



April 13, 2025

## *The Dove*

Weekly

TRINITY LUTHERAN, PINCKNEY  
OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**DIVINE CALL EXTENDED** On Sunday, April 6, the Voting Members of our congregation extended a divine call to Rev. Kenneth Huner of Milan, Michigan, to serve as the next Senior Pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church. This call was issued by unanimous vote and was preceded by significant scripture Readings by members of the Call Committee and essential prayer by the Congregation. President, Greg Eppler. Information about the pastoral candidates on our call list from the Michigan District, post-call ministry scenarios, call process procedure - plus facilitating questions and answers from the Voting Assembly - were capably and spiritually hosted by Call Committee Chairman, Ray Swanson. To say the least, there was great joy in observing our church being the church in action under the Holy Spirit.

**THE HANDS OF JESUS CONTINUE** in the upcoming Holy Week **Services** that will be celebrated next week, as we march together toward the Resurrection of Our Lord.

> **Palm Sunday Worship** and Procession of Palms on Sunday, April 13, AT 10:00 AM.

> **Holy Thursday Worship** with Holy Communion on Thursday, April 17, at 6:30 PM.

Theme: Hands Which Serve and Feed Us

> **Good Friday Worship** on Friday, April 18, at 6:30 PM

Theme: Hands Which Were Pierced for Us"

> **Easter Sunday Worship** with Holy Communion on Sunday, April 20, at 10:00 AM

Theme: Hands Raised in Resurrection Victory

**Easter Lily forms** are in your mailbox. Please return them to Joanna Krueger **TODAY**. Plants are \$16



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**Palm Sunday April 13**  
Service at 10 am

**Maundy Thursday and  
Good Friday**  
Services at 6:30 pm

**Easter**  
Breakfast 9 am  
Egg hunt 9:30 am  
Worship 10 am

Sunday School and Adult Bible Study @ 9 am.  
Worship @ 10 am office: 734-878-5977

### **WORSHIP SERVANTS April 13, 2025**

**Acolyte:** Andrew Eppler and Kyptin Gray

**Elders:** Bill Hertel

**Pastor:** Pastor Michael R. Ruhl

**Organist:** Linda Freeman

**Special Music:**

**Altar:** Barb Yek

**Counting:** Bryan Bickel and Dan Krueger

**Ushers:** Melissa Ratliff and Barb Yek

**Greeters:** Carolyn Ruhl and Joanna Krueger

### **MINISTRY CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK**

#### **Sun, April 13**

9 am – Adult Bible Study—Gospel of Matthew

9 am – Children's Sunday School

10 am – **Palm Sunday Processional and Worship**

#### **Mon April 14**

**Tues April 15**

11 am - Prayer Warriors

**Wed April 16****Thur April 17**

10:30 am -- Christian Art class with Pam

6:30 pm -- Maundy Thursday Communion Worship

**Fri April 18**

6:30 pm -- Good Friday Worship

**Sun April 20**

9 am -- Easter Breakfast

9:30 am -- Easter Egg Hunt

10 am -- Easter Festival Worship service

**PRAYER SERVICE 2025 - BLESSED ARE THEY.** The Lutheran Women in Mission will be holding their annual prayer service on **May 10 at 9:30-11:00** am at Shepherd of the Lakes Church and School, 2101 S. Hacker Rd. Brighton. Refreshments at 9:00 am. Mothers and daughters come together to celebrate Mother's Day!

**CHARTING OUR COURSE***Attendance week of April 6, 2025*

10:00 am Worship in Person: 74/Online plays: 148 Communion: 64

9:00 am Kids Sunday school In Person: 8

9:00 am Adult Bible Class in Person: 27/ Online plays: 138

**Use these links** if you would like to add the Trinity events calendar to your calendar app.

[https://calendar.google.com/calendar/embed?src=trinitylutheranpinckney%40gmail.com&ctz=America%2FNew\\_York](https://calendar.google.com/calendar/embed?src=trinitylutheranpinckney%40gmail.com&ctz=America%2FNew_York)

Or ical:

<https://calendar.google.com/calendar/ical/trinitylutheranpinckney%40gmail.com/public/basic.ics>

**S/E ARE COLLECTING TRAVEL-SIZE HYGIENE ITEMS** for Ellie's House in Detroit for their street outreach. We learned about Ellie's house & the great work they do at our LWML Spring Rally last year. There is a basket on the table in the gathering area for your donations. Thank you.

They are in need of hygiene kits. These kits are essential for those in

need, and we're calling on students, small groups, or anyone looking for a meaningful service project to pitch in.

What We Need:

- Shampoo
- Body Wash
- Deodorant
- Toothbrush/Toothpaste

(Travel-sized items, please!) Simply pack them into a sandwich-sized zip top bag, and we'll take as many as you can make! We use these kits 3-4 times a week to help our friends in need.

**Thank you for your generosity on these missions at home.**

### **PINCKNEY SENIOR CENTER HYGIENE PANTRY**

- Panty liners – all sizes – mostly needed are heavier, long sizes
- Wipes-Disposable, septic tank safe if possible
- Adult Diapers all sizes
- Toothpaste, toothbrush, dental floss
- Quart-size Ziploc bags
- Kleenex toilet bowl cleaner

The Pinckney Senior Center Personal Hygiene Pantry currently provides year-round assistance for approximately 40 seniors.

**TRINITY WILL AGAIN BE HOSTING** a New Creation dinner for the class. New Creation is a free weekly program that offers one-on-one mentoring, budget coaching, and support with basic essential items. By participating in the program, individuals are equipped with community, hope, and empowerment. The program begins with three essential courses, followed by the opportunity to take elective classes. We provide dinner so the students don't have to and can concentrate on their class. We usually sit with them and talk.

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP OUT**, it would be appreciated and we would love to have you join us on **Thursday, May 8, at 4:15 pm at Grace Lutheran Church in Howell**. Contact Barb Yek, Kristin Myher, or Lynda Minger for more information.