

APRIL 3, 2022

THE DOVE

TRINITY LUTHERAN, PINCKNEY
OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER



WHO WAS PONTIUS PILATE?

Join us in the exploration of the role that Pontius Pilate played in the suffering and death of our Savior, Jesus Christ, at our sixth and final Lenten Midweek Service this coming **Wednesday, April 6, at 6:30 PM.** Pontius Pilate is the next personality we will consider in our Lenten Series, Witnesses for Christ. See what happens when a person 'washes their hands' of the Lord Jesus Christ. And please join us prior to the worship service at 5:30 PM for our final Lenten Family Soup Supper. We love and appreciate this fellowship with you and your family.

**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE OF SERVICES Our Lenten Series
Witnesses to Christ will continue during the special worship
services during Holy Week:**

**Palm Sunday (April 10) - 10:00 AM The Crowd
Maundy Thursday (April 4) - 6:30 PM..... Judas Iscariot
Good Friday (April 15) - 6:30 PM Apostle John
Easter Sunday (April 17) - 10:00 AM ... Mary Magdalene**

**9:00 am Easter Breakfast
9:30 am Children's Easter Egg Hunt
10:00 am ... Easter Festival Worship**

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Madysin Gray 4/8
Daniel Eppler 4/10
Garet Fix 4/10

EASTER LILIES

Easter Lily order forms are in your mailboxes. The cost is \$15 each. You can turn in your order forms and either cash or check made out to Trinity Ladies Posse to Lois Brumm **TODAY.**

ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY

It's Spring and with it comes Adopt-a-Highway. Beginning **April 24-30** we will be picking up along a two-mile stretch on either side of the Highway. See Greg Eppler for more information.

ASHLEYS FRIENDS

This is a support group which provides a safe, supportive and comforting environment for children, youth and families who are dealing with grief and loss.

The Howell Masonic Temple is hosting a spaghetti dinner fundraiser, on **April 9**. More details on the bulletin board in the narthex.

THIS WEEK

Apr 3 9 am Sunday School/Adult study
10 am Worship

Apr 4 6:30 pm Confirmation
7 pm Trustees

Apr 5 9 am Prayer warriors
10 am Bible Study

Apr 6 5:30 pm Soup Supper
6:30 pm Lenten worship
7pm Choir

Apr 7 7 pm Ladies Posse

Apr 10 9 am Sunday School/Adult study
10 am Worship

SERVING THE LORD

April 3, 2022

Divine service

Elder: Mike Myher

Acolyte: Michael Groeller

Usher: Melissa Ratliff and Lynda Minger

Counting: Kristin Myher and Barb Yek

Altar: Marilyn and Lois Brumm

April 10, 2022

Divine service

Elder: Ray Swanson

Acolyte: Luke Eppler

Counting: Dan and Joanna Krueger

Usher: Dan Krueger and Bryan Bickel

Altar: Marilyn and Lois Brumm

I HAVE GOOD NEWS FOR YOU!

I HAVE GOOD NEWS FOR YOU! That is the title of the new 10-session Adult Information Class starting on May 1, 2022. This course qualifies the adult for communicant membership in the Lutheran Church - and Trinity Lutheran Church - and will be taught by Pastor Mike in the Trinity Conference Room on Sunday mornings from 9:00 - 9:45 am. Please contact Pastor Merelyn Snider or Barb Yek if you are able to suggest the names of 'non-member friends' of the congregation who could be contacted and invited to attend this class. Thank you!

MINISTRY EQUIPMENT

People are excited in the Lord about the new ministry equipment that will be operationalized at Trinity in the new future. (1) Thanks to a grant from the Michigan District Church Extension Fund, a new Livestream camera, 'spy' microphone, and remote control system have already been purchased. (2) Property clearance and reconstructed FIREPIT will be engineered by Eagle Scout Luke Eppler. We are praying now for the Lord to bless this new ministry equipment to help connect people to the Lord Jesus Christ.

LWML PRAYER SERVICE

Thanks be to God! At least 10 Trinity Women attended the LWML Prayer Service here at Trinity on Saturday, March 26. The women learned and practiced eight different ways of praying: 1) The Collect Prayer 2) Scripture Prayer 3) Versicles Prayer 4) Singing Prayer 5) Meditation Prayer 6) Posture Prayer 7) Personal Prayer and 8) Corporate Prayer. The service was led by Pastor Bob Mikkelson (LWML Zone Counselor) and Pastor Ruhl. By the way, LWML stands for Lutheran Women's Missionary League - a female fellowship that supports the work of MISSIONS in Michigan, the USA and the World.

MEALS WITH A MISSION

The tentative dates for the next congregation Meal with a Mission at Trinity are Sunday, May 15 or Sunday May 22 - after the morning Worship Service. Proceeds from the meal will support the YOUTH of our congregation who will be attending the National LCMS Youth Gathering in Houston, Texas on July 9-13, 2022. More information will follow.

Charting Our Course at Trinity
Attendance last week, March 27, 2022

10:00 AM Worship: In Person: 54 Online Views: 42
9:00 AM Bible Class: In Person: 13_ Online Views: 32
9:00 AM Sunday School: 8
10:00 AM Tuesday Bible Study: 9

A NOTE FROM LUKE EPPLER

Hello Trinity Family,
Some of you may have heard that I'm working on my Eagle project at Trinity. My first workday will be Saturday, April 2nd at 9:00. The plan for that day is to remove the large pile of dirt and clean up the existing fire pit area. We will also plant grass where the hill used to be. The next workday will be held towards the end of April. We will be installing a new paver fire pit and ring. The project is estimated to cost about \$550. To raise money for the project, I have requested a Thrivent Grant for \$250 so I need to raise another \$300. I will raise this by getting donations and collecting cans. If you are interested in helping here are three ways you can help.

- Make a cash or check donation
(Please make your check to "Troop 395")
- Donate cans (I can collect cans, or you can bring them to church)
- Volunteer at my workdays.

If you have any questions, please ask me at church!

Thanks, Luke Eppler

Before



Paver Fire Pit with ring

