



TRINITY TIDINGS

April, 2019

Believing in Christ, we are called to grow and are sent to serve.

Thinking Out Loud With Pastor Josh

“Be still, and know that I am the LORD.” Psalm 46.10

During worship this Lent, I have been encouraging us to take time and reflect on different aspects of forgiveness. After we consider some way or reason to give thanks for God’s gift of Grace, I invite us to sit silently and think of a person who might need to hear or know about this remarkable gift.

Because it is a gift. To be told that we are forgiven. That God actually loves us, even when the world does its worst against us. And we, in our way, do our worst against others. Forgiveness is a gift of rejuvenation and life that we can never earn and we are freely offered.

But this brief note isn’t about that. Not exactly. It’s about time. With each of these two questions, I ask the congregation to sit quietly and be still. We don’t have to lean over and share a tale of woe or wonder with a worship neighbor. No conjuring images or guided meditation (all of which is good and we’ve done in our worship at Trinity). This time is silence, or the nearest we can get with restless bodies and restless kiddos trying to play with their Legos.

When this time is complete, I’ll say, “Congratulations, you made it through 60 seconds of silence.” And I’m kidding, mostly. It gets a little laugh, sometimes. I’m also a little serious.

As the worship leader, 60 seconds of nothing visibly or audibly going on is hard to endure. We’ve all suffered the silence of dead air on radios or the awkward pause when a person being interviewed doesn’t come up with a response. A few seconds feels like an hour. 60 seconds can be an eternity.

I offer it, though, because almost nothing else in our world does. My phone, even on silent, still wants me to notice it. The tv, the Bluetooth speaker, the voice responding devices. Or, all those voices swirling around our youth about grades, activities, resumes and “right schools.” All those voices around us about to-do lists, better job prospects, skills training, and planning for retirement (whatever that is, unless they mean shifting from full time paid employment to full time kid running, doctor visiting, supply shopping and family chasing).

Friends, our God offers a promise of Grace that does not require any of this. And part of this Grace is the freedom (yeah, free “from”) to simply exist as we are and as God is shaping us. God offers us a space and place to come as we already are and hear again that we are loved. Surrounded by a bunch of misfits and wandering worriers just like us who need to know that Grace is truly, absolutely, silently and brashly free.

May God grant you just a little silence, even for 60 seconds in a week of noise, that you might recognize God calling you by name and inviting you to dwell in this gift of peace.

Trust in God’s Grace, Pr Josh Ehrler

WORSHIP AT TRINITY

Lent Leads to Easter



Our 40 day march across Lent continues with our weekend worship events and Midweek Prayer services until **Palm Sunday** April 14. On this day, our march shifts to a jubilant parade as Jesus arrives at the village limits and we usher him into our lives with palm branches, joyous music and even a little dancing. The mood shifts quickly during this service when we realize that Jesus isn't showing up with power and might, and we have entered Holy Week.

At Trinity, Holy Week involves three worship events connected to form one extended service.

Maundy Thursday April 18, 7pm is our night to celebrate the Last Supper with Christ before hearing of his arrest. We strip the altar space of beauty and light to center our eyes on the cross.

Good Friday, 12pm-2pm Individual Absolution and Prayer. Remembering we are forgiven is possibly the greatest challenge in our faith. Trinity is offering time on Good Friday for you to stop by, pray silently with yourself in our chapel, and/or visit with Pr Josh for a word of absolution. Conversations with Pr Josh are always confidential and are meant to be a way to speak the thoughts that way heavy in our hearts.

Good Friday April 19, 7pm we gather with our neighbors at Church of the Brethren (409 W Brayton Rd) to reflect on Christ's death as we hope toward Easter.

Easter Vigil April 20, 5:30pm is our final night, when we enter a candle lit space and hear stories of God's mighty acts across history. Each story reminds us of what God will do.

Easter Morning April 21,

8:00 - 9:00 am Trinity offers an Easter Breakfast for anyone who seeks a filling meal, then we gather for worship. Serving breakfast casseroles, coffee cakes, muffins, fruit & drinks. Free will offering welcome.

9:30am Worship Service celebrates the day of days in our relationship with God. We fill it with beauty and light, we sing boldly, we greet each warmly, we do all we can to celebrate that the nights of shadows and doubt are cleared away like loose stones.

We hope you know there is a space for you around the table of Christ. Come as you, stay as long as you need, this worship space is for you.

LENT MIDWEEK PRAYER SCHEDULE

Every Wednesday Night March 13-April 10

Soup Supper at 6:00pm

Free meal, free will offering supports youth trip

Midweek Prayer with Healing Service at 7:00 pm

Prayers, singing, silence and time for healing.



Soup Suppers continue on Wednesday evenings prior to the mid-week Prayer service. Serving is from 6:00 – 6:45 pm **The final date will be April 10th.** A free will offering is taken with proceeds to support fundraising for the youth trip to the 2021 Youth

Gathering in Minneapolis. For anyone willing to donate a crockpot of soup or help serve one evening, a sign-up sheet is located near the church office or contact office at 815-734-6354.

DEEP DIGS ADULT LEARNING

No Deep Digs Adult Learning for the month of April. If you haven't done it in the past, please consider attending our Easter Vigil service Saturday, April 20, 5:30pm. It has been organized and planned out by our confirmation group, YC, and will be amazing.



BROWN BAG BANTERING

No Bantering during April.

We will resume May 7th.

DONATIONS OF WRAPPED CANDY & ITEMS

to fill Easter eggs for the Easter Egg Hunt are being collected. Please bring your donations to the church by **Thursday, April 18th** and place in the brown basket in bell tower hallway. Thanks!



JOIN US FOR AN EASTER EGG HUNT!

Our annual Children's Egg Hunt will be held on the church lawn (inside if rains) **immediately following the 9:30 am Easter Sunday Service.**

RESPONDING TO GOD: SHARING OUR GIFTS ·

REFLECT – PRAY – GIVE

“Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.” 2 Corinthians 9.7



Every month, Trinity commits a portion of the money we receive to the Northern IL Synod, who gives over 50% of their funds to the ELCA, our national church.

Readers are invited to REFLECT on these organizations, PRAY for their work and recipients, and consider how we can continue to GIVE.

Lutheran Disaster Response

We witnessed the devastating floods that struck regions of the Midwest and we prayed for the countless who lost homes, livestock and entire communities. Lutheran Disaster Response (LDR) was there, and will continue to be there, to support local service organizations through volunteers, funds, supplies and emotional/psychological care. From the LDR's webpage on the ELCA site:

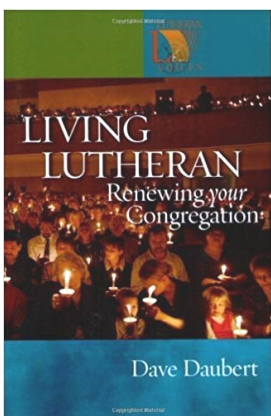
“Lutheran Disaster Response strives to help the church continue to be church in the midst of disaster — following Christ's call to bring hope and healing to our neighbor in need. Some key areas of work include:

- +Providing emotional and spiritual care for people who have been affected by a disaster and for leaders who respond to a disaster
- +Coordinating volunteers through our local affiliates
- +Assisting refugees in a holistic way by meeting the varied needs of the community
- +Promoting disaster risk-reduction by helping communities build their assets thereby reducing the effects of likely disasters
- +Providing long-term recovery efforts by addressing the unmet needs months or even years after a disaster strikes.”

Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service

Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service (LIRS) has been active in the US since 1939 striving for justice and safe passage for people looking to create a safer, wholistic life in the US. LIRS advocates for clear immigration laws and human dignity for those who are trapped in violence or threats of persecution. From LIRS webpage on the ELCA site:

“The work of the ELCA through Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service includes responding to people caught in conflict and facing persecution, advocating for their needs and interests, helping people access resources for basic human needs, working with foster care programs for minors, legal assistance, developing new and innovative service programs and partnerships, and much more.”



COUNCIL BOOK STUDY

Living Lutheran: Renewing Your Congregation Rev. Dr. Dave Daubert

Last month Council began reading and studying Dave Daubert's book on renewing congregations. After reading Acts 2.41-47, we talked a great deal about the meaning of fellowship. Fellowship is a highly churchy word that means gathering with others and sharing stories. Daubert challenges us as

leaders and members of Trinity to add meaning to our story sharing by talking about how we've seen God in our lives.

One idea he offers is creating space for worshippers to discuss the sermon and worship service immediately after we are dismissed. This interested a few Council members and may be worthy trying in the future. If you would like to study along with Council, talk to Pr Josh.



NEED THE TEMPORARY USE OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT?

Mt. Morris Senior Center has some medical equipment that they will loan out for free! Items such as a shower chair or a walker, etc.

Questions? Please contact the

Mt. Morris Senior Center
9 E Front St.

815-734-6335



CHANCEL CHOIR OPPORTUNITIES FOR HOLY WEEK & EASTER SERVICES

Easter Sunday is the day we will pull out all the stops! Special brass music, piano, organ and choir...it is a day we celebrate with all we have. This is your chance to join the choir. We are looking for extra voices to sing with the Chancel choir for Holy Week and Easter services.

The choir will sing on Maundy Thursday, April 18, Good Friday service at Mount Morris Church of the Brethren and Easter Morning at Trinity. During Lent the choir rehearses each Wednesday following our Lenten worship, around 7:40 pm.

The Community Good Friday service will be at the Church of the Brethren on April 19. Singers from the 3 churches will have an opportunity to sing a beautiful anthem by John Carter: *"I Only Looked Away"*.

There will be 3 rehearsals for this anthem:

Apr 8 at 6:15 at Disciples United Methodist
Apr 15 at 6:15 at Disciples United Methodist
Apr 19 at 6:15 at the Church of the Brethren. (service will begin at 7:00)

TRINITY'S ANNUAL SPRING CONCERT

Mark your calendars for the Sunday afternoon concert at Trinity on **May 5th**.

We are looking forward to hearing organist, Ross Jallo play.

This year marks the 45th birthday of our Howell pipe organ.

The instrument was first played in worship on Easter Sunday 1974 by Carol Reckmeyer and Karen Larson.



2019 EASTER GARDEN ORDER FORM

To order an Easter lily or a spring plant to enhance the church for our Easter services, please return this form, along with your payment to the church office or place in the offering plate, **no later than Sunday, April 7**. (plants will come from Merlin's Flowers.)

Indicate number of each plant you would like to order. **Flowers are \$15 each.**

(Colors will be determined by the florist and may not match the picture.)

(make checks payable to "Trinity Lutheran Church" and note for Easter Flowers)



Easter Lily
(\$15 each) _____



Tulips
(\$15 each) _____



Cyclamen
(\$15 each) _____



Mum
(\$15 each) _____



Begonias
(\$15 each) _____

If you would like to remember or honor a loved one with Your plant(s) please **print** their names clearly.

In memory of: _____

In honor of: _____

Total plants ordered _____ Total amount Enclosed
\$ _____

Given by: _____

I will pick up the plant(s) after Easter worship

_____ Yes _____ No
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SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

This spring, our lessons will be based off of different heroes of the Bible. We will learn how these heroes relate to the word of God and what we can learn from them. We will talk about virtues these heroes have and how we can be heroes in the world today.

Schedule:

10:30 - 10:45 am Snack in Chapel with adults
10:45 - 10:55 am Music upstairs with Karen
10:55 - 11:00 am Object Lesson
11:00 - 11:20 am Small Group Lessons by ages:
(4yrs - 2nd grade) (3rd - 6th grades)
11:20 - 11:30 am Game or Craft with TLC Youth

Weekly Focus:

April 7 - Paul: Joy, Acts 16:16-36
April 14 - Palm Sunday: Holy Week, Matthew 26-28;
Mark 14-16 ; Luke 22-24; John 18-20
April 21 - Easter Sunday, NO Sunday School, all youth can
Help with the Easter Breakfast
April 28 - VBS Roar! Preview
May 5 - VBS Roar! Preview
May 12 - Mother's Day
May 19 - Last Day of Sunday School. Sunday School will
resume with Rally Day in August!
(Watch the Tidings, Website & Facebook for the date!)

THANK YOU!

A big HUGE thank you from the bottom of our hearts!!
To everyone who ordered T-shirts and made donations to Strong Girls to Women Camp -



WE APPRECIATE IT!

Your kindness and support will greatly help in the continued success of this camp!
Looking forward to SG2W 2019!

Adrienne Stafford
Strong Girls 2 Women

Registration forms will be available the week of April 1st! This camp is for **all girls who will be going into 4th, 5th & 6th grades** for the upcoming school year. Registration is limited, so register A.S.A.P! Camp will be held **June 17-20, 2019 from 8 am - 11:30 am.**



Youth in 6th-12th grades are invited to their own Egg Hunt on

Sunday, April 14th 6:00-8:00 pm!

We will have tacos for dinner, and an egg hunt in the darkness of the church and yard. There will be prizes and fun, so we hope you can all come. All are welcome, so make sure you invite your friends! The cost for this Easter Evening is \$5 each.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS
NOW!**

VBS is Mon July 15 - Fri July 19!



FAITH5 –
“EVERY NIGHT IN EVERY HOME”



Share(highs and lows)
Read (a Bible verse or story)
Talk (about the Bible reading)
Pray (for each other)
Bless (one another)

5 formative steps that may take 5 minutes or much longer before supper or getting into bed. Look for the book marks in the pews and take one home for your own use. Use the verse of the week found at the top of every Refrigerator Reminders as a way to open the Bible together.

Take 5 to Faith 5 as a family, with friends,
on your own.



ANNUAL IL
JUNIOR CHEF
PROGRAM

Watch Facebook, our Website and Local newspapers

for Registration Information. This year's program will be held **July 22—July 26 from 9:30 - 11:30 am**, here at Trinity for children ages 8 to 13 years old.

CATCH Club will also resume in June! Watch for Details in all of the above locations as well!

IT WILL SOON BE TIME TO PLANT OUR
RAISED GARDEN BEDS!

Spring is Coming! Watch our sign on the church lawn , Facebook: [Facebook.com/tlcmm](https://www.facebook.com/tlcmm), Refrigerator Reminders and our website:

Trinitymmil.net

for when we will
plant the raised
garden beds!



TIME TO THINK ABOUT
SUMMER LUNCH PROGRAM

EVERY Tuesday, Wednesday
& Thursday

June 4 - July 31, 2019

Please prayerfully consider volunteering time to this very important ministry at Trinity! This is our 7th year!

ANNUAL TRAINING DATES BELOW!

Tues. May 21, 12:30 - 3:00 pm Freeport YMCA

Wed. May 22, 5:30 - 8:00 pm Rochelle United
Methodist Church

Tues. May 28, 3:30 - 6:00 pm Lincoln Elementary
School, Rochelle

Training is FREE. The more people we have trained, the more flexible we can be! Each person who completes training helps us as a feeding site! The training is straightforward and they want you to succeed! Carpooling is available! Please contact church office to register!

Daily Serving: 11:15 - 12:45 (children served from 11:30 - 12:30)

You don't have to volunteer every day.
Choose the days and dates that work for You!

A minimum of four teens/adults each day assures a good experience for each of the children.

Meals come already prepared from the N.I. Food Bank. We make a few sandwiches, as needed, and provide additional fruit, etc.

Question? talk to Pastor Josh, Linda Duffy, Nancy Nelson, or Contact church office!

**Have Fun
With us
This
Summer!**



Feeding our Hungry Neighbors in
Northern Illinois.

LIFELINE FOOD PANTRY NEWS

LIFELINE is located in Conover Square (old piano factory) at 203 N 3rd St, Suite 6, Oregon, IL

Hours are:

Tues 9:30—Noon (food & clothing)

Thurs 1:00—4:00 pm (clothing only)

Fri 1:30—4:30 pm (food & clothing)

Sat 10:30—1:30 pm. (clothing only)

Weather Information: Unfortunately, Lifeline Pantry must sometimes be closed for extreme weather. Closings will be listed on TV stations 13, 17, 23 & 39. They will also be announced on radio station WSSEY KOOL, 95.7. You can call our phone number at Lifeline 815-732-7891, and if we don't answer, we are not open. Bag sales will be starting soon.

We are very grateful for the support our communities give us. We thank you for your time and donations. Our needs are: canned beans- kidney, baked & chili.

Questions? Call Sharon at 815-564-8234.

T.W.E.L.C.A. BASKETS OF PROMISE

Each Lenten Sunday, TWELCA is sponsoring Health Basket items through Lutheran World Relief. You are encouraged to bring one item for the basket each week. The following is the schedule:

Mar 9/10 - **Two, Bath size Bars of Soap (4-5 oz. in original wrapping)**

Mar 16/17 - **Toothbrushes (adult size, in original packaging)**

Mar 23/24 - **Nail Clippers (metal, att. File optional)**

Mar 30/ Mar 31 - **Comb**

Apr 6/7 - **Bath Towel (light-weight maximum size 52" x 27", plain, - no symbols, dark color preferred. No hand towels.**

Baskets are located in entry to Worship Space and in the Bell tower hallway. Thank you for your Assistance with this project.



LOAVES & FISH FOOD PANTRY SERVING MT. MORRIS & LEAF RIVER

The Pantry is located on the lower level of The Church of the Brethren:
409 W Brayton Rd, Mt. Morris.

Hours are: 1st & 3rd Thurs of each month: 4:30 – 7 pm

2nd & 4th Mon of each month: 2:00 – 4:30 pm

Volunteers assist the clients with their shopping...walking with them to make selections; or pushing shopping cart to client's car & loading it. To volunteer, please contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Marge Powers at 815-734-6553.

For the month of February, 116 households were served representing 330 individuals.

Thank you for your continuing support to the pantry!

TWELCA NEWS

T.W.E.L.C.A. = Trinity Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.



TWELCA's Mission statement: to mobilize women to act boldly on their faith in Jesus Christ.

Dorcas group meets the 4th Tuesday of each month at 9:00 am. at the church, except for Aug & Dec when they have joint events with the Naomi Group.

Naomi group meets the 4th Monday at 1:00 pm April through November at the church except for Aug and Dec, when they have joint events with Dorcas group.

Both groups invite all women to join them!



**Join Us For
Breakfast**

**WOMEN' SPRING
BREAKFAST,
sponsored by TWELCA**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 13,
9:00 am at**

Campus Café, downtown, Mt. Morris

A fun morning with fellowship and other activities planned. All women, of all ages are welcome! Breakfast is at your own expense.

Please let us know if you can attend, **by April 11th.** Contact church office 815-734-6354 or Carol Reckmeyer 815-734-6572.

CHURCH COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

A summary of the March 11, 2019 meeting:

- Pastor led devotions from Living Lutheran - Renewing your Congregation - Chapter 2
- Motion passed to adopt the Agenda with addition of C.R.E. information to the Informational items.
- Pastor informed Council that he will be undergoing oral surgery to remove hardware in his jaw.
- Pastor reminded Council that there are t-shirts for sale to raise money for Strong Girls 2 Women Camp.
- Finance Committee reported are looking into setting up an Amazon Smile Account for Trinity's benefit. Also reported organ repair will come from Memorial Funds.
- Property Committee is beginning to plan out landscaping & painting projects. Will repair floured-Scent lights in north bank of lights.
- Motion passed to raise Insurance Deductible to \$2,500.
- Youth/Education Committee reported goal to build display about 2021 ELCA Youth Gathering.
- Outreach/Social Ministry/Stewardship Committee set date of June 2nd for "Be the Church"
- Motion to Approve the 2019 Annual Meeting Minutes with the addition of Pastor's Address information passed.
- Chris, from Superior Fire updated Council on work needed to fix the fire alarm communication
- Craig Suttman, Jim Vickery & Vern Welp talked about their experiences at the C.R.E. They talked about: Estate Planning; Dave Daubert; Church Vitality and LGBTQ+ Community.
- Adjournment with prayer.

NOISY OFFERING FOR APRIL - COMMUNITY VBS

The purpose of our Noisy Offering is to teach the joy of giving to God.

Each July, Trinity hosts over 100 community children from Mon - Friday, transforming the building into a new location!

Loveable "Bible Buddies" share valuable lessons.

Providing this experience takes \$50 per child. Thanks to the generosity of Trinity, Church of the Brethren, and Disciples United Methodist, the children are able to attend free of charge, ensuring that no one is excluded. Please consider donating generously to this ministry!

Results of the March Collection for VBS thru March 17: \$87.87

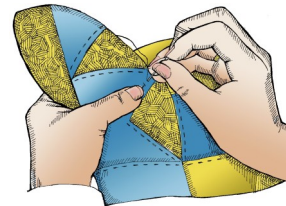
FINANCIAL REPORT FEBRUARY 2019

Total Monthly Budget Income	\$ 15,846.79
Total Monthly Budget Expense	\$ 18,988.61
Year-to-date Budget Income	\$ 36,811.94
Year-to date Budget Expense	\$ 37,132.92
Year-to-date Surplus (Deficit)	\$ (320.98)

ELECTRONIC GIVING

Many of us have found it much easier to make online transactions than cash or checks.

Trinity offers that option for regular giving as well. The church office has the form needed to get started.



QUILTING GROUP

QUILTING RESUMES!

**Wednesdays, 9 - 11 am
Beginning April 3, through
May 29**

Come help us cut square, design quilts, sew squares and tie quilts for Lutheran World Relief.

Whether you are a novice or an avid quilter, all levels of skill and knowledge are welcome!

Update! Quilts that were completed and mailed in October, 2018 were sent to Dominica and our 2017 quilts were sent to Tanzania

NORTHERN IL SYNOD WOMEN OF THE ELCA

**"God for All Seasons" Retreat
Saturday, April 27, at LOMC, Oregon
Regist. & Coffee 8:30—9:00 am
Program 9:00 - 3:00 pm**

**This Retreat is for ALL Women, regardless if
you belong to a Women's group or not**

Bible Study led by Esther Prabhakar

Special Music Presentation: Peg Lehman

Worship led by Pastor Jessica Bakken

Registration Deadline is April 10, 2019

Registration is \$40 Registration Forms available
On bltn board in Bell tower hallway or on Trinity's
Website.

TRINITY'S SERVANTS FOR APRIL 2019

Altar Guild

All month: Linda Borneman
Mary Jo Dilbeck

Acolytes

6/7 Laura Wright
13/14 Caleb Ehrler
20/21 Alexys Davis
27/28 Caleb Ehrler

Ushers/ Greeters **2 needed each Sunday. Please contact office to sign up! (+ 3 at Altar Communion*)**

All month: Sat: Kevin Nelson
7 Robin Keene, Al Ulferts
14 Robin Keene, Al Ulferts
18 Casper Manheim, Al Ulferts (+3*)
20
21
28

Song Leaders & Cantors

7 Olivia Stafford
14 Mary Jo Dilbeck
17 Lily Welp
21 Doreen Vickery

Assisting Ministers:

6 Arika Black 7 Carolyn Dilbeck
13 Arika Black 14 Kendra Ehrler
20 Arika Black 21 Kendra Ehrler
27 Arika Black 28 Avery Sellers

Blood Pressure Checks

31 Robin Keene

Lector Schedule*

7 Ed Handschuh
14 Ed Handschuh
21 Ed Handschuh
28 Ed Handschuh

*Scripture Readings

6/7 Philippians 3.3b-14
Psalm 126
John 12.1-8

13/14 Procession: Luke 19.28-40
Philippians 2.5-11
Psalm 31.9-16
Luke 23.1-49

18 Maundy Thursday Exodus 12.1-4,
Exodus 12.11-14 (continued on next column)

Scripture Readings, Continued:

Maundy Thurs Continued:

1 Corinthians 11.23-26;
John 13.1-7, 31b-35

21 Isaiah 25.6-9
Psalm 114
1 Corinthians 5.6b-8
Luke 24.13-49

27/28 Acts 5.27-32
Revelation 1.4-8
John 20.19-31

Coffee Hour Hosts

7
14
21
28

Altar Flowers

Calendar & Information for providing flowers is on bulletin board in Narthex (back of worship space). Questions? Ask Karen Larson, any Altar Guild member or contact office.

6/7
13/14
20/21 Easter Garden See Order form on Page 4
27/28

Home Communion

(Normally 1st Sunday of Month)

Dave & Cindy Link
Sandra Stengel

OFFICE HOURS:

Mon. — Thurs.
8:30 am — 12:00 pm
1:00 pm — 4:00 pm

Friday:
8:00 am — 12:00 pm

Please note: Staff Meeting
Apr 10: office closed from
12pm - 2 pm

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we are called to grow,
and are sent to serve.**

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Pastor: Josh Ehrler

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APRIL 2019

WEEKLY WORSHIP SCHEDULE (*DETAILS INSIDE)

SATURDAY evening worship service at 5:30 pm

SUNDAY: 9:30 am Worship Service
Fellowship Time following Worship

SUNDAY SCHOOL: **10:30 - 11:30 am.**
We welcome 4 yrs. old (potty trained) thru 6th gr.

We also have a Youth Group (6th grade through high school) that meets on a monthly basis

WEEKLY MUSIC REHEARSALS

Note Time Change During Lent:

Wednesday: Chime Choir 5:30 - 6:15 pm
Wednesday: Chancel Choir Immediately following
7 pm Mid-Week Prayer Service

UPCOMING DATES TO NOTE (* DETAILS INSIDE)

- Wed. Apr 3 6 - 6:45 pm Lenten Soup Supper*
7 pm Lent Mid-Week Prayer Service*
- Sun, Apr 7 Deadline to Order Easter Flowers*
- Wed. Apr 10 6 - 6:45 pm Lenten Soup Supper*
7 pm Lent Mid-Week Prayer Service*
- Sun Apr 14, Palm Sunday, Holy Week Begins*
- Thur Apr 18 7 pm Maundy Thursday Service*
- Fri Apr 19 12 pm Good Friday Private Absolution*
- Fri Apr 19 7 pm Good Friday Service at C.O.B.*
- Sat Apr 20 5:30 pm Holy Saturday Easter Vigil*
- Sun Apr 21 8:00 - 9:00 am Easter Breakfast*
- Sun Apr 21 9:30 am Easter Morning Worship; Easter
Egg Hunt for children immed. after
worship service in place of Sun. School
- Mon Apr 22 Easter Monday, Offices Closed
- Sun May 5 3pm Annual Spring Concert, here* 10