

Trinity Lutheran Early Childhood Education



Building solid foundations for life and learning

It is our mission to provide a quality Christ-centered early childhood education that builds a solid foundation for lifelong learning.

For information on our Early Childhood Program, contact Nancy Gross: ngross@trinitylutheranmonroe.org

Trinity Lutheran School

We prepare Christian leaders for today and tomorrow.
We partner with parents.



Infant & Toddler Area

Cry space available downstairs in church basement. Service is televised. Feel free to use it and return to worship when able!
STAFFED NURSERY - during 11am service for infants through age 3. Follow the footsteps.

Restrooms - Located downstairs in the church basement and in the rear of the Sanctuary near the balcony stairway.

CONTACT US

Web Site

- tlcmonroe.org

Church Office

- Email: info@trinitylutheranmonroe.org

Maintenance Ministry

- Email: maintenance@trinitylutheranmonroe.org

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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

Staffed Nursery Available During 11am Service



Sunday, March 17

- 8:30 a.m. **Worship HC**
- 9:45 a.m. Bible Studies
- 10:00 a.m. Family Time with Jesus
- 11:00 a.m. **Worship & Kids Kingdom**
- 6:00 p.m. Community of Need Meal-Trinity
- 6:45 p.m. **Worship in the Chapel**

Monday, March 18

- 6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry

Tuesday, March 19

- 9:30 a.m. Prayer Shawls @ Wellspring
- 6:00 p.m. AA Meeting
- 6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry
- 7:00 p.m. Choir rehearsal
- 7:30 p.m. AA Meeting

Wednesday, March 20

- 8:10 a.m. **School Worship**
- 9:00 a.m. AGAPE a.m.
- 11:00 a.m. **Lenten Worship** - church
- 6:00 p.m. **Lenten Worship** - church
- 6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry Training
- 6:30 p.m. AGAPE p.m.

Thursday, March 21

- 5:30 p.m. Moms Time Out

Friday, March 22

Saturday, March 23

- 9:00 a.m. Braille #203 Work Day
- 6:00 p.m. **Ferguson Fundraiser**
- 6:00 p.m. **Worship**

Sunday, March 24

- 8:30 a.m. **Worship**
- 9:45 a.m. Bible Studies
- 10:00 a.m. Family Time with Jesus
- 11:00 a.m. **Worship HC & Kids Kingdom**
- 6:00 p.m. Community of Need Meal
- 6:45 p.m. **Worship in the Chapel**

Community of Need Meal - HELP NEEDED!

To volunteer or for information, contact Rickie (734) 625-6240, or Ashley (734) 790-6958.



*In the name of Christ, we will:
Equip individuals to
Strengthen families to
Impact the world*

Bulletin for March 17, 2017

Interested in learning about us?

Are you interested in learning what we teach and believe here at Trinity?

- Maybe you have been visiting for a while and are wanting to know more
- Maybe you are interested in becoming a member at Trinity
- Perhaps you have slowly been getting back to church after an absence

We have now embarked on a series of Modules that allow us to build relationships with one another as we learn and grow together. The modules last 3-4 weeks. The next module, Living the Good Life, starts **Tuesday, March 19**. We meet from 7-8:30pm. If interested, please ask one of the pastors.



JOIN US!

Tues., March 19

7:00—8:30pm

Update! *Joining Jesus on His Mission*

We have 30 groups meeting weekly with just under 200 people attending. We also have a Facebook group of 24 people who connect weekly online to share their reactions. This is a GREAT way to use social media! The early comments are very positive. Praise God! You can still join a group—speak with one of the pastors.

Altar Flowers This Week

Presented by **Carolyn Cron** in honor of her Trinity Family, for the abundant blessings received through them and the endless opportunities to serve the Lord at Trinity and in the community.

Prayer for the Week

Praise God—The 6pm Sunday Community Meal is back! This will be the first dinner for the community served AT Trinity since last June. We welcome all our friends back along with Bible study at 4:30 and worship at 6:45. May God be praised as we bring this ministry home again. Now what? We need *lots* of volunteer teams to serve meals. Contact John Krug, Ashley Prewitt or Ricki LeGendre for more information.

Special Gift Given

In memory of **Ginny Kinsey** for Trinity Work Program from Diana Smith

'Fight with Ferg' Fundraiser

March 23 / Join us as we stand with Marc Ferguson who is battling pancreatic cancer / Mostaccioli Dinner held in the Trinity Gym beginning at 6pm / Great food, music trivia, basket raffles and more! For tickets, contact Denise (734-497-3347) or the Church Office.

Alzheimer's Support Group

Thurs., March 28 / 6pm in the Garden Room / Meets monthly on the 4th Thursday at 6pm

~ Prayer & Praise Requests ~

ADD TO YOUR MONTHLY LIST:

- Sue Gruber—facing surgery; John Krug-hospitalized
- Sympathy—Mary Harrington at the loss of her brother

PRAYER CHAIN For urgent requests, start our Prayer Chain by calling:

- Sherry (242-4756) or Judy (242-8647)

A complete prayer list for MARCH is available at the Information Centers.

AT INFORMATION CENTERS

- **Excel in Giving** brochures
- **Lenten Book Read Schedule**
- **MARCH-APRIL NEWSLETTER**
March Calendar, Birthdays, Prayer List
- **Electronic Giving – Forms & Cards**

Worship Attendance

3/6	Ash Wed Services Total	-	131
3/9	Sat - 6:00 pm	102	
3/10	Sun - 8:30am	11am	6:45pm
	59	176	~ 337

Financial Information

Weekly Offering Goal	\$ 16,000
Offering for 3/6 - 3/10	\$ 14,080

OFFICE HOURS

- **School Office**
Mon-Fri / 7:30am – 4pm. *Closed 11:30am—Noon for lunch*
- **Church Office**
Mon-Thurs / 8am – Noon & 1– 4pm; Fri / 8am – Noon
- **Finance Office**
Mon – Thurs / 10am – 3pm

SERMON NOTES

How Far Will a Father's Love Go?

Luke 15:11-32

- How does a father look at his adult children differently than others?
- How does a father look past the failures/ mistakes of his children?
- Why is it so amazing that God is able to look at me and see his perfect child?

*I fall to my knees before
You, Father.
Thank you!*

Trinity Cemetery Clean-Up

March 30 / Please remove grave blankets and other items to be saved by this date

Walsh Benefit

April 7 / 12:30-2pm at St Paul's Lutheran, Flint, MI / Help Pastor Jeff and JoAnne Walsh with medical expenses / If you can't attend, donations can be sent / Call (810) 239 - 6200

Concert at IHM Chapel

March 24 / 3pm concert featuring former students / Free-will offering taken

Pastor's Thoughts for the Day

Pastor's notes will coincide with our 'Read the Bible this Year' program. Pick up a new card for each month and join us—it's never too late to start!

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