

HELLO TRINITY FRIENDS!

News for the week of February 11, 2024

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS...

- The family of Leon Merkle, called to eternal life Jan. 31
- The family of Grace Lasko (sister of Joanne Timiney), called to eternal life Feb. 2
- The family of Sue (mother of Tammie Lansingh's stepsister), called to eternal life Feb. 3
- The family of Nancy Waltz, called to eternal life Feb. 7

INSTALLATION OF REV. JOHN CARRIER At last week's special voters' meeting, a call was extended to Rev. John Carrier to serve as our Intentional Interim Minister. That call was accepted, and Pastor Carrier will be installed **this Sunday**, Feb. 11, at the 8:30am service. We give thanks to God for His provision, and we look forward to welcoming Pastor Carrier to Trinity!

ASH WEDNESDAY & MIDWEEK LENTEN SERVICES The holy season of Lent begins **this Wednesday**, Feb. 14, with an Ash Wednesday service at 6pm in the sanctuary. We hope you'll also join us for five midweek Lenten services (beginning Wednesday, Feb. 21) at 6pm in the chapel. The Lutheran Service Book offers this prayer for Ash Wednesday and the Lenten season: Let us pray that our dear Father in heaven, for the sake of His beloved Son and in the power of His Holy Spirit, might richly bless this Lententide for us so that we may come to Easter with glad hearts and keep the feast in sincerity and truth.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – CHURCH CLEANING Trinity is seeking an additional team of volunteers to help clean the sanctuary, nave, and narthex. Would you prayerfully consider serving in this way? Bi-monthly or monthly needs include tasks such as vacuuming pew cushions, cleaning floors, and restocking attendance binders. For more information, please contact facilities manager Rich Hackbarth (rhackbarth@trinitylutheranmonroe.org).

IMMANUEL EAST IDA ROAST BEEF DINNERS Immanuel Lutheran, East Ida (6272 W. Albain, Monroe, 48161) invites you to join them the third Friday of each month for a roast beef dinner. The next meal is scheduled for February 16 from 4-7pm. Cost is \$12 for adults and \$8 for children ages 5-10 (children 4 and under eat free), and the menu includes roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetable, additional side, dinner roll, dessert, and beverage. Proceeds benefit Heartbeat of Monroe.

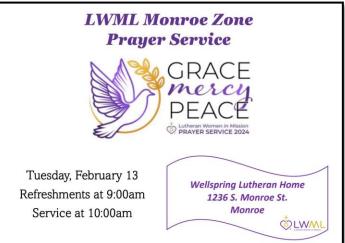
LUTHERAN BRAILLE WORKERS WEEKEND On February 3 and 4, we were blessed with an opportunity to celebrate the ministry of Lutheran Braille Workers. Rev. Jeff Jordan traveled from Georgia to lead services, LBW Director of Ministry Relations Rachel Potts spoke with Sunday morning Bible class attendees, and our young people enjoyed a special Braille-themed Faith's Odyssey lesson. Thanks to all who helped organize the weekend, and thanks be to God for His continued work of bringing the Light of Christ to all.











ALTAR FLOWERS This weekend's flowers are given by **Becky Roberts.** If you would like to provide altar flowers in honor/memory of someone, <u>contact Shelly Vorrath</u> at (734) 621-3548 or email: 1wyldkingdom@comcast.net. 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)

Sunday, 2/11: Worship @ 8:30a (usher team A-1)

Bible Study @ 9:30a in Graceful Grounds Worship @ 10:30a – HC (usher team A-4)

Confirmation (Mod. 7) @ 12p Trinity Family Meal @ 6p

Tuesday, 2/13: WinGS @ 12:30p in Graceful Grounds

Choir @ 7p in the chapel

Wednesday, 2/14: Ash Wednesday

Agape @ 9a & 11:30a in Graceful Grounds

Worship @ 6p (usher team C-4)

Friday, 2/16: No School

Bible Study @ 1p in meeting room 2

Saturday, 2/17: Braille @ 9a in the church basement

Bible Study @ 9a in Graceful Gr.

Worship @ 6p – HC (usher team A-3)

2/3 & 2/4 attendance: 6:00p - 75 8:30a - 78 10:30a - 114

THIS WEEK IN THE WORD

Readings for this weekend's services include 2 Kings 2:1-12, 2 Corinthians 3:12-13, 4:1-6 & Mark 9:2-9

Then a cloud appeared and covered them, and a voice came from the cloud: "This is my Son, whom I love. Listen to him!"

Mark 9:7



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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