

HELLO TRINITY FRIENDS!

News for the week of March 10, 2024

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS...

- Baby Remi, born four months premature
- Barb (aunt of Tammie Lansingh), experiencing hearing and vision problems
- Raymond Brown (brother of Greg Brown), suffering ongoing medical problems
- Nancy Zieske, recovering from a pulmonary embolism and pneumonia
- Arlene Malotky, hospitalized this week for tests and treatment
- Lance LeFevre, preparing for surgery
- Dave Thompson, recovering from knee replacement surgery
- Tommy Morgan and family upon the death of his father, Tom Morgan Sr. (visitation Sunday, 3/10, from 2-7pm at Bacarella Funeral Home; funeral service also at Bacarella on Monday, 3/11, at 11am)
- Michigan pastors and wives visiting Middelburg, South Africa to support St. Peter Conf. Lutheran Church

LENTEN MIDWEEK SERVICES Join us Wednesday evenings (March 13 & 20) at 6pm in the chapel! Pastor Duerr continues to lead us through a series of studies based on "The Linchpin: Seven Reasons to Believe Jesus Rose from the Dead" by Thomas Zelt. If you'd like to purchase your own copy of the book, please <u>click here</u>.

WinGS The next WinGS (Women in God's Service) meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 12, at 12:30pm. All ladies are invited to bring a sack lunch and come enjoy an afternoon of fellowship and a special visit from a "leader dog". We'll make witness bracelets to support the work of MOST (Mission Opportunities Short Term) Ministries, and ladies are encouraged to collect and bring used eyeglasses, which MOST will recycle and distribute on the mission field.

PEANUT BUTTER & JELLY DRIVE – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED Could you lend a hand? We're in need of volunteers to help organize another peanut butter and jelly drive in April. All interested in learning more are encouraged to join us for an informational meeting on **Friday, March 15**, at 4pm in Graceful Grounds.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY Trinity is seeking to launch a high school youth ministry. On Wednesday, April 10, at 6pm in the chapel, a meeting will be held to discuss what high school youth and parents would like to see from this ministry, and how we might help support students in their faith. Interested in getting involved? Please join us! Contact Pastor Duerr (mduerr@trinitylutheranmonroe.org) with any questions.

EASTER EGG HUNT Mark your calendars...children's ministry is hosting an Easter egg hunt on Sunday, March 24, following the 10:30a service! In preparation for this event, we're asking for donations of individually packaged candy and empty plastic Easter eggs. Please leave donated materials in the labeled plastic tubs in the sanctuary. This event is for children through the eighth grade - more details to come. Thanks for your help!

7/8 GRADE BOYS BASKETBALL Trinity's 7/8 grade boys are the Michigan Lutheran Basketball Association state champions! Carl F. IV, AJ W., and Cade O. received all-tournament team honors. Congratulations to the Trinity and Holy Ghost teams for demonstrating Christian sportsmanship. Go Eagles!





MICHIGAN DISTRICT LISTENING EVENT Next Monday, March 18, from 6:30-8:00pm in Trinity's chapel, the Michigan District Board of Directors will host a Listening Event for the Metro West Region. Pastors, church workers, church leaders, and laity are welcome to attend. The Board is seeking more information about ministry in this region, what unmet needs congregations may have, and what mission opportunities may exist. Pre-registration is not required. We hope you'll join us!

EAST IDA IMMANUEL SPAGHETTI SUPPER BENEFIT This Sunday, March 10, East Ida Immanuel Lutheran (6272 W. Albain Rd., Monroe) invites you to a spaghetti dinner fundraiser from 4:00-6:30pm in the church hall. The menu includes all-you-can-eat spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, bread, homemade pie, milk, and coffee. Cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children ages 6-12 (children 5 and under eat free). Carry-out meals are available. This year's supper will benefit the Kolawole family, who suffered a house fire.

ALTAR FLOWERS If you would like to provide altar flowers in honor/memory of someone, <u>contact Shelly Vorrath</u> at (734) 621-3548 or email: <u>1wyldkingdom@comcast.net</u>. The sign-up board is posted on the wall near the rear of the sanctuary. If you sign up on the flower board, please include your phone number and email address.

THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

| (Please contact the church office for more information) | |
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| Sunday, 3/10: | Worship @ 8:30a (usher team A-1) |
| | Bible Study @ 9:30a in Graceful Grounds |
| | Worship @ 10:30a – HC (usher team B-3) |
| | Confirmation (Mod. 1) @ 12p |
| | Trinity Family Meal @ 6p |
| Tuesday, 3/12: | WinGS @ 12:30p in Graceful Grounds |
| | Choir @ 7p in the chapel |
| Wednesday, 3/13: | Agape @ 9a & 11:30a in Graceful Grounds |
| | Worship @ 6p in the chapel |
| Friday, 3/15: | Bible Study @ 1p in meeting room 2 |
| Saturday, 3/16: | Braille @ 9a in the church basement |
| | Bible Study @ 9a in Graceful Gr. |
| | Board of Directors Retreat @ 9a |
| | Worship @ 6p – HC (usher team A-2) |
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<u>2/28 attendance:</u> 6:00p - 40 <u>3/2 & 3/3 attendance:</u> 6:00p – 182 8:30a – 110 10:30a – 98

THIS WEEK IN THE WORD

Readings for this weekend's services include Numbers 21:4-9, Ephesians 2:1-10 & John 3:14-21

For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

John 3:17



How to Watch / Worship / Join Us! Weekend Worship –

- In Trinity Sanctuary Times: Sat. 6 p.m. and Sun. 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.
- Facebook LIVE Sundays at 10:30 a.m. (or later on our Web site)
- Recorded services can be watched on cable TV Xfinity 21 or Spectrum 187 / Wed. 5 p.m. and Thur. 9 a.m.
 Many Bible Studies Online https://www.tlcmonroe.org/online-bible-studies

Blessings from all of us at Trinity!

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