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"For God so loved the world that He gave his only begotten Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have everlasting life." John 3:16



Maundy Thursday 12 PM & 7:30 PM Good Friday 12 PM & 7:30 PM Easter Vigil Saturday 7:30 PM



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Due to Easter being really late this year, 4 months have already come and gone in 2019. With Easter being at the end of April, we get to see the flowers bloom, hear the birds chirping and feel the warmth of the sun on us as we enter and exit church; unless it's one of those weird twilight zone moments in April in which we might actually get a snow storm. I think I've experience a snowy Easter at one point during my ministry. Whatever the weather might entail for us on April 21st, the date of Easter is important to all of God's people. A date in which God reminds you the child, you're forgiven and here is your gift of life.

"Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed'." John 20:29 ESV.

Easter is the day God's people praise and receive wonderful reminders of God's gift. We remind ourselves every day that we have God's blessings because we believe in the Risen Savior; although in today's world people might have a hard time seeing God's blessings, especially when people are sick, people are without jobs, people do not feel safe in their own homes, people do not feel secure with government officials, the list can go on and on. Where are we supposed to see blessings from God when our own life doesn't show it? The answer is JESUS! Yup, the same Jesus who died for all our sins. The same Jesus who defeated death, the devil and sin. The same Jesus who has blessed you with His life! Through the darkness of concerns, issues and burdens of real life, the only light is Jesus. As Jesus pointed St. Paul to His name, He points us towards Him. St. Paul had concerns, burdens and issues just like us. "Three times I pleaded with the Lord about this, that it should leave me. But he said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.' Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me." 2 Corinthians 12:8-9 ESV. Through all the muck that our lives might show, God shows you the greatest light and blessings. The one blessing that we will always have and that will never change is that God loves you. He loves you to the extent of making sure that Easter reminds you of this wonderful gift of faith and gift of life. That's the best part of Easter! It doesn't matter if it's in March or April because we celebrate Easter every Sunday!

Have a blessed Easter! Pastor Travis

EASTER PLANT ORDER FORM Deadline for ordering, Sunday, April 14th

Please include payment with order



Selection Lily \$17.50 6 inch pot Tulip \$12.50 4 inch pot Daffodil \$12.50 4 inch pot No color selection available



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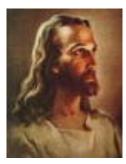
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TO THE GLORY OF GOD

PLEASE NOTE: A LABEL WITH YOUR NAME ON WILL BE ON THE BACK OF THE PLANTS TO AVOID ANY MIXUPS Please place cash or check made out to Trinity Lutheran Church Memo line: Easter Plant - in Offering Plate, Flower Mailbox in hall or mail to church Attn: Kay Charon 74 Forest Ave, Glen Cove, NY 11542 Questions Kay Charon 671-0182. Flower envelope in packet.



Trinity Lutheran Church Worship Assistants' Schedule April 2019

Serve the Lord with praiseful hearts! Please be at your assigned post 15 minutes prior to start of service



Worship Assistants	April 7 Sunday 9:30 AM	April 14 Sunday 9:30 AM	April 21 Sunday 9:30 AM	April 28 Sunday 9:30 AM
Chancel	Rob	Cheo	Bill	George
Assistant	Edwins	Teng	Charon	Meyer
Acolyte/	Sebastian	Page	Jorge	Grace
Crucifer	Baltazar	Bennett	Rios	Miller
Reader	Bill	Andrew	Kim	Scott
	Charon	Bennett	Flower	Miller
Ushers	*Ted Sitterer	*George Meyer	*Bob Bartlotti	*Rob Edwins
	Cheo Teng	Guy Brunelle	Will Flower	Scott Miller
Greeters	Mim	Carol	Kim	Jane
	Edwins	Rosa	Flower	Sorenson
Altar	Yees	Romy Bennett	Kim Flower	Janet Bebry
Flowers	OPEN	OPEN	Charon	OPEN
Sanctuary Light	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Fellowship	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN

Please sign up for Flowers, Sanctuary Light and Fellowship. Thanks! Please volunteer for Holy Week Services as Assistants at 7:30PM

If you can't make your scheduled assignment please contact a replacement from your list and call the church office to let Carol know. Call Kim Flower to be added to assistants' lists 1-954-224-1816 *Head usher responsible for elevator, head count/offerings; other ushers tidying pews, refilling pew offering envelopes. Sanctuary Light \$5/Sunday Flowers \$20/vase, 2 available each week.

Put your All on the Altar and help fill the OPEN Slots

Worship Assistants Needed...We are in need of volunteers for serving the congregation on the Worship Servant Team. Please see Pastor Travis or Kim Flower if you are interested in serving as a Chancel Assistant, Reader, Usher, Greeter or setting up the Altar for Communion. Thank you for considering the opportunity to offer this gift to our congregation.

Prayer Corner...On Sunday mornings after worship Pastor Travis will be available to pray with you following greeting the worshippers. Please sit up front on the left side if you are in need of prayer. **Prayer Board** in the hallway. Take a prayer request or leave one, Pray! God answers prayer.



Opportunities to Grow in God's Word

Basic Foundation Class Sunday Mornings 8:30 AM in the Upper Room. Leader: Pastor Travis

A Faith Journey with God—Journal your way with Paul through Ephesians Tuesdays at 7:30 PM at the Parsonage. Please let Pastor or Phyllis know if you are attending.

Group Book Study Wednesdays at 9:15 AM meets in the Upper Room. Leader: Pastor Travis **The Story** *Read the Story. Experience the Bible.*



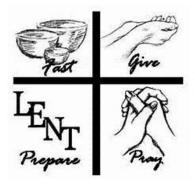
Thursday Bible Study CHANGED to Wednesdays during Lent Same time 1 PM-studying Revelation led by Pastor Travis.

Basic Foundation Class Thursdays at 12 PM Leader: Pastor Travis

Friday Morning Women's Bible Study at 10 AM meets at Edith Uhlendorf's home at 10 Berry Lane in Glen Cove. If interested call 671-0072. Studying **The Story of Scripture.**



"Study to show yourself approved to God, a workman that need not be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." 2nd Timothy 2:15



Lenten Worship Schedule Theme: The Mercy of His Forgiveness

Lenten Services Wednesdays 12 PM Evening Lenten Services Thursdays at 6 PM. <u>Holy Week</u> Palm Sunday 4/14 at 9:30 AM Maundy Thursday 12 PM & 7:30 PM Good Friday 12 PM & 7:30 PM Easter Vigil Saturday 7:30 PM

Ladies Guild:

The ladies met on Mon. 3/18. A sign-up sheet for meetings is on the bulletin board. Hostesses are needed for April and May. In June we will have a luncheon. Thanks!



The **LWML Nassau Zone Spring Rally** will be held at St John's Williston Park, Cornell St & Willis Ave, on Saturday, **April 27th.** Registration is at 9 AM followed by Communion Worship Service at 9:30 AM. The guest speaker will be Diane Kelly, Coordinator of the Infant Layette Program of Lutheran Social Services. See list on bulletin board for layette items needed. Brunch will be served.

Ongoing Missions...

Sewing Group meets the 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 10 AM. Members of the sewing group are Sue Amodio, Roberta Baade, Anne Felskeleader, Joan Pedigo and Kathy Strickland. Some of the members work from home. They make quilts for Lutheran World Relief. If you are talented in making quilts or would like to learn, join them on the 1st or 3rd Tuesday at 10 AM or you can receive instructions and work from your home. You don't need to know how to sew, you can be a cut-up and cut out squares. Plain sheets are always needed. **King Kullen Receipts** totaled \$67, please place in Kay Wanner's mailbox. Trinity receives a percentage back from all purchases. Thanks! **Mite Boxes** Received this quarter \$115, please give filled mite boxes to Edith Uhlendorf or place offering in Mission Bottle for this month.

The next meeting of the Ladies Guild will be Monday, 4/8 at 12 noon. Bring a sandwich for lunch. Refreshments will be served by the hostess. All ladies of the congregation are welcome.

FOOD PANTRY AND THRIFT SHOP

The Food Pantry and Thrift Shop will be open on Saturday **4/20 from 9:30 to noon.** Please remember to bring in your food pantry items and place them in the blue trunk in the entranceway to church.

Pantry needs: Juice, Instant Mashed Potatoes, Fruit Cocktail, Canned Fruit, Cake Mixes and Frosting, Brownie Mix, Ground or Instant Coffee/Tea Bags, Cookies and Hot Chocolate, Napkins, Pancake Mix, Syrup, Cereal, Oatmeal, Pasta and Sauce, Mac and Cheese, White Rice, Canned Beans, Canned Chicken, Fish, Stew, 1-2 lb Flour and Sugar, Parmalat Milk, Peanut Butter and Jelly, Jello and Pudding. Perishable items can also be collected in a timely manner.

Caregivers Support Group Leaders Lynda Madden and Kathy Strickland meet at church in the upper room on Thursdays at 6:30 PM. If you are caring for an elderly or significant other, there is a support group for you.

Confirmation Class

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Confirmation Class Year 1 meets on Tuesdays from 6:15-7:15 PM Confirmation Class Year 2, Year 3 meets on Mondays at 6:30 PM



News in the Pews...

Worship Technology: A \$40 gift was received from Kelsey Giambruno toward a new **wireless microphone** for Pastor Travis. Cost estimate is \$300. Thank you Kelsey and Nick Montello for researching it and for Nick's 'Sound' engineering expertise at church.

At Thursday worship we received a new member **Korissa** (Kori) Yergler by Transfer via media, videoed on the screen. Cory is a nurse living in St Louis and is engaged to Dale who is graduating next month from Concordia Seminary then awaiting a call. Dale is from Staten Island, NY. God's blessings! (Video is shown on Trinity's FB website) Upcoming **Baptism**: on Sunday May 5th Chase Justin **Blough**, son of Scott & Sarah, will receive the gift of faith in the Sacrament of Holy Baptism.

Congratulations to Ashley Kreiner and Kevin DeNunzio on their upcoming marriage on Sept. 14th.

VOTERS BODY

Congregational President: At the Voters' meeting held on March 17th Pastor announced that the Church Council was unable to elect a new president after Bill Charon's term ended on 12/31/18. To be president a council member must have first served as trustee. None of the current trustees, with two exceptions, were willing to stand for election; the two who were willing are already serving in vital positions.

At the meeting Pastor explained that there are important Synodical documents that need a president's signature as well as an upcoming election for Synodical President. Pastor is asking for an amendment to our church constitution that would allow a council member who holds the position of Deacon to serve as President. This can be voted on at a **Special Voters' Meeting held on 4/14/19** following the worship service. In the interim, Kay Charon, a Trustee, was elected to serve as Interim President.

"Behold how good and how pleasant it is when brethren dwell together in unity." Psalm 133:1

Our Mission Bottle

The LWML says that if every member gave \$5 they would reach their goal for the year. At Trinity we have opened the giving to the whole congregation in hopes of helping them reach their goal.





Our Mission Project for April will continue to be the LWML MITE PROGRAM which gives monetary grants to selected church missions.

"Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." Matthew 28:19-20

Called Home by the Lord

Former member Edward Burfeindt, Sr. was called Home by the Lord on March 15th. Ed was a CPA and while living in Glen Cove was the City Comptroller after which he became the Finance Director for Nassau County. He was an avid golfer. Ed served at Trinity on Council as Treasurer for years, as an usher and was active in all areas of Trinity's life. Even after retiring to Florida, he continued to do taxes for our members, and Janet and Ed had a love and interest for what was happening at Trinity. Our love and sympathy to Janet, sons Eddie & Craig, and their families.

Our sympathy is extended to Jane Sorenson at the passing of her brother Dick in Florida. Jane and Laurie were able to visit Dick in Florida this year and spend time with him. Although it's hard to say good-bye we can be thankful to God for the years together and know that one day we will be reunited with them in heaven.

"...Well done, good and faithful servants...enter into the joy of your Lord." Matthew 25:23

Memorials received...

In Memory of	Given by	Designation
Frank Armstrong	Elsie Armstrong	Furnace

Edward Burfeindt Sr.

Elsie Armstrong Furnace Frank & Edith Uhlendorf Furnace Rob & Mim Edwins Building & Grounds Bill & Kay Charon Building & Grounds Ladies Guild LWML MITES Jane Sorenson General Janet's address for condolences is: Mrs Janet Burfeindt 2121 West Tall Oak Dr Beverly Hills, FL 34465

Psalm 46:10 says, "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth." Lord, we exalt You! Thank you for the gift of eternal life through Jesus being lifted on a tree, dying and rising again for the salvation of the world.

News in the Pews...

Congratulations to Charlotte Charon Member National Jr Honor Society Congrats to Jay Charon Student of the Month Glen Cove High School



Congrats to Elise Norelius who will enter Sacred Heart in the fall. Congrats to Ida Madden who Pastor thanked at Sunday worship for her years of volunteer work with Trinity's Pantry & Thrift Shop. She has a heart for serving others. May God bless her real good!



Ed Burfeindt (called Home by the Lord 3/15) pictured with Janet sons Eddie and Craig. May the Holy Spirit bring his comfort to them



Pastor Travis and Phyllis Burnett who led the Kiwanis Defensive Driving Course in March



We welcomed into fellowship Kori, who transferred her membership to Trinity during worship on March 21st. Pictured here with fiancé Dale.

Meet Some Faces of Trinity

Paint Pallet Fundraiser in March



Kelsey Giambruno



Mike Bambara



Andrew Bennett, Fundraising



Nick Montello, Sound Media



Marisa DiRienzo



Bless This Fome grateful thankful bless

Kathy Strickland, Cheo Teng, Lynda Madden

Lori and Kimberly Kampe



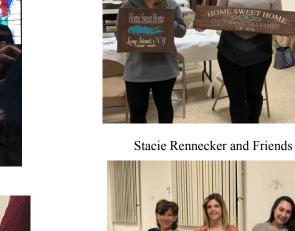
Addison and Kathy Edwins



Phyllis Yee and co-workers from Mil Neck Manor



More pics to follow next month of our Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser which raised \$534. Thank you Bennett's for all the hard work!







April 2019





Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Save the Date 2019 VBS July 8-12 4:30-6:30 PM MIRACULOUS MISSION Jesus Saves the World	1 <i>"We are fools</i> <i>for Christ." 1 Cor. 4:10</i> 3:30PM Asst Living Bible Study 6:30PM Confirmation 2-3 yr	2 10 AM Sewing Group 6:15 Confirmation 1 yr 7:30 Study at Parsonage	3 9:15AM Book Study 12PM Lenten Worship 1PM Bible Study 6:45 PM Think Thin	4 12PM Basic Foundation 6PM Lenten Worship 6:30 Caregivers Group	5 10AM Women's Bible Study at Uhlendorf's	6 12Noon-AA
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21 Easter Day9:30AM WorshipEaster Blessings to AllDeadline May Newsltr	22 Pastor on vacation this week No Confirmation	23 No Confirmation No Ephesians Study	24 9:15AM Book Study 6:45 PM Think Thin	25 No Bible Study No Worship Service 6:30 Caregivers Group	26 10AM Women's Bible Study at Uhlendorf's	27 9AM Registration for 9:30AM LWML Spring Rally at St John's, Williston Park 12Noon-AA
28 2nd Sun of Easter 9:30AM Worship Guest Preacher-Vicar from Res, Garden City 9:30AM Sun School	29 6:30PM Confirmation 2-3 yr	306:15 Confirmation 1 yr7:30 Study at Parsonage	Travis Yee, Pastor Cell 1-845-772-2586, Call or Text, Email: trinitygcpastor@gmail.com Church Phone/Fax 516-676-1340; Church Address:74 Forest Avenue, Glen Cove, NY 11542; Church Website: www.trinitylutheranglencove.com; Christie Callahan, Music 676-8040; Carol Rosa, Administrative Assistant Email: trinitygcofficemanager@gmail.com; Kim Flower, Worship Assts Cell: 1-954-224-1816, Email: kcflower929@gmail.com; Kay Charon, Newsletter 671-0182 Email: God4us11542@yahoo.com; Sunday Service Live: https://www.facebook.com/trinitylutherangc/			