

GRACE NOTES

Schedule for April 10, 2016 through April 17, 2016

Today – April 10th

8:30 am *Sunday School and Adult Bible Class*
 10:00 am *Divine Service ~ 3rd Sunday of Easter*

Monday – April 11th

7:00 pm Scouts

Tuesday – April 12th

10:00 am **Mission & Evangelism meeting**
 10:15 am Sing @ Benefis SNC
 11:00 am Bee Hive Homes #2
 2:00 pm **Golden Agers**
 6:30 pm Bell Choir practice

Wednesday – April 13th

9:00 am Wee Disciples Chapel
 9:30 am Ladies Bible Study
 6:00 pm Adult Choir
 6:00 pm Pre-confirmation classes
 7:30 pm *Divine Service*

Thursday – April 14th

9:00 am Quilters @ Peace
 10:00 am Sing @ Park Place
 11:00 am **Hymn Planning meeting**
 7:00 pm Scouts

Friday – April 15th

Church Office Closed
 11:45 am Friday Ladies Bible Class
 No host lunch @
 3-D International Restaurant
 1825 Smelter Ave, Black Eagle

Saturday – April 16th

9:00 am **Mission from the Cross**
workshop @ Trinity
Next Sunday – April 17th
 8:30 am *Sunday School and Adult Bible Class*
 10:00 am *Divine Service ~ 4th Sunday of Easter*

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Celebrating a Birthday This Week

April 10th Trey Mans
 Nevaeh McCurdy
 April 11th Molly Jones
 April 13th Jeannine Eastley
 Amayah Hill
 Colleen Mans
 April 14th Cindy Stene
 April 16th Lidia Neumann
 Gary Vik
 April 17th David Sand

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Celebrating an 80+ Birthday this week
 April 10th *Bill Wegner*

Celebrating an 80+ Baptismal Anniversary this week
 April 10th *Ruth Schwartenberger (82)*

Baptismal Anniversaries

April 10th Janelle Clausen
 Jarrid Clausen
 Kynslie Dear
 Brielyn Ginnaty
 Nevaeh McCurdy
 April 11th Jordan Larsen
 Jill O'Moore
 April 13th Janice Bicsak
 Richerd Hutchinson
 Kayla Kelly
 Emily Neumann
 April 14th Jennifer Eberly
 April 16th Cheri Hansen
 Haley Hansen
 Niklas Hansen

125th Anniversary Theme Hymn

The hymn that was selected for our 125th Anniversary Celebration is:

Hymn 733 – O God, Our Help in Ages Past.

This hymn will be used throughout the yearlong celebration beginning November 13, 2016 and at the final worship and celebration in November 2017

Mark your calendars! Saturday, July 9th is Trinity's One Day All Day Family VBS!

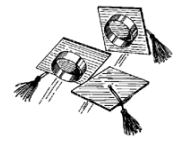
Looking for Mission newsletters and District and Synod news?

Please check out the table in the Narthex for the most current editions of *Montana Reflections* and *The Lutheran Witness* and *Portals of Prayer*. You will find the newsletters for Pastor Warner-*Spain*; Pastor Preus-*Dominican Republic*; Pastor Stinnett-*Ethiopia* and Pastor Thompson-*Ghana* and the newsletter from Pastor Leif Camp-*Russia* on the display case next to the church office.



Today's Sunday School lesson "**Jesus Sends the Seventy-two**" tells about Jesus sending His followers to go and tell others about Himself. God places us in various callings, giving us opportunities to serve Him and share our faith with others. *As a family discuss, "What various callings (vocations) do each of us have? Who in your life needs to hear about the Savior?"*

Attention All High School, College or Tech School Graduates and Families!! Please call (406-452-2121), email (trinity@trinity-mt.org) or come by the church office (1226 1st Ave N) if you or a family member is graduating this year! We would like a picture and information on each of our graduates so that we can honor them in the May Lamplighter and acknowledge them in church on May 22nd.



April 17th "Confidence for Life" ~ Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz ~ Jesus' miracles were signs of God breaking into a sinful world, but the religious leaders saw it as a threat to their kingdoms. (John 10:22-30). Tune in on the radio or at www.lutheranhour.org The Lutheran Hour can be heard on **KMON, 560 AM Sundays at 7:00 am; or XM Radio 170 at 10:00 am-(EST).**



Equipping the Priesthood of All Believers...Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. *This week's topics include: Apparent Contradictions in the Bible on the Resurrection; The Movie "God's Not Dead 2"; The Office of the Ministry & the Priesthood of All Believers; Martin Luther's "The Bondage of the Will" and more.* You can listen on-demand at www.issuesetc.org and on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.



April 10th "God made it known to ... you and me, through His Word and Spirit that He who created all things in this world, including life—and especially us, His crown jewel—ever loves, ever provides for, and ever walks with us daily, as we record our life's book. And regardless of 'bad' pages, God is ever with us and, as His promise says, is working all things for good. This is the good stuff which makes up a truly full and abundant life!" *Rev. Lyle Kath – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*



Wee Disciples Spring Fest Spaghetti Dinner and Silent Auction Fundraiser is Saturday, April 23, 2016 from 4:00 to 7:00 pm at the Black Eagle Community Center, 2332 Smelter Avenue. Tickets are; Adults-\$10; Child, 12 and under-\$5; and Family-\$25 and can be purchased this Sunday and next in the Narthex or in the Wee Disciples office or Trinity Lutheran Church office or Peace Lutheran Church office.



An Update on Giving and Attendance
Comparison of actual giving through April 3rd
 2015 ~ \$51,461 2016 ~ \$52,454
UP \$993 from last year's giving ☺
Comparison of Income to Our Goal
 Our Goal (\$3,178 x 14) = \$44,492
 Actual Giving = \$52,454
\$7,962 ABOVE what was pledged. ☺

The offerings for April 3rd was \$9,301 ☺☺
 Bills paid ~ \$4,047
 TLC has an estimated **\$18,200** after paying bills.
 The next payroll (\$4,700) is scheduled for Friday, April 15, 2016

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Comparison of Attendance Twelfth Sunday of the year
 Sunday worship, Wednesday worship, Bible classes & Sunday School
 2015 – 235 2016 - 148



The audio/video crew is looking for a few good people! Our video ministry goes out each week to a number of our shut-ins and is an important part of their continuing connection to the church.

If you have an interest in making the worship services "sound good" then the audio crew is your place. Duties include making sure microphones are in good working order before each service and assist in running the sound board during services.

If your interest is in making the service "look good" then video is where you belong. Duties there include operating the cameras and running a basic computer program to input the graphics into the recorded program.

For more information contact Jon Chapman at jonsinger39@gmail.com, call him at 406-231-2963 or catch him on Sunday mornings in the balcony.

RED LODGE CAMP – “Water & Word ~ Diving into the Sacrament of Holy Baptism”

High School - June 12th ~ 16th; **7th & 8th Grade** - June 16th ~ 20th; and **5th & 6th Grade** - June 20th ~ 24th *** **Note:** The grade to use is the grade you will enter in the fall. *** More information and registration forms are available in the church office. Early bird Registration is \$100. Early bird registration deadline is June 1st. After June 1st registration is \$125. As in the past, Trinity will pay ½ of the registration costs for members attending Red Lodge camps.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CAMP ~ Bigfork

High School - July 3rd ~ 8th; **7th & 8th Grade** - July 17th ~ 22nd; and **5th & 6th Grade** - July 10th ~ 15th; **Day Camp** (3rd & 4th grade) June 21st ~ 24th; **Leadership Camp** – June 19th ~ 24th; **Volleyball Camp** (5th through 9th grade girls) – June 26th ~ July 1st; **Basketball Camp** (5th through 9th grade) – July 24th ~ 29th; **Military Families Camp** – Labor Day Weekend (September 2nd-5th) contact camptrinity@gmail.com for more information. *** **Note:** The grade to use is the grade you will enter in the fall. *** Registration opens April 1st for Trinity summer camps. Registration is online at www.trinitylutherancamp.org. Use the coupon code **GFALLS** to receive the TLC discount.

2016 Servant Event (ages 12-101) ~ July 10th ~ 15th - Campers will have the opportunity to work at our local food bank; serve at a Christian group home for adults with developmental abilities; spend time with the elderly and also do some light maintenance projects at Trinity Lutheran Camp. Registration fee is \$75.00 per person. Register online @ www.trinitylutherancamp.org

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS ~ THIS WEEK ~ April 10 – 17, 2016

First Reading–Acts 9:1-22

Epistle–Revelation 5:(1-7) 8:14

Holy Gospel– John 21:1-14 (15-19)

04-10-16 (C) Third Sunday of Easter	Acolyte.....Tim Chapman/Elders
	Altar Guild.....Denise Wegner/Dayna Vik/Cristie Larsen
	Audio.....Maryanne Chapman
	Video.....Jon Chapman/John Shaw
	Duty Elders.....Len Koelbel/Roy Arves
	Organist.....Anita Chapman
	Trustee On-Call.....NOA
Counters.....Alan & Denise Wegner	
Ushers.....Gary Vik/Alan Wegner	

04-13-16 (C) Divine Service	Acolyte.....Tim Chapman/Elders
	Altar Guild.....Denise Wegner/Dayna Vik/Cristie Larsen
	Audio.....Maryanne Chapman
	Video.....No video
	Duty Elders.....Bob Nommensen
	Organist.....NOA
	Trustee On-Call.....NOA
Ushers.....Gary Vik/Alan Wegner	

NEXT WEEK

First Reading–Acts 20:17-35

Epistle–Revelation 7:9-17

Holy Gospel– John 10:22-30

04-17-16 (C) Fourth Sunday of Easter	Acolyte.....Tim Chapman/Elders
	Altar Guild.....Denise Wegner/Dayna Vik/Cristie Larsen
	Audio.....Jon Chapman
	Video.....William Harr
	Duty Elders.....Dennis Philipp/James Neumann
	Organist.....Jeannine Eastley
	Trustee On-Call.....NOA
Counters.....Alan & Denise Wegner	
Ushers.....Gary Vik/Alan Wegner	

(C) - Communion

NOA - No one assigned

TBA - To be announced



For prayer requests, please call the church office 452-2121 or email us at trinity@trinity-mt.org

We pray for:

~**Sam Pappas** who's cancer has now progressed and Sam has been given three to six months to live. We pray that Sam, Anita and their families will be comforted by God and given peace as they spend the remaining time together.

~**Bob Blomstrom**, who had shoulder surgery this week.

~**Marek Wojak** (son-in-law of Rose & Gary Shelden) who had a biopsy done on his kidney mass.

~**Debbe Wojak** (Gary & Rose Shelden's daughter) struggling with health issues.

~**Jay Schlect**, who she has re-broken her foot. She will be laid up for 3-4 months as a result.

~**Tina Ball**, (Jay Schlect's niece) who underwent thyroid surgery recently.

~**Bill Kuki**, (Michelle Neumann's dad) who has been diagnosed with inoperable brain tumors.

~**Chris Wallace**, LWML district president, who is undergoing chemo therapy for an aggressive form of ovarian cancer.

~**Karen Drosier**, (Len Koelbel's daughter's mother-in-law) who in the hospital with a third diagnosis of cancer in six years.

~**Patsy Clark**, (Justin Lee's mother-in-law) who is having a bone marrow transplant.

~**Ruan Paul** (the son of a friend of Pastor Paul's in South Africa) who is struggling with depression and recovering from self-inflicted wounds.

~**Brian Grosenick** (Jerry & Pam Grosenick's son) who underwent surgery to repair a torn Achille's tendon.

~**Jesse Kruse** who underwent knee surgery recently and is now facing 7-8 months of recovery.

~**Kim Mansch** (sister in law of Scott Mansch) who had a brain tumor removed.

~**Marc Robinson** (Alene Morrell's son) that he find his way back to the Lord and church. Thankfully, he has reconnected with his mother.

~**Freddy** (Rose & Gary Sheldon's daughter Debbe and son-in law Marek's 3 year old nephew) who had a brain tumor removed.

~**Reverend Erich Kaelberer** who is battling ALS.

~**Kristal Dawson** (Jenny Shaw's sister) who has been diagnosed with CLLQ11 Leukemia. The treatment is to watch and wait.

~**David** (Ellen Carpenter's son) that he may stay true to his faith in God and start coming back to church again.

~**Jennifer** (friend of Judy and Keener Boyce's niece) who has been diagnosed with stage 4 colon and liver cancer at age 34.

~**David & Gloria Polley** (Ellen Carpenter's brother); he has progressive Alzheimer's.

We pray God's peace and comfort for our members who continue to battle health issues:

Paul Birkholz,

Betty Quickenden,

Betty Tynes (Sherri Blomstrom's mother).

We pray for our shut-ins:

Gary Adams, Alice Irion, Wes Johnson, Lydia Laubach, Ilene Leishman, Evelyn McNaught, Emma Millet, Alene Morrell, Gladine Nehus, Alvina Presler (Millie Birkholz's mother), **Audrey Remus, Ruth Schwarzenberger, Myrtle Storhaug** and **Ted Young**.

We pray for those serving in the military:

Tech Sgt Tanner Tilton, (Millie Birkholz's grandson) US Air Force

Senior Airman Brady Toole, US Air Force

Tech Sgt Jared Dudden, US Air Force

Steffen Meeks (grandson of Sherrie Blomstrom), US Army

Michael Somerfeld, (son of Gary & Mary Somerfeld) US Navy Nuclear Submarine Tech