

Trinity Tidings

Faith, Family, Friendship

March 2025 Newsletter



Worship at 10:30AM

We now offer three options for worship on Sundays:

1. Worship at church in the sanctuary.
2. Worship at church using the drive-in option(100.1)
3. Worship at home.



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Lent in the Lutheran Church

Lent, a significant period in the liturgical calendar of the Lutheran Church, is a time of solemn reflection, repentance, and preparation for the celebration of Easter. This solemn and introspective season usually begins on Ash Wednesday and lasts for forty days, excluding Sundays, leading up to Easter Sunday.

During Lent, Lutherans engage in various practices and traditions that aim to deepen their faith and draw them closer to God. One common practice is fasting, which involves abstaining from certain types of food or activities as a way of focusing on spiritual growth and self-discipline. Fasting can take different forms, such as giving up a favorite food, technology, or participating in a specific activity.

In addition to fasting, prayer is a vital component of Lent in the Lutheran Church. Believers make a dedicated effort to spend more time in prayer, seeking God's guidance, forgiveness, and strength. This intentional communication with God allows individuals to connect with their Creator on a deeper level and cultivate a closer relationship with Him.

Another essential aspect of Lent in the Lutheran Church is almsgiving or acts of charity. Lutherans are encouraged to be generous and selfless during this season by giving to those in need. This can be done through donations, volunteering, or other acts of kindness that demonstrate love and compassion for others.

Overall, the purpose of Lent in the Lutheran Church is to spiritually prepare and cleanse one's heart, mind, and soul. By participating in fasting, prayer, and acts of charity, Lutherans not only identify with the sufferings of Christ but also strive to become more faithful disciples. Through this intentional period of self-reflection and devotion, believers are better equipped to fully experience the joy and significance of Easter, celebrating the resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Let us embrace this opportunity to draw nearer to God, to seek forgiveness, and to renew our commitment to living as disciples of Christ. May this Lenten season be a time of profound spiritual awakening and abundant blessings for all who partake in its practices.

From: Western Church.net

Church Happenings

COUNCIL MEETING:

April 27, after church service.

T.W.I.G.

The Ladies Luncheon will be March 31 at 12:00. "A Day in the Country" restaurant in Hendersonville.

M.U.G.S.

Men's breakfast will meet in March 28, at the Mills River Diner at 9:00 AM

IMPORTANT DATES:

March 4th is Shrove Tuesday. Pancakes at Crackle Barrel in East Flat Rock at 6:00 PM

March 5th ASH Wednesday service at 6:00 PM

March 9th Daylight Savings Time. Spring forward on your clocks.

March 12, 19, 26, April 2, and the 9th, look for messages from Pastor Jennifer via email about LENT.

March 31st Council Members installed

April 6th Installation of Jennifer Duran as Pastor. Time: 4:00PM

April 13th Palm Sunday

April 17th Maundy Thursday, service at 6:00 PM

April 18th Good Friday, service at 6:00 PM

April 20th Easter Sunday service at 10:30 AM



Tore's Home

Please remember the residents of Tore's Home during this with a card or note. We are making a difference in their lives!

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Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ (LCMC)

Church Council Members:
President: Jennifer Duran
Vice President: Michele Snyder
Secretary: Yvonne Forsyth
Treasurer: Larry Snyder
Janis Henderson and
Don Arthur

Next Council Meeting: Sunday,
April 27 @ 11:30 AM

I said a prayer for you today....



Resident Tore's Home, Tom, Darrell, Tommy, Cathy, Ed, Bill, Gary, Brandon, Savannah, Corbin, Shelly, Jay, Arlene, Dave, Trish, Mike

Our Call Committee
Police Officers
First Responders

Health Care Professionals
Military Personnel
Fire & Rescue Workers

Lord of Grace, we pray for all those who are sick in body, mind, or spirit. We pray especially for those on the prayer list of our Congregation, and for all those we name before you now. In your loving kindness meet their needs, we pray. HEAR US, O LORD...

Prayer Warrior Team



Who Can You Call On For HELP?

Trinity has a team of Prayer Warriors that will intercede on your behalf to lift physical or spiritual needs to God. When things seem the darkest or most urgent, we are here to help. "We can do all things through Christ who strengthens us." (Philippians 4:13)

We're Searching for Volunteers



We have a convenient option for online giving on our church's website. It is an easy way to make financial contributions to Trinity Lutheran Church. If you would like to use this new option to donate to church, please go to the church website at <https://www.trinitylutherannc.org/donate>. There is no cost to you or the church for using this service. Donations can also be mailed to the church at P.O. Box 497, East Flat Rock, NC 28726. Tithes & Offerings.

Birthdays and Anniversaries:

March Birthday's: March Greenauer (20)

March Anniversaries: None

