



Trinity News—March 21, 2021

Growing in Faith... Reaching Out in Love... Making Disciples

PREPARE FOR WORSHIP NEXT WEEK

Isaiah 50:4-9a Psalm 31:9-16
 Philippians 2:5-11 Mark 14:1-15:47

WE PRAY FOR OUR CONGREGATIONAL MEMBERS:

Brion & Ashley Love Family Donald & Kasha Loveridge
 Joan Love Ronald Loveridge
 Robert Love Brian & Becky Lowden Family
 Wayne Love Debra Luttner
 Yvonne Lovejoy Jeffrey & Ashley Luttner
 Regis Dunn II, Preston Wannamaker, David & Cindy Berlin & family, Jimmy Gutowski, Brandon Nicely, Andrew Armstrong, Greg Krall, Michael Wirick, Brittney Robinson, Jonathan Skoloda, Dillan Bellotti, Melissa Durrett, Ivan Rupert, Karalyn Dick Vogel, Kenneth Dick II, Zack Vogel, Justin Brasile, Jarrett Patterson, Michael Brasile and others deployed in areas of unrest.

ATTENDANCE FOR LAST WEEK

No in-person worship

Drive-thru Communion March 10—20
 March 14—62

FLOWER & BROADCAST SPONSORS

If you would like to sponsor altar flowers or a radio broadcast in 2021, please call the church office at 724-537-4450 or email office@trinitylatrobe.com. Many dates are open throughout the year. Whole broadcasts are \$80 and a half is \$40. As we return to in-person worship, altar flowers will beautify our worship space.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Do you enjoy painting? We are looking for a few helpers to paint the rooms in the TLC house. Call the Church office for more details.

The Finance Committee is in search of an insurance professional/licensed insurance agent, to advise Trinity on insurance related matters. For more information, please contact Dave Gebhart at gebhardt@comcast.net.

We are looking for a few volunteers to assist with the livestreaming of worship services. It's easy, just a few buttons to push! Please consider being a part of this new ministry and committee. Contact Kelsey at the church office at 724-537-4450 or e-mail kelseystemple@trinitylatrobe.com for more details.



JOIN US FOR HOLY WEEK

- **Palm Sunday**, March 28, 8:15 & 10:45am
- **Holy Wednesday**, March 31, 7:00pm
- **Maundy Thursday**, April 1, 7:00pm
- **Good Friday**, April 2
 Seven Last Words, Noon - 3:00pm, Pre-recorded and online only.
 Tenebrae, 7:00pm
- **Easter Vigil**, April 3, 7:30pm,
Part One: Online only, watch pre-recorded Part One at 9:00am or 6:00pm on our Facebook page.
Part Two: 7:30pm in-person and Livestream on Facebook
- **Easter Sunday**, April 4, 8:15am & 10:45am

With the exception of Good Friday Noon to 3:00pm and Part One of Easter Vigil, all other services are in-person worship and livestreamed on [Facebook.com/TrinityLatrobeLive](https://www.facebook.com/TrinityLatrobeLive).

Masks, social distancing, and registration are required for in-person worship. If you plan to attend, please call the church office at 724-537-4450 to register.

TWO MINUTES ON A TUESDAY

Pastor Paula has started a video series titled, "Two Minutes on a Tuesday" that airs on Trinity's Facebook page each Tuesday. These short videos are designed to get you thinking about the ministry we share at Trinity.

MIDWEEK LENT WORSHIP

Our theme for Midweek Lent Worship is **With Awe And Love: A Midweek Service Based on the Small Catechism**. These brief services with Holy Communion will air on our Facebook page Wednesday mornings at 8:00am and Drive-Through Communion is offered from 9:30 -10:30am each Wednesday morning.

COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORTS

Committee chairs, it's time to get your committee reports together for the annual congregational report. Please email them to jennyobstarczyk@trinitylatrobe.com or drop them off in the office by April 1.

SUNDAY - 21	MONDAY - 22	TUESDAY - 23	WEDNESDAY - 24	THURSDAY - 25	FRIDAY - 26	SATURDAY - 27
8:15 Holy Communion 10:00-11:00 Drive thru Communion			8:00 Midweek Lenten Service online 9:30-10:30 Drive-thru Communion			10:00 West Penn Trail Hike 10:00 First Communion
	7:00 Return to Worship (Zoom)		6:30 Social Ministry	4:30 Club FRED Meal		



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Thank you for your special offerings that are bringing God's love and hope to a hungry, hurting, and broken world.

ELCA World Hunger Offerings: \$1,577.75

Offerings collected are used where help in the world is needed the most.

ELCA Missionary Support: \$430

YOU can make a difference in spreading the gospel around the world through your offerings to help support our missionaries.

MOTHER HUBBARD'S CUPBOARD

In March/April we are collecting toothpaste for our local food pantry. Please place your donated items in Mother Hubbard's Cupboard, located in the front narthex or drop them off in the church office.

CAR HOP UPDATE

Mark your calendars, Trinity's annual Car Hop has been rescheduled for **Sunday, August 8, 2021**. Watch Trinity News and the Triangle for updates and additional information. We are looking forward to the return of this afternoon of fun, fellowship, and great food!

ELCA DISASTER RELIEF—TEXAS

Please give today. Your gifts ensure that our church will be able to provide help and hope for those whose lives have been devastated by the severe storms in Texas. **Please make your check out to Trinity Lutheran Church, designating "U.S. Severe Storms" in the memo line.** Monies will be used entirely (100%) for direct response. Together, we can help provide immediate and long-lasting support for those whose lives have been impacted by severe winter storms and subfreezing temperatures in Texas. Doing this we reflect Christ's light and hope to our neighbors in their time of need.

Disaster donations to date \$150.



GARDEN FLOWER MEMORIAL GIFT

We invite you to make a memorial contribution toward the purchase of flowers and plants for the Reinegarten and courtyard beds.

Name _____

Amount \$ _____

In memory of _____

In honor of _____

CHURCH OPENING NEWS

The Council unanimously approved the recommendation of the Return to Worship Committee for Sunday School for both adults and children to resume in person on April 11. The week of April 18 committees and Council may resume in person meetings in the church building and the first week in May all other groups may resume meeting in person. All appropriate mitigation procedures will remain in place (masks required, social distancing, no food, no singing). If you wish to meet at the church, you **MUST** contact the church office with your date and time so the appropriate room may be assigned to you and we are able to clean and sanitize in between room usage.

SUMMER CAMP IS RETURNING!

Camp Agape, Camp Lutherlyn and Camp Sequanota are all accepting applications for summer camp. This is good news! Last year these camps were unable to hold in-person camping experiences. With much prayer and persistence along with the generosity of donors, these camps will be able to offer in-person camping this summer. You can register online at their individual websites. Another way to support outdoor ministry is to sponsor a week-long scholarship for a child to attend camp. Camp costs between \$300 and \$500 per week. Each of these local camps offer ways for you to donate to camper scholarships and allow children who may not otherwise be able to afford it, to attend camp.

TRINITY BEAUTIFUL GARDENING

As we look forward to spring, we will be planning the planting and the maintenance of Trinity's outdoor gardens that keep Trinity looking beautiful. We thank those who have helped in past years and look forward to having some new people volunteer this year to help plant, water, weed, and prune. It can be a great family project. If you would like to help please call the church office @ 724-537-4450. If you are interested in gardening please let the office know and we will contact you to discuss how you would like to help. We welcome your thoughts and suggestions!

EASTER FLOWERS / HUNGER MEMORIALS

We invite you to brighten our Easter Chancel or bring blessings to a hungry family.



I wish to purchase _____ flower(s) at \$9.00 each for a total of \$ _____.

I wish to make a hunger contribution of \$ _____.

in memory of:

in honor of:

given by:

Please return to the church office with payment no later than March 21.