

Holy Trinity Times

December 2025

Newsletter of The Church of the Holy Trinity

The Two Best Christmas Presents You Can Give This Year

The first is to PRAY for friends and family this Christmas. God hears our prayers and answers them. So, why not lift up the people we love most?

This Christmas let us partner with you to pray for God's blessing this Christmas season. Here's how:

- ☐ Grab a Christmas Angel ornament.
- ☐ Write on it the names of friends and family you'd like to see blessed this Christmas.
- ☐ Hang it on the tree in the Narthex or in the basket.
- ☐ Then pray every day for those folks —

We will be here doing the same.



The second is to INVITE people you know to join us on Christmas Eve. The worship services will be beautiful and moving. It's easy to do. Look for the invitations in the pews, then share it with a loved one. They can choose from three times and formats. Then come to

experience God's grace and love for themselves.

2:00 pm – Christmas service with adult sermon and traditional carols.

5:00 pm - Family service with a children's sermon and carols at 5:00pm.

8:00 pm - Candlelight service with communion music, adult sermon and carols.



Please help get the word out that this is the place to be on Christmas Eve.

Blessings,



December 2025

Sat Dec 6, 2025 9am - 10am Fall Clean Up

7pm Youth Lock In

Thu Dec 11, 2025 1pm - 4pm Bridge (PH) **Sat Dec 13, 2025** 10am Stivrins Memorial

6pm - 8pm Youth Group Christmas Party (PH/Narthex)

Sun Dec 14, 2025 Deadline for McPhee Giving

Deadline for Christmas Flowers

Mon Dec 15, 2025 7pm - 8pm Vestry (MR) Wed Dec 17, 2025 4pm - 6pm DOK (MR)

7pm - 8:30pm Youth Group Bible Study (Oasis Room)

Thu Dec 18, 2025 8am - 9am Third Thursday Eucharist Fri Dec 19, 2025 6pm - 9pm Parents Night Out (PH)

Sun Dec 21, 2025 10:30am - 11:30am Family Worship Service (S/PH)

11:30am - 12:30pm Connection Corner (PH) 11:30am - 12:30pm Greening of the Church

Tue Dec 23, 2025 9am - 12pm Altar Decorating (S) **Wed Dec 24, 2025** 2pm - 3pm Christmas Eve Eucharist

5pm - 6pm Family/Children's Service 8pm - 9pm Candlelight Eucharist

Thu Dec 25, 2025 Christmas Day, Offices Closed

Fri Dec 26, 2025 Offices Closed
Sun Dec 28, 2025 No Sunday School

Mon Dec 29, 2025 Deadline for 2025 Check Requests

Tue Dec 30. 2025 Noon 2025 Giving Deadline

Mon Jan. 5, 2025 Deadline for Annual Report Submissions

Sundays

Holy Eucharist 8 & 10:30am/Livestream Worship 10:30am Family Worship every 3rd Sunday of the Month 10:30

Children's Chapel 10:30am Adult Sunday School 9:15am

Dinka Language Worship & Sudanese Sunday School 1:30pm

Coffee after each service in the Parish Hall

Free Library & puzzle exchange in the Memorial Room

M-W-F Exercise Class 9:30am Parish Hall
Mondays EFM 6pm Parish Hall

Full updated calendar of events

PH-Parish Hall

CR-Choir Room

MR-Memorial Room

CC-Children's Chapel

LGR/OR-Large Group

Room/Oasis Room

BR-Bell Room

(downstairs)

(downstairs)

S-Sanctuary

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Make Plans to Join us for Any of these Christmas Eve Services at Holy Trinity

We will have services in the afternoon and the evening, so please make sure to post this somewhere around the house. Then come and celebrate the birth of our Savior!

<u>Christmas Eve ~ Wednesday, December 24, 2025</u>

2:00 pm Christmas Eve Worship

(More traditional service with adult sermon, Christmas carols, and communion)

5:00 pm Family Eucharist w/Children's Sermon & Carols (We'll have costumes for the kids and gifts to send home)

8:00 pm Candlelight Holy Eucharist with Bells (*Livestream*) (With adult sermon, Christmas carols, communion and candles)

<u>Christmas Day ~ Thursday, December 25, 2025</u>

NO Service on Christmas Morning 1:30 pm Sudanese Dinka Language Communion Service

First Sunday after Christmas ~ December 28, 2025

Regular Service Times: 8:00 am, 10:30 am, & 1:30 pm

Stewardship 2026 Pledge Update:

As of November 29, 2025 we received:

105 pledges totaling \$358,520

Thank you to all those who have already pledged. This is an <u>awesome start</u>. Thanks for your generosity!

We are at 88% of the number of pledges from last year.

And we are at 97% of total pledged last year.

So, we've still got a way to go.



We are Still Taking Pledges for 2026!

If you've already pledged then thank you! If you haven't yet gotten around to it, there is still time. You will find a pledge card in the pews. Grab it, fill it out, and then drop it into the basket at the foot of the stairs for us to bless!

You can also pledge online at our homepage. Just click on the slide with the **By Faith** logo on it.

Remember this is not a contract, it is a declaration of intention. Life happens and you may not be able to keep it. That's okay. Most often, though, God honors our intention and provides.

If you haven't pledged in the past, would you consider making a pledge this year?

□ If you have pledged, will you increase your pledge by 10%?



Master Plan Update:

Working Hard to Open All Saints Hall for Christmas

It'll be tight, but we think we can do it. If you've driven by the west entry, you've seen progress. The brick is almost done and the ramps and stairs have been poured. Drywall is going in and windows should go up in early December. Please keep this project in your prayers so that we can open wide the doors for our Christmas Eve worship services.



The Children's Chapel is Getting Close

The children's chapel downstairs looks great. The walls and ceiling are painted, then carpet, and trim, and lighting, and voila – a new children's chapel.





East Entry Construction

We are doing a facelift on our second most-used door. It will look great, provide better lighting and weather protection.



Please NOTE: The East Door will be OPEN on Sundays!

Building Dedication and Consecration will take place on Sunday Feb. 22nd with Bishop Barker.

Please put this date on your calendar. You'll want to be here for this historic moment.

On the Sunday, Feb. 22nd the Bishop of our diocese will be here for worship. At the 9:15am Sunday School hour he will be downstairs in the Children's Chapel to dedicate the space - with the kids. At 10:30am we'll be praying for All Saints Hall during the worship service.



Women's Group "Meet and Mingle" January 10, 2026

Ladies of the parish—come join us for a fun morning at our **Women's Group** "Meet and Mingle" on Saturday, January 10, 2026, from 9:30–11:00 a.m. in the **Parish Hall**. This casual gathering is a wonderful opportunity to get to know other women in our parish community and enjoy good conversation. Come and enjoy a fun activity, hot drinks, and delicious pastries as you mingle and chat.

All women college age and up are warmly invited to attend. Child care will be provided, so feel free to bring the little ones along.

A sign-up sheet will be available in the hallway, or you can RSVP to Ann Reese (402-416-2771) or Mary Jo Tietjen (402-560-4880). We look forward to seeing you there!

Bell-issimo Two+ Concerts

Bell-issimo, Lincoln's Community Handbell Choir directed by Nancy Youngman, will give you TWO opportunities to hear some beautiful Christmas music during the first week of December

December 5 at noon, at St. Paul Methodist Church

A concert with their First Friday series that will also feature our own Curt Butler singing on one piece. St. Paul's is at 1144 M Street, and there are 3 parking garages within a block of the church, with the first hour of parking free. The event also features an art show by a local artist, plus an "elegant light lunch", if you'd like, for only \$5. There is a free will offering for the concert. We have been busy preparing wonderful music for this and hope to see you there!

December 7 at 2:00pm and 6:00pm at the Lied Center.

Bell-issimo will join Lincoln's Symphony Orchestra for their annual Deck the Halls concert. This concert will not only put you in the Christmas spirit, but it is also a delightful afternoon for giving you some time to just sit back, relax, and forget any cares you may have. Tickets are through the symphony's web page (NOT the Lied Center's), and prices will vary, with special rates for children and students.

First Sunday of the Month at Holy Trinity at 10:30am

And, if neither of these events work for you, but you love the bell choir, Holy Trinity's bells will play, as usual, on the first Sunday of the month at the 10:30 service. Our December 7th piece is a lovely Advent arrangement as our gift to the church and we will also play for the late service on Christmas Eve. Bells and Christmas belong together!



The Order of the Daughters of the King is a Community of Prayer Meets Every 3rd Wednesday of the Month, 4-5pm in the Memorial Room December 17, 2025

Welcome Shawna Atteberry as another sister in the Daughters of the King. This Anglican order is an international spiritual sisterhood for women and girls who are members of churches in the Anglican, Episcopal, Lutheran (ELCA), and Roman Catholic traditions.

The order focuses on a lifelong commitment to prayer, service, and evangelism, guided by a "Rule of Life". Its members strive to know Jesus Christ and to make Him known to others, strengthening both their own spiritual lives and their parishes.

The group prays daily but meets once a month on the 3rd Wednesday from 4-5pm in the Memorial Room. For more info contact MaryLu Long at 402-429-1021.



Holy Trinity Continues to be a Blessing to McPhee Elementary Families and Teachers.

Be part of the "McPhee Giving Tree" before Dec. 15th

Holy Trinity is continuing our tradition of helping the families of McPhee Elementary School during the upcoming holiday season.

We are collecting Walmart gift cards in increments of \$25 or \$50 or cash/checks from now until December 15th. You can simply make out a check to Holy Trinity, and write "McPhee" in the memo line.

Your generosity has made a profound difference in the lives of so many needy families of McPhee. The teachers and staff at McPhee know how much Holy Trinity loves, cares and prays for them and their students. You are a Blessing!



We Need Your Help: Fall Clean-up Day:

Date: Saturday, December 6th

Time: 9 to 11:00 am

Bring: Gloves, safety glasses, rakes, shovels, buckets, empty trash

cans, pruners, and loppers!

Signup in the narthex, or just show up!



Remembering & Celebrating Loved Ones at Christmas

Thinking ahead to Christmas, consider remembering or celebrating your loved ones through a gift of flowers. Your donation for flowers may be in any amount.

If you wish to make this gift of flowers and include your inscription in the Christmas Eve bulletin, fill out this form and return it with your **donation check** to the church office by:

By Sunday, December 14, 2025 to have it listed in the Christmas Eve Bulletin

3.	Print Name(s) of those making gift (include first and last name but no titles):
2.	Print Name of Person(s) you are honoring (include first and last name but no titles):
1.	Is your gift:

- 4. Please make your check payable to The Church of the Holy Trinity and write in the memo line that your gift is for "Christmas Flowers." You may either:
- Drop it in the offering plate by December 14th
- Drop it off at the office by December 14th

If you have any questions, please call Roxane Graham, 402-540-4294, or email gma-bowler@hotmail.com

November PNO Helped Students Learn About Their Culture!

Parents' Night Out last month celebrated the qualities that make us unique... but also helped students see *all the things* that make us alike! From foods to marking countries on a map, and from games to identifying traits in ourselves, we sure had a great time together.

December's PNO is almost full, so sign up soon to save your child's spot!

DON'T WAIT; WE'RE ALMOST FULL!!! Parents Night Out - December 19, 6-9pm

Need a night off in December? Then this is for you – and the KIDS.

Ages: Kindergarten through 5th Grade **Cost:** \$10/child, max of \$20/family

Times: 6:00 to 9:00pm

Register by 12/17 at: www.HolyTrinityLincoln.com





Youth Group IGNITE RETREAT – Register Today!

Recharge for 2nd semester with each other at Platte River State Park, from January 9-11. This will be an *amazing* weekend of growing YOUR faith, digging

deeper into the Word, opportunities to serve, delicious food, and all the fun we can stuff into our time together!

Space is limited, so register to reserve your spot today. Registration due by **December 15**th to guarantee a shirt!



Come Join Us on the 3rd Sunday of the Month December 21 @ 10:30am

3rd Sunday
Family
Worship

Family friendly worship with communion, sermon, readings, prayer and music for young and old.

If you've been looking for a way to help your kids or grandkids feel like Holy Trinity IS a place for them, then this service is for you.

All Kids & Youth are invited to sing with us for our December 21st Third Sunday. Check out the video for words and actions for "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" by scanning the QR code.



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Dec 13 - Christmas! 6:00 - 8:00pm

Meet in the Narthex for a special night of dinner and a white elephant gift exchange! Bring a WRAPPED or BAGGED "gag" gift to put under the tree for our game!

STUDY

Dec 17 - King David 7:00 - 8:30pm

We all know of King David, but let's dig deeper together to learn & discuss about his fiery heart for God. (Middle-High School Level learning) Meet in the Oasis Room @HT!

NO SERVICE LUNCH

It's Christmas Break!

If you've not signed up for the Ignite Retreat, DO THAT NOW!!! Spots are LIMITED!



Play Bridge December 11th at 1pm in the Parish Hall.

All levels of Bridge players are welcome on the 2nd Thursday of the month. Please contact Nancy Machmer at (618 704 4231) or namach2020@gmail.com to sign up.





Seniors Coffee Hour

No Coffee Hour in December, the next one is January 27 $^{\text{th}}$ @ 2pm in the Memorial Room

Every 4th Tuesday at 2:00pm we'll enjoy coffee, snacks, fellowship and a chance to learn more about the world around us. For more information contact Rev. Verneda 402-310-5854

Liturgical Ministers

Chalice Bearers, Greeters, and Ushers Needed for Sunday Worship

Training will be provided to help orient you to your new ministry to this community.

The most common reaction of new chalice bearers is the surprise at how much more the worship means when they are actively engaged in it.

Ushers and greeters are the first people encountered when you enter the church for services. They are the face of Holy Trinity in a very tangible way. It is truly hard to overestimate their ministry.

If you feel called to serve in these ways at the 8:00 or 10:30am services please do let us know by emailing Nicole at Nicoles@htlnk.org or scanning the QR Code.

NEW Process! We are now signing up online! Make your own schedule:

https://tinyurl.com/mrymjd4a

Or scan this QR code:

Exercise Class M, W, F, 9:30-11am; Parish Hall

Aging is increasing my commitment to exercise. I learn new exercises at Physical Therapy whenever some issue comes along: shoulder, hip, knee, etc. The basic commitment though is God. The body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, to be treated with respect and care. Body pain and that commitment to care for the temple of the Holy Spirit keep me exercising.



The routine: general stretching until 10:10, the some walk and others chat, and some do floor exercises. 10:35 we relax, then 10:45 we close with moving meditation called chi gong.

We're enjoying the new color and flooring in the parish hall! We meet Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 9:30-11:00 a.m. You're welcome to drop in. Casual attire. If you have questions, contact Christine Grosh: 402-560-0024 or cgrosh@windstream.net.



LPS Emergency Pantry at Bryan Community School 300 S. 48th St., 2:45-5:45pm

Volunteers Needed! One Friday A Month.

Sign up in the south entrance on the NEW Community Ministry table.

The pantry is open three days a week when school is in session and Holy Trinity will provide three volunteers to work at the pantry on the fourth Friday during the school year.

Please consider signing up for one or more sessions and contact Cheryl Hejl chejl380@yahoo.com with any questions.

Thanks to our many volunteers who make this effort successful!

The Holy Trinity Prayer Chain

If you'd like to be part of Holy Trinity Prayer Chain. just contact the email address below.

Anytime you need prayer, you can either call or text the Prayer Chain number or email us at the address below and we will include them for a total of two weeks. Please keep us updated.

Prayer Chain #: (531) 280-8515 Email: HolyTrinityPrayer10@gmail.com

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl Ministry at Holy Trinity continues to create prayer shawls and pray for the people who receive them. As we work on each shawl, we are praying for the person who will be wrapped in the love and prayer that is in each garment. Most of the time we know who will receive our shawls, but there are times when

we do not. The warmth and love that the prayers said while making the shawl is there for the recipient to feel.

If you would like a shawl or blanket for someone, please contact Jill Lein 972-948-2211, jilllein1@gmail.com or Susan Zwickle 402-730-7107, susanzwickle@gmail.com



Join us in the Parish Hall after each service for Coffee, Donuts, and Fellowship!

Cookie Donations needed

We are looking for cookies or other treats to serve during coffee hour. If you would like to purchase or make something, please bring it to the kitchen or contact Vicky White dixiejaz3@gmail.com or 402-416-3404 or Liz Johnson 307-760-4623 lizelliot172@gmail.com

Free Library in the Memorial Room has Expanded, Including a Puzzle Exchange!

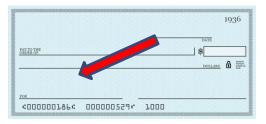


We have expanded the library in the Memorial Room. Take a book or give a book. Exchange your puzzles for fresh ones! Please place all returned or new books in the basket (please, no dictionaries).

Thank you to Nancy Machmer for keeping the library & puzzle exchange organized and up-to-date!



Gifts to Episcopal Relief & Development are a practical way to make a difference right now. They partner with local agencies with life-saving supplies and resources, medicine and emergency support. You can donate directly to them at www.episcopalrelief.org. Or write a check to Holy Trinity with "ERD" in the memo line.



Help Us Get Your Offerings to the Right Place Please specify ("Pledge") in the memo line.

Thank you for your continued support to Holy Trinity. When you write a check, please let us know in the memo line what you want that check to be for. For example it could be marked

as "pledge" or "food cart". This will allow us to make sure that your giving goes where you want it to go. And as always – THANKS for Giving!

2025 Donation Deadline Tuesday, December 30th at Noon

Donations received in the church office by

12:00 pm (Noon) on Tuesday, December 30 will be deposited at the bank that day for 2025 giving. Donations received after Noon on 12/30/2025 will be for 2026 giving.



Please submit any bills or check requests for 2025 by Monday, December 29, 2025



So... if you plan to submit a report we need it by January 5th Anything submitted later than this will not be published.

These are due electronically to Nicole **NO LATER THAN Monday, January 5**th, **2026,** so they can be published for the annual meeting. Please email them to nicoles@htlnk.org. If you have any questions please email or call Nicole in the office. A copy of last year's report is available.

Submissions later than Monday, January 5, 2026 will NOT be printed in the report.



New Email Addresses from Holy Trinity

If you receive an email from htlnk.org, this is not spam

The staff at Holy Trinity are transitioning to new email addresses - each ending with htlnk.org. For example - you may get an email from Father Clay at clayl@htlnk.org, or Nicole Sherer at nicoles@htlnk.org. It will take some time to transition to this new program. If you have any questions please contact

Joni or Nicole: Jonic@htlnk.org or nicoles@htlnk.org.



Community Ministry Now Located in the South Entry

Please keep bringing your contributions to our outreach table in the south entry

The FOOD BOX receives your food donations to be distributed to any persons in need who come to Holy Trinity with the overflow donated to St. Mark's on the Campus.

The BEST CHOICE labels are processed and the rebate distributed by the Outreach Committee.

ST. MONICA'S donations of unused, individually wrapped, travel size toiletries are given in gift bags in the season of Advent

with your donations of calendars, scratch pads and greeting cards delivered during the year.

2026 Calendars will be taken to the City Mission. Any questions please ask Cheryl Hejl chejl380@yahoo.com



Holy Trinity Times & Bulletin Deadlines

Please send your articles for the next newsletter by the 20th of the month. Weekly Bulletin articles can be submitted as needed but will

only be run as space allows for the following Sunday. Please email them to nicoles@htlnk.org.

Weekly Announcements

Are you receiving weekly announcements via email? If not (and you would like to) please email Nicole at nicoles@htlnk.org so we have your correct email address.

Building Use Forms-Yes! We still need these more than ever!

Anytime a group of two or more people meet in the church, a Building Use Form is required. These should be updated once a year for recurring meetings. Please submit a form before you meet to ensure you reserve the space. They are located by the office our website. www.holytrinitylincoln.com. You may also contact the office to have one

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door or on our website. www.holytrinitylincoln.com. You may also contact the office to have one emailed to you. Nicoles@htlnk.org or 402-488-7139.

Giving statements are available ANYTIME at www.Onrealm.org



December Birthdays

1st Pamela Starr

2nd Johanna Machmer

2nd Aluong Gai

3rd Robert Bishop

4th Sally Smith

4th Amuor Mawut

5th Sally Bates

5th Navodith Salin

7th Spencer Wasserburger

7th Lisa Visger

12th Jerry Vaughan

13th Manyiel

15th Rick Reese

17th Magok Achiek Wel

18th Jon Engelhardt

20th Jeanne Bishop

21st Jack Campbell

21st Aina Friesen

23rd Brick Paulson

24th Gene Hogan

28th Cindy Bonge

29th Sue Carraher

29th Amy Bloomquist

30th Larry Anderson

31st Pat Sim

31st Jane Hanson





Helping Your Church AND Yourself

You can do both. Your donations to Holy Trinity and other charitable organizations are no longer deductible when the standard deduction option is taken. You may still be able to receive the benefits!

Payments made directly from your IRA to Holy Trinity will <u>not be counted as taxable income</u>. So if you can't deduct the contribution, this provision <u>removes the donation from taxable income</u>, giving you the same benefit as the deduction.

You must start taking RMDs by April 1 of the year after you turn 73. Let's say you celebrated your 73rd birthday on July 4, 2025. You must take the Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) by April 1. You'll have to take another RMD by Dec. 31 and by Dec. 31 each year after that. (For tax year 2022, the age for starting RMDs was 72).

Also, people do not have to wait until they are 73 to make those gifts. They are REQUIRED once they're 73, but they are allowed to make the same type of gift at age 70 1/2 which is called a QCD, Qualified Charitable Distribution.

What to do? Contact your IRA provider and arrange for your donation to Holy Trinity to be made from your required minimum distribution. The check must go <u>directly</u> from the IRA fiduciary to Holy Trinity in order to qualify as <u>non-taxable</u> income. Contact Nicole Sherer or Rebecca Schultz at the church office for more information. <u>Nicoles@htlnk.org</u>

Church of the Holy Trinity Vestry Minutes November 17, 2025 – 7PM

Present: Father Clay Lein, Mary Vaughan, Clerk Michael Cover, Liz Bavitz, Don Rabbe, Joe Fox, Jeanne Gaertig – Treasurer, Roxane Graham, Karla Bahm, Corey Wasserburger - Senior Warden, Matt Lundak – Jr. Warden **Absent:** Bob Winter, Liz Bavitz

Opening Prayer Father Clay opened the meeting with prayer.

Bible Study The Vestry reflected on Luke 1:68-75. Reflections on this passage centered on our relationship with God who we have an ongoing opportunity to live into holy covenant with.

Treasurer's Report: A **Statement of Activities** (date range October 1, 2025, through October 31, 2025) was available along with the **Statement of Financial Position Comparison** (as of October 31, 2025). Also included was a **Summary of Restricted Net Assets** (October 1, 2025, through October 31, 2025). A Monthly Executive Review accompanied the fiscal reports which Jeanne reviewed.

The 2026 Budget Working Draft as of 11-13-25 was handed out to the vestry. Of note is that the Diocesan Asking has remained the same as it was for 2025. The finance committee has been working diligently to prepare a budget that will reflect not only wise stewardship of Holy Trinity's resources but also allow for continued growth in ministry opportunities for our growing community. The vestry had a valuable discussion about the 2026 draft budget Father Clay continues to consider opportunities for operational efficiencies that will allow for ministry growth. He praised that current staff for their dedication.

Jeanne Gaertig, treasurer, shared that the finance committee (Jeanne Gaertig, Michael Cover, Bob Winter) has invited two individuals to make presentations to them (and any vestry members interested) related to Holy Trinity's endowment and management. The meeting will be on Monday, December 8th at 7pm at Holy Trinity.

Rectors Report

Phase 1 Project Status

Father Clay informed us of where the project is with the physical structure. A "Phase 1 Project Cost Summary" accompanied his verbal report. The contractors believe we are on track to be able to use new west entrance just prior to the Christmas services.

Tentative Plans for Opening

Father Clay shared that the bishop is planning to attend the official opening at which time he will have an opportunity to bless the endeavor.

Sr. Warden Report

Corey reminded all vestry members of our obligation to share information with all congregants, when asked questions, about the business of Holy Trinity.

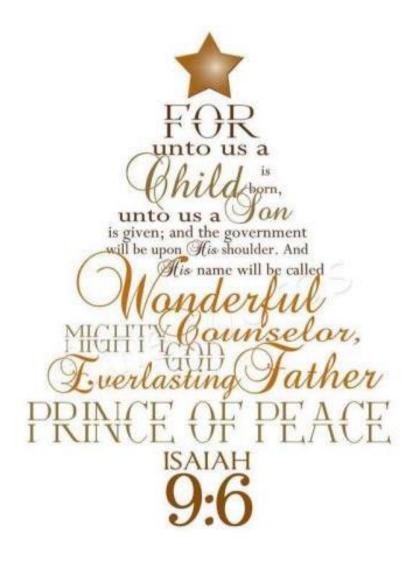
Jr. Warden Report

Matt shared that he will be wrapping up his own work schedule by the end of this month and is planning to spend considerable time at the church as Phase I wraps up with the goal of helping in any way he can to help the contractors meet that deadline.

Closing Prayer Karla Bahm closed the meeting with prayer.

The meeting adjourned at 8:27 pm.

Submitted by Mary Vaughan, Clerk



The clergy and staff
of Holy Trinity
wish you
a peaceful Advent and
a glorious Christmas.
May God's light shine brightly
on you now and always.

Serving In December 2025								
	Sunday, December 7 Advent 2	Sunday, December 14 Advent 3	Sunday, December 21 Advent 4	Wednesday December 24 Christmas Eve	Christmas Eve Cont	Sunday, December 28 Christmas 1		
8:00 AM				2pm		10am		
Greet & Ushers (2)	Kaeden Meyer Roxane Graham	Ron & Jan Jacob	Jon & Bonnie Engelhardt	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	10am		
Lectors 1 st reading & the Psalm.	John Schomerus	John Schomerus	John Schomerus	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	10am		
2 nd reading & POP	Julie Silvertrust	Patt Harper	Bob Hillyer	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	10am		
Chalice (3)	Julie Silvertrust Rev. Dr. Clay Lein Rev. Verneda Kelly	TBA Rev. Dr. Clay Lein Rev. Verneda Kelly	TBA Rev. Dr. Clay Lein Rev. Verneda Kelly	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	10am		
10:30 AM				5pm	8pm	10am		
Greet & Ushers (4)	Sue Everett Kathi Schmitter	Joni & Mike Cover	Sue Everett Cheryl Hejl	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Don & Linda Rabbe		
Lectors 1st reading & the Psalm.	John Andrews	Michael Browne	Hector Corondo	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Christopher St. Pierre		
2 nd reading & POP	Sue Carraher	Beth Davidson	YOUTH	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Melanie Gibson		
Chalice (6)	Joni Cover Cheryl Hejl Mary Jo Tietjen Rev. Dr. Clay Lein Rev. John Long Rev. Verneda Kelly	TBA TBA TBA Rev. Verneda Rev. John Long Rev. Dr Clay Lein	TBA TBA Joni Cover Rev. Verneda Rev. John Long Rev. Dr Clay Lein	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Christmas Eve Cont. Next Page	Rev John Long Rev. Dr. Clay Lein Rev. Verneda Kelly		

NEW Process! We are now signing up online! Make your own schedule: https://tinyurl.com/mrymjd4a Or scan this QR code:



Or email Nicole! nicoles@htlnk.org

Christmas Eve, 2025								
	Wednesday December 24 2 pm	Wednesday December 24 5 pm	Wednesday December 24 8 pm					
Greet &Ushers	Nancy Coffman TBA TBA TBA	TBA TBA TBA TBA	Joni Cover Mike Cover TBA TBA					
1st reading & the Psalm.	Sue Carraher	Sue Everett	Don Rabbe					
2 nd reading & POP	Bob Hillyer	David Schmitter	John Schomerus					
Chalice	David Bloomquist Rev. Daniel Coffman Robert Hillyer Rev. Verneda Kelly Rev. Dr. Clay Lein TBA	Beth Davidson Sue Everett Rev. Verneda Kelly Rev. Dr. Clay Lein TBA TBA	David Bloomquist Rev. Verneda Kelly Rev. Dr. Clay Lein Don Rabbe Mary Jo Tietjen TBA					
Acolytes	TBA	ТВА	ТВА					

SIGN UP FOR CHRISTAS EVE NOW!

We are now signing up online! Make your own schedule:

https://tinyurl.com/mrymjd4a

Or scan this QR code:



Or email Nicole! nicoles@htlnk.org