




Thank you for being a part of today's worship service. Please help us know each other by entering your name addresses and the names of all family members who are present in the Friendship Pad. Please pass the pad from the inside (center) aisle to the outside aisle and back again to the center.

CANCER TREATMENT	NURSING HOME/SHUT INS MILITARY AND SYMPATHY	PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND COMFORT
<p><u>Samai Srihanard</u> <u>Jerry Pearson Update</u> (bladder cancer) <u>Jill Pearson</u> (wife) prayers for comfort and strength) <u>Kimberly Jones Update</u> (found spots on lungs) (niece to Patsy Tomasek) <u>Ruth Peters</u>(breast cancer) <u>Eloise McGlaun</u> <u>Joe Burttschell</u> <u>Dale Toellner</u> <u>Lindsey Meier</u> (great granddaughter to <u>Ruby Emshoff</u> has a brain tumor) <u>Jean Adams</u> <u>Jimmie Szymanski</u>(back on chemo) <u>Floyd Klatt</u> <u>Allison Schaff</u> (brain tumor) <u>Nita Bruemmer</u> <u>Milburn Robison</u> <u>Amy Cryan</u> (brain tumor) <u>Nathaniel Wendt</u> <u>Laura Clark</u> (pancreatic cancer) <u>Debbie Jaloway</u> (breast cancer) <u>Steve Smith</u> (Colon/prostate cancer) <u>Kathy Ellis</u> (Breast Cancer) <u>Mary Francis Deibert</u> (breast cancer) <u>Kenneth Burnette</u> (Brain Tumor) <u>Gladys Willard</u> <u>Karen Briscoe</u> (Breast Cancer) <u>Pat Bryant</u> (breast cancer) <u>Connie Kilpen</u> <u>Heather Schavrda Gabbi</u> (Ovarian) <u>Darryl Stell</u> (leukemia) <u>Nell Beckman Turk</u> (breast cancer) <u>Norma Massey</u> (lung cancer) <u>Rodney Jalufka</u> (liver cancer) <u>Charley Holloway</u></p>	<p><u>Nursing Home Residents</u> <u>Kirby Amthor</u> <u>Estella Heintschel</u> <u>Ellie Michaels</u> <u>Eddie Svinky</u> <u>Lillie Wittenburg</u> <u>Louise Kinsey</u></p> <p><u>Shut Ins</u> <u>Oridell Ekarius</u> <u>J. P. Gerhart</u> <u>Edd and Clara Gerstenberger</u> <u>Joe and Bernice Hintz</u> <u>Joyce Meyer</u> <u>Sharon Salyer</u> <u>LaVonn Schier</u></p> <p><u>Military</u> <u>Schyler Prentice</u> (Marines) Afghanistan</p> <p><u>Special Prayer</u> for Dale and Sieg Leland as they continue their Mission Trip in Kenya. Continue praying for their safe return on April 29th. Please keep them in your prayers for a successful trip.</p> <p> Prayer List Please help the church office to inform everyone on the updates of your loved ones and friends on the prayer list. Prayers are always needed and updates help us to pray for their needs.</p>	<p><u>Kirby Amthor Update</u> (Hospice) <u>Robert Plocek Update</u> (recovering at home and improving) <u>Evelyn Michaelis Update</u> (recovering) <u>Ruth Paben Update</u> (recovering and rehab at Colonial Belle) <u>Haskell LaRose</u> <u>Joe Hintz</u> <u>Brian Laake</u> (tests) <u>Barbara Turner</u> (David Shaw's mom) <u>Phyllis Sams</u> (recovering) <u>Amber Prentice</u> (tests) <u>Richard Henning</u> (tests) <u>Betty Luedecke</u> (recovering at home) <u>Justin Havemann</u> (broken leg) <u>Glenwood Kveton</u> <u>Julie Tomaiko</u> (severe headaches) age 14 <u>Burnie Galle</u> (hospitalized) (car wreck) family to <u>David Galle</u> <u>Paulette Plagens Helberg</u> (MS) <u>Loretta Dziadek</u> (Recovering) <u>Jerry Leiber</u> (recovering) <u>Kenneth Peikert</u> (Uncle to Beverly Fritsch) <u>Bill Reay</u> <u>Dolores Cain</u> <u>Geraldine Abel</u> <u>Wick Beane</u> <u>Wilbert Janecek Jr.</u> <u>Shannon Johnson</u> <u>Fay Johnson</u> <u>Laurie Pavelka</u> <u>Doyle McElroy</u>(Alzheimer's) <u>Sharon Graham</u> <u>Julie Scheibe</u> <u>Roger Buchtien</u> (home dialysis) <u>Charity Sistrunk</u> (Spinal Bifida) <u>Della Maler</u> <u>Rex Thumann</u> <u>Remington Reichardt</u></p>



The Semi-Annual Congregational Meeting will be TODAY, Sunday April 29, 2012 after the 10:15 am worship service. One item on the agenda will be preschool board members.


Preparation for Holy Communion


ALL who commune today are encouraged to prepare themselves by using the “Christian Questions with Their Answers” section of Luther’s Small Catechism found on page 329 of the hymnal.

As a congregation of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, we celebrate communion believing that we receive the true body and true blood of Christ for the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of faith. As such, we invite all to our altar who share our belief and teaching concerning the Lord’s Supper. All are welcome to commune who:

- * Are Baptized Christians Matthew 28:19-20
- * Are able to properly examine themselves recognizing their sinfulness 1 Corinthians 11:27-29
- * Believe that they are eating and drinking Christ’s body and blood 1 Corinthians 11:23-25
- * Believe they need what is offered in this sacrament, namely the forgiveness of sins, the strengthening of faith, and the power to lead a godly life Ephesians 4:22-24

Those who wish to participate in the Lord’s Supper at TLC are requested to sign the “Fellowship Form” and register for communion. Individual cups containing grape juice placed at the center of the tray for those sensitive to alcohol. Children and others not communing are invited to come to the altar to receive a blessing. Indicate your desire to receive a blessing by crossing your arms over your chest.

Mother’s Day Roses! You may purchase a rose in Memory or Honor of a loved one. The cost is \$5.00. This can be picked up on Mother’s Day. Please fill out the form along with the \$5.00 or check made out to Alice Burttschell and give to Alice Burttschell or the church office by Tuesday, May 8th.

Door! Doors! Doors! Please double check yourself as you leave the building to make sure all doors are locked. Please check the double doors to make sure the other side of the door is latched down and locked. This is for the security and safety of everyone.

Our Stewardship for our Lord April 22, 2012.

April 22, 2011	April 22, 2012	April 22, 2012	April 22, 2012
SS.....23	General Fund..... \$4,705.00	G/Fund Contributions	<u>General & Building</u>
High School.....4	Building Fund.....\$10.00	Needed Weekly to Comply	\$4,715.00
Visitors0	Food Pantry.....	with Budget:\$7,197.00	
Adult Class.....19	Sunday School.....	G/Fund Contributions for	
Teachers.....8	S/Scholarship.....\$25.00	4/22/2012	
Staff1	Loose Cash.....\$66.00	\$4,705.00	
Total 55	Total \$4,806.00	<u>Under Budget:</u>	
Worship Service April 22, 2012 ()		\$2,492.00	

Total Received General & Building Fund one year ago (April 25, 2011) was \$4,948.50

Stewardship Corner... Because God is a loving and giving God, He never stops giving to us. God gives us His love, goodness, and mercy daily. He has given us victory over sin and death through His Son. Christ has given us the blessings of forgiveness, justification, a new life, and eternal hope. Because of His bountiful blessings, we should be compelled to show our gratitude. Do we? Could we, at times, be taking all that we receive for granted?

Mark your calendar – Our next Senior Day Luncheon at Trinity is May 2 at 12:15 p.m. We will play Bingo and Dominos after the luncheon. Remember to invite your friends and neighbors. Please sign- up on the sheet in the Narthex if you plan to attend. Need a ride or have questions call Bev Ekarius at 885-2014 or Patsy Tomasek at 877-0848.

Bake Sale – Trinity Lutheran Church Ladies Aid is having a bake sale Saturday, May 12th beginning at 8:00 am on the corner of Hwy 36 and 4th Street. We need support from everyone to help bake items for the sale. Won’t you join the ladies by baking or supporting this project? If you plan on helping by baking please bring in your baked items by 8:00 am on Saturday, May 12th which is the day of the sale or bring in during office hours on Friday, May 11th. Thank you for your support in advance!

Thanks to Doris Holtkamp, Nettie Swearingen and Shirley Svinky for putting the May newsletter together. You are greatly appreciated!

BASKET OF HOPE PACKING PARTY will be held TODAY at 3 p.m. in the Faith Center at St. John Lutheran Church in Bellville. All youth and adults are invited. What a great opportunity for your family to work together on a project! Help to place smiles on very sick children and give to them God's love and Word for healing and HOPE.



VBS Sign Up is Coming Soon! The Board of Education is in need of volunteers for Vacation Bible School 2012. This year we will be exploring how to “Trust God” through Sky July 16-20 from 8:30 am – 11:30 am. We are in need of lots of help in order to make VBS a success. Please contact Leslie Pacher for more information at 885-8297.



Altar flower arrangement is given for the Glory of God by Johanna Buzchmann in Memory of her Grandmother Sarah Sopchak.

<u>Those Serving Today</u>		<u>Those Serving Next Sunday</u>	
<u>Elders:</u>	Barry Wolf Alfred Tomasek Wes Schuknecht Jim Pursley	<u>Elders:</u>	Matt Rath Lowell Coody John Fullen Vic Grisbee
<u>Ushers:</u>	Robert Richter Betty Richter	<u>Ushers:</u>	Lee Allen Palm Jerry Grunke Lowell Coody Bobby Barrett
<u>Greeters:</u>	Loyce Pacher and Charles Abel	<u>Greeters:</u>	George and Janice Wied
<u>Lay Reader:</u>	Norma Pavelka	<u>Lay Reader:</u>	Volunteer
<u>Acolytes:</u>	Brittany Luttrall and Courtney Dziadek	<u>Acolytes:</u>	Morgyn Rasbury and Cole Rasbury
<u>Nursery:</u>	Debra Rath	<u>Nursery:</u>	Jodine Meyer
<u>Media Team:</u>	Farrah Emmons	<u>Media Team:</u>	Pam Epperly and Seth Hill
<u>Videoining:</u>	Jimmie Meyer	<u>Videoining:</u>	Jim Pursley

German Sausage Dinner – 29th Annual German Sausage Dinner with German Music, Food, Silent and Live Auction and Children’s Area Family Fun will take place at Christ Lutheran Church, Pattison on Saturday, May 5th 11:00 am-2:00pm. Dinner Tickets \$10 Adults \$6 Children under age 12. For information call Christ Lutheran Church 281-934-8218.



CHURCH WORKDAY, SATURDAY, MAY 19, 2012 Mark your calendar. Circle May 19th because this is the day you need to leave open and plan on being at the church at 8:00 A.M. for a church workday. Below is a list of some of the projects we can plan on taking care of.

1. Remove wax off the carpet and pew cushions in the church.
2. Clean the ice machine.
3. Clean out the garage.
4. Redo the area around the slide in the playground (remove mulch and replace with new material, remove and replace landscape timbers.)
5. Clean all baseboards.
6. Go through all keys in Maggie’s office and get rid of unwanted keys, relabel good keys and rearrange on metal cabinet door.
7. Clean kitchen area where needed.
8. Trim shrubs around the church.
9. If you look around just a little, there is always more to do.

AMPED- (A Ministry Producing Empowered Disciples) is the name of our high school youth ministry. We meet every 2nd and 4th Sunday from 6-8:00pm. Come out and bring a friend. Please contact Pastor for more details.

AIM-(Apostles in Mission) is the name of our junior high school ministry (grades 6-8) and biweekly program here at Trinity! We meet every 1st and 3rd Sunday evenings from 5-7 pm. Don't miss out on the fun! Please contact Pastor for more details.

Office

Preschool Office

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Pastor is available in his office Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday mornings 8-9am for private confession and absolution. Appointments may also be made by calling him at 979-256-7197.

April 29, 2012 THIS WEEK FOR THE LORD

Sunday April 29 th <i>Fourth Sunday</i> <i>After Easter</i>	Fellowship..... Sunday School or Bible Class..... Worship/Communion.....	8:45 AM 9:05 AM 10:15 AM
Monday April 30 th	Evangelism Meeting.....	6:30 PM
Tuesday May 1 st	Confirmation Questioning.....	7:00 PM
Wednesday May 2 nd	Ladies Sewing..... Pastor's Bible Study..... Senior Day Luncheon..... Confirmation.....	8:30 AM 10:30 AM 12:15 PM 6:30 PM 7:00 PM
Thursday May 3 rd	Ladies Aid..... Icthus at the Faits'..... Girl Scouts..... Volleyball.....	2:30 PM 6:30 PM 6:30 PM 6:30 PM
Friday May 4 th		
Saturday May 5 th		
Next Sunday May 6 th <i>Fifth Sunday</i> <i>After Easter</i> 	Fellowship..... Sunday School or Bible Class..... Worship/Communion/Confirmation Sunday..... Fellowship Sunday..... AIM.....	8:45 AM 9:05 AM 10:15 AM After Church 5:00 PM-7:00 PM

Notice to Members and Visitors: Trinity Lutheran Church photographs and video tapes events directly and indirectly associated with the church. You or members of your family may be photographed or video taped during an event for publicity and/or for event activity archives. These photographs may be placed on bulletin boards, web pages, and promotional flyers and videos. Every effort will be made to limit or exclude personal information of minors for any public posting of event photographs and video. If you wish to exclude yourself or members of your family from any photographs or video please contact the church office. Thank you.

Notes for our worshippers: Nursery care for children, age 3 and under, is in a preschool classroom. Ask an usher for directions. Hearing Assistance Receivers to enhance hearing of today's worship service are available in the narthex. Ask an elder for assistance. Restrooms are located in the church narthex.



April 29 "Not All Paths" Speaker Emeritus of The Lutheran Hour: Rev.

Dr. Ken Klaus Counterfeit dollars are without much value. They are deceptive and disappointing. The same could be said of futile, false faiths. (Acts 4:12) Listen to the "Lutheran Hour" or go to their web at: www.lutheranhour.org. This may be heard on Sundays, KHCB 105.7 FM at 4:00 am and at 12:30 pm or KSEV 700 AM at 6:30 am.

