

# Welcome to worship at Trinity Lutheran Church and School

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany

January 29 & February 2, 2020

*Our goal today is to connect you to Jesus.*

## **To help us do that today**

- ❖ Our Worship services: **LSB p. 184**
- ❖ Our Hymns: **704, 851, 637, 852, 692, 924**
- ❖ We have a cry room in the back of church and activity bags for children, everyone is welcome to use them during worship.
- ❖ Bathrooms are directly across from the church entrance.
- ❖ In case of emergency you may leave from the back of church or from the entrance in front (door with cross on it).
- ❖ Please fill out an attendance card a white card for members and a yellow card for visitors from the pew racks & put it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher on your way out of service.
- ❖ Hearing assisted devices are available for anyone in need!
- ❖ Please remember to silence your electronic devices.
- ❖ We celebrate Holy Communion today. We offer both individual and common cup. If you would like to receive the common cup after the individual cups pass by, hold your hands out indicating your desire. Alcohol sensitive cups in the individual trays are marked with stickers. Gluten free wafers are also available.

## **COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Almighty God, You know we live in the midst of so many dangers that in our frailty we cannot stand upright. Grant strength and protection to support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; through Jesus Christ, Your son, our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen**

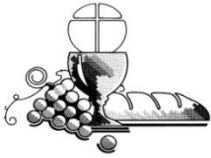
## **BIBLE READINGS:**

<b>Old Testament:</b>	<b>Micah 6:1-8</b>	<b>p. 994</b>
<b>Epistle</b>	<b>1 Corinthians 1:18-31</b>	<b>p. 1219</b>
<b>Gospel</b>	<b>Matthew 5:1-12</b>	<b>p. 1034</b>

## **JANUARY BIBLE VERSE ~ TITUS 3:5**

*He saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy.*

**A SPIRITUAL CONCERN:** As Christians, we have some spiritual concerns



especially for those taking communion. The goal of communion is to receive the true body and blood of Jesus for the forgiveness of sins. We want everyone who comes to the altar to receive Christ's forgiveness. 1 Corinthians 11:27 reminds us that we can take communion in an unworthy manner. If we eat and drink in an unworthy

manner, then we will eat and drink a judgment upon ourselves. Our spiritual concern is that this doesn't happen to you. If this is a concern for you, please talk with the Pastor or an Elder before the worship service.



**Join us for our Souper Bowl** on February 2<sup>nd</sup> after worship at 11am for our Souper Bowl! Trinity students will be making personal soup bowls to be auctioned off by silent auction. All proceeds collected will go to the local food bank to reach homeless people in Wisconsin.

**This week was National Lutheran's Schools Week!** Our theme this year was



Joy:Fully Lutheran! Our Trinity students had an exciting week of school! Morning devotions each day, played Bible Baseball, a special Art Project, played games with Pastor and an afternoon of sledding and hot chocolate. We thank the Lord for providing Trinity with our own Lutheran School.

**Birthday Sunday will be** Sunday, February 16<sup>th</sup>!

**Trinity Centennial Booklets** are ready for sale! Buy one after worship or stop in the office during the week. Cost is \$5 per booklet.

**1<sup>st</sup> Annual Dinner Auction** will be Saturday, March 14. Donations for the auction



are needed. If you have something you would like to donate, please speak with Pastor. Tickets will be available for purchase beginning next week!

**Team Trinity** will meet in the church basement at 4pm on Sunday February 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Bible Study Opportunities at Trinity!**

- Sunday morning Bible Study is back as we study the book of Acts in the basement of the church at 8:30am on Sunday mornings!
- Wednesday afternoon Bible Study has resumed at 1pm in the Narthex. Now is the perfect time to join us as we have started a new study on End Times!
- Thursday evenings online through Facebook at 7pm we're studying the Book of Job. We meet Thursday evenings at 7pm!



**Lenten Worship Treats:** If you'd like to bring treats for after Lenten Worship Services on Wednesday evenings there's a sign –up sheet on the Fellowship Room Window.

**Adult Confirmation** of Paul Coon will be Sunday, Feb. 2! Welcome to the family of faith at Trinity!

**(UPCOMING EVENTS February 2– 9, 2020)**

- Sun- 2/2** 8:30am Adult Bible Study  
9:45am Worship Service w/ H.C.  
(All School Sing); Kids Church  
11am Souper Bowl Celebration
- Mon- 2/3** 4pm Development Team
- Tue- 2/4** 6pm Altar Guild  
6:30pm Evangelism
- Wed- 2/5** 8:30am Chapel  
1pm Adult Bible Study  
5:30pm Confirmation  
6pm Choir  
7pm Worship Service
- Thu- 2/6** 7pm Online Bible Study
- Fri- 2/7**
- Sat- 2/8**
- Sun- 2/9** 8:30am Adult Bible Study  
9:45am Worship Service

**Weekly Budget Needs - \$6084.70**

God's people responded for the week of 1/26:

**General Fund: \$4445**

**Attendance: Wed: 41 Sun: 70 Total: 111**

**Those Serving in Worship:**

Elder: Wed: Ken Howes

Sun: Jeff Degner

Musician Wed: Enith Bailey

Sun: Enith Bailey

Greeter Wed: Marci Nichols

Sun: Joel & Marlene Koepke

Acolyte Wed: Izzy Smith

Sun: Mariah Murphy

**Please pray for:** *Helen Kottka, Doug Jonas, Lynne Anderson, Karen Kutaj, Helen Guildner, Doris Randell, Geraldine Schultz, Ady Clemons, Ken Flick, Hannah Klumb, Rev. Joel Brandt and the family of Joan Beyers.*

**We have had some volunteers come forward!** Joel Hammerly is our new congregational chairman. We also have two new Board of Stewards members Janet Wink and David Kotajarvi. Thank you! We could still use a new Trustee. Contact pastor if interested in serving.

**Trinity Lutheran Church and School Staff**

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Sunday School Supt–Betty Gudenschwager

**WEDNESDAY WORSHIP: 7:00 PM**

**SUNDAY WORSHIP: 9:45 AM**



# What does the Lord require of you?

To Do Justice  
To Love Kindness  
To Walk Humbly with  
Your God

Micah 6:8

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