

The Epistle

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-Our Mission Statement-

Trinity Lutheran Church is a place to gather, refresh the faithful, and reach out with word and service to all others through the Holy Gospel

March 2023



Dear Friends in Christ,

This Epistle will be posted/printed around Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the church season of Lent. There are two threads that you can trace through Lent at Trinity this year. The first is the Sunday morning readings, which all tell us something about this God we trust and follow. Taking a cue from the early church, which used Lent as a time for baptismal preparation, Sunday worship and the sermons will hopefully help us consider what it means to “walk wet,” as Dan Erlander writes, to live as baptized children of God in the world today. What good news and what instruction can be found in the old, old stories of Jesus in the wilderness, God’s covenant with Abraham and Sarah, Jesus and the Samaritan Woman at the well, Jesus healing the man blind from birth, and the Dry Bones? Another, surely related, thread this Lent will be woven through our Midweek Night Prayer, sometimes called Compline, services. Each Wednesday in Lent we will remember and celebrate saints the church recognizes, people who have followed Jesus faithfully and whose lives can both instruct and inspire us. You will be familiar with a few of these individuals, people like Harriet Tubman, Patrick, and Jesus’ father Joseph, but others will likely be new: George Herbert, Perpetua, Hans Nielsen Hauge. If even reading this piques your interest, be sure to check out the faith formation playlist on our website (nampatrinity.org) for more. Lent is a time to go just a little deeper in the life of faith—deeper in prayer, reading scripture, serving our neighbors, and pondering what it means to faithfully follow Jesus. Blessed Lent everyone!

Pastor Meggan



February’s Noisy Offering on Sunday, February 26th will be for *Trinity Community Gardens*. Trinity Community Gardens is managed by Paulette Blaseg at the Middleton and

Trinity Garden sites along with volunteers. They are in charge of planning, planting, weeding, fertilizing & harvesting as well as delivering to sites in Ada and Canyon County.



March’s Noisy Offering on Sunday, March 26th will be for pet food for the West Valley Animal Shelter. West Valley Humane Society serves Canyon County, Idaho with a holistic array of services to

people and animals that include: safe and secure temporary housing, medical care, food and nutritional support, enrichment, exercise and behavioral modification for strayed, lost and homeless pets.



Midweek Lent: *Sing with All the Saints in Glory* will be our midweek Lent series and we will worship using *Night Prayer*, sometimes known as *Compline* at 7pm.

At 6:15pm we will have simple meals in the fellowship hall: March 1-Soup and Bread, March 8-Ethnic Food (interpret however you wish), March 15-Soup and Bread, March 22-Salads, and March 29-Soup and Bread. **Sign up in narthex.**

Mar. 1 George Herbert; John & Charles Wesley

Mar. 8 Perpetua & Felicity;

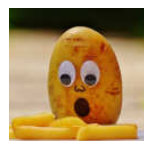
Harriet Tubman & Sojourner Truth

Mar. 15 Gregory the Great and Patrick

Mar. 22 Joseph; Oscar Romero

Mar. 29 Hans Nielsen Hauge;

John Donne



The March Food Pantry Item is potato products in honor of St. Patrick. Items like canned potatoes, instant potatoes, or a beef stew with potatoes in it are recommended. If they are instant we

request they do not require milk as part of the preparation.- Church and Community



Monday Morning Study- 10:00 a.m.

A deep dive into Matthew’s Gospel.

Anyone can join any time.

OFFICERS/COMMITTEE LIAISONS- 2023

President

Jerry Armbrust (23) (23 as President)

Vice-President

Carl Radke (23) (23 as VP)

Secretary

Dean Metzger (24)

Treasurer and Accounts Payable Coordinator

Karissa Armbrust (renewable)

Financial Secretary

Kristina Radke (renewable)

Council Team Assignments

Christian Education/Youth: Sierra Armbrust (25)

Church in Community: Dean Metzger (24),

Kirsten Floyd (25)

Communication: Sandy Blom (23), Gary Jantzen (25)

Gospel and Growth: David Sheriff (24),

Sierra Armbrust (25)

Hospitality: Edith Hannett (24)

Property: Jerry Armbrust (23), Gary Jantzen (25)

Stewardship: Dean Metzger (24)

Trinity New Hope: Carl Radke (23)

Worship & Music: Kirsten Floyd (25)

Mutual Ministry: Carl Radke (23)

Congregational Committee Assignments

Audit: Tammy Torrey (24) Tami Robinson (23),

Cathy Winwood (24)

Endowment: Larry Mills (24), Jeff Harker (24),

Edith Hannett (23)

Memorial: Kallie Ziemer (24), Lloyd Kellar (24)

Nominating: Mary Braudrick, Sharon Jones, Carl Radke,

Jerry Armbrust

Mutual Ministry: Carl Radke, Sharon Jones,

Tammy Torrey, Steve Ward

Synod Assembly Voting Members: Jerry & Karissa

Armbrust

Luther Heights Representatives: Janet Metzger &

Cathy Winwood



Women's Luncheon

The **February** Women's Luncheon will be 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, February 28th, at *Olive Garden*. Contact Sandy Cosgrove for more information or to RSVP. (208) 283-5393

The **March** Women's Luncheon will be 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 28th, location has yet to be determined. Contact Mary Braudrick for more information.

Youth Calendar

Mar 12- Confirmation @ Hope

Apr 22- Mini-Retreat at King of Glory

May 20- 5:30 p.m. Dinner @ Trinity for 9th graders and families

May 21- Confirmation Sunday

8th-12th Grade Youth

Mar 26- Lunch and Bible Study noon at pastor's

May 7- Graduate Recognition Sunday



Are you a **terrible** singer? Or an amazing singer? Somewhere in between? Please consider joining us for a

Sacred Harp singing!

Where/When?

Trinity Lutheran Church

8 S. Midland Blvd., Nampa, ID

First Friday of every month, 6-8pm.

What is the Sacred Harp?

The Sacred Harp is a book of four-part, shape-note hymns and anthems, sung *a capella* by diverse communities around the world. All events welcome beginners and newcomers, with no musical experience required or faith presupposed.

For more info, contact Kaysha

Weiss: kayshajoy@gmail.com (208) 869-7015



CROP Walk Liaison for Trinity

Lutheran Church with Canyon

County Cropwalk. See Steve

VanAtter for more information.

Thank You! - We are so grateful to the 45 individuals who turned in **2023 Passions and Gifts** forms. You indicated your willingness to be involved in a variety of Trinity ministries - from ushering and reading the lessons and being sound techs on Sunday morning - to supporting CROP Walk and holiday food baskets and helping with proofreading or the upcoming clean-up day. All these and more are examples of ways YOU make a difference in the lives of others, both within and outside the congregation. We would still like to hear from more of you, so have left copies of the form and the collection box on the table in the church entry.



Statistical Comparison For February

<u>Date</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
1/30/22	38
1/29/23	64
2/6/22	34
2/5/23	41
2/13/22	41
2/12/23	46
2/20/22	43
2/19/23	39
2/27/22	61
2/26/23	(not available at time of printing)



Eternal Candle/Wine/Church Cleaning

If you have signed up for any of these on your

Stewardship Form, Thank you! **Now the next step** is to **sign up on the sign-up sheets** in the hallway and in the Fellowship Hall (for cleaning) and include your payment in the offering (wine and candle are \$15 and church cleaning is \$50.



Congregation Council
Meeting for March
Team Reports for 3/21/23



The **Flower sign-up chart** is on the bulletin board in the long hallway. Bring flowers in memory or honor of someone. Share the bounty of your garden. Beautify the sanctuary.

PASTOR'S REPORT: Pr. Meggan Manlove

Energy: I can point to a lot of happenings right now with good energy: worship servant trainings, Trinity New Hope nominated for a Boise Impact Club award, Trinity's attendance at the Luther Heights Winter Retreat, planning meeting for Tough Conversations ministry initiative, planning for Lent and Holy Week, attendance at Mid-winter Movies, scheduling a Trinity Inquiry Series/New Members.

Cluster/Synod/Camp: We are part of larger bodies. Year-round staffer Brooke Freiheit gave Luther Heights five great years and is moving to the Idaho Community Foundation. Prayers for the Kelly and the board as they discern staffing. Immanuel, Redeemer & Horseshoe Bend, Mountain Home, and Hope are all in the call process. And yet, 25 people attended our January cluster meeting about nominating people for April's synod assembly elections. Retired Pastor Jim Grunow, Retired Pastor Barb Condon, Pastor Connie Winter-Eulberg, and I all continue to offer Zoom series for our entire cluster and other friends. Fifteen people (including three Trinity members) are in my six-week Zoom series about the Enneagram Personality right now.

GOSPEL AND GROWTH: Penelope Smith

Our thanks to all who participated in the spiritual practice of shaping communities, which we did at the Monday MidWinter movies, coffee hour, intergenerational Sunday School, the Women's Luncheon and other gatherings. Four of the six films were shown, with two cancelled due to Covid. We will support the Lenten theme "Sing with All the Saints in Glory", emphasizing those saints and the spiritual practices they are known for. We are planning the Church CampOut for June 23 - 25, including an all-congregation book collection for the Cascade Public Library.

STEWARDSHIP: Penelope Smith

We are grateful to the 45 people who turned in Gifts and Passions volunteer sign-up sheets. Whether it's up-front on Sunday mornings or behind the scenes during the week, you are what makes the ministries of Trinity successful! We hope more forms will be turned in. Volunteering will be one of the themes at the 2/25/2023 Draft Day gathering. Through our work with GSB Consultants, we are examining Trinity's communications, both hard-copy and online, looking to make these more inspiring. Other topics discussed were supporting the church clean-up day, holding a special financial appeal this spring, continued emphasis on telling stories of how involvement with Trinity and its members has impacted our lives for the good, and holding a financial stewardship workshop for youth and their families.

WORSHIP & MUSIC: Pr. Meggan & Kim Mills

Worship and Music and Altar Guild met Jan. 25 to review and plan. We scheduled a Altar Guild and Acolyte Trainings for Sunday, Feb. 12 and an Usher Training for Sunday, Feb. 26. A smaller group met Feb. 8 to fine-tune planning and trainings and discuss our meeting schedule. The next Worship, Music, and Altar Guild meeting will be a potluck after worship April 23.



The **sign-up sheets** for Church Cleaning (east end of the Fellowship Hall), Fellowship Time (in the narthex).



BOOKS - BOOKS - BOOKS - On February 8, 2022, a fire ripped through and completely destroyed the Watkins Pharmacy, the ONLY pharmacy in Cascade Idaho. And

the public library adjacent to the pharmacy incurred severe smoke and water damage. It was closed for months and has struggled to replace all the books that were lost. As a way that we can show our love and serve our neighbors, Gospel and Growth has decided to collect books for the Cascade Public Library and bring them as an offering when we drive through town on our way to the CampOut on June 23rd. The library has very specific needs. The books they want include: travel, cooking, gardening, crafting of all kinds, construction "how to", computer basics and coding, self-help books, menopause, college paths, career paths, and parenting advice. Be looking through your stash of unused books and watch for collection boxes to appear in the narthex after Easter.



Church Campout is just 4 months away. Veterans of this annual event know about the many reasons to attend - amazing food; time in the

outdoors gazing at the campfire or the stars; playing in the water (swimming, splashing, paddleboarding, kayaking); worshiping outdoors; conversations with those who already know and love you (and with those you'd like to know better). If you haven't attended CampOut recently, please think about joining us **June 23 - 25** at the Ward's property in Donnelly. Bring your RV or tent or hammock, rent a room in a nearby motel, stay at your own Valley County home, or drive up for the day on Saturday. Do whatever works for you! There's room for everyone, and we'd love to have you join us. And please let Steve Ward know you plan to attend and the length of your RV so he can create the 2023 map.

Trinity New Hope Wish List

1. Install a tree in front yards of units missing them.
2. Two New (Metal/Rubber) Wrapped Picnic Tables (No wood tables)
3. Two New Outdoor Barbeques
4. One Large Outdoor Trash Can (Park Style)
5. NEW SPRINKLER SYSTEM



St. Patty's Day Potluck Dinner & Game Night

Mark your calendars

When Friday, March 17, 2023
5:30 p.m.

Where Trinity Fellowship Hall

Who Your family (all ages) or come single.

Bring A dish to share and your favorite game

Questions Edith Hannett call (510) 673- 5872

Sign-up sheet in narthex



Estate Planning Workshop March 12th
 After worship with Thrivent
 Representative Todd Kraft



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Having a strategy in place can make things easier for your family after you're gone. At this workshop:

- Explore assets-whether they be financial or physical.
- Understand beneficiaries-family or organizations you care about.
- Gain tools to help put your plans into action

This workshop will be held at Trinity Lutheran Church, 8 S Midland Blvd, Nampa on Sunday, March 12, 2023 at 11:15 a.m. It's hosted by Todd Kraft, CFP, MBA RICP.

No products will be sold.

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Civic Life and Faith - coming in April and May on Zoom.

How are we as Lutheran Christians called to civic engagement, including in the arenas of government and political life? What is the proper relationship of the church with government, and what is not? What does religious liberty actually include? What are our scriptural and confessional resources for probing such questions about civic life? After Easter, April 9, Pastor Meggan Manlove will lead a **six-session Zoom series on "A Study Curriculum on Civic Life and Faith."** Date and time TBD. Please contact her if you would like to learn more or might be interested in participating.

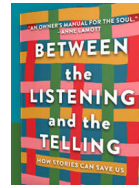
Beware of Scammers



If you receive an email or a text message from "Meggan Manlove", please check its validity. There have been recent incidences again where people are receiving emails but they are not really from Pastor Meggan. They usually ask for you to do something and eventually result in you sending money or purchasing gift cards. If in doubt, contact Pr. Meggan directly.

How Stories Can Save Us

"Now more than ever, we need a book and a teacher such as this."—Anne Lamott, New York Times bestselling author



In an increasingly fast-paced and fractured world, sharing stories can be a radical and deeply human practice for uncovering the ties that bind us to one another. Story invites us to step into the reality of another person's existence and instead of judgment feel kinship. In the pages of *Between the Listening and the Telling*, storyteller, author, and activist Mark Yaconelli leads readers into an enchanting meditation on the power of storytelling in our individual and collective lives. Through his work with The Hearth nonprofit, Yaconelli has served communities across the United States and United Kingdom to bridge divisions, heal trauma, shed light on injustice, and recover hope. In this inspiring and interactive presentation Mark Yaconelli will show how stories can heal our families, our world, ourselves. Join us at **Trinity Lutheran Church, Nampa on Thursday, April 20 from 7-8:30pm** for this free community event.



SPRING CLEANING

Easter is on April 9th this year - and as you think about doing Spring Cleaning at your home, remember

that your church also needs to shed the dirt, dust and dead leaves of winter in preparation for Holy Week and Easter. **Our Church Cleanup Day will be April 1st from 9:00 a.m. to noon-** and know that many of the tasks can be done on YOUR own schedule, before that day, if it's more convenient for you.



The Armbrust Family
 15701 N. Lexham Ave.
 Nampa, ID 83651



Trinity Inquiry Series: Are you feeling comfortable at Trinity but want to learn more about the congregation? Join us for three sessions on Lutheranism, our larger church family, and the congregation at Midland and Lone Star: **after worship 3 Sundays, March 5, 19, and Apr. 2.** Please speak with Pastor Meggan in advance so she can get you resources.

January's Noisy Offering for *Pastor's Emergency Fund* raised \$354.62 Wow, that is AWESOME! Thank you. That will allow Pastor to help others in many ways.- Church in Community.

Thanks to all who donated to *Trinity's Food Pantry* for Super Bowl Sunday! 42 cans and \$42 was collected. And thanks to Abby Zander and Carl for volunteering. Trinity members are sure game changers!- Church in Community.


Trinity Servants For March 2023

δουλος [doulos] is the New Testament Greek word for servant.

	<u>March 5</u>	<u>March 12</u>	<u>March 19</u>	<u>March 26</u>
Assisting Minister	Kevin Mills	Kevin Mills	Karissa Armbrust	Karissa Armbrust
Organist	Karissa Armbrust	Karissa Armbrust	Kaiti Walton	Kaiti Walton
Lector	Giada Armbrust	Jeff Henderson	Amanda Hanson	Tami Robinson
March Lessons	<i>Genesis 12: 1-4a</i> <i>Psalm 121</i> <i>Romans 4: 1-5,13-17</i> <i>John 3: 1-17</i>	<i>Exodus 17: 1-7</i> <i>Psalm 95</i> <i>Romans 5: 1-11</i> <i>John 4: 5-42</i>	<i>1 Samuel 16: 1-13</i> <i>Psalm 23</i> <i>Ephesians 5: 8-14</i> <i>John 9: 1-41</i>	<i>Ezekiel 37: 1-14</i> <i>Psalm 130</i> <i>Romans 8: 6-11</i> <i>John 11:1-45</i>
Acolyte	Abigail Radke	Aldwin Kellar	Karson Hanson	Luke Floyd
Crucifer	Cedar Hilger	Jason Mills	Steve VanAtter	Mwajuma Dusabe
Sound/Streaming	Bryce Quarve & Larry Mills	Bryce Quarve & Elizabeth Schnabel	Andrew Hanson & Sarah Henthorn	Bryce Quarve & Jason Mills
Ushers	Kim Mills & Penelope Smith	Jeff & Nancy Henderson	Carl Radke & Tammy Torrey	Steve & Renee VanAtter
Greeters	The Hanson Family	The Ziemer Family	Ardelle O'Bryan & Sandy Cosgrove	The Hilger/Bentley Family
Church Cleaning	Lisa Ludwig	N/A	TBD	N/A
Altar Guild	Peggy Miller	Lisa Ludwig & Kim Mills	Judy Kellar	Kristina Radke
Fellowship Time	Sandy Cosgrove	Kirsten Floyd	Karissa Armbrust	TBD
Offering Counters	TBD	Edith Hannett & TBD	Dean Metzger & TBD	Edith Hannett & TBD
Flowers/Greens	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD

Eternal Candle: Julie Haugen; **Wine:** Julie Haugen; **Council Devotions:** TBD
Communion Bread: Donna Benoit.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
CALENDAR FOR MONTH OF MARCH 2023**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:15 p.m. Soup Supper 7:00 p.m. Midweek Lenten Service	2 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:30 p.m. Al-Anon	3 Office Closed	4
5 Second Sunday in Lent 9:00 a.m. Intergenerational Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship and Holy Communion 11:00 a.m. Trinity Inquiry Class 11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time 7:00 p.m. Enneagram on Zoom	6 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 10:00 a.m. Monday Morning Study	7 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:30 p.m. Stewardship Team	8 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:15 p.m. Ethnic Potluck 7:00 p.m. Midweek Lenten Service	9 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:30 p.m. Al-Anon	10 Office Closed	11 Set clocks ahead one hour before bedtime 
12 Third Sunday in Lent Daylight Saving Time Begins 9:00 a.m. Intergenerational Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship and Holy Communion 11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time 11:00 a.m. Estate Planning 1:30 p.m. Confirmation @ Hope Lutheran 7:00 p.m. Enneagram on Zoom	13 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 10:00 a.m. Monday Morning Study -----Pastor at-----	14 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. -----Dean's Retreat-----	15 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:15 p.m. Soup Supper 7:00 p.m. Midweek Lenten Service	16 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 2:00 p.m. Gospel & Growth 6:00 p.m. Learning Peace Meeting 6:30 p.m. Al-Anon	17 Office Closed  5:30 p.m. St. Patty's Day Potluck and Game Night at Trinity	18
19 Fourth Sunday in Lent 9:00 a.m. Intergenerational Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship and Holy Communion 11:00 a.m. Trinity Inquiry Class 11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time	20 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. First Day of Spring 9:00 a.m. Epistle Articles Due 10:00 a.m. Monday Morning Study 7:00 p.m. Mutual Ministry	21 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Church Council 	22 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:15 p.m. Salad Supper 7:00 p.m. Midweek Lenten Service	23 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:30 p.m. Al-Anon	24 Office Closed	25
26 Fifth Sunday in Lent 9:00 a.m. Intergenerational Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship and Holy Communion 11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time Noisy Offering Noon Youth @ Pastor's	27 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 10:00 a.m. Monday Morning Study	28 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 11:30 a.m. Women's Luncheon	29 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:15 p.m. Soup Supper 7:00 p.m. Midweek Lenten Service	30 Office 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:30 p.m. Al-Anon 	31 Office Closed	

LET US REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

Janelle Huston (Linda Dombeck's daughter- health concerns), Julie Ward (knee surgery), Chuck Ewing (friend of Julie Haugen- health concerns), Family and friends of Tammy Heimgartner (served Grace Lutheran, Mountain Home and Star Valley, Thayne Wyoming), Gratitude for healing John Klahn's prostate cancer, Brother-in-law of Pat & Donna Benoit (healing and discovering the cause of his illness), Kendrick Marshall (Julie Haugen's nephew- caught in tornado in TX), Lorenna Ellis (for my return from maternity leave to ministry), Peace (from Sharon Jones), Michelle E. (from The Floyd Family- for strength in recovery), Steve Cawood (Julie Ward's boss- medical issues), Peggy Miller (recovering from heart surgery), Darrel Miller (continued healing), Penelope Smith (comfort and healing), Sharon Stanger (from Randy & Martha Miller), Karissa Armbrust, Lauren & Hunt Carpenter (Carl Radke's cousin- for pregnancy without complications), People looking for housing and to pay for it (from Elizabeth Schnabel), Rev. Karen Hunter (priest at Grace Episcopal Church- clots in the brain), Hope's Call Process (from Diane McGeoch), Sharon Jones' niece- alzheimers, Brooke Goodner (friend of Kristina Radke- two brain tumors, surgery 8/15), Don Tiller (Tami Robinson's brother- looking for affordable apartment that allows dogs), Jony (Linda Dombeck's son- health), Kim Edwards (from Sharon Jones), Steve (Fran Webb's brother-in-law- cancer), Maren Greytak (Carl Radke's aunt- battling dementia), Lily Dombeck (Linda Dombeck's daughter-in-law- severe health issues), Monica Perez (friend of Edith Hannett- in need of a kidney), Kathy Stats (Friend of Sarah Henthorn- brain tumor), Cindy Payne in Texas (From Mary Leininger- brain tumor, undergoing chemotherapy), Colton (Fran & Elwood Webb's grandson- brain tumor), Di Seba (cancer treatments).

People in the Armed Services: Ben Rogers (The Vanatters' nephew), Christopher Blohowiak (George & Helen Collins' great-grandson- Army), Brett Collins (grandson of Helen Collins- Marines), John C. Collins II (Helen Collins' grandson- Navy SEAL), Bill MacDonald (Navy).

Those in need of continuing prayer: Lorenna Ellis - Cru Campus Ministry National/Headquarters. John Steele (friend of Karissa Armbrust- cancer).

Palm/Passion Sunday

Palm/Passion Sunday marks the beginning of Holy Week. We rejoice with the crowds as Jesus enters into the city of Jerusalem, waving palms and shouting "Hosanna!" We will then hear the Passion of our Lord according to Matthew.

Maundy Thursday

Maundy Thursday takes its name from the Latin word for "commandment," as we remember when Jesus told his disciples, "A new commandment I give to you: Love one another." We mark the official end of Lent by receiving individual absolution, or forgiveness—the oil marking the cross on our forehead just as the ashes did on Ash Wednesday. We also remember the first Lord's Supper and the washing of the disciples' feet.

Good Friday Service

Good Friday commemorates the day when our Lord gave his life to save us from our sins. It is a very humbling service, as we contemplate the cost that Jesus paid for our redemption. This is the one day out of the church year when it is not appropriate to celebrate Holy Communion. On this day the body of our Lord is broken on the cross—not at the table; and on this day no celebrations are appropriate.

Resurrection of Our Lord

Easter Sunday is the day of the resurrection – a joyous celebration of God's victory over sin and death. We will hear the story of our salvation and have a service of resurrection joy.

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Easter Lilies

We will again provide an opportunity for you to bring Easter lilies for the Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday Morning. Go to your favorite store and purchase the lily of your choice. Then just fill out this form and bring the lily and form to church by Good Friday. If you want to take your lily home, please indicate that with a note on your lily.

Your Name _____

In Memory of (*for those who have died*) _____

In Honor of (*for those still living*) _____



Youth Camps

June 25-30 Youth Camp (1-8 grade)
July 9-14 Youth Camp (7-12 grade)
July 9-21 Leader-in-Training * (9-12 grade)
July 16-21 Youth Camp (1-6 grade)
Camp for grades 1-3 (Explorers) ends on Wednesdays
*Applications for LIT open February 5

Family + Camps

July 1-4 Family + Camp (Whatever family means to you!)
July 1-4 Grand Camp

Getaway Weekends

June 9-11
July 1-4
Rent a cabin for your own adventures!

Retreat Weekends

July 14-16 Women's Wellness (Women 18+)
July 14-16 Hike + Pray (Women 18+)
August 4-6 Fly-Fishing (10+)
August 11-13 Mindfulness in the Mountains (18+)
August 11-13 Grief + Reflection

Service Weekends

May 26-29 Opening Service Weekend
September 29- October 1 Closing Service Weekend

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If you need the Google Campership Form, please call or email Pr. Meggan.

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