



# TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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**Trinity Office hours:** Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, (Thursday, if needed) 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

*The Second Sunday in Lent ~ Reminiscere ~ March 5, 2023*

## CALENDAR for March 5<sup>th</sup> ~ 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**SUN.5** *The Second Sunday in Lent~Reminiscere*  
**9:00 a.m. Divine Service**  
10:30 a.m. Bible Class  
11:45 a.m. Light Lunch, Safety Committee Speaker  
**5:00 p.m. Misa en Español**

**MON. 6**  
**Pastor taking the day off**

**TUES. 7** *Commemoration of Perpetua and Felicitas, Martyrs*  
**8:30 a.m. Matins**  
5:15 p.m. Trinity Night at The Lord's Diner

**WED. 8**  
**8:30 a.m. Matins**  
9:30 a.m. Bible Study  
**11:00 a.m. Divine Service**

5:30 p.m. Midweek Lenten Meal  
**5:45 p.m. Private Confession (5:45 to 6:30p)**  
**7:00 p.m. Midweek Lenten Vespers**

**THU. 9**  
**8:30 a.m. Matins**  
7:30 p.m. Hall of Men, The Ladder

**FRI. 10**  
**8:30 a.m. Matins**  
**Pastor Filipek's Day Off**

**SUN. 12** *The Third Sunday in Lent~Oculi*  
**9:00 a.m. Divine Service**  
10:30 a.m. Bible Class  
**5:00 p.m. Misa en Español**

**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.**, as well as **Wednesdays during Lent at 5:45p.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 March 21, as follows: 8:30a.m. Matins; 9:15a.m. Reading Discussion; 11:15a.m. Prayer; 11:30a.m. lunch.** We will discuss: Gifford A. Grobrien's *Ethics of Sex: From Taboo to Delight*, Concordia Publishing House, 2017.

**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.

**SAFETY COMMITTEE GUEST SPEAKER:** Join us **TODAY at 11:45a.m.** for a light lunch and our guest speaker WPD Officer Alli Larison. Officer Larison is the Community Policing Officer for Beat 32, which includes the Sunnyside neighborhood. She will share about community safety and recent crime statistics for the area around Trinity.

**ST. PATRICK'S DAY MEAL (Hosted by Trinity's Youth attending Higher Things)** Please join us **March 17 from 5:30 to 8:30 pm** for a traditional Irish meal of corned beef, cabbage, and mashed potatoes, with Green lemonade, water, and coffee and a variety of desserts. A **free-will donation** will be taken to help with our youth's expenses related to the Higher Things Conference they will be attending in San Antonio, Texas, this July. Youth will be serving and providing entertainment throughout the evening. If you would like to donate a dessert or potatoes for our meal, a sign-up sheet is in the narthex. Please bring donations to the church kitchen no later than 3:00pm Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!!

**MIDWEEK LENTEN MEALS AND SERVICES** have begun. Join us Wednesday evenings for a light meal at 5:30

p.m., Private Confession from 5:45 to 6:30 p.m., then the Midweek Lenten Service at 7:00 p.m.

**YOUTH CATECHESIS WILL NOT MEET** during the Lenten Season. Class will start again after Easter.



**EIGHTH DAY INSTITUTE CELEBRATES ST. PATRICK**

Join us at The Ladder on March 18th for our 15th annual celebration of St. Patrick! We'll begin at 3 p.m. with our annual private pre-feast Irish whiskey and beer tasting (Separate Ticket Required. 21+) Then, doors open at 6 p.m. so we can feast on food and drinks, enjoy bag pipes, toasts to St. Patrick, & live music by the Jack Korbel Confluence. Festal ticket includes dinner, live music, and one drink ticket. Visit [eighthdayinstitute.org](http://eighthdayinstitute.org) for more information and registration.



**CONCORDIA ACADEMY** will be hosting a "Shadow Day" for interested students and families on Thursday, March 23. The day will begin at 8am with Matins and conclude with Vespers and dismissal at 3:45pm.

Please contact our office at 316-202-8989 if you are interested in joining us. Reservations are now open for "Friends of Concordia Annual Fundraising Banquet and Silent Auction, The Phoenix Rising" on Friday, April 21. Tickets are free but seating is limited. Tickets are available on our website at [ConcordiaAcademyWichita.org](http://ConcordiaAcademyWichita.org) or by contacting our office at 316-202-8989.

**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, Church Librarian, and Offering Counter.** Call the church office to volunteer, 316-685-1571

**THE TRINITY CHURCH OFFICE** will be closed on **Monday March 6 and Tuesday March 7, 2023.** You may leave phone messages or e-mails, which will be answered during the evening hours each day, (316) 685-1571  
[office@tlc.kscoxmail.com](mailto:office@tlc.kscoxmail.com)

**ARE YOU A DILLONS SHOPPER?**

Designate Trinity as your Dillons rewards charity online using the code QG377.

**DONATE ONLINE!** PayPal is set up for donations on our website. Questions? See Sheryl Anderson or Dick Lewallens.

**SAFETY NOTE:** For your safety and the safety of your belongings, please lock your vehicle before entering the Church. Don't leave valuables (cell phones, purses) in car.

**PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH:**

**Our Sister Church:** The Independent Evangelical Lutheran Church of Germany

**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:** Kane Van Sant, Melissa Spierling  
**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)

**Prayer Petitions:** Amy Filipek (*Medical procedure*), Ginger Manchesian, Trudy Unruh, Tom Nickel, Evie Meyers (*Tom Nickel's Daughter-in-law*), Mary Tomlinson (*Angie Patterson's Mother*), Jim Hubbard, Matthew Hastings, Margaret Young, Diane Christ (*Pr. Christ's daughter*), Julia Lessman (*granddaughter of the Lessmans*), Justin Montgomery (*friend of the Lessmans*), Kathy Patron, Tony (*Kathy Patron's father*), Gary (*brother of Angie Patterson*), Les Howard (*Thanksgiving for recovery*)

**Birthdays:** Les Howard, Kathy Patron, Nancy Trier-Metzger, Simon Stone

**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, Mary Tomlinson

***Those Serving at Trinity in March...***

***Greeters:*** Minda Shultz

***Altar Guild:*** The Wortzes

***Ushers:*** David Kettelman

***Counters:*** The Lewallens

***Elder:*** Keith Buhr

**READINGS for next week**

*~ The Third Sunday in Lent, Oculi ~*

**OLD TESTAMENT:** Exodus 8:16-24, Jeremiah 26-1-15

**EPISTLE:** Ephesians 5:1-9

**GOSPEL:** 11:14-28

*~ Midweek ~*

**OLD TESTAMENT:** Exodus 10:16-20

**EPISTLE:** 2 Corinthians 2:3-11

**GOSPEL:** Matthew 15:21-35

***Looking Ahead...***

- *Wednesdays*  
*In March ~ Midweek meal, 5:30p, Private Confession, 5:45p*  
*Midweek Service, 7p*
- *Mar 14* Church Council Meeting, 7p
- *Mar 16* Board of Elders Meeting, 7p
- *Mar 17* Youth St. Patrick's Day Traditional Irish Meal, 5:30p
- *Mar 18* EDI Feast of St. Patrick, 3p and 6p, The Ladder