

Weekly Reminders & Announcements Page April 29, 2018

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS FOR YOU...

- * **Wealth is the smallest thing on earth, the least gift that God has bestowed on mankind!** ~ Martin Luther
- * **Without grace the Law kills a man and increases sin!** ~ Martin Luther
- * **All laws and philosophy merely tell us what should be done, but they do not provide the strength to do it!** ~ Martin Luther

Martin Luther on RESURRECTION. (In his lecture in 1535 on Genesis 2:11-12, Luther shares that the human body will be restored to glory after the resurrection.)

Bodies Better Than Before the Fall. We look forward to the restitution of all things, not only of the soul but also of the body. On that Day we hope to have a body which is better and nobler than the human body was in Paradise. For then we shall not be placed into a natural life, subject by its very nature to change, but into that spiritual life into which Adam, too, would have been translated if he had continued to live without sin. To this hope Christ points us – Christ, who has restored innocence to us through the remission of sins and makes our condition better than the condition of Adam was in Paradise before the Fall.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE...

Total Offerings Received April 22nd = \$24,922.70

* General Offering	\$18,697.55
* Master's Plan	\$ 1,325.15
* Sunday School	\$ 139.00
* Agape	\$ 25.00
* Guatemala	\$ 4,560.00
* Braille	\$ 100.00
* Youth	\$ 76.00

Attendance Last Week = 605 Communing = 46

IF YOU WISH TO PREPARE FOR NEXT SUNDAY.

Next Sunday, May 6th is the Sixth Sunday of EASTER

- ~ Morning Psalm >>> Psalm 98
- ~ First Reading >>> Acts 10:34-48
- ~ Second Reading >>> 1 John 5:1-8
- ~ Holy Gospel >>> Saint John 15:9-17

THOSE WHO WILL BE SERVING NEXT SUNDAY

	8:15 - Liturgical	9:30 - Liturgical	10:45 - Liturgical	11:00 - Modern
Preaching:	Pastor Meyer	Pastor Meyer	Pastor Meyer	Pastor Meyer
Assisting:	Pastor Henke Vicar Lahue	Pastor Henke Vicar Lahue	Pastor Henke Vicar Lahue	Vicar Lahue
Organ/Piano:	Carolynne Bechler	Debbie Gerling	Carolynne Bechler	Resonate Team
Elders:	Steve Miller	Duane Becker	Keith Swanson	Keith Swanson
Communion:	Mark Yates Andrew Scott Steve Vorel	Jeff Seeliger Bob Gerling Scott Schlesinger	David Bohnert Paul Hagemeyer ~	Mark DeLory Reid Jeffers
Crucifiers:	Cole Henry Megan Smith	~ ~	Carter Goodrich Dean Webb	
Ushers:	Cary Watson - Captain Sam Erwin Robert Kastens Kyle Young Les Hoven John Collison Marilyn Miller	~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~	Dale Swiggett - Captain Nathan Davis Tyler Davis David Bohnert Tom Ormand Sam Cameron ~	
Lectors:	Robert Kastens	Benny Ormson	Timmy Higgins	Harlan Hentges
Children Lesson:	Pastor Meyer	~	Pastor Meyer	
Breeters:	Steven Johnson	Audra Kedy	Leah Baker	Andrea Monismith
Counters:	Dana Lewis, Scott & Sara Paul			
Nursery:	TBD	TBD	TBD	
Acolyte & Lighting Coordinator:	Benny Ormson			
Sound Technicians:	Jeff Adams, Keith Miller and Dennis Paul			
Altar Guild:	Setup: Jo Thompson, Linda Bradford			
	Reset: Iva Ormson, Chloe Becker, Mela Sullivan			
	Reset 10:45: Rita Paul, Sara Paul, Carol Payne			
	Clean up: Lisa Kelley			
	Resonate Service: Wendy Kappers, Jennie Hentges, Kelleigh Dies & Kristi Jeffers			



Please lift up the following in prayer

Our military personnel & government workers:

- * For our other military members: Bruce Avriett, Brandon Chapman, Mark DeLory, Alex Eck, Greg Emde, Mark Erwin, Daniel Herm, Jennifer Howell, Anthony Kuczynski, Chris & Stephanie Means, Anthony & Kelsey Payne, Nate & Maggie Phillips, Dan & Stephanie Scherd, Larry Sull, Mathew & Rachel Young, Eric & Erin Young.
- * **HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL** faculty, staff, teachers, students and patrons – Prayers for health and success as we move into the busyness of the final semester.
- * **Robert, Jonathan & Kimberly Wagner** as they mourn the passing of their wife & mother, Kerry, on Sunday night.
- * **Henke family** – as they mourn the tragic death of Susan's niece in a motorcycle accident.
- * **Wendell & Kari Holland and family** as they mourn the loss of Wendell's mother.
- * **Steven & Shauna Barker** – Praise & thanksgiving for the healthy arrival of daughter, Ava on Tuesday.
- * **Pastor Jonathan & Emma Meyer** – Praise & thanksgiving for the healthy arrival of Eleanor Joanna early Wednesday morning.
- * **Pauline Henke** – recovering at home from a broken arm and difficulty walking.
- * **Philip Isett** – prayers as he continues rehab following foot amputation surgery
- * **Georgette Jurczewsky** – recovering at home following complications from chemo treatment.
- * **Chad Langager** – continued prayers as he is in critical condition with stage 4 lung cancer.
- * **Eunice Langager** – continued prayers that God will give her strength for each new day..
- * **Connie Lowry** – prayers that her children would find comfort, peace and strength through God's word in their lives.
- * **Jeff Neumann** – recovering from stent placement surgery on Saturday.
- * **Rita Paul** – recovering from carpal tunnel surgery on her right hand. Prayers for continued healing including her left shoulder.
- * **Meagan Raddatz** – prayers for encouraging results of full body scan this next week in Houston.
- * **Bob Schatz** – prayers for successful treatment and healing of a bad spot on his toe but praise and thanksgiving for healing of cyst in his good eye.
- * **Gary Quick** – Continued prayers for God's mercy in his battle with Parkinson's

- * **Sue Baker** – mother of Ellen McKenzie recovering at home following a hospital stay for heart issues
- * **Terri Castilla** – mother of Danielle, prayers recovering from finger surgery
- * **Kay Filson** – mother of Laurie Nance recovering from heart defibrillator surgery.
- * **Antonio Fredericks** – 13 grandson of Charlotte (friend of Elsie Schatz) recently diagnosed with lymphoma and awaiting treatment.
- * **Saylor Liv Greenwood** – granddaughter of Robert & Kathy Kastens who arrived 10 weeks early.
- * **Ann & Tash Hays** – dear friends of the Kelley family, mourning the passing of husband & father, Marvin who lost his battle with leukemia on Tuesday.
- * **Charlie Keeter** – brother in law of Connie Williams, battling cancer.
- * **Roy & Merrie Kersh** – parents of Geoff, both struggling with heart conditions and complications. Prayers for healing as well for the family as they try to make decisions for their care.
- * **Ken Lindquist** – father in law of Kim Conner, has been admitted to hospice at the age of 95
- * **Elliott Navejas** – grandson of John & Peggy Grunow. Prayers for healing and God's continued protection following a surgical procedure.
- * **Irene Pennington** – sister in law of Loretta Gonzalez, returning to Tulsa for evaluation & treatment for new complication in her battle with ovarian cancer.
- * **Scarlett Rogers** – 5 year old daughter of Adam & Emily (friends of the Raddatz family) undergoing daily chemo and radiation for stage IV kidney cancer.
- * **Parker Ward** – Karmaria Kuehn's niece's 10 month old son, undergoing kidney surgery May 1st.
- * **Betty Warren** – friend of Angie Niemeyer, whose cancer has returned.
- * **Audra Yarholar** – 7 year old close friend of the Hasselwanders, recently diagnosed with leukemia and has begun very intensive chemo treatment.
- * **Liz Zachmeyer** – friend of Laurie Nance, now in hospice in her battle with a brain tumor.

Please contact the church office with updates on prayer requests for friends and loved ones.

Congratulations!

We are excited to announce the arrival of

ELEANOR "ELLIE" MEYER

April 25, 2018

at 12:08 in the morning
8 pounds, 2 ounces | 21.5 inches

Pastor Jonathan and Emma Meyer would like to thank everyone for their continued prayers and love throughout Emma's pregnancy and delivery. Big sister, Lydia, is excited to have a new best friend!

Week of April 29, 2018

S SUNDAY	APRIL 29, 2018
8:15 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
9:30 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
9:30 AM	Education Hour for All Ages
10:45 AM	Combined Worship Service w/Holy Communion
5:00 PM	youthCONNECT
MONDAY	April 30, 2018
5:45 PM	Body & Soul
TUESDAY	May 1, 2018
7:00 AM	Men's Bible Breakfast @ Around the Corner
9:30 AM	Braille Ministry
1:00 PM	Braille Ministry
6:00 PM	Leadership Board Meeting
7:00 PM	Resonate Rehearsal
WEDNESDAY	May 2, 2018
9:00 AM	Knotty Ladies Quilting Group
5:00 PM	Wednesday Fellowship Dinner
5:30 PM	Brass Choir Rehearsal
5:45 PM	Junior Confirmation
	High School ReFuel
6:00 PM	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
	Adult Bible Study – "Bless These Lips" Rm 18
7:15 PM	Midweek Worship Service w/Holy Communion
THURSDAY	May 3, 2018
9:30 AM	Thursday Morning Ladies Bible Study
12:00 PM	Banner Ministry
5:45 PM	Body & Soul
6:00 PM	Hand bell Choir Rehearsal
7:00 PM	Praise Band Rehearsal
	Chamber Choir Rehearsal
FRIDAY	May 4, 2018
	All Lutheran School Track Meet (Ponca City)
5:00 PM	Cook's Night Out Fellowship Meal
SATURDAY	May 5, 2018
9:00 AM	District Board of Directors Meeting
SUNDAY	May 6, 2018
8:15 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
9:30 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
9:30 AM	Education Hour for All Ages
10:45 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
11:00 AM	Modern Worship Service
12:30 PM	Luncheon
	Guatemala Mission Team Meeting
1:00 PM	Voting Assembly
3:45 PM	youthCONNECT - Paintball

**** There will be no Hand Bell practice from now through the summer ****

Celebration Corner

BIRTHDAYS

Apr 29	Royce Bartlett, Jordan Hoven
Apr 30	Denise Howard
May 1	Haley Duit, Daxon Hedrick, Lane Hill, James Lausen, Isaiah Newkirk,
May 2	Drew Baals, John Payne
May 4	Isabella Curry, Aiden Elderton, Savannah Hitzeman, Taylor Kloha, Matthew McCain, Trevor Shiever, Matthew Trowbridge
May 5	Lindsey Duerr, Trentin Flacy, Evan Gray, Kristen Harstad, Patrick Hollrah
May 6	Seth Arstingstall, Lorri Bohnert, Collier Jones, Myrna Lou Meyer

ANNIVERSARIES

Apr 30	Curtis & Rena Vickery
May 3	Greg & Barbara Regens ; Chad & Michell Smith ; Leo & Myklee Williams
May 5	Eric & Tammy Atkinson

Are You Planning for the Future?

Thrivent Workshop | TODAY - April 29 | 12:30pm | Luther Commons
Do your plans include your loved ones? Making future preparations for a loved one who has cognitive or physical challenges may seem overwhelming. This presentation that will provide information to ensure that your family will be provided for—financially, physically and emotionally. (No products will be sold at this event.)

YOUTH NEWS

April 29th – Nerf Gun Night at Holy Trinity from 5:00-7:00PM. Last name A-L bring a snack or side dish.

May 6th – Epic Paintball Night! We'll meet at Holy Trinity at 3:45PM to leave for Epic Paintball in OKC. We will be home by 7:30PM – dinner provided. Talk to DCE Lindsey for the special event waiver by May 4th. Cost is \$15.

* The new summer youthCONNECT schedule is available at the information desk.



Thursday Morning Ladies Bible Study

The Thursday morning ladies Bible study group will be doing "stand alone" Bible studies for the next few months. With summer travels arriving this will allow a complete Bible study each week. All ladies are welcome.

9am – Fellowship 9:15- Prayer 9:30-Bible Study



GUATEMALA PRAYER WALK AND WORSHIP

May 6 | 5:30 pm | Luther Commons

Join us for an evening of worship and prayer, as we come together to support our Guatemala Mission Team.



THANK YOU

to everyone who helped plan yesterday's Shine On Event and to everyone who participated. With more than 100 Holy Trinity volunteers we were able to impact more than 400 individuals in our community.

