



Thank you for joining us for worship today in-person and through livestreaming.

All are welcome to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion. We invite all people, as well as young children who are not yet receiving the Sacrament to come forward and receive a blessing. Please ask the Pastor if you need a gluten free option. At Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, the Sacrament of Holy Communion is celebrated in accordance with the Holy Scriptures and the Lutheran Confessions.

Thus, we believe that the Body and Blood of Christ are truly present in the bread and wine. At his table Christ grants us forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation. *May your hearts be opened, and your lives made new by his gracious love.* Please give your completed communion card to the usher during communion.

Holy Communion distribution today: The usher will guide you down the center aisle. Prepackaged Communion elements with grape juice are available on the small table. If your preference is regular wine or non-alcoholic wine, take a cup from the silver trays. Proceed to the Pastor to receive a wafer or have the prepackaged elements blessed. Proceed to the rail where there will be an assistant on either side with regular wine. There will also be one assistant with non-alcoholic wine. Stand or kneel as you are able and remain at the rail for as long as you desire.

Communion Elements are available for “Live Stream” worship at home. Please contact the church office at 717-533-2467 or by email at htluth@comcast.net to arrange to pick up elements or have them delivered to your home.

The in-person church office hours this week are Monday thru Thursday from 9 AM—2 PM. On Friday the staff will work remotely.

Contact Information- Contact Pastor Cindy on her cell phone (717-512-4645) or her email at Pastorbrommer@comcast.net or the church office at (717-533-2467) or by email at htluth@comcast.net.

Sunday School Information: **Children’s Sunday School** meets every Sunday from 9:00am-9:45am in the Sunday School room (connected to the Fellowship Hall). An informational flyer with more details is available in the church narthex. We’re excited to use the Godly Play curriculum this year! **Confirmation Sunday School** for Grades 6-9 meets every Sunday from 9am-9:45am in the youth room. **Adult Discussion group** meets at 9:00-9:45am in room #16 (near the restrooms). Please consider joining this time of learning and faith sharing.

Get Ready! HTY is back! The next HTY Night is NEXT Sunday, February 4 from 5 - 7pm. If you are in grades 6 - 12, come out for an awesome HTY night. It's all about fun, faith, fellowship, and wacky youth group games. Bring Friends! Bring Snacks! Pizza and drinks will be provided. SPREAD THE WORD! DEFINITELY BRING SOME FRIENDS! C U There!!

Holy Trinity’s **Altar Guild** will meet on Sunday, February 11, 2024, at 9am in the back of the sanctuary. All are welcome to attend as the guild plans for the coming Easter season.

Holy Trinity will host a **family retreat** intended for all people who would like to get away and spend time reconnecting with family, friends and most important, God. The retreat will be held at Zinn-Tozer Lodge at Camp Nawakwa, near Gettysburg on March 1-3, 2024. ***(Please note that this is a date and location change from previous announcements.)*** More information and registration forms can be found on the bulletin boards in the narthex and in the Fellowship Hall downstairs. Feel free to contact Pete Fox or Pastor Cindy with any questions.

Spaghetti Dinner - February 24, 2024 - Troop 65 annual spaghetti dinner will be held in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, February 24, 2024, from 4:30-6:30pm. Tickets are \$12 adult, \$8 child ages 5-11, under 4 free - and can be purchased from Adam or Ruth Gardner - or are available at the door (cash, check, credit card accepted). Take-out is also available. The menu includes spaghetti, meatballs, a roll, salad, applesauce, and drinks. Dessert is by cash donation.

Please send articles and announcements for the Newsletter to Anita Housman, our Communications/IT Specialist. Please send articles to her at aahousman2@gmail.com. She is always gathering announcements and articles for the monthly newsletter. Just a reminder – submit articles for the newsletter by the 15th of the month.

Many thanks for your generous donations! We continuously express our thanks to all for your faithfulness and generosity in giving which allows us to continue to operate valuable ministries and pay for the ongoing bills at Holy Trinity. The Simply Giving program offers automatic withdrawals from your bank account or charges to a credit card; donated through our website (htluth.org) by clicking on the ‘Give Now’ button; donated by downloading the Mobile App “GivePlus Church” (be sure to select Ev. Lutheran Church of the Holy Trinity) or by taking a picture of the QR code. Please contact the church if you have any questions about any of these methods.



Inclement Weather. Holy Trinity will follow the Derry Township School District schedule for cancellations in the case of inclement weather. If school is closed, no meetings, functions, or office hours will be held. Church services will be held, if at all possible, even when winter weather causes concern. If questions arise regarding cancellation of Sunday services check the Holy Trinity website or Facebook page and watch for cancellations on CBS21 or ABC27 or online at cbs21.com, or abc27.com.

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