
WELCOME

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church! This week, hear a Gospel passage about Jesus being the Good Shepherd and caring for those entrusted to him. The celebration of Earth Day invites everyone to wonder how we too are taking care of God's world. How might God call us to be good shepherds of God's creation today? God's blessings to you and your loved ones today!

- Pastors Alicia and Ben Hilding

PRAYERS

God, our Good Shepherd, thank you for caring for each one of us. Today, we pray for your presence to be with those who have requested prayer: for Joanne, Darrin, Al, Jake, Sara, Noah, Tosha, Phil, Laurie, Laura, Gary, Mary, Cheryl, Barb, Jim, Darbie, and Jodi. When we feel lost or alone, remind us that you come to us, you care for us, and you bring us into a caring community with others. In Jesus' name, we pray, Amen.

SPONSORS

This week, the Radio Ministry is sponsored by Palmer & Susan Welcome. Thank you!

The Hospitality Ministry has openings for sponsors.

Sponsoring a week is a great way to support the church, honor a special event, or memorialize a loved one. Please call 952-758-3513 or email office@holyltrinityonline.org to support these important ministries. Thank you!



WORSHIP

PRELUDE

WELCOME

OPENING HYMN *The King of Love of Love My Shepherd Is, ELW#502*

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

KYRIE/GLORIA

PRAYER OF THE DAY

MUSICAL OFFERING

Every Season

CREW TIME DISMISSAL

SCRIPTURES

Acts 4:5-12
Psalm 23 (read responsively)

GOSPEL

John 10:11-18

MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY

All Creatures of Our God and King

CREW TIME RETURNS

OFFERING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER

NEW MEMBER WELCOME

BENEDICTION

SENDING HYMN

God of Wonders

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

NOTES

HEARING DEVICES: If you require the service to be amplified, please visit the Soundbooth for assistive listening devices.

NURSERY: If you have someone who might need to move around a bit, you are welcome to utilize the nursery located next to the sanctuary. A private room is available for nursing mothers.

OFFERING: Experience the joy of giving! Give via cash or check using the envelopes near your seat. Please place it in the collection plate as the ushers pass your row. Give electronically by scanning the QR code. Please select "General Operating." Lastly, all are welcome to make a joyful noise by placing their offering or loose change in the metal milk can. You may also give your coins to a child, and they will deliver your "noisy offering." 10% of your offering supports Holy Trinity's Mission Outreach projects. Thank you!



QR CODES: Access digital information with your smartphone! To use a QR code, open your smartphone camera, hold the camera over the QR code, and tap the link on your smartphone.\

RESTROOMS: Located along the same hall as the cross wall. Of the eight accessible bathrooms, six are single occupancy, gender-inclusive, with changing tables.

WIFI: Username: *HTLC-Guest*, Password: *Fellowship*

FINANCES

Finances as of March 31, 2024	Year-to-Date Budget	Year-to-Date Actual	Campaign Gifts received to date
Revenue	\$158,803	\$186,252	\$548,138
Expenses	\$161,801	\$162,016	
Revenue - Expenses	-\$2,998	\$24,236	

RESPOND

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS! Two families joined Holy Trinity this week! Please take the time to introduce yourself and welcome them into the Holy Trinity community. Get to know them in an upcoming issue of the HTLConnections.

KIDS CLOTHING DRIVE: Support Le Sueur County families with donations of gently used and new clothing and personal hygiene items for kids and teens. Drop your items in the cart located in the Fellowship Hall. See the flyer attached to the cart for information regarding suggested donations. Thank you for your generosity!

RIBFEST: June 14, 4 - 8 pm. Make a difference! Corporate

 Sponsors and Silent Auction donation opportunities are available. Scan the QR to sign up or contact Gina Fadden at gina@holytrinityonline.org.

FACILITY RENOVATION: Holy Trinity is preparing for updates to the facility this summer. Langer Construction enjoys partnering with local vendors and supports the generous ways hometown subcontractors can help pledged dollars go further.

Subcontractors and Vendors - please submit your name, trade/supply, and contact information to Jamie Bisek at office@holytrinityonline.org by noon on April 26 to receive an invitation to bid.

MEET THE COUNCIL: Sunday, April 21, and Wednesday, April 24. Stop by Door 2 before or after worship to meet with church council members. Put a face to their name, ask a question, or just say hello! Reach out via email at president@holytrinityonline.org.

ACTS OF KINDNESS: Support the ministry of the Act of Kindness  team while spreading a great message with Kindness Apparel from ID threadz. Youth & adult sizes in four different colors! Scan the QR code to order.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: June 10-12, 5:30 - 7:45 pm

 Registration is open for students, families & volunteers. Learn how God created everyone with unique gifts to help care for his creation. Scan the QR code, email kate@holytrinityonline.org, or call 952.758.3513 to register.

SERMON NOTES

Listen closely to the pastor's message, take notes, and discuss them with your Confirmation small group.

Name: _____

- 1) Today you heard a video from Scott Mackenthun, who works for the MN DNR. What stood out about his words?

- 2) We hear Jesus is the Good Shepherd. What does that have to do with Earth Day?

- 3) What are 4 ways you can be a good steward/shepherd of God's creation?

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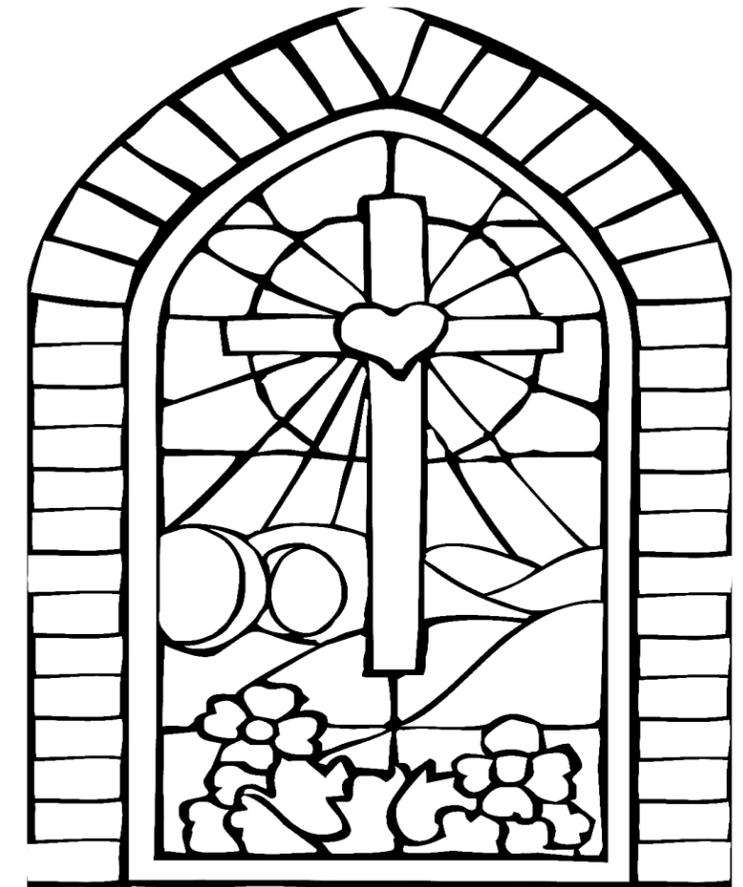
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SEASON OF *Easter*



APRIL 21, 2024

SUNDAY: 9 AM

APRIL 24, 2024

WEDNESDAY: 6 PM

Share God's love for all people from one generation to the next

Welcome • Worship • Respond

