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# THIS WEEK AT TRINITY April 6 & 7, 2019

The Fifth Sunday in Lent

Sunday: MITE BOX SUNDAY

8:00am & 10:30am Worship Services

9:30am Sunday School

Adult Bible Class - Fellowship Hall – *Pastor Rinderknecht – 1 Samuel* 

Classroom by the Sanctuary – Pastor Keinath – Parent's Sunday School

5:30pm Financial Peace Course at TYM

Monday: Noon P.A.R. at TYM

5:30pm Stewardship Meeting 6:30pm Evangelism Meeting

7:00pm Adult Class

Tuesday: 9:00am Quilting

6:00pm – 8:00pm Sound Tech training in the Sanctuary

6:00pm Cradle Roll Meeting

6:30pm Board of Education Meeting

Wednesday: 8:30am Chapel at TLS

Noon P.A.R. at TYM

5:00pm Lenten Dinner – Manitoba Mission Team

6:30pm Lenten Service 7:15pm FIRE Youth Group

Thursday: 10:30am Bible Study

6:00pm PPC Meeting 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

Saturday: 9:00-10:00am Cradle Roll Children's Easter Party

1:00pm Pickle Ball 5:00pm Worship Service

Knowing Christ and Making Him Known

**THE ALTAR FLOWERS** are given in praise and glory to God by Mark & Delia Richlen in thanksgiving for their 46<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.

SPECIAL PRAYERS THIS WEEK ARE FOR:

Bill Agnew (Beth Heiliger's brother), Nicholas Beacon (Tom & Marsha Runge's grandson), Brenda (Cyndi Johnson's sister), Katie Cardillo, Brittin Collier (Sandy & Ken Collier's granddaughter), Ken Hale (Janine Liwosz's brother), Rachel Hamilton, Karianna Jinguji, Joe Kusek, Kinsley Murri (Rod & Phyllis Myers' granddaughter), Mary Lee Reiter (Kris Miles' Mom), the family & friends of Rosalie Smallwood, Lori Smith (Ray & Bobette Smith's sister-in-law), and Ellis Wyman.

RECEIVING THE BLESSINGS of Holy Baptism on Sunday at the 10:30am service, is Mia Marie Walter, born on May 6, 2009 to Cody and Kristen Walter. We welcome Mia into God's family and pray the Holy Spirit would lead her and her family in steadfast faith and a sincere love for God unto life eternal with Him.

**EASTER PARTY:** Little ones 0 to 5 years old, please join us for an Easter Party. It will be on Saturday, April 13, 2019 from 9-10am at the church in the Fellowship Hall. There will be treats, games, a craft, story and egg hunt! Please bring your families!

## FINANCES & FIRST-FRUITS' GIVING

Budgeted Church/School Income (Year to Date)	\$1,500,560
Actual Church/School Income (3/31/19)	\$1,442,832
Actual Church/School Expenses (3/31/19)	\$1,342,222
A difference of :	\$ 100,610
Budgeted Offering Target (Through Feb. 2019)	\$ 644,457
Actual Offering (Through February 2019)	\$ 637,227
A difference of:	\$ -7,230
Weekly Offering Goal	\$ 15,837
Actual Offerings in March (5 of 5 weeks)	\$ 104,850
Phase 1 Completion Drive Gifts & Pledges	\$ 85,650
Balance to Pay off Phase 1 Project (\$325K goal)	\$ 239,350

## Last Week's Attendance - March 30 & 31, 2019

Saturday Worship Service	137
Sunday Worship Services	262
<b>Total Attendance Last Week</b>	399
Sunday School	37
Adult Bible Classes	94

# Offering Counters for April 7th:

Susan Loomans, Roxy Klundt, and Ann Boucher

## Offering Counters for April 14th:

Sherrie Murray, Roxy Klundt, and Cheryl Wagenman

## **Let's Keep It Going!**

Thank you to those who have given and pledged toward the Phase 1 Completion Drive. To date \$85,650 has been committed, which is over 25% of our \$325,000 goal! Did you know that this amount has been given by 50 families in our church? Imagine what will happen if all of our families contribute, even at a minimal gift level! If you haven't already made a commitment, please prayerfully consider how you can be involved in helping us complete this project. Pledge cards are available in the narthex, so pick one up today!

#### LET'S PLAY BALL!!!

Spring has finally arrived and with it comes the start of church softball season! This is a great way to meet new people and have some fun together. Games begin the first week of May and run through the end of June. Rosters are due by mid-April, so please sign up in the narthex if you would like to play! We hope to have both a men's and a coed team this year. Also, we are in need of a coach for the coed team, so please indicate if you are willing to coach. The cost to play will be \$40 (plus a jersey, if you would like one). Let's play ball!

A COOK IS NEEDED for the Red Lodge Summer Youth Camps from June 15-29. If a cook can't be found, the camps might not be held. Please contact the District Office at 259-2908 if you can help.



**EASTER LILIES** - The Altar Guild is now accepting orders for lilies which will adorn Trinity's altar this Easter. The price is, once again, \$10 each. Please complete the order form (in the narthex), place it in the envelope provided (along with your cash or

check payable to Trinity Lutheran Church) and drop the envelope in the box located in the narthex. Also, please note if the lily is in memory of (or in honor of) a special person(s). We will run these names in the bulletin insert on Easter Sunday. We will accept orders through Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup>. You may pick up your lilies following the last Easter service. Thank you for helping us decorate the altar for this special celebration!

## Manitoba Mission Thank You Dinner:

Please join us for a special Lenten Dinner on Wednesday, April 10. We will be serving pork loin, baked potatoes, salad, rolls, homemade pies and cakes. We will not be accepting donations as this is a small way for us to say "Thank you" for your amazing support of the Manitoba Mission!

The Installation Service at Mount Olive Lutheran Church for Rev. Willis McCall will be on Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm. A potluck will follow with Mount Olive providing the chicken. Those planning to attend are encouraged to bring a side dish.

**100th Anniversary Booklets** are available at no cost in the Narthex on the table under the windows. Please take a copy and enjoy this wonderful history of our church. A huge thank you to Dr. Kenneth Kosche for his many months of work to make this possible!

## **Sanctuary Lights**

We appreciate your patience as we consider options for trying to reduce the glare of the new sanctuary lights. We recognize that many appreciate the additional light, while the glare is hard for others. It is our hope to find a "happy medium" in the coming weeks.

# <u>Church Work Day Scheduled!</u> Saturday, April 27, 2019 Starting at 8am...but come any time!

The Properties Board has scheduled a Work Day for Saturday, April 27, starting at 8am. Please join us for outside spring clean-up, installing air conditioners, window cleaning, etc.! Bring work gloves, yard tools, etc. Thank you for helping us keep our church looking its best! We appreciate you!