

NEWS † Trinity Lutheran Church † NOTES

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February 21, 2016

MEMBERS AND GUESTS, PLEASE FILL OUT YOUR NAME AND CHILD/CHILDREN'S NAMES ON THE ATTENDANCE CARD LOCATED IN FRONT OF YOU AND PLACE IN OFFERING PLATE.

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.

CANCER TREATMENT	NURSING HOME/SHUT INS MILITARY AND SYMPATHY	PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND COMFORT
<p>Sherry Coker Luhn (cancer) Jo Ann Buechtien Schrader surgery on Feb 23rd to remove a tumor Becky Crooms (breast cancer) sister-in-law to Dolores Cain Larry Coody (Lung, Lymphoma) Debbie Christiansen (Breast Cancer) Angie Paben (Breast Cancer) Chemo daughter-in-law to Fred and Ruth Paben Mary Grunke Chemo Lindsey Tirey (Cervical Cancer) Cousin to Adrian Horelica Laura Clark Sharon Brandes Ron Keith (cancer returned) Patty Svec (Cancer) Anthony Hlavinka (Tumors are shrinking) Elizabeth Wilson (Cancer) Friend to Marge Michaelis Kaylah McGeary (six yrs. old with brain tumor, niece to Melinda Schiller) Rosa Webster (Lung Cancer) Mike Smart (Prostate Cancer- Recovering) Ricky Herbrig (Leukemia) Joann Lindsay (breast cancer) Mother to Melinda Schiller</p>	<p><u>Nursing Home Residents</u> Charles Bolten (Colonial Belle) Ethel Donnelly (Colonial Belle) Joyce Meyer - (Colonial Belle)</p> <p><u>Shut Ins</u> Bernice Hintz - Brenham LaVonn Schier - Fulshear</p> <p><u>Sympathy</u> for the family of Eddie Svinky who went to be with his Lord on February 13, 2016. Please keep his wife Shirley and the rest of the family in your prayers.</p> <p>Sympathy for the family of Earl Wolchik who went to be with his Lord on Sunday, February 14, 2016. He is grandfather to Bradley Kent. Please keep the family in your prayers.</p> <p><i>Please continue to keep these persons in your personal prayers</i></p>	<p>Dale Toellner Tracy Schiller (back issues) Sue Hudson (daughter to Betty Herridge is recovering from surgery) Fay Schluens Johnson (Rehab) Gavin David Luetge (continued prayers still dealing with RSV-great nephew to George & Janice Wied) Leisha Wied (health issues) Dolores Cain Carrie Steinbach-Mother to Rebecca Tipton (pulmonary hypertension and heart issues) Chris Shannon (Congested heart failure - family to Jeannette Simmons) Mike Michalke Paula Morton (recovering) Remington Reichardt</p>

† **Easter Crosses** - The Youth will be selling Easter Crosses after church in the narthex beginning Sunday February 14th 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!!!!


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

"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 register by placing their name (s) on the reverse side of the Blue Attendance Registration Card in order that their participation in the Lord's Supper is properly recorded.**


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 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.


Stewardship for our Lord February 14, 2016

February 14, 2016	February 14, 2016	February 14, 2016	February 14, 2016
SS.....12	General.... ..\$3,451.00	<i>G/Fund Contributions</i>	<u>General & Building</u>
High School.....2	Building Fund.....\$5.00	<i>Needed Weekly to</i>	\$3,451.00
Visitors1	Food Pantry.....	<i>Comply with Budget:</i>	February 10, 2016
Adult Class.....26	Sunday School.....	\$4,886.00	Ash Wednesday
Teachers.....2	Library.....	<i>G/Fund 2/14/2016</i>	(Attendance 85)
Staff.....1	Music Ministry.....	\$3,451.00	Ash Wed. Lenten.....
Total 44	<u>Loose Cash.....\$22.00</u>	Under Budget:	\$1,296.00
February 14, 2016	Total \$3,478.00	\$1,435.00	February 17, 2016
Attendance (118)			(Attendance)

Total received General & Building Fund one year ago (February 15, 2015) - \$3,840.00

 ORDER YOUR EASTER LILIES NOW! Honor a loved one or their memory and provide beautiful adornment for our sanctuary during the Easter services. Each lily is \$15.00 and can be picked up after the 10:00 am service Easter morning. Please make checks payable to the Altar Guild. Please give money and form to Mary Buechmann. **LAST DAY TO ORDER IS March 20th!**

 Choice Dollars - The total amount of choice dollars directed from Thrivent Financial to Trinity Lutheran Church in 2015 was \$9,370.00. Remember to direct your choice dollars before March 31st. After this date all funds not designated will be carried over to the Thrivent General Fund. Call Grace Holtkamp for additional information.

 LWML Mid Coast Zone Retreat - Save this Date!! - LWML Mid Coast Zone Retreat at Spiritual Renewal Center in Victoria, TX will be Friday and Saturday. February 26th and 27th. The Theme is "Jesus Name Above All Names" presented by Jan Brunette, Texas District LWML Vice President of Christian Life. Please contact Beth Franke if you have any questions. Registration is in the narthex.



ADULT BIBLE CLASS – What do the seven letters to the seven churches say? How are they relevant for us today? To find out more, come to Adult Bible Class every Sunday at 9:00 am.



Altar Flowers are Given for the Glory of God from Glinda Irving, Marvin Lee and Carol Pless in Honor of Mildred Pless' 90th Birthday!



Congregation is invited to Mildred Pless' birthday party in the Fellowship Hall 2:00 pm- 4:00 pm

Those Serving Today	Those Serving Next Sunday
Elders: Johnnie Sodolak Bobby Barrett Tracy Schiller	Elders: Johnnie Sodolak Bobby Barrett Tracy Schiller
Ushers: Mark Romano Kolby Wolf Barry Wolf Brad Kent	Ushers: Mark Romano Kolby Wolf Barry Wolf Brad Kent
Greeters: Jerry and Mary Grunke	Greeters: Betty Remmert and Faye Hintz
Lay Reader: Rebecca Tipton	Lay Reader: Norma Pavelka
Visitation Team: Gene and Betty Remmert	Visitation Team: Ruth Szymanski & Becky Tipton
Acolytes: Alexis Horelica and Kayla Romano	Acolytes: Austin Keeton and Gage Grigar
Media Team: Pam Epperly	Media Team: Pam Epperly
Videoring: Drake and Gage Grigar	Videoring: Barry Wolf



Join us for our Midweek Lent and Holy Week Worship

February 24 – 6:00 pm - Soup Supper by Preschool

7:00 pm 3rd Wednesday Worship Service - Thy kingdom come,

March 2 – 6:00 pm Soup Supper by Youth

7:00 pm 4th Wednesday Worship Service - Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;

March 9 – 6:00 pm – Soup Supper by Choir

7:00 pm 5th Wednesday Worship Service - Give us this day our daily bread;

March 16 – 6:00 pm Soup Supper by Ladies Aid

7:00 pm 6th Wed. Worship Service - And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us;



7:00 pm **March 24** - Maundy Thursday - And lead us not into temptation,

7:00 pm **March 25** - Good Friday - But deliver us from evil.

7:00 am - **March 27** - Easter Sunrise

For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

8:00 am Easter Pancake Breakfast

9:00 am Congregational Bible Class

10:00 am Easter Worship Service



Next Pot Luck Meal – Will be Sunday, February 28th. The preschool children will join us for the 10:00 am worship service. The children will be in front of the church and sing some of the wonderful songs that they learned in chapel. This is one way we can give back to the church for the support that they give to the preschool.



Greeting Cards – Ladies Aid Society have new greeting cards located in the glass hallway entering the sanctuary on the table. The cost is .50 cents. Before you go and purchase a card, please check out the Ladies Aid table with cards.

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Sunday February 21st <i>Second Sunday in Lent</i> 	Fellowship..... Sunday School & Bible Class..... Worship/Communion..... Confirmation..... Mildred Pless' 90 th Birthday Party.....	8:30 AM 9:00 AM 10:00 AM After Church 2:00 PM-4:00 PM
Monday February 22nd		
Tuesday February 23rd		
Wednesday February 24th	Soup Supper by Preschool..... Worship Service.....	6:00 PM 7:00 PM
Thursday February 25th		
Friday February 26th		
Saturday February 27th		
Next Sunday February 28th <i>Third Sunday in Lent</i>	Fellowship..... Sunday School & Bible Class..... Worship/Preschool Sings..... Pot Luck..... Confirmation.....	8:30 AM 9:00 AM 10:00 AM After Church After Church



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February 21 "**Body and Soul Salvation**" Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz. In Christ, we have a "Body and Soul" Savior for "Jekyll and

Hyde" sinners. (Philippians 3:17-4:1) This may be heard on Sundays, KHCB 105.7 FM at 12:30 pm.