

**TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
AND PRE-SCHOOL
128 South 7th Street, Zanesville, Ohio 43701
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Worship Services 8 AM & 10:15 AM
Church School 9 AM
March 4, 2007 - The 2nd Sunday In Lent**

WELCOME TO ALL THOSE IN GOD'S HOUSE THIS MORNING!

It is a pleasure to have you worship with the family of God at Trinity. If you are a visitor, please sign the guest register in the Narthex (include your address and phone number.) We hope that this worship service will strengthen you in your faith as you live each day in Jesus. Join us again soon.

8 AM: Greeters at the front doors: Mrs. Joann Wilson; at the parish hall door: Mrs. Shirley VanWye. Communion Assistant: Mr. Dave Donahue. Organist: Mr. John Chalfant.

10:15 AM: Greeters at the front doors: Miss Traci Deveny; at the parish hall door: Mr. & Mrs. Kevin & Amy Pinson. Communion Assistant: Mr. Tom Frampton. Organist: Mrs. Helen Porter.

LENTEN LITURGY CHANGES: During this penitential season, the Gloria In Excelsis (pages 7 & 17) and the Hallelujahs will be omitted from the liturgy, to be returned on Easter.

Prayers:

Of Thanksgiving: Mr. & Mrs. Bob & Barbara Matheney's 53rd wedding anniversary on March 5.

For the sick: Marc Burkhart, Sandy Procacci, Tina Strauss, Mr. Russell Glaub, Mrs. Arlene Hickman, Mrs. Margaret Gard, Mrs. Regina Stevens, Mr. Don Hull

For the shut-ins: Mrs. Arline Barnes; Miss Virginia Drake

For those in the hospital: Bethesda - Mrs. Ruth Fouch, 469; Good Samaritan: Mr. John Thress, 514.

For those in the Military: Tim Abella, US Army National Guard; John Hall, US Navy; Christina Fannon, US Army; Robert Fannon, US Marines; Cory Chapman, Air National Guard

Other Intercessions: Mark

For those mourning loss: The family of Rosemary McConnell; Andy Nader and family at the death of his father; Jane Ellis and family at the death of her brother.

The flowers today are to the glory of God. Those on the altar are honoring Bob & Jane Ellenberger's 56th wedding anniversary on March 1.

SCHEDULE OF CHURCH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK:

Today - 3/4	HOLY COMMUNION, both services; please register Pre-School Light Bulb Sale 4/5 Grade Confirmation Classes, 11:30 AM-12:30 PM (pizza provided) 6/7 Grade Confirmation Classes, 11:30 AM-1 PM (pizza provided)
Monday - 3/5	Elders, 6 PM Scouts, 7 PM, Recreation Room
Tuesday - 3/6	School Board, 6 PM Church Council, 7 PM
Wednesday - 3/7	MID-WEEK LENTEN SERVICE, 7 PM Soup & Sandwich Dinner for those attending the Mid-Week Lenten Service (see bulletin insert) Deadline to receive Comment Forms
Thursday - 3/8	Quilters, 10 AM Bell Choir, 5:30 PM Choir, 7 PM, balcony
Next Sunday - 3/11	<i>Daylight Savings Time Begins</i> 4/5 Grade Confirmation Classes, 11:30 AM-12:30 PM 6/7 Grade Confirmation Classes, 11:30 AM-1 PM

Attendance last week: 91 + 229 + 95 (Lenten Service) = 415. Offering: \$4,933.47 + Pre-School Tuition, \$670 + Youth Ministry, \$19.50 + Lenten Folders, \$75.50. Total: \$5,698.47.

If you are in need of pastoral care, please contact one of our Elders: Tom Frampton, 452-6003; Dave Donahue, 453-3071; Chuck Jacob, 452-0869; Mark Watson, 453-9327; Steve Carrel, 454-0941.

Our worship leader this morning is Pastor Dan Bell of Columbus. He and his wife, Pat, served Atonement in Columbus for the past 33 years, retiring last summer. Pastor is a 1965 graduate of Concordia Seminary, Springfield, Ill. Pastor served a dual parish in Indiana (Martinsville and Brown County) before coming to Columbus in 1973. The Bell's are parents of three children and two grand-children.

Bill & Evelyn Menhorn would like to thank those who remembered them on their anniversary.

The family of Rosemary McConnell would like to thank those who remembered them with flowers, cards and prayers during their bereavement.

We have begun collecting plastic Easter eggs and candy to fill them for our annual Easter Egg Hunt. Please leave donations of these items in the church kitchen. Thank you!

Don't forget to set your clocks ahead one hour for Sunday, March 11.

Trinity Pre-School would like to thank those who in any way made our recent Dodgeball Tournament at huge success!

The Sr. Youth Group is selling crosses to raise money for their trip to the 2007 LCMS National Youth Gathering. The crosses are available in the Narthex. The cost is 1 for \$5 or 4 for \$20.

We have received our shipment of the long awaited Concordia: The Lutheran Confessions (the reader's editions of The Book of Concord). If you placed your order through the church, you may pick up your copy in the office. The cost is \$20. Please make checks payable to Trinity Lutheran Church.

Some of our Children's Activity Bags are missing from the rack in the Narthex. If you have taken them home by mistake, we ask that they please be returned to the church.

Lenten folders have been mailed. Please fill them and place them in the box in the office.

Available dates for altar flowers: August 19; October 7. If you are interested in any of these dates, please contact the church office.

SOUP SUPPER - Before each of the six evening mid-week Lenten Services, at 6 PM, we will have a Soup & Sandwich Supper provided by our members. The services will be on the following Wednesday's: March 7, 14, 21, and 28, at 7 PM.

If you feel you need to take your child out during the service, the nursery and the parish hall are both open; however, they are not supervised.

We will be unable to have Chime Choir practice unless we have more youth who are interested. Please sign up in the Narthex or contact Helen Porter at 740-452-0920. Practices will be held on Sunday afternoons at 3 PM.

One of our liners for the altar vase is missing. If you have had flowers on the altar recently and still have the container. Please return it to the church office. Thank you!

A ladies beige raincoat was taken last Sunday by mistake. If you have the raincoat, please contact the church office.

Headsets for the hearing impaired and large print bulletins are available from the Deacons.

ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION

A Silent Prayer Before Worship

Almighty, ever-living God, grant that I may gladly hear Your word and that all my worship may be acceptable unto You; through Jesus Christ, my Lord. Amen.

Opening Hymn

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Sermon Hymn
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Sermon
“Stand Firm In The Lord And Stay At Your Task”
Phil. 3:17-4:1

Responsive Prayer
P: let us pray to the Lord:
C: **Lord, have mercy.**

Communion Hymns
388, 457, 151

A Silent Prayer After Worship

Grant, I pray You, Almighty God, that the Word which I have heard this day may through Your grace be so engrafted in my heart that I may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit; through Jesus Christ, my Lord. Amen.