

HTLConnections

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HOLY TRINITY APPAREL

We are excited to introduce the newest fashion apparel to hit the city of New Prague! If you love Holy Trinity and you want to show your love on your clothing, check out our [HTLC clothing store](#)! There's something for everyone!

This gives us a sneak peek to our new mission/vision launch, which we are preparing for kickoff Sunday, September 13th. By Thursday, September 10th, we are planning to deliver a final report to the congregation from the Vision 2020 process, which will include the final results of our Vision, Mission, and core Values going forward. If you'd like to purchase some Holy Trinity apparel, we will deliver it in conjunction with the final Vision 2020 report to your door.

Friends, this has been a hard year, but God is still moving us forward. It's exciting to know that God hasn't given up on our church or abandoned us. We will make it through. We are beginning a whole new phase of ministry. We welcome you to order your apparel by August 14th!

ONLINE WORSHIP

Watch online worship videos [here!](#)

IN FAITH WE PRAY

WE PRAY as people of faith: Holy Lord, comfort, strengthen and protect Don M., Gam W., Kenny N., Mark J., Pam E., people striving for justice, and those struggling with mental illnesses. In Jesus' name. Amen

SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

[Galatians 5:22-23a](#)

WORSHIP THIS WEEK

Join us as we continue our summer sermon series on the Fruits of the Spirit! Sunday at 9am on Facebook!

RADIO SPONSOR

Thank you to Kristen DeLuca and family for sponsoring this Sunday's radio broadcast ministry!



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SUMMER SERMON SERIES

Join us this Sunday as we focus on Joy! Catch our online worship services at 9 am on [Facebook](#) and [You Tube](#).



Great News! We're bringing back our worship services to Cable TV on BevComm Channel 6. Check us out on Sundays at 9:30 am & Wednesdays at 6:00 pm.

COUNCIL CONNECTIONS

[June 2020 Church Council Minutes](#)

RIB FEST

The best party in a church's front yard has been cancelled this year. Please put RibFest on your 2021 calendar for the August 6!

MEMORIAL SERVICE

The Memorial Service for Sharron Gillingham will premiere on Facebook and YouTube on Wednesday, July 22 at 8:00 pm. Cards can be sent to the Church Office.

MISSION OUTREACH

Thank you to everyone who is stocking our Little Free Pantries on a regular basis. **Your generosity is making a difference in our community!** We are looking for more face masks. If you would like to sew or donate masks, please put them in individual baggies.



CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Framing! Walls! Windows! Things are moving right along!



KIDS CONNECTION

We're highlighting our Crew Time Leaders!

Get to know Christa Smith!

What has been a bright spot during the COVID-19 social isolation? *Our silver lining to social distancing is that we've been getting to know and enjoy the company of many of our neighbors this summer. We've rarely missed a service with HTLC going online, which has enriched our own sense of community over the past few months. Our dog, Ruthie, would add that she's learned many new tricks and manners!*

If you could interview any Biblical figure, who would it be? What would you ask? *I'd choose Peter because as a leader he still questioned and worried in ways that are relatable today, yet through his relationship with Jesus, he always learned that he should never doubt his faith. I'd spend most of the conversation asking about his first hand accounts of Jesus, especially untold stories.*

Favorite memory of HTLC - *There are many favorites! I truly enjoyed the "conversation series" of sermons this winter in which we came to know a few staff at HTLC on a more personal level. Their testimonies have helped cultivate a wider sense of community within the church. I'd love a repeat of this series again!*

CARING CONNECTIONS

Thank you to the dynamic duo of Jon Bergquist and Mike Ryan for teaming up to build an addition onto our shed to secure our lawn mowers. We heard Bonnie and Lois were there "supervising" and may or may not have helped scrape paint. Thank you all!

