

Activities and Opportunities

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Welcome to worship at Trinity, a place of love, grace, and belonging where all, without exception, are loved, honored, valued, affirmed, welcomed, and celebrated. If you are new to Trinity, we are thrilled to have you here. If you would like to know more about this congregation and our ministry please share your contact information with us by filling out a Connection Card which can be obtained from the pew racks or baskets. Thank you for your presence among us.

Pastor Crowell is away today.

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Contributions. Trinity is grateful for all the prayers, contributions, and displays of support from members, friends, and guests. Financial contributions can be placed in the offering plates during worship, mailed to the church, or given electronically by going to our website trinitylutheran.ws by scanning the QR code, or texting TLCGIVE to 73256.



Worship Bags are available in the Narthex or Gym for children to use and enjoy during the Service. After worship, used bags may be placed in the baskets next to the stands.

Children's Worship Opportunity. Accompanied by Child Protection trained adults, all children are invited to leave the worship space after the children's sermon to go to either the Assembly Room (located underneath the Sanctuary) or to the Multipurpose Room (located in the Activities Building) depending on the location of worship to enjoy a story related to the scripture texts, games, interactive activities, and a craft before returning to the worship space during the Sharing of the Peace and in time to participate in the congregation's celebration of Holy Communion

Out to Lunch Bunch is open to all Trinity adults who want to enjoy fellowship and eat lunch together after worship once a month. The group will meet today, April 21 following worship at *Moe's Barbecue*, 1009 West Stone Avenue, Greenville. Please speak to Amy Brown this morning if you would like to attend.

Foundations of Lutheran Theology. Are you new to being Lutheran? Or maybe you'd enjoy a reminder about the pillars of Lutheran theology? Please join Patrick Preacher and Pastor Crowell for a time of learning and discussion around the Lutheran beliefs on Baptism, Holy Communion, and the Theology of the Cross. The event will include a tour of the Sanctuary, highlighting the many symbols of our faith that are present in that worship space. Two times are being offered to accommodate the needs of those interested: Wednesday, April 24 from 10:00 am to 11:45 am in the Assembly Room or 6:15 pm to 8:00 pm in the Assembly Room. To register please contact Patrick Preacher at pdpreacher@trinitylutheran.ws or Pastor Crowell at sjcrowell@trinitylutheran.ws.

Trinity Youth will meet today in the Youth Room from 5:30 - 7:00 pm for the monthly event to prepare for the ELCA Youth Gathering in July. All youth are invited to attend. These monthly events are center around the Youth Gathering theme, *Created to Be*, and will provide the opportunity for all youth to build relationships and grow in their faith. The event will include dinner, lessons, and activities.

History Reading Group. Please join the Trinity Lutheran Church History Reading Group to discuss selected topics based on historical nonfiction books. The group will meet today, April 21 at 3:00 pm in Rooms 12 and 13. The group will discuss *Thirteen Days: A Memoir of the Cuban Missile Crisis* by Robert Kennedy. Contact David Hill at jdhillnc50@gmail.com or (704) 307-0520 or Don Todd at dk todd47@gmail.com or (803) 517-8129 for more information. Video link <https://meet.google.com/euq-oeab-frk>

Trinity Youth Event (grades 6-12) next Sunday, April 28. Following worship the group will gather for a picnic lunch, putt-putt, and outdoor activities. Youth will meet in the Youth Room to walk to McPherson Park. Pick-up will be at 1:30 pm in the parking lot by the red canopy door. Parents may contact Angie McCormack to sign up to assist with lunch.

Bingo Night. The Parish Life Committee will host Trinity's intergenerational Bingo Night on Friday, April 26, from 6:30 to 8:15 pm in the Multipurpose Room. Pizza, salad, and drinks are provided. Those attending are asked to bring a small prize for the prize buffet. Please register through the Church Office by Wednesday, April 24 .

The Greenville Literacy Association is sponsoring the *Really Good, Really Big, Really Cheap Book Sale*. Book collection will continue through the month of June. The collection box is located in the Breezeway. You may also take your books to the GLA location at McAlister Square. For more information, go to the GLA website at greenvilleliteracy.org.

April Worship Schedule

April 21

Worship at 10:00 am in the Sanctuary
Refreshments and fellowship to follow on the front lawn

April 28

Worship at 10:00 am in the Gym
Refreshments and fellowship to follow in the back corner of the Gym