WELCOME

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church! Today is a special day as the senior students are blessed. During this time of transition, we recall all the holy moments that have happened along the way and give thanks to God for the joy of sharing those moments. We also pray for God's blessing upon these seniors as they look ahead at what's to come. God will be with you! God's blessings to you and your loved ones today!

Pastors Alicia and Ben Hilding

PRAYERS

Please keep in your prayers this week: Al G., Allen K., Brad L., Brenda T., Cheryl G., Cheryl M., Darbie B., Janet H., Joe S., John S., Karen H., Kris P., Laura C., Matt G., Michelle N., Mikki H., Oliver F., and Ray M.

*If you would like to be added to this public prayer list, please contact office@holytrinityonline.org.

SPONSORS

The Radio and Hospitality Ministries have openings for sponsors.

Sponsoring a week is a great way to support the church, honor a special event, or memorialize a loved one. The Radio Ministry is \$70, and the Hospitality Ministry (Wednesday evening meals) is \$300 (full week) or \$150 (half week). Please contact Jamie at office@holytrinityonline.org or call 952.758.3513 to support these important ministries. Thank you!



WORSHIP

GREETERS Brieanna Malecha and Ella Jung

PRELUDE

WELCOME Isaiah Podratz

OPENING HYMN Who You Say I Am

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Jake Boulanger

MUSICAL OFFERING God Will Always Be With You

Holy Trinity Choir

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Jordin Gummert

SCRIPTURE READING Acts 11:1-18

Psalm 148 (read responsively) Readers: Reven Tietz and Kayla Solheim

MUSICAL OFFERING In Christ Alone

Nina Mathiowetz, Trombone

GOSPEL John 13:31-35

Reader: Luke Jacobson

MESSAGE Emmy Will

HYMN OF THE DAY O Come To The Altar

OFFERING

Ushers: Noah Sticha, Jacob Bisek, Taylor Hemann, Samuel Gilles

WORDS OF INSTITUTION/LORD'S PRAYER

HOLY COMMUNION

Lamb of God

Lord, I Need You Behold The Lamb

Communion Servers: Arianna Roneker, Jacob Bisek, Isaiah Podratz, Noah Sticha, Samuel Gilles, Luke Jacobson, Taylor Hemann, Ella Jung, Carson Sayler, Kayla Solheim

COMMUNION BLESSING

BLESSING OF THE SENIORS

BENEDICTION

SENDING HYMN All Joy, No Stress

DISMISSAL

NOTES

HOLY COMMUNION: Every person has a place at God's table. No exceptions. All are welcome to join this Holy Communion meal, regardless of church membership or denomination. Follow the direction of the ushers to receive the body and blood of Jesus Christ. Receive a wafer (regular or gluten-free) in your hand and then select red wine or juice. Children (under 4th grade) and others who do not commune are welcome to come for a blessing.

MINISTRY OFFERING: Experience the joy of giving!

Give via cash or check using the envelopes at the Usher

Station. Place it in the collection plate as the ushers pass
your row. Give electronically by scanning the QR code
(select "General Operating"). All are welcome to make a joyful
noise by placing coins in the metal can or giving them to a child to
deliver your Noisy Offering. 10% of the Ministry Offering
supports Holy Trinity's Mission Outreach projects. Thank you!

HEARING ASSIST: Please visit the Soundbooth for assistance.

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: Holy Trinity is located on the original homelands of the Wahpekute (Dakota) people.

NURSERY: If you have someone who needs room to move, check out the Nursery! Exit the Sanctuary and turn right. You'll find comfortable seating, toys for little ones, and a TV to view worship.

QR CODES: Easy as 1, 2, 3! Open your smartphone camera, hold it over the QR code, and tap the link.

RESTROOMS/CHANGING TABLES: Located directly outside the Sanctuary in the Lobby and the Fellowship Hall (north side).

WIFI: Username: HTLC-Guest, Password: Fellowship

FINANCES

Finances as of March 31, 2025	Year-to-Date Budget	Year-to-Date Actual	Campaign Gifts Received
Revenue	\$167,461	\$202,436	\$929,072
Expenses	\$170,083	\$169,734	Gifts to receive
Revenue -Expenses	-\$2,622	\$32,702	\$323,327

RESPOND

CONGRATULATIONS, SENIORS: May God bless and keep you as you navigate the world. Please pick up a *Senior Spotlight* publication to learn more about these awesome adults! All are welcome to enjoy cinnamon rolls and refreshments in the Fellowship Hall in honor of the Seniors.

SERVICE OF BLESSING: Wednesday, May 21, 6 pm. All are welcome to honor the end of Pastor Alicia and Pastor Ben's call to Holy Trinity. Reception after worship in the Fellowship Hall.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: June 16-18, 5 - 8 pm. Registration forms must be turned in (no Google Form this year). Led by Luther Crest staff with the theme "We Are The Church," this year's VBS will be a blast! Registration information is available at holytrinityonline.org. Please call Kate at 952.758.3513 or email kate@holytrinityonline.org with any questions.

RIBFEST: Friday, June 13, 4:30 - 8:30 pm. Don't miss this great community event! Delicious food, beverages from Giesenbrau, kids' activities, live music from Little Chicago, and a huge silent auction - it's the perfect way to kick off summer. Scan the QR code to volunteer or call 952.758.3513.

RIBFEST DONATIONS: Make a difference for RibFest! Corporate

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

MINDFUL YOGA: Sunday, June 15, 4-5 pm in Paul's Place. Join Jen Sayler, and step onto your mat to practice mindfulness, strength, ease, balance, and gratitude. All levels are welcome, ages 14 and older. Bring your mat. Extra mats are available.

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SUNDAY: 9 AM

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

Welcome · Worship · Respond

