



# TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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*Sexagesima ~ February 12, 2023*

## CALENDAR for February 12<sup>th</sup> ~ February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023

<p><b>SUN.12</b> <i>Sexagesima</i>  <b>9:00 a.m. Divine Service</b>  Special Voter's Meeting  10:30 a.m. Bible Class  <b>3:00 p.m. Misa en Español</b></p> <p><b>MON. 13</b>  <b>8:30 a.m. Matins</b>  4:30 p.m. Private Confession</p> <p><b>TUES. 14</b>  <b>8:30 a.m. Matins</b></p> <p><b>WED. 15</b>  <b>8:30 a.m. Matins</b>  9:30 a.m. Bible Study  <b>11:00 a.m. Divine Service</b></p>	<p>5:15 p.m. Youth Catechesis  7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer</p> <p><b>THU. 16</b>  <b>8:30 a.m. Matins</b>  7:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting</p> <p><b>FRI. 17</b>  <b>8:30 a.m. Matins</b>  <b>Pastor Filipek's Day Off</b></p> <p><b>SUN. 19</b> <i>Quinquagesima</i>  <b>9:00 a.m. Divine Service</b>  10:30 a.m. Bible Class  <b>3:00 p.m. Misa en Español</b>  3:30 p.m. Elder's Book Study</p>
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**SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS** begins at 10:30 a.m., in the Fellowship Hall, downstairs.

**MATINS:** Join us Monday through Friday at 8:30 a. m. around our Lord's word, prayers for the Church, and the singing of beautiful hymnody.

**MATINS, BIBLE CLASS AND DIVINE SERVICE:** Join us on Wednesdays as we gather for Matins at 8:30 a.m, Bible Class at 9:30 a.m., and the Divine Service at 11am.

**PRIVATE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION** is offered on **Mondays at 4:30p.m.**

**CONGREGATION AT PRAYER:** Daily prayer & devotion is vital. The half-page insert is for daily use in the home.

**ORATIO MEDITATIO TENTATIO:** Our theological reading group meets again **Tuesday February 21<sup>st</sup>**, as follows: **8:30a.m. Matins; 9:15a.m. Reading Discussion; 11:15a.m. Prayer; 11:30a.m. lunch.** We will discuss: Jaroslav Pelikan's *Whose Bible Is It: A History of the Scriptures through the Ages.* (Penguin Books)

**HALL OF MEN** meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays of the month at 7:30pm at the Ladder (next to Eighth Day Books).

**SISTERS OF SOPHIA** meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm at the Ladder.

**EIGHTH DAY INSTITUTE (EDI)** is an ecumenical group of Christians seeking unity pursuing the things that separate us, in a dialogue of love. Visit [www.eighthdayinstitute.org](http://www.eighthdayinstitute.org).

**ATTENDANCE PADS:** Don't forget to sign the pew attendance pads, found at the end of each pew, nearest the center aisle.

**SHORT SPECIAL VOTER'S MEETING TODAY** right after the service. The Voters' Assembly will nominate candidates for the Synod offices of president, first vice-president, and our Central regional vice-president. We may nominate up to two candidates for each office. The nominations process is explained here:

<https://www.lcms.org/convention/governance/nominations/president-vice-presidents>

The Elders and Pastors are recommending that Trinity nominate the current office holders for each office: President Matthew Harrison, First Vice-President Peter Lange, and Central region Sixth Vice-President Benjamin Ball (senior pastor of St. Paul Lutheran Church and School, Hamel, IL).



**FAIRMOUNT MINISTRIES & COFFEE CO.** is having a bierock fundraiser. Pre-order your bierocks at \$30/dozen, + tax, and schedule your choice of pick-up date for February 20-25, at Holy Cross Lutheran Church. For more

Information visit: [Fairmountministries.org/bierocks](http://Fairmountministries.org/bierocks) Order soon as they expect to sell out each day. What a delicious way to support this ministry!

**SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS:** For anyone attending Bible Class on Sundays, there is now a sign-up sheet in the kitchen for families to bring baked goods or treats each Sunday. Join us for a great study and interesting discussions.

**LCMS JANUARY 2023 LIFE TOGETHER NEWS DIGEST** with President Harrison, is now available online. Visit [lifetogether@lcms.org](mailto:lifetogether@lcms.org). ALSO, this month's Workers Together newsletter is available in the Narthex.

**TRINITY DIRECTORIES ARE** available in the Narthex.

**SUPPORT FOR NEW MISSIONARIES:** Trinity is now supporting Rev. Dr. Quintin and Lindsay Cundiff as they serve the Lord through the LCMS, in Riga, Latvia. Dr. Cundiff teaches at the Luther Academy of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Latvia. They have one son, Carter. Please pray for the Cundiff family.



### **CONCORDIA ACADEMY NEWS AND NOTES**

Registration is now open for the 2023-2024 school year at Concordia Academy! Scholarship applications are also available. For more information, see our website, [concordiaacademywichita.org](http://concordiaacademywichita.org). Also, Concordia Academy's capital campaign celebration banquet will be Friday, April 21 with the doors opening at 6:00 pm on our campus at Immanuel Lutheran Church. Tickets are free, but a reservation is required in advance as seating is limited. Registration will be available on our website or by calling the school office at 316-202-8989 starting March 1.

**CHURCH POSITIONS OPEN:** Please prayerfully consider offering a bit of your time to volunteer for one of the following positions: **Board of Trustees, Board of Evangelism, Hospitality Committee, Usher, Altar Guild, and Offering Counter.**

Call the church office to volunteer, 316-685-1571

**OFFERING ENVELOPES:** If you would like to have offering envelopes for 2023 (or are looking for yours) please call the church office 316-685-1571.

### **ARE YOU A DILLONS SHOPPER?**

Designate Trinity as your Dillons rewards charity online using the code QG377. (The Amazon Smiles program has been discontinued.)

**DONATE ONLINE!** PayPal is set up for donations to each church, on their websites. If you have questions see Sheryl Anderson, Dick Lewallen.

**SAFETY NOTE:** For your safety and the safety of your belongings, please lock your vehicle before entering the Church. Also, do not leave valuables such as cell phones, checkbooks, purses, or cash visible in your parked vehicle.

### **PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH:**

**Our Sister Church:** The Evangelical Lutheran Church, of England

**Missionaries:** Rev. Daniel & Kathryn Conrad and Rev. Dr. Quintin & Lindsay Cundiff

**Pastors:** Rev. Aaron Filipek and Rev. Daniel Metzger

**Circuit Visitor:** Rev. Mark Lovett

**District President:** Rev. Justin Panzer

**Synod President:** Rev. Matthew Harrison

**Baptismal Anniversaries:** Rev. Daniel Metzger

**Training/Deployed in Our Armed Forces:** Caleb Bartel, Dawson Bromlow, Keaton Wellner, Tori Myers

**Our Schools:** Concordia Academy, Euraquilo Christian Academy (VanSant Homeschool), St. Martin Chemnitz Classical Lutheran Academy (Filipek Homeschool)

**Comfort, Health, and Recovery:** Rev. Cliff Winter, Sarah Matthews, Mary Tomlinson (*Angie Patterson's Mother*) Jim Hubbard, Herbert Trier (*Nancy Metzger's Father*), Les Howard, Alan Bacon, Matthew Hastings, Margaret Young, Diane Christ (*Pr. Christ's daughter*), Patsy (*LaVelle Haefner's cousin*), Fran (*LaVelle Haefner's brother*), Julia Lessman (*granddaughter of the Lessmans*), Justin Montgomery (*friend of the Lessmans*), Kathy Patron, Tony (*Kathy Patron's father*), Gary (*brother of Angie Patterson*)

**Birthdays:** Duncan Bauserman

**Wedding Anniversaries:** *None this week*

**Shut-ins:** Mary Zwemke, Amy Fox, Gil & Judy Holstein, Florence Lavery, Ginger Manchesian, Judy Rollins, Louise Smith, Mary Jane Zumalt

### ***Those Serving at Trinity today...***

**Greeters:** *The Pattersons*

**Altar Guild:** *The Pattersons*

**Ushers:** *Ron Rooker*

**Counters:** *The Pressnells*

*Induwara Herath*

**Elder:** *Scott Smith*

### **READINGS for next week**

*~ Quinquagesima ~*

**OLD TESTAMENT:** 1 Samuel 16:1-13, Isaiah 35:3-7

**EPISTLE:** 1 Corinthians 13-1-13

**GOSPEL:** Luke 18:31-43

*~ Ash Wednesday ~*

**OLD TESTAMENT:** Joel 2:12-19, Jonah 3:1-10

**EPISTLE:** 2 Peter 1:2-11

**GOSPEL:** Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21

### ***Looking Ahead...***

- Feb 21 OMT Theological Book Study, 9:15a
- Feb 21 Sisters of Sophia, The Ladder, 6:30p
- Feb 21 Security Committee Meeting, 7p
- Feb 22 Ash Wednesday Service, 7p
- Feb 23 Hall of Men, 7:30p