

Trinity Lutheran Church

The Sunday News

March 17, 2019



Second Sunday in Lent

Today in Worship: Laborers in the Vineyard

Prayer of the Day



L: Generous God, you have promised to open your kingdom to all people, despite their circumstances. Bring us close to you, and help us to proclaim the goodness of your generosity. We pray these things in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. C: Amen

Today in Education:



- ◆ STS 9:45am in Room 209
Discussion with Pastor Matt
- ◆ Coffee Talk 9:45am in the Library
Casual Q & A Forum
- ◆ ROC (*Raised on Christ*) 9:45am
(Age 2 through 12th grade)
- ◆ 11:00am Bible Study in Room 209 - Acts 22

Visitor Information:

We are delighted to have you join in worship with us today! Please help us to become acquainted by signing the attendance form at either end of the pew and supply as much information as you feel comfortable giving.

Welcome to the Lord's Table:

All are invited to the table to share in Holy Communion.

Children Welcome in Worship:

Children are a welcome part of our community and invited to attend the entire service. However, if you feel your child needs a break, there is a "Childs Room" to the immediate right leaving the sanctuary.

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Contemporary Services, Order of Worship

8:30am & 11:00am (Liturgy and Songs Projected)

- ◆ Announcements
- ◆ Confession
- ◆ Opening Hymn - *For the Beauty of the Earth*
- ◆ Hymn of Praise - *Christ Be With Me*
- ◆ Prayer of the Day
- ◆ Lesson: Psalm 16
- ◆ Children's Sermon (*All children are invited up front*)
- ◆ Gospel: Matthew 20:1-16
- ◆ Sermon
- ◆ Response/Creed/Prayers/Peace
- ◆ Offering - *Be Thou My Vision*
- ◆ Words of Institution/Lord's Prayer
- ◆ Communion - *Jesus Be the Centre*
- ◆ Prayers/Blessing/Benediction
- ◆ Closing Hymn - *Canticle of the Turning*

Traditional Service, Order of Worship

9:45am Traditional Liturgy is in the LBW (Setting 1)

- ◆ Prelude - *Adagio* *Bach*
- ◆ Announcements
- ◆ Confession.....p. 56
- ◆ Hymn: *Lord Christ, When First You Came to Earth* LBW #421
- ◆ Greeting/Kyriep. 57
- ◆ Hymn of Praisep. 58
- ◆ Prayer of the Day
- ◆ Lesson: Psalm 16
- ◆ Gospel: Matthew 20:1-16
- ◆ Sermon
- ◆ Hymn: *Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service* LBW #423
- ◆ The Creed/The Prayer/ The Peace.....p. 65
- ◆ Offertory Music - *An Irish Prayer (Chancel Choir)*..... *Schram*
- ◆ Offertory Response.....p. 67
- ◆ The Great Thanksgiving.....p. 68
- ◆ Lamb of God.....p. 72
- ◆ Communion Music - *I Must Tell Jesus* *Dalton*
- ◆ Post Communion Canticle.....p. 73
- ◆ Blessing/Benediction
- ◆ Hymn - *O Master, Let Me Walk With You* LBW #492
- ◆ Postlude - *The God of Abraham Praise* *Kimball*

Lesson: Psalm 16

(see projection)

Gospel: Matthew 20:1-16

L: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, beginning with the 20th chapter.

C: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

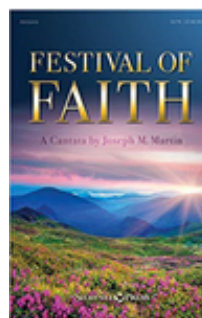
"For the kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. After agreeing with the laborers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. When he went out about nine o'clock, he saw others standing idle in the marketplace; and he said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right.' So they went. When he went out again about noon and about three o'clock, he did the same. And about five o'clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, 'Why are you standing here idle all day?' They said to him, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard.' When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, 'Call the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first.' When those hired about five o'clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. Now when the first came, they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, saying, 'These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.' But he replied to one of them, 'Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?' So the last will be first, and the first will be last."

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Opportunities to Serve:

The Easter Cantata will be held on Sunday, April 28 (the week after Easter) and will be presented at only the 11:00 service. We welcome community members as well as the congregation. If you have friends or family who would like to join us to sing, please invite them! This is a new cantata so pick up a score & CD and listen to the music and rehearse on your own, in addition to attending our scheduled rehearsals: Saturday 3/30 9:30 am – 12:00 pm Saturday 4/6 9:30 am – 12:00 pm Saturday 4/13 9:30 am – 12:00 pm Thursday 4/25 7:00 – 9:00 pm Saturday 4/27 10:00 am – 12:00 pm (Dress) Sunday, 4/28 (SUNDAY AFTER EASTER!) Cantata at 11AM!



Gatherings & Events This Week:



CLASSES:

Tuesday @ 6:30pm, *Trinity Ringers Rehearsal*
 Wednesday @ 10:00am, *Pastor Foltz's Bible Study*
 Wednesday Youth Schedule
 5:45pm *Sr. High Supper Club*; 6:15pm *PreK BOLD & Children's Choir* (K-5th Gr);
 6:45pm *BOLD* (K-8th Gr)

Thursday @ 9am, *Quilting Group*
 Thursday @ 7pm, *Chancel Choir Rehearsal*

FELLOWSHIP:

Monday @ 6:30pm, *Young Adults* (Age 22-30)
 gather at Joy's Tavern

Tuesdays @ 11:15am, *Seasoned Men's* meet at
Country Table March 19th

Wednesday @ 11:30am,
Mid-Week Quiet Communion
 Wednesday @ 7:00pm, March 13th- April 10th
*Mid-Week Lenten Worship with
 Dessert Fellowship in Room 209*

Saturday @ 8:00am, *F2 Self-Defense Class*
 Saturday @ 8:30am, *Jr High* meet in Trinity
 parking lot to travel and serve at the
 Central PA Food Bank

MEETINGS:

Tuesday @ 7:00pm, *Congregational Council*



Upcoming Deadlines:

Jr. High Youth SIGN UP TODAY and join us for a morning of serving at the **Central PA Food Bank this coming Saturday, March 23!** We will meet at 8:30 am at Trinity and carpool to our service site in Harrisburg. Permission forms are located at www.tinyurl.com/TrinityFamilies. Please sign up at the youth bulletin board!

Donations needed for our April 7th meal-packing event! Feel the love ... Share the love! **Take a M&M tube from the back of the sanctuary; 1st enjoy the chocolate & 2nd fill with quarters to help feed the hungry around the globe and return it next Sunday during offering, March 24th!**



Gatherings & Events This Month:



Lenten Midweek Worship; Wednesdays through April 10th at 11:30 AM and 7 PM; evening service followed by dessert fellowship in room 209. There will be contemplative prayer stations in the library before and after the service, as well as on Sunday mornings during the first and third services.



Thursday AM Women's Bible Study will begin a new class on **March 21st** with *"It's Not Supposed to be This Way!"* by Lysa Terkeurst. Material costs \$23. Contact Linda Spiridigliozzi with questions.



On Wednesday, **March 27th**, all youth groups will meet at Chickies Day Use Park/Girl Scout Trail off of Long Lane, Marietta PA (near 441) from **5:30 to 7:00 pm**. Parents are encouraged to join us!

Trinity's Annual Chili & Dessert Cook-off; Sunday, **March 31st at 12:00pm** in Fellowship Hall. Prizes will be awarded for best Chili, adult dessert and child dessert. Enter your favorite recipes or join us for lunch to judge all the great chili's and desserts. Fellowship Committee will provide hot dogs, macaroni & cheese, vegetables and drinks. Look for the sign-up in back of the sanctuary.

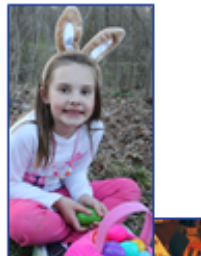


Donations needed for our annual Easter Egg Hunt! Wrapped candy, small toys, and plastic eggs are needed by **Palm Sunday, April 14th**

On Wednesday, **April 3rd BOLD** children and youth will experience Holy Week by visiting stations throughout the church! All groups meet at normal times and begin in normal locations. Tweens and Jr. High with all meet in the Old Fellowship Hall.

Summer Camp Early Registration Due Saturday April 6th! See <https://www.lutherancamping.org> for details and information.

Our First Communion celebrants this spring will be communed by Bishop James Dunlop of the Lower Susquehanna Synod, ELCA on **Sunday May 5th**. Our **First Communion** class will be offered for two weeks before that: **Tuesday April 21st and Tuesday April 28th, both at 6:30 PM**. Students only have to attend ONE class time; contact the church office or one of the pastors to sign up!



Flowers in the chancel today,
 are to the Glory of God and in memory of our friends,
 by Glenn and Sandra Bair.

Stewardship in Worship Today:

Assistant	8:30	9:45	11:00
Head Usher	Trobe Barnitz	Carl Spellman	Tracey Olson
Greeters	Jim & Madolin Heisey	Joni McCrady and Susan Palecki	
Lector	Madolin Heisey	Linda Stapler	Savannah Brosky
Acolyte	Colton Houck		
Communion Bread	Jim & Madolin Heisey	Bob & Linda Hoffines	Rick & Rhonda Friese
Council Rep.	Debbie Williams	Joni McCrady	Tina Ahrens

Communion Assistants (Check with Head Usher - See Blue Board)

Altar Duty - Linda Haubenreisser, Charles and Gail Peterman

Flower Delivery - Open

Food Bank Delivery - Harry Goehring

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