

Trinity News and Notes
Fourth Sunday of Easter
April 21st, 2024

SUNDAY 21st

Commemoration of Anselm of Canterbury, Theologian

9:00 a.m. Divine Service
10:30 a.m. Bible Study
11:30 a.m. Light lunch with Voters' Meeting
1:30 p.m. *Misa en Español w/ meal following*

MONDAY, 22nd

8:30 a.m. Matins

TUESDAY 23rd

8:30 a.m. Matins

WEDNESDAY 24th

Commemoration of Johann Walter, Kantor

8:30 a.m. Matins
9:30 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Divine Service
5:15 p.m. Meal and Catechesis
7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer

THURSDAY 25th

St. Mark, Evangelist

8:30 a.m. Matins
4:30 p.m. Private Confession & Absolution

FRIDAY 26th

8:30 a.m. Matins

SUNDAY 28th

9:00 a.m. Divine Service
10:30 a.m. Bible Study
1:30 p.m. *Misa en Español*
3:30 p.m. Elders' book study

Looking Ahead...

- May 1, St. Philip & St. James, D.S. 11 a.m.
- May 2, Trustees' meeting, 7 p.m.
- May 3, Spring Musicale, 7 p.m.
- May 9, Ascension Service, Immanuel Lutheran Church,

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Our Sister Church: Free Evangelical Lutheran Synod in South Africa (FELSISA)

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: Aria Reyes, Lillyen Fortine, Jusin Bostian, Shawn McKinley, and Esther Fisher

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

Our Schools: Concordia Academy, Euraquilo Christian Academy (VanSant Homeschool), St. Martin Chemnitz Classical Lutheran Academy (Filipek Homeschool), Luther Classical College, Concordia University Ann Arbor, CSL and CTSFW (LCMS seminaries)

Prayer Petitions: Forrest Combes, (*father of Bridget Schneider*), Andrea Springer, (*Christie Lewallen's sister-in-law*), Calvin Applegate, (*cousin of Kendall Patterson*), Linda Horn, (*friend of Linda Claypool*), Adam Froetschner, (*Jared's brother*), Stephanie Gilmore, (*Kirsten Bartel's mother*), Vicki Lessman, Kyle Menke, (*Pr. Metzger's relative*), Gayla Taylor, (*Wife of Joel Taylor*), Evie Meyers, (*Miriam Nickel's Daughter*), Matthew Hastings, Julia Lessman, (*granddaughter of the Lessmans*), Gary, (*brother of Angie Patterson*)

Mothers with Child: Hannah Magill

Birthdays: Madison Reyes, Mason Biehler, Elisia Araiza, Seth Myers, Shawn McKinley, and Diana Mefford

Shut-ins: Amy Fox, Gil & Judy Holstein, Florence Lavery, Judy Rollins, Louise Smith, Mary Tomlinson

READINGS for next Sunday

~Fifth Sunday of Easter ~

OLD TESTAMENT: Isaiah 12:1-6

EPISTLE: James 1:16-21

GOSPEL: John 16:5-15

ORATIO MEDITATIO TENTATIO: Our theological reading group meets next on **May 21, as follows: 8:30a.m. Matins; 9:15a.m. Reading Discussion; 11:15a.m. Prayer; 11:30a.m. lunch.** We will discuss selections of Luther's political writings. Please see Pastor Filipek for the complete list.

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

SISTERS OF SOPHIA meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm at the Ladder.

TRINITY PHOTO DIRECTORY Allen Herbert has secured camera equipment to take pictures of Trinity members for a church photo directory. Photography will begin on April 21 at 8:00 a.m. on the stage in the Fellowship Hall. A sign-up sheet will be available in the narthex. Ten-minute time slots for families will be available before Divine Service and after Bible Study each week until May 26. Questions? Call Allen Herbert at (316) 737-5101. Please call the church office at (316) 685-1571 to sign up over the phone.

FAITH AT WORK We need to know if you will be supporting a crisis pregnancy center in mid-weekday, working at a warehouse for children's food needs, or providing a meal at the Ronald McDonald house on 4/27/24 starting at 5pm. Please email kkbphd@gmail.com or speak to him for sign up. Anyone can also contribute to each of the opportunities any time you like, and those who really enjoy their experience can also continue to volunteer after April..." Keith Buhr

FAIRMOUNT MINISTRIES Upcoming events:

- It is almost finals week! We will have finals kits available beginning Monday, April 29th until Friday, May 10th, if supplies last. We are needing mechanical pencils, snacks, square post it notes, glue sticks, etc. E-mail info@fairmountministries.org to donate.
- Pizza with a Pastor: Tuesday, April 30th from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Pastor Ryan Ankersen will lead.
- Pancake Night for College students: Thursday, May 2nd from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.
- Coffee and Cuddles: Friday, May 3rd from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Students will receive a free drink donated by Risen Savior. Marilyn Cook will be there with Teddy.

PREMIER CONFERENCE FOR LUTHERAN

LAITY... You're invited to attend the 2024 Issues, Etc. "Making the Case" Conference Friday, July 12 and Saturday, July 13 at Concordia University Chicago. Speakers include: 12-Time All-American Swimmer Riley Gaines, Mollie Hemingway of Fox News, Mark Hemingway of RealClear Investigations, Pastor Chris Rosebrough of "Fighting for the Faith," Aaron Renn of The American Conservative, Pastor Bryan Wolfmueller of "Has

Trinity Financial Status
Through March 2024

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Contributions	\$ 69,106	\$ 68,917	\$ 188
Expenditures	\$ 59,450	\$ 68,917	\$ 9,467
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$ 9,655	\$ 0	\$ 9,655

American Christianity Failed?," and Pastor Will Weedon of The Word of the Lord Endures Forever. The early bird registration fee is \$140 and includes three meals. Reduced room rates, including on-campus dorms, are available. For more information, visit issuesetc.org or call (618) 223-8385..

CONCORDIA SPRING MUSICALE Concordia Academy Wichita students, faculty, parents, and friends invite you to their night of music May 3 at 7 p.m. Come hear the talent of CAW!

DEFENDING THE FAITH, TEACHING THE TRUTH... Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's subjects include: Biblical Christianity vs. Progressive Christianity, The Movie "Ghostbusters: Frozen Empire," Polygamy in the Bible, Responding to Roman Catholic Proof Texts and more. You can listen at your convenience at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

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.

TRINITY 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

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

Those Serving at Trinity in April ...

Greeters: The Smiths ***Altar Guild:*** Sheryl Anderson
Usher: Derrel Pressnell ***Organist:*** Amanda Carter
Counters: David Kettelman ***Elder:*** Cory Laflin
Acolyte: Caleb Filipek ***Crucifer:*** Kingston Araiza