

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS...**

- **Brody** (grandson of Paul Manor), recovering from a concussion
- **The family of Martha Heck** (sister of Tom), who died April 10

**MINISTRY PLAN INITIATIVE – SURVEY REQUEST FROM PASTOR GRENZ** Pastor Grenz NEEDS YOU!

Fill out the **NEW** Ministry **I**deas survey with any and all ideas you have to bring back an old ministry or to start a new one. [Click here](#) to make Pastor Grenz's day! AND, if you have not yet filled out the **PREVIOUS** Ministry **I**nvovement Survey, [click here](#) to double down and make Pastor Grenz's WEEK!!

**YOUTH NEWS** This Sunday, April 19, 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to join Nick and Samantha Forsythe for an evening of fun, fellowship, and study of God's Word. We'll gather in the youth room from 6:00-8:00pm – bring a friend! The next Young Adult Bible study meeting is scheduled for Sunday, May 3, from 4:30-6:00pm. We look forward to beginning a study of the book *Extra Nos* by Flame, a Grammy-nominated Christian rapper who became a confessional Lutheran after studying theology at Concordia Seminary in St. Louis. Interested in joining us in May? Contact Mendy Grenz (734-309-6093), and she'll order you a copy of the book.

**TOWN HALL MEETING** Mark your calendars for the upcoming Ministry Plan Initiative Town Hall on Monday, May 11, at 6:30pm in the church. Come and get an update on survey results and a short debriefing of Pastor Grenz's findings so far. See you there!

**ADULT INFORMATION COURSE (NEW MEMBERS)** Are you new to our fellowship here at Trinity? Thinking about making Trinity your church home? Curious about how to get connected and be part of what God is doing in our congregation and community? If you answered "yes" to any of these, we'd love to invite you to take the next step! [Click here](#) to express your interest in our Adult Information Course, a welcoming space to learn more, ask questions, and grow in connection. We'll gather on Saturday evenings after service – join us at 7:00pm in Graceful Grounds. Classes run from May 9 – June 13. We can't wait to meet you and walk alongside you on this journey!

**CHRISTIANBOOK REBATE OPPORTUNITY** Do you shop with Christianbook? there's an easy way to support Trinity with every purchase. Look for the "support your church" box on the payment page, click the blue "find your church" button, and search for Trinity Lutheran School (be sure to select the Monroe, MI option). Trinity will receive a 4% rebate on your order.

**EARLY CHILDHOOD EASTER EVENT** On March 24, preschool and pre-kindergarten students and families celebrated our Lord's resurrection with a breakfast potluck, crafts, worship, picking jellybean "flowers", and an Easter egg hunt. Thanks to the many guests who joined us, and to the teachers and staff who organized the event!



**FAITH, FAMILY AND FUN** Our Wednesday night gatherings continue this week – join us for dinner (5p) and a slate of studies for youth and adults of all ages (5:45p). Hope to see you there!

**PEANUT BUTTER & JELLY DRIVE: VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** We are collecting jars of peanut butter and jelly for local food pantries throughout the month of April. Donations may be left in labeled boxes in the sanctuary or dropped off in the office during office hours (M-F, 8a-4p). **We're also in need of volunteers to label jars and pack and deliver boxes every Sunday in April after the 10:45a service.** Thanks for your support!

**LWML SPRING RALLY** All ladies are invited to attend the 2026 LWML Monroe Zone Spring Rally, themed "Faith in Full Bloom", on Thursday, April 23, at Holy Ghost, Monroe (3563 Heiss Rd., Monroe, 48162). The event runs from 6:00-9:00p; registration will be followed by a light supper, brief update, and a presentation by guest speaker Margaret Horvath, Executive Director of Heartbeat of Monroe. Gently used children's clothing in sizes 3T-6X (boys and girls) and diaper gift cards will be collected to support local families served by Heartbeat.



**ALTAR FLOWERS** This weekend's flowers are given by the Little family: **"Happy 12<sup>th</sup> heavenly birthday, Chelsie. We miss you and love you so much. Love Lacie, Mom, Dad, and the entire Little family."** If you would like to provide altar flowers in honor/memory of someone, contact Shelly Vorrath at (734) 621-3548 or email: [1wyldkingdom@comcast.net](mailto: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.

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### THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

*(Please contact the church office for more information)*

**Sunday, 4/19:** Worship @ 8:15a – HC (*usher team A-2*)  
Bible Study @ 9:30a in the gym  
0-3 Bible Study @ 9:30a in Faith's Odys. Rm.  
Worship @ 10:45a (*usher team C-2*)  
*Children's Choir: PS/PK*  
Trinity Family Meal @ 6p  
Youth Group @ 6p in the youth room

**Tuesday, 4/21:** Stephen Ministry @ 6:30p in Graceful Gr.  
Choir @ 7p in the chapel

**Wednesday, 4/22:** Agape @ 11:30a in Graceful Grounds  
Faith, Family and Fun @ 5p in the gym

**Saturday, 4/25:** Bible Study @ 9a in Graceful Grounds  
Braille @ 9a in the church basement  
Bible Study @ 5p in Graceful Grounds  
Worship @ 6p (*usher team C-1*)

### WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES

Sunday – "Malachi" - 9:30am in the gym  
"Zero-Three Bible Study" -  
9:30am in Faith's Odys. Rm.

Wednesday – Agape women's study -  
11:30am  
Faith, Family and Fun -  
5pm in the gym

Saturday – Fuhlbrigge Bible Study  
9am in Graceful Grounds  
"Malachi"- 5pm in the chapel

Please note that **all of Pastor Grenz's weekday Bible studies have been cancelled** while he is out of the country (April 8-30).

4/11 & 4/12 attendance: 6:00p – 87 8:15a – 64 10:45a – 135

### Weekend Service Times

Saturday evenings at 6:00 p.m. and Sunday mornings at 8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.  
Homebound? Ill? Watch our 8:15 a.m. service live on Facebook on Sunday mornings.

### Office Contact Information

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*In need of pastoral care? Pastor Grenz may be reached at (734) 309-6092.*

**Websites** – [www.tlcmmonroe.org](http://www.tlcmmonroe.org) (church) & [www.tlsmonroe.org](http://www.tlsmonroe.org) (school)

**Facebook** – Trinity Lutheran Church Monroe & Trinity Lutheran School Monroe