

Transfiguration of Our Lord
Saturday, February 26, 2022 – Traditional Service with Communion

**“This is
my Son,
my Chosen;**

LISTEN TO HIM!”

LUKE 9:35, NRSV

WELCOME TO ALL

Welcome to worship at Trinity Lutheran Church! We are glad you are here. We are delighted to gather as one people in the name of the risen Lord Jesus, in whose power over disease and death we take hope.

Please use this bulletin to participate in the liturgy and take it with you when the service is ended.

Currently, we recommend all those attending worship wear a mask, regardless of vaccination status, for your safety and the safety of others.

Thank you for your cooperation.

We track attendance for communion. If you plan to commune, you're invited to register yourself beforehand on our website (trinitylutheranchambersburg.org), by calling the church office (717-263-8156), or ushers can register you when you arrive.

Bathrooms are located down the hall from the side entrance to the sanctuary.

Children are always welcome during worship, but if desired, there is a nursery in room 107 available for children ages birth to school age.

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Witnesses to the glory of God in the face of Jesus reflect that glory in the world.

It was true for Moses. It was doubtless true for Peter, James, and John.

We pray that it will be true of all of us who see God's glory in the word and in the supper and who are being "transformed into the same image" by God's Spirit.

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

TEMPLE TALK

Congregation responds in bold print.

Please respect the silence of those around you preparing for worship.

PRELUDE

“God of Grace and God of Glory”

John Hughes

Please stand as you are able.

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,
who creates us,
redeems us,
and calls us by name.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Most Merciful God,
**we confess that we have sinned against you
and your beloved children.
We have turned our faces away from your glory
when it did not appear as we expected.
We have rejected your word
when it made us confront ourselves.
We have failed to show hospitality
to those you called us to welcome.
Accept our repentance for the things we have done
and the things we have left undone.
For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us.
Forgive us and lead us, that we may bathe
in the glory of your Son born among us,
and reflect your love for all creation.
Amen.**

Rejoice in this good news:
In † Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven.
You are descendants of the Most High,
adopted into the household of Christ,
and inheritors of eternal life.
Live as freed and forgiven children of God.
Amen.

OPENING HYMN

"How Good Lord, To Be Here!"

ELW 315

1 How good, Lord, to be here! Your glo - ry fills the night;
2 How good, Lord, to be here, your beau - ty to be - hold
5 How good, Lord, to be here! Yet we may not re - main;

your face and gar - ments, like the sun, shine with un - bor - rowed light.
where Mo - ses and E - li - jah stand, your mes - sen - gers of old.
but since you bid us leave the mount, come with us to the plain.

APOSTOLIC GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

**Holy God, mighty and immortal,
you are beyond our knowing,
yet we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ.
Transform us into the likeness of your Son,
who renewed our humanity
so that we may share in his divinity,
Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.
Amen.**

Please be seated.

WORD

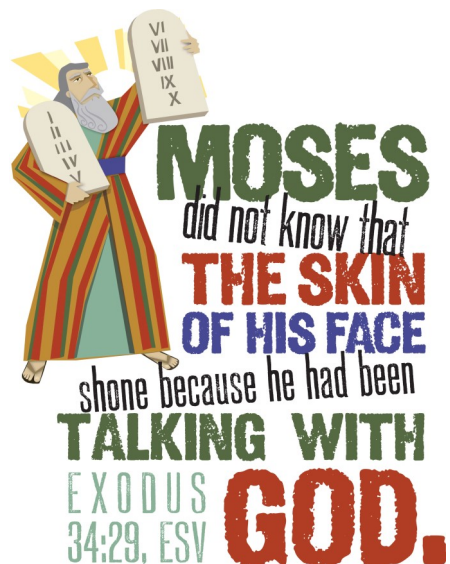
FIRST READING

Exodus 34:29-35

*Moses' face shone with the reflected glory of God
after he received the Ten Commandments on Mount Sinai.
The sight caused the Israelites to be afraid,
so Moses wore a veil to mask the radiance of God's glory,
taking it off when he spoke directly with God.*

²⁹Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. ³⁰When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. ³¹But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. ³²Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the Lord had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. ³³When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; ³⁴but whenever Moses went in before the Lord to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, ³⁵the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

Word of God. Word of Life.
Thanks be to God!



PSALMODY

Psalm 99

Proclaim the greatness of the Lord; worship upon God's holy hill. (Ps. 99:9)

¹The LORD is king; let the people tremble.

The LORD is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth shake.

²**The LORD, great in Zion,
is high above all peoples.**

³Let them confess God's name, which is great and awesome;
God is the Holy One.

⁴**O mighty king, lover of justice, you have established equity;
you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.**

⁵Proclaim the greatness of the LORD and fall down before
God's footstool; God is the Holy One.

⁶**Moses and Aaron among your priests, and Samuel
among those who call upon your name, O LORD,
they called upon you, and you answered them,**

⁷you spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud;
they kept your testimonies and the decree that you gave them.

⁸**O LORD our God, you answered them indeed;
you were a God who forgave them,
yet punished them for their evil deeds.**

⁹Proclaim the greatness of the LORD and worship upon God's holy hill;
for the LORD our God is the Holy One.

H  **L** **Y**
is he!
Psalm 99:3

SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 3:12--4:2

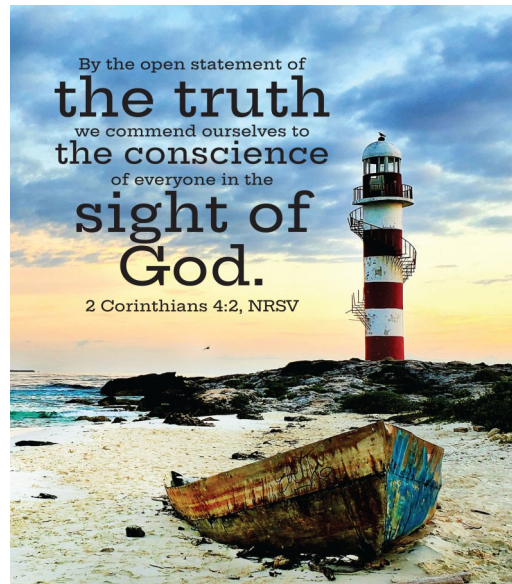
*In his debates with the Corinthians,
Paul contrasts the glory of Moses with the glory of Christ.
The Israelites could not see Moses' face because of the veil.
But in Christ we see the unveiled glory of God
and are transformed into Christ's likeness.*

¹²Since, then, we have such a hope, we act with great boldness, ¹³not like Moses, who put a veil over his face to keep the people of Israel from gazing at the end of the glory that was being set aside. ¹⁴But their minds were hardened. Indeed, to this very day, when they hear the reading of the old covenant, that same veil is still there, since only in Christ is it set aside. ¹⁵Indeed, to this very day whenever Moses is read, a veil lies over their minds; ¹⁶but when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. ¹⁷Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. ¹⁸And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit.

^{4:1} Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. ²We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practice cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

Word of God. Word of Life.
Thanks be to God!

Please stand as you are able.



GOSPEL

Luke 9:28-43a

Jesus' teaching of God's word has begun to draw great crowds. For Simon, James, and John, Jesus' teaching inspires hospitality, then obedience, and then risk. After Jesus' creative power is revealed, fear and amazement leads these three fishermen to leave everything behind to become apostles.

The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the 9th chapter.
Glory to you, O Lord.

²⁸Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. ²⁹And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. ³⁰Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. ³¹They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. ³²Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. ³³Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah"—not knowing what he said. ³⁴While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. ³⁵Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!" ³⁶When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

³⁷On the next day, when they had come down from the mountain, a great crowd met him. ³⁸Just then a man from the crowd shouted, "Teacher, I beg you to look at my son; he is my only child. ³⁹Suddenly a spirit seizes him, and all at once he shrieks. It convulses him until he foams at the mouth; it mauls him and will scarcely leave him. ⁴⁰I begged your disciples to cast it out, but they could not." ⁴¹Jesus answered, "You faithless and perverse generation, how much longer must I be with you and bear with you? Bring your son here." ⁴²While he was coming, the demon dashed him to the ground in convulsions. But Jesus rebuked the unclean spirit, healed the boy, and gave him back to his father. ⁴³aAnd all were astounded at the greatness of God.

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

SERMON

“Were You There?”

Pastor Herb

Please stand as you are able.

APOSTLES' CREED

With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Names of family & friends in prayer found on page 15.

A brief silence

Response following each petition:

L: God of Grace,

R: hear our prayer.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you!

OFFERING

*Thank you for your generous and faithful support during these extraordinary times.
Out of an abundance of caution, we are not currently passing the collection plates.*

*Instead, you may place your offerings in the plates provided
by the door as you enter or exit worship.*

If you prefer, Trinity offers 5 other ways to give as well:

Text, Mail, Mobile, Automatic Transfer, & Online. Contact the church office for details.

MEAL

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

Please be seated.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Come to God's table.
There is a place for you and enough for all.
Thanks be to God.



COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION INFORMATION

All baptized followers of Christ are welcome at the Lord's Table.

Communicants are ushered forward row-by-row.

Collect an empty cup as you near the front of the sanctuary and proceed forward.

Please open your hand and the pastor will place the bread in your hand.

Once you have eaten the bread, the communion assistant will offer you a cup of wine.

Please take the cup of wine from the tray.

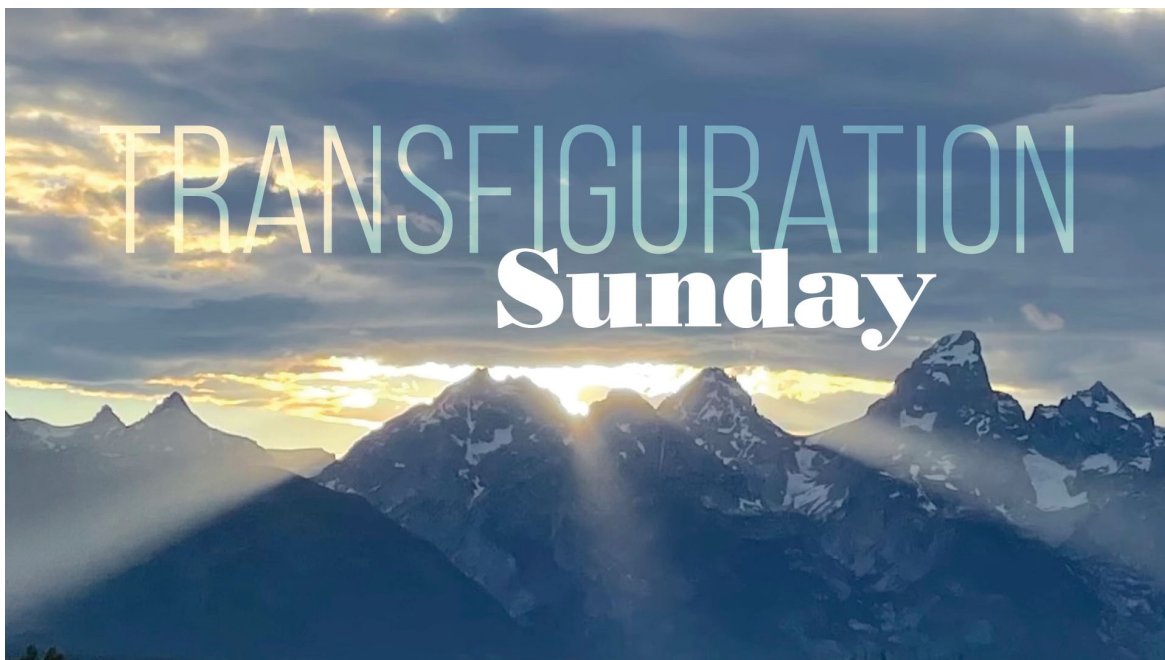
After drinking the wine, you may return to your seat along the side aisle.

If you prefer, grape juice is available which you may request from the communion assistant.

COMMUNION BLESSING

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

THE BENEDICTION



CLOSING HYMN

“Alleluia, Song of Gladness”

ELW 318



1 Al - le - lu - ia, song of glad - ness, voice of joy that can - not die;
 2 Al - le - lu - ia you are sound - ing, true Je - ru - sa - lem and free;
 3 Al - le - lu - ia can - not al - ways be our song while here be - low;
 4 In our hymns we pray with long - ing: Grant us, bless - ed Trin - i - ty,



al - le - lu - ia is the an - them ev - er dear to choirs on high;
 al - le - lu - ia, joy - ful moth - er, bring us to your ju - bi - lee;
 al - le - lu - ia our trans - gres - sions make us for a while for - go;
 at the last to keep glad Eas - ter with the faith - ful saints on high;



in the house of God a - bid - ing thus they sing e - ter - nal - ly.
 here by Bab - y - lon's sad wa - ters mourn - ing ex - iles still are we.
 for the sol - emn time is com - ing when our tears for sin shall flow.
 there to you for - ev - er sing - ing al - le - lu - ia joy - ful - ly.



SENDING

DISMISSAL

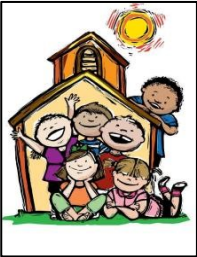
Go with Christ into a weary world.
Share the good news.
Thanks be to God.

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WORSHIP ASSISTANTS	
<i>Preacher/Presider</i>	<i>Pastor Herb</i>
<i>Musician</i>	<i>Gloria McCauley</i>
	<i>4 PM</i>
<i>Communion Asst./ Communion Prep</i>	<i>Ed Wlazlowski Helen Wlazlowski</i>

LAST WEEKS ATTENDANCE:	
<i>Saturday, February 19, 2022</i>	<i>7</i>
<i>Sunday, February 20, 2022</i>	<i>70</i>
Online Worship Service Views:	272

*Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God
designed by Phil Lobaugh.*



*The children's bulletins are given to the Glory of God
and in honor of Trinity's Children
By Barb Montgomery.*

SUNDAY
SCHOOL
teachers

MAKE A DIFFERENCE

SUBSTITUTE
Sunday School
TEACHERS NEEDED

If you are interested or would like to shadow one of the teachers, contact the church office @ 717-263-8156

IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS



We Pray For

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Judy Wrights	Dottie Fochtman	Curt Stambaugh
Pastor M. David Kiel	Charlie Snyder	Ron Portner
Deb Hutsler	Jeff Vanderbush	Cheryl Kelly
Family & friends of Joanne Bowman	Michele Phillips	Ayano Sakai
Amy Ross	Susie Glick	Larry Royce
Caleb Stropas	Dale Rucker	Cameron
Tiffany Welch	Pat Spare	Jim Cistone
Cindy Guldin	Denny Varner	

MEMBERS

Travis, Janelle, Brooklyn, & Isabella Barkman	Helen Barnes	James, Regina, Frank, Thomas, Michael, David, & May Elizabeth Barra	Benjamin Barrows
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*****Names may be added / removed by calling the church office.***

*****Names will normally be removed after 4 weeks.***

WE NEED YOU!



WORSHIP ASSISTANTS NEEDED

Communion Prep & Greeters are needed for the Worship Services. If you are able to help please contact Kathy or the church office.

Next week's Lessons:

- Deut. 26:1-11
- Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16
- Romans 10:8b-13
- Luke 4:1-13



TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS



CAMP INFORMATIONAL PRESENTATION

*Sunday, March 6, 2022
9:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Social Hall @ Trinity*

Michael Youse from Lutheran Camping Corporation will be at Trinity to share information on summer camping opportunities. Parents, children, and youth are invited to the Social Hall that morning to hear his presentation. Camping is a great opportunity to grow our faith. Please consider participating.



ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE
March 2, 2022 - 7 PM



Spring Fling Giveaway

May 14, 2022 @ First Lutheran

Needed: Washed Spring & Summer clothing, shoes for all ages, bedding, towels, children's books and adult devotionals.

Also Accepted: Washed winter coats for all ages

Drop off: At Trinity and / or First Lutheran by their Church Office

Goal: To provide needed items and share God's love.

Please ask family,
friends and neighbors for donations.

PERSONAL CARE KITS

Include the following items in each Personal Care Kit:

- 1 light-weight bath-size towel
 - Between 20"x40" & 52"x27"
- 2 bath-size soap bars
 - 8-9 oz. any brand
- 1 adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging
- 1 sturdy comb, remove packaging
- 1 metal nail clippers, remove packaging
- Wrap all the items in the towel and tie securely with ribbons or yarn

For more info please visit:

<https://lwr.org/kits/personal-care-kits/instructions>

GREATLY NEEDED

A Lenten Appeal

LWR has asked congregations to donate Personal Care Kits as there is a great need for them.

During this Lenten Season, could you help? If you wish the Service/Witness team can supply the metal nail clippers.

Care Kits needed by the end of the Easter week.

If you would rather donate money towards this need, please put on the memo line of your check for "Personal Care Kits".

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS



**JOIN US FOR....
Adventure, Activities,
And much more!**

Boy & Girl Troops 135

Ages 11-18

Cub Scout Pack 135

Ages 5-10

Meeting times & contact info:

Boy Troop – Mondays at 7:00 p.m.
Scott Longstreth – 717-658-0864
Girl Troop – Fridays at 8:00 p.m.
Dale Geesaman – 717-377-0618
Cub Pack – Fridays at 6:30 p.m.
Julie Pepo – 717-809-6242

**Be a
Sponsor**

SPONSORS NEEDED

*Sign-up on
bulletin board in hallway
or call the church office.*

Altar Flowers	\$40+
Children's Bulletins	\$3
Bulletins	\$25



Soup and Vegetable Cans Continually Needed

**10 ¾ oz. soup,
14.5 oz. vegetable,
and 15 oz. fruit cans**

are need for daffodil arrangements.

Each year the third week in March
(this year March 17 & 18) the Service Ministry
Team makes and gives the arrangements to Meals
on Wheels for delivery to the meal recipients.
Please place clean cans in the church office.

Thank you.

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS



Trinity will be partnering together with churches to provide midweek Community Lenten Services. All are welcome! Spread the word!

Wednesdays @ 7 PM

Following worship, you are invited to a time of fellowship where beverages will be served.

LARC (Lutheran, Anglican (Episcopalian), and Roman Catholic) Midweek Lenten Worship Services Schedule

"Journey with Jesus to Jerusalem"

Date	Location	Theme	Speaker
March 9	Trinity Lutheran	Jesus Heals A Paralytic <i>Luke 5:17-26</i>	Father Andrew St. Hilaire
March 16	Corpus Christi	Jesus Heals A Centurion's Servant <i>Luke 7:1-10</i>	Pastor Herbert Spomer
March 23	First Lutheran	A Sinful Woman Forgiven <i>Luke 7:36-50</i>	Mother Patricia Dickson
March 30	Corpus Christi	The Parable Of The Good Samaritan <i>Luke 10:25-37</i>	Pastor Jane Nicholson
April 6	First Lutheran	Jesus and Zacchaeus <i>Luke 19:1-10</i>	Father Allan Wolfe

Pastor Charles Kampmeyer's

LENTEN BIBLE STUDY

Mondays @ 1 PM in The Parlor
First Lutheran - 43 West Washington Street
Please register by calling: 717-264-2015

This is time to reflect on God's word as we are inspired God's living word and Christ's preaching and teaching. We will discuss the Gospel reading for the upcoming Sunday.

February 28	Luke 4:1-13	The Temptation of Christ
March 7	Luke 13:31-36	Pharisees Warn Jesus about Herod
March 14	Luke 13:1-9	Report about Herod Murdering Galileans, Parable of the Barren Fig Tree
March 21	Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32	The Prodigal Son
March 28	John 12:1-8	Mary of Bethany Anoints Jesus
April 4	Luke 19:28-40	Jesus Triumphant Entry into Jerusalem

THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

Today - 02/27	9:00 AM	Sunday School for all Ages - Library
	9:00 AM	Confirmation Class- Cloud 9
	9:00 AM	Scripture & Coffee - Lounge
	10:00 AM	Worship - Sanctuary <i>Transfiguration of Our Lord</i>
Monday - 02/28	6:30 PM	Bible & Brew - Lounge & via Zoom
	7 - 9 PM	Boy Troop - Scout Room
Tuesday - 03/01	10-11:30 AM	Tuesday Morning Bible Study - Lounge
	11:30 AM	Worship Committee - Lounge
	7 PM	Property Committee - Lounge & Zoom
Wednesday - 03/02	9:30 AM	Franklin County PASR - Social Hall
	5:30 PM	Yoga - Social Hall
	7:00 PM	Ash Wednesday Worship - Sanctuary
Thursday - 03/03	6:30-8:30 PM	Girl Scouts - Cloud 9/Scout Room
	7:00 PM	GriefShare - Lounge
Friday - 03/04	6 - 8 PM	Cub Scouts - Cloud 9
	8 - 10 PM	Girl Troop - Cloud 9
Saturday - 03/05	4:00 PM	Worship - Sanctuary
Sunday - 03/06	9:00 AM	Sunday School for all Ages - Library
	9:00 AM	Confirmation Class- Cloud 9
	9:00 AM	Scripture & Coffee - Lounge
	10:00 AM	Worship - Sanctuary <i>1st Sunday of Lent</i>

STEWARDSHIP SNIPPETS

2 Corinthians 3:17 –Now the Lord is the Spirit,
and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.

*God's path is all about freedom. Steward/disciples find that freedom
when we love God with all our being and our neighbor as ourselves!
Our faith aligns us with God's abundance and power. Freedom!*

OFFERING

Budgeted amount needed: \$8,072.12 2/13 & 02/20 Offering: \$12,393.26
Thank You!





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TRINITY STAFF TO SERVE YOU

Interim Senior Pastor	<i>The Rev. M. David Kiel</i>
Visitation Pastor	<i>The Rev. Ruth Smith</i>
Director of Music Ministries	<i>Robert Eyer, Jr.</i>
Office Manager	<i>Christie Brown</i>
Secretary	<i>Anne Crawford</i>
Sexton	<i>Elaine Hess-Strite</i>
Treasurer	<i>Dennis Alleman</i>
Financial Secretary	<i>Sage Brown</i>
Livestream Coordinator	<i>Jason Brown</i>

Vision

"Growing in God"

Mission Statement

*"Seed - Planting and Growing in our Faith
Sow - Sharing the word of God with our community
Steward - Giving to all the love of God
Service - Showing the love of God with our community"*