

Please pray for...

Our Church Family: Week of 3/2/26 Doug Zook, Patricia Morgan and her family 2/25/26 Jill DiJrolanio, Charles Reinl, Vic Larson, Pastor Carl Fischer 2/10/26 George Chamberlain, Eileen Meyer, Lorrie Kobliska, Jennifer Fischer 2/1/26 Donna High, Jeanne Whitford, Ken Witzke

Our friends and relatives: Week of: 3/10/26 Sister Jennifer Horner, Capt. John Wilson and his marines 3/2/26 Carrie Garrett, Bumpy Lewis, Doug Lyons, Tyler Murray, Beverly Shepherd, Lincoln Alleyne, Leah LeCroix 2/23/26 Kenneth Nuse, Jr., Laura Buuck, Bianca Box, family of Gabi Koch 2/16/26 Jacki Odom, Sandie Crossley, Kathleen Hill, Jill Gregory, Eugene Symak, Linda Urbanczyk, Paul & Marilyn Schmid, Heidi Bell & Family, Teresa Pinillos 2/9/26 Steve Krejckant & Family, Joann Klein, Frank Tanzi 2/1/26 Kristy Hintz, Ilse Spedden, Mary Roberts, Alex Pretti, for peace in our country

Pray

Ongoing church family, friends and relatives: Darlene Foster, Barbara Frische, Joanne Donaldson, Darlene Foster, Mary Lou Burke, Kaitlin Burke, Jim MacDonald, Annette Morde, Helen Higgins Kline, Jenny Carangelo-Rule, Scott and Peggy Torgerson, Marilyn Johnson, Bill Rose, Courtney Adams, JoAnne Coe, Susan Leroux, Dick Vercruysse, Lori Allen, Diane Massa, Jackie Walsh, Ed Palmer, Joan Forreidor, Sharon Faulkner, Doreen Panyard, Mona Argentini, Larry Thomas, Jon Dickey, Margot Simmons, Karen Smith, Piper Jandola

Please also pray for our Homebound members, Ministry of Faith Preparatory School, Ministry of Tender Hearts, Ministry of Blue Butterfly Hospice, all who serve in the military and their families, all law enforcement officers and first responders and their families.

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP! We are glad YOU are here!

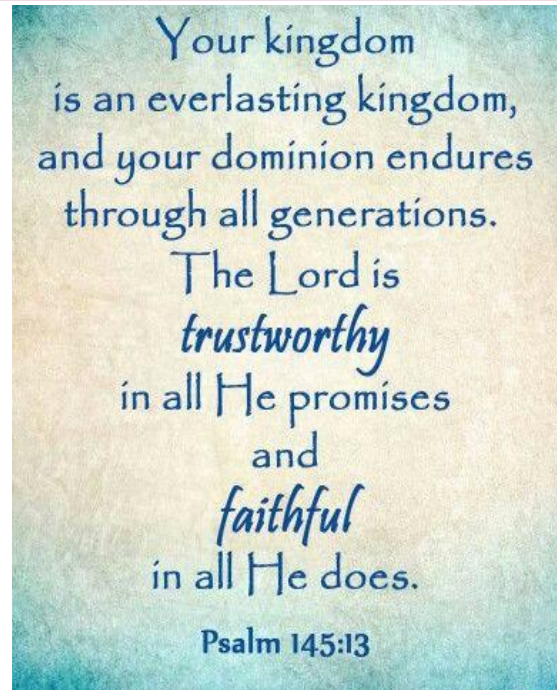
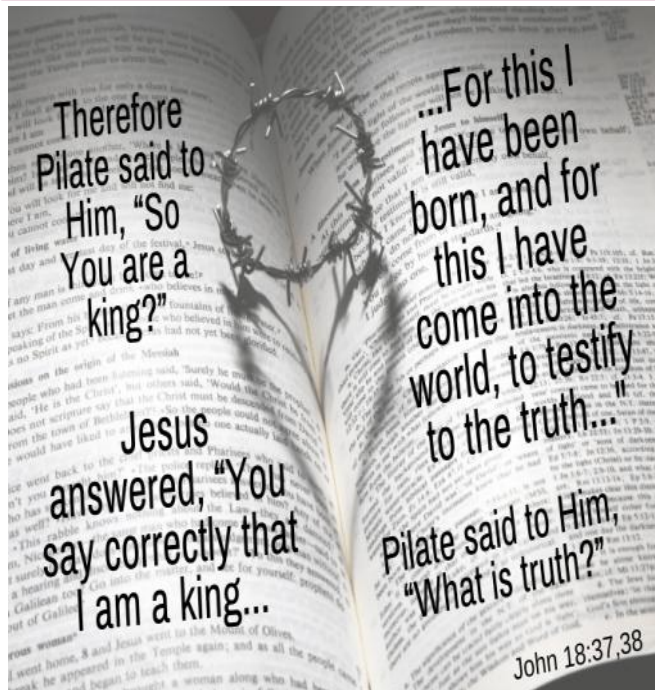
Are You a Visitor or Guest? We welcome you in the name of our risen Savior and we rejoice that you are here today to praise God with us. Please complete a **CONNECTION CARD** in your pew. Either place it in the offering plate or give it to one of our pastors so we can serve you better.

Holy Communion—We believe that Christ is present in this meal freely given to all who are baptized. Please approach the altar as directed. Receive the host and then dip the host (*gluten free wafers are available for the asking*) into either the red wine or the white grape juice and eat, or place the host in your mouth then pick up a cup of either the red wine or the white grape juice and drink. Deposit your empty cup in the basket at the end of the line. All children are invited to come forward for a blessing if they do not normally receive communion. Return to your seat (or pause at the altar) for a time of prayer. If you are unable to come to the altar and would like communion in your pew, please let an usher or a pastor know.

Large Print Service Slide Binders—do you have trouble seeing the screens? We do have the slides printed in a binder for those who need it. Please ask an usher by the sanctuary doors for the binder, then return it at the end of worship.

Hearing Assistance – To connect to the sound system, please download the AUDIOFETCH app, (see barcode) and connect to the **audiofetchexpress** wifi on your cellphone. Refer all questions to Phil Deel.

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SUNDAY STAR

Volunteers

TODAY'S 9:00am SERVICE VOLUNTEERS:

GREETERS: Dave & Fran Kern **BULLETINS:** Rosemarie Conklin

READER: Andrew Stiemke **Acolyte :** Isla Ward

Communion Assistants: Pat Freeman, Joyce Jandola, Hal Jandola, Rosemarie Conklin, Mark Stiemke, Andrew Stiemke

TODAY'S 10:45am SERVICE VOLUNTEERS:

GREETER: **BULLETINS:**

READER: Richard Schnur

OFFERING: Major Hatchell, Richard Schnur

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Corrye Hatchell, Richard Schnur, Barb Petersen
Phil Deel, Mary Deel, Theda Bunker

COFFEE HOUR HOSTS: Early: Barb Graham Late: Maryrose Risner

FLOWER DELIVERY TO HOMEBOUND: Phil Mohr

TODAY'S WORSHIP:

Our services are projected on the screens—The congregation responds with the **bold black** print.

BIBLE READING: John 18: 24-40; Psalm 145:1-13

10:45 Hymns: OPENING: ELW 602 SERMON: ELW 324 SENDING: Go Now in Peace

Church Council Members

You can recognize a church council member by their "YELLOW" nametag.

PRESIDENT—Theda Bunker—**VICE-PRESIDENT**-Phil Deel—**SECRETARY**-Jeanne Gaston—**TREASURER**-Shawn Hernandez

AT LARGE: Beau Beaudine, Doug Buuck, Mandy Knollenberg, Lisa Mohr, Jan Schroeder, Richard Schnur

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Monday—Mar 16

9:00a—Food Pantry

Tuesday—Mar 17

10:00a—Bible Study

Wednesday—Mar 18

9:00a—Food Pantry

2:00p—Council Meeting

6:30—Chancel Choir

Thursday - Mar 19

9:00a—Quilters

9:00a—Men's Breakfast @ IHOP

11:00a Joyful Ringers

6:00p—Trinity's Praise

Friday—Mar 20

Office Closed

Saturday - Mar 21

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Sunday - Mar 22

10:00a—One Service

After Service—Mortgage BBQ!

Today's altar flowers are presented

by **Holy Trinity**

*In honor of our
Children and Youth*



Today's communion wine is presented

by **Susan LeRoux**

In honor of the birthday of

Diane Boettcher



THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS

Mar 17— Diana Kiecker
Patricia Mancini
Annette Morden
Debbi Wilson

Mar 19— Bryan Ellis
Paisley Sylvester

Mar 20— Wayne Pedersen



The **Triquetra Celtic** symbol, or **Trinity Knot**, holds different meanings across several religions. The power of three is a central theme, represented by the symbol's interconnected design with its three arcs.

Our Financial Stewardship

DONATIONS YTD (000s)

FEB Actual \$101.9

Needed \$ 99.0

Over/(Under) \$ 2.9



ACTUAL NET

YTD:

FEB 26 (\$ 1.3)

FEB 25 \$ 1.5

Diff: (\$ 2.8)

15 year Mortgage

(Balance)

on 1/1/26 \$24.2

on 2/28/26 \$ 3.2

Reduction \$21.0



Mar 16 A. J. and Robyn Richmond 3 yrs!

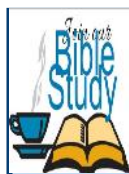
Mar 18 Fred and Lynn Haas 59 yrs!

Gerald and Nancy Holt 35 yrs!

Mar 20 Rev. Carl and Jennifer Fischer 39 yrs!

In-person Attendance
March 8, 2026— 280 Last year 2025— 358

Birthday Ministry is in need of people to send out birthday cards. Please signup in the Narthex. We will provide the cards and if necessary, stamps.



Pastor Ken's 10:00am Tuesday morning Bible Study is studying the BOOK OF LUKE! Please join us in the Fellowship Hall.

Every Thursday @ 9!
All are welcome!

Let's Quilt

How you make others feel says a lot about who you are.



Leave them with a smile, a hug, and a kind thought.



For MARCH food pantry is collecting CAKE BOX MIX and COOKIE BOX MIX AND JELLY! Thank you!



Teddy Bears have been restocked in the pews! Please feel free to take a bear to someone who may need a little extra love and prayers. There is no cost for the bears, however you are always welcome to leave a donation in a yellow pew envelope and mark it "Teddy Bear Ministry".



Lutheran Services of Florida (LSF) is asking for our help in collecting bath and bedding items for families. We are looking to collect the following items listed below.

Please drop off your items on the shelves near the restrooms!

LAST DAY FOR DONATIONS IS SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2026

- Shower liners
- Shower curtains
- Shower hooks

- Bath mats
- Bath towels & washcloths,
- FULL size bed sheets,
- TWIN size bed sheets

Blankets/comforters/quilts.

Blankets/comforters/quilts can be gently used and in good condition



Sunday School

Holy Week/Easter Family Event

Sunday, March 29th @ 10:15 am

Our children will discuss the events of Holy Week and Easter. Each family will make a resurrection garden.

Breakfast will be provided

Following the family project we will have an

EGG HUNT for the children

Please RSVP to Pastor Andrea



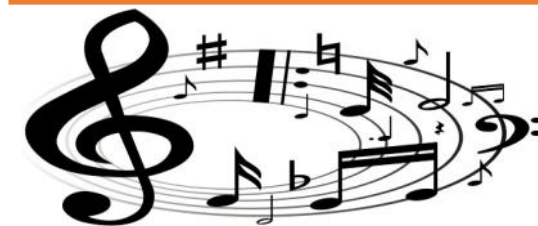
Easter Candy and Easter Egg Fillers



We will be having an egg hunt for our children on Sunday March 29th and we need candy and small goodies to fit inside the eggs before that (if you need more suggestions, please check out AMAZON 'easter egg fillers').

If you would rather make a monetary donation to our egg hunt, we will use it towards our family event and egg hunt goodies. *Thank you!*

Join us TODAY 3/15 for an afternoon of fabulous music @ 3:15!



Mortgage Burning!

Sunday, March 22, 2026 at 10:00am we will be holding a mortgage burning ceremony and worship. We hope **YOU** can come!

It is a grateful and exciting time in the life of our church. After worship we will invite all to the Fellowship Hall for a BBQ lunch catered by **DUBZ BBQ!**

Please **sign up** in the Narthex for the luncheon so we know how many to prepare.



PALM SUNDAY—3/29/26—9:00 Celebration Worship

10:45 Traditional Worship

MAUNDY THURSDAY—4/2/26 6:30 Worship Service

GOOD FRIDAY—4/3/26—6:30pm Worship Service



EASTER SUNDAY SERVICES

APRIL 5TH

9:00am - Celebration Service

10:45am - Traditional Service



The most famous legend of the shamrock dates back to the 5th century, when St. Patrick, Ireland's patron saint, used the three-leafed plant to teach the non-believing Celts about Christianity.

Each leaf represented one of the three persons of the Holy Trinity: the **FATHER**, the **SON**, and the **HOLY SPIRIT**, united as one, making the shamrock a visual metaphor for divine unity and faith. While historical evidence from St. Patrick's time is limited, this story has endured as a central part of Irish folklore.

Source: enchanted-chronicles.com

Thursday, 3/19/26 @ 9:00 @ IHOP



Today I'm taking things



EASTER/SPRING FLOWER ORDER FORM

Your Name: _____ Envelope # _____

Number of : Spring flowers ____ Cost (per plant): **\$12.00** Total enclosed: \$ _____

PLEASE CHOOSE ONLY ONE DEDICATION PER PLANT

In Memory of _____ **OR**

In Honor of _____ **OR**

To the Glory of God _____

Presented by _____

Place cash or check (made payable to Holy Trinity Lutheran Church) and this form, in an envelope in the offering plate or mail/drop it off at the church office (M-Th 8-12pm).

Orders due by March 29, 2026.

THERE WILL BE FORMS IN THE NARTHEX AS WELL



4 THINGS TO REMEMBER TODAY

Kindness is free.
Everyone's journey is different.
Prayer is a gift.
God is good, all the time.



We have a small basket of "Easter Blessings" to share with our **HOMEBOUND** members.

We are in need of volunteers to deliver the baskets. They will be ready for delivery by

Tuesday, March 31st.

If you are able to deliver, please call or email the office

(941-625-5262 or office@htlchurch.org).

Thank you for spreading the Easter Blessings!