

Friendly Reminders

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 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.

Pastor Brommer will be on vacation from March 14-18. For emergencies during this time, please contact Rev. Frank Terhune (610) 751-5472.

We welcome Pastor Larry Hummer as he leads worship today while Pastor Brommer is away this weekend.

Our prayers and the comfort of the Christian faith continue to be with the family of Anita Lodes. A service to celebrate her life will be held on Friday, March 24 at 11:00 a.m. at Holy Trinity.

Sunday School Information: **Children’s Sunday School** meets on Sundays 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 on Sundays 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.

Evening Prayer during Lent-Please join us for Evening Prayer during Lent on Wednesdays thru **Wednesday, March 27th.** The theme for this time together is **“Our Faith Journey”**. We are looking for volunteers to share a 5-minute reflection how their faith and baptism has influenced their journey through life.

Community Lenten Worship Services You are invited to attend noon time Lenten Worship Services during Lent sponsored by the Hershey Area Ministerium churches. Each worship service begins at 12:00 and is followed by a luncheon hosted by various churches. The requested donation for lunch is \$5.00. The remaining date and location is: Good Friday, March 29th, First United Methodist Church.

The NEXT HTY Night is NEXT Sunday, March 24th from 5 - 7pm. If you are in grades 6 - 12, come out on the 24th 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!!**

It's time to order Easter Flowers. It will soon be time to place flowers in the sanctuary on Easter in honor or in memory of loved ones. In your packet of church envelopes, you received a special envelope for Easter flowers. If you wish to contribute, please send your envelope to the church office or place it in the offering plate by **Sunday, March 24th**. Please be sure to mark the envelope if you are making the donation in honor or in memory of someone. Please, write neatly. All checks should be made payable to "Holy Trinity Lutheran Church". Thank you for your cooperation!

Altar flowers are a beautiful way to support our weekly worship service. We currently are seeking sponsors for several dates this spring. Please contact the church office for more information if you'd like to sponsor the altar flowers on April 7th or May 19th.

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.



Readers, Greeters and Flower Deliverers for March, April and May are needed to greet people as they come into church and deliver flowers after the service on Sunday. Readers are needed to read the 1st and 2nd reading and the Psalm. The lists are available on the bulletin board. Please sign up today or contact the church office if you would like to volunteer.



Holy Trinity Lutheran Church welcomes and affirms everyone seeking God's love and grace, regardless of faith background, age, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, ability, size, class, immigration, or relationship status. We explicitly stand against hate and discrimination, as our Church community strives for racial equity and to continually grow and learn within the Body of Christ according to Christ's teachings. We are committed to creating and maintaining a welcoming and safe environment for all people.