can't volunteer to help, would you consider donating some needed items for our Ice Cream Stand? Please see the sign up sheet in the Narthex. Items can be dropped off on the back counter in the kitchen before Jun 1. Thank you!

VBS is scheduled for Jun 24,25, and 26 so get your kiddos, grandkiddos, and/or neighbor kiddos signed up to Celebrate the Savior with us. We are geared towards kids from 3-11ish years old but please see me if you know of some older kids that would like to be a part of VBS. A light meal will be served each evening starting at 5:15 with VBS starting at 5:45. Registration is online at <https://vbsmate.com/events/TrinityLCMSVanMeterIA/29043>. Let me know if you have troubles getting registered or don't have access to a computer and I'll get you signed up. Diane Koch

Volunteers needed for VBS!!! Please see the sign up sheet in the Narthex to sign up or talk to Diane. It really is such a great experience and easy opportunity to share your love of Jesus with these kids. It's just a few hours in the evening for 3 nights. Thank you!

The Service Opportunity Group is collecting toiletry items to be donated to the local Ronald McDonald House. Don't know what to do with the complimentary sizes provided in hotels/motels? Just drop them off in the box provided in the church entry.

We are continuing to collect food pantry items for the local food banks. Please consider a donation.

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CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS: Warren Brott, & Sharon Tyler

CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES: Don & Karen Johnson

Giving Report 04/28/2024: \$2,645.00 General offering, \$55.00 Mission giving

Attendance 04/28/2024: 42

Divine Service

(Setting Three)

Opening Hymn..... p. **773**

Confession & Absolution

Confession/Absolution.....p. 184-5

Service of the Word

Introit.....Insert

Patri.....p. 186

Kyrie.....p. 186

Gloria in Excelsisp. 187

Salutationp. 189

Collect.....Insert

OT Reading.....Insert

Gradual.....Insert

Epistle.....Insert

Alleluia.....p. 190

Holy Gospel.....Insert

Nicene Creed.....p. 191

Hymn of the Dayp. **537**

Sermon

Offertory.....p. 192-3

Offering

Prayer of the Church (*stand*)

Service of the Sacrament

Preface.....p. 194

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Lord's Prayer.....p. 196

Words of Our Lord.....p. 197

Pax Domini

Agnus Dei.....p. 198

Distribution Hymn.....p. **617**

Distribution Hymn.....p. **772**

Nunc Dimittisp. 199-200

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Salutation/Benedicamus

Benediction.....p. 202

Closing Hymnp. **842**