



**Members and Guests, please print your name and your child or children's names and complete address (both physical and e-mail) on a blue card located in the pew and place it in the offering plate for your record of attendance.**


**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 videotaped 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 worshipers:** 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.

<b>CANCER TREATMENT</b>	<b>NURSING HOME/SHUT INS MILITARY AND SYMPATHY</b>	<b>PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND COMFORT</b>
Laura Clark Jackie Pleasant (Pancreatic) Daniel Jaloway (throat & lung) Geraldine Abel (Multiple Myeloma) Jimmie Szymanski Floyd Klatt Gary King Debbie Jez (Breast Cancer) Carolyn Stall (Uterine Cancer) Lindsey Meier (Brain Tumor)Scans every 6 month) Ashlynn Dempsey (5 yrs. old will have scans every three months) Mike Smart – (Prostate Cancer Recovering) Ricky Herbrig (Leukemia) Joann Lindsay (breast cancer) Mother to Melinda Schiller Patsy Sobel (Breast Cancer) Jerry Pearson (bladder cancer)	<u>Nursing Home Residents</u> Ellie Michaels – Tuscan Asst. Living Eddie Svinky – Colonial -Sealy Louise Kinsey – Colonial Sealy Nettie Swearingen -Colonial Belle-Sealy Edna Finke – 832-419-4658 1217 Turnbury Oak St. Houston, TX 77055  <u>Shut Ins</u> Annie Ashorn Jo-Anne Gilliam Clara Gerstenberger - Kruse Bernice Hintz Joyce Meyer LaVonn Schier  <u>Military</u> Aaron Ramsey-Afghanistan-grandson to Fred and Ruth Paben	Amy Cryan (upcoming surgery) Vernon Ekarius (recovering) Mae Emshoff (Recovering from Open Heart Surgery-St. Joseph Hosp, Bryan) Georgia Wied (Recovering) Carol Polk (dialysis) Charles Bolten Leisha Harrison Kody Ressler (Perthes Disease) Dolores Cain Carol Pless ( Stroke - Daughter-in-law to Mildred Pless) Patti Castille Linder (recovering) Paulette Plagens Helberg Remington Reichardt



**The Elders have recommended and the Church Council approved moving Communion from our regular third Sunday, May 18, to the fourth Sunday, May 25. This will allow a more guest-friendly service for the families of our Preschool graduates on the 18th, and a sacramental celebration for our Memorial Day weekend observance.**

 **As the Call Committee works diligently, let us do our part by contributing more to the General Fund so the new pastor's salary may be met, as current budget is not being met.**



**Easter Crosses** - The Youth will be selling Easter Crosses after church in the narthex for \$10.00 each for the next few Sundays. These signs are a great way to show your neighbors your beliefs in the Lenten and Easter seasons!!!!

**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

**“If you are unsure of any of these points or have questions, please speak with the pastor or an elder.”**

*\*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.*



**During Communion** – People who have experienced difficulty standing or kneeling at the communion rail while communing may receive communion by sitting down in the front pew (instead of approaching the communion rail.) Elders will come to you so you may receive communion, then you may return to your seat. Or, if you are not able to come to the communion rail due to difficulty walking, you may remain at your pew and inform the Usher that you would like to receive communion at your seat. The Usher will inform the Elders to come and give you communion at your seat.

**LENT SERVICES:**

**April 9<sup>th</sup> -6:00 pm Soup Supper by Fellowship/Worship 7:00 pm**  
**April 17<sup>th</sup> – Maundy Thursday Worship Service with Communion 7:00 pm**



**April 18<sup>th</sup> –Good Friday Tenebrae**  
**Worship Service 7:00 pm**

**Our Stewardship for our Lord March 30, 2014.**

<b>March 30, 2014</b>	<b>March 30, 2014</b>	<b>March 30, 2014</b>	<b>March 30, 2014</b>
SS.....	General.....\$3,247.00	G/Fund Contributions Needed	<u>General &amp; Building</u>
High School.....	Building Fund.....	Weekly to Comply with Budget:	\$3,247.00
Visitors .....	Food Pantry.....	\$4,743.29.	<b>April 2, 2014</b>
Adult Class.....	Sunday School.....	G/Fund Contributions for	<b>Fifth Lent Service</b>
Teachers.....	Loose Cash.....\$47.00	3/30/2014	
Staff .....	Music Ministry.....	\$3,247.00	<b>General.....\$</b>
Total	Lenten.....\$10.00	<b>Under Budget:</b>	<b>Lent.....\$</b>
Worship Service	Total \$3,304.00	\$1,496.29	<b>Total.....\$</b>
March 30, 2014 (106 )			
Lent April 2, 2014 ( )			

Total received General & Building Fund one year ago (March 31, 2013) - \$3,509.00

**Stewardship Corner...** The mind grows by what it takes in—the heart grows by what it gives out.




**Volleyball** will start back up every Thursday at 6:30 pm. Contact Richard Engelbrecht @ 281-740-9618 after 6:00 pm for more information!



**Altar Flowers** today are given by Johanna Buechmann for the Glory of God in the Celebration of April Birthdays. Happy Birthday!

<b><u>Those Serving Today</u></b>	<b><u>Those Serving Next Sunday</u></b>
<b><u>Elders:</u></b> Lowell Coody Bobby Barrett Joel Grigar	<b><u>Elders:</u></b> Lowell Coody Bobby Barrett Joel Grigar
<b><u>Ushers:</u></b> Jerry Grunke Bobby Barrett Pat Buechmann	<b><u>Ushers:</u></b> Jerry Grunke Bobby Barrett Pat Buechmann
<b><u>Greeters:</u></b> Antoinette Romano & Diane Clover	<b><u>Greeters:</u></b> Alice Burtschell
<b><u>Lay Reader:</u></b> Johanna Buechmann	<b><u>Lay Reader:</u></b> Volunteer
<b><u>Acolytes:</u></b> Briana Kent & Krystal Cash	<b><u>Acolytes:</u></b> Kristen and Krystal Cash
<b><u>Nursery:</u></b> Brenda Cash	<b><u>Nursery:</u></b> Katie Grigar
<b><u>Media Team:</u></b> Farrah Drury	<b><u>Media Team:</u></b> Pam Epperly
<b><u>Videoing:</u></b> Joel Grigar	<b><u>Videoing:</u></b> Stephen Stuessel

 **Relay for Life of Austin County** will be held Saturday, May 3rd, in Sealy. Remember to honor a loved one by purchasing a luminaria for a minimum donation of \$5.00. The candles nestled in bags will be lit to give off a warm glow during our ceremony at 9:00 p.m. You can dedicate this tribute to someone who has passed away from cancer or someone who is currently fighting and surviving cancer. We encourage you to decorate your own luminaria bag with pictures, stickers, poems, or anything that shows the personality of the person you are honoring. Please contact Janice Wied for bags and forms. To ensure that the names of the honored individuals are listed on the Wall of Hope, please have your completed forms, bags, and money turned in no later than April 1<sup>st</sup>.



**Trinity Lutheran Church**



**Yum Yum!!**

**Fish Fry Drive Thru** Cost \$9.00

Proceeds go towards General Fund

Tickets are sold before and after the worship service and in the church office

**Fish Fry – Drive Thru Wednesday, April 16, 2014, 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

**Pick up plates at the back entrance of church. Contact Norma Pavelka for any questions.**



**Spring Picnic and Baking Contest** – The Sealy Area Historical Society will hold the annual old-fashioned style Spring Picnic April 11-13, 2014 on the grounds of the Santa Fe Museum located at Silliman and east Main in Sealy. Admission to the Spring Picnic is free. Please contact Antoinette Romano if you are interested in the baking contest at 281-217-7177 or [antsrom8@gmail.com](mailto:antsrom8@gmail.com).






**Fruhling Sangrerfest** Bellville Lions Club and Bluebonnet Chapter of the Texas German Society presents a German Spring Singing Fest "Fruhling Sangrerfest" Sunday, April 27, 2014 at the Concordia Hall in Bellville, 952 South Tesch. Activities begin at 11:00 am and enjoy BBQ Chicken and Sausage Dinner. More information contact Bellville Chamber 865-3407 or Sealy Chamber 885-3222.

**Office**  
**Preschool Office**  
**Pastor Gilbert Franke**

**979-885-2211**  
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**April 6, 2014 THIS WEEK FOR THE LORD**

<p><b>Sunday</b>  <b>April 6<sup>th</sup></b>  <i>Fifth Sunday in Lent</i></p> 	<p>Fellowship.....          SS and Bible Study.....          Worship/Communion.....          Confirmation Class.....</p>	<p>8:45 AM          9:05 AM          10:15 AM          After Church</p>
<p><b>Monday</b>  <b>April 7<sup>th</sup></b></p>	<p>Elders Meeting.....          Girl Scouts.....</p>	<p>6:00 PM          7:00 PM</p>
<p><b>Tuesday</b>  <b>April 8<sup>th</sup></b></p>		
<p><b>Wednesday</b>  <b>April 9<sup>th</sup></b></p>	<p>Ladies Sewing.....          Soup Supper by Fellowship.....          Worship.....</p>	<p>8:30 AM          6:00 PM          7:00 PM</p>
<p><b>Thursday</b>  <b>April 10<sup>th</sup></b></p>	<p>Choir Practice.....          Volleyball.....          Altar Guild.....</p>	<p>6:30 PM          6:30 PM          7:00 PM</p>
<p><b>Friday</b>  <b>April 11<sup>th</sup></b></p>		
<p><b>Saturday</b>  <b>April 12<sup>th</sup></b></p>		
<p><b>Next Sunday</b>  <b>April 13<sup>th</sup></b>  <i>Palm Sunday</i>  <i>Sunday of Passion</i>  <i>Palm Sunday</i></p> 	<p>Fellowship.....          Adult Bible Study.....          Children Sunday School Easter Celebration.....</p>  <p>Worship.....          Confirmation Class.....</p>	<p>8:45 AM          9:05 AM          9:05 AM</p> <p>10:15 AM          After Church</p>



April 6 "God Digs Deep" Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Gregory Seltz When our lives were on the line, Jesus dug deep to defeat sin and death. (John 11:1-45)..... 100.7 FM THE WORD - KKHT.



**WHERE DOCTRINE IS LIFE...Issues, Etc.** is a radio talk show hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken and produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL. This week's

topics include: The Book "Killing Jesus," Comforting the Bereaved, Joseph the Patriarch, 16th Century Artists Lucas Cranach & Albrecht Durer and more. You can listen to what you want when you want at [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org).



**Portals of Prayers for April, May and June are ready for you to pick up in the Narthex.**