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# Lunch with the Prime Timers



(everyone 50 years young and older are invited)

1710 Rural Street Rockford, IL

Tuesday, April 22 11:30 a.m.

Your RSVP is appreciated. Please call the church office to RSVP (815)963-4446 or sign up on Sunday morning on the attendance sheet.



TLC Family Gym Night Sunday, May 4 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

May the 4th be with you! Bring yourselves out for some friendly competition and fun.

We will have activities such as Old School Broomball, Star Wars Dodgeball, Basketball, and Parachute Games for the little ones! Please bring a broom with the end duct taped (Duct tape will be available. A limited supply of brooms will be available).

We will have walking tacos for dinner! Don't want to play, don't worry! There will be a coffee bar and an area to hang out and chat.

Please let us know you are coming by signing up on the TLC Faith and Fellowship Facebook Page or on the Sunday Morning Attendance Sheet.

### Annual Spaghetti Dinner Needs your help!



We are once again having the Spaghetti

Dinner and Raffle on Friday, April 25 from 4:30 - 6:30 to benefit the Trinity Day Care. We are asking for your help to make this event a great success.

We need volunteers the night of the dinner. We have two shifts, 4:00 - 5:30 and 5:30 - 7:00. If you are willing to help, please call the church office.

Also, donations of completed raffle baskets or monetary donations are greatly appreciated. Please bring all donated baskets to the church office by April 18<sup>th</sup>.

#### Did You Know?

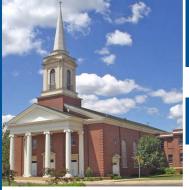
- Check out our website by visiting www.trinityrockford.org
- *Trinity News* can be delivered straight to your inbox via email. If you would like to receive the newsletter through email, please email the office at office@trinityrockford.org or call the Church office at 815-963-4446.
- Upcoming deadlines for the Trinity News are:

May 2<sup>nd</sup> for the May 16<sup>th</sup> issue May 16<sup>th</sup> for the May 30<sup>th</sup> issue

NOTE: Please make submissions before the deadline.

Cornucopia is collecting Peanut Butter and Jelly during the month of April.

Trinity's Office Hours Monday – Friday 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.



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# TRINITY NEWS

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# Easter at Trinity April 20, 2025 HF IS

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Worship 8:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

Easter Breakfast 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Free-will Offering

# Holy Week Worship

Thursday, April 17<sup>th</sup>
Maundy Thursday Worship
12:00 noon and 7:00 p.m.
Sanctuary

Friday, April 18th Good Friday Worship

12:00 noon Good Friday in Shadows Soup and Bread Lunch Anderson Hall

7:00 p.m. Tenebrae (A Service of Darkness) Sanctuary

#### Lenten Collection for LWR Personal Care Kits

We are collecting personal care items each week during Lent:

Week 1 March 9 Bars of Soap

Week 2 March 16 Lightweight Dark Bath Towels

Week 3 March 23 Toothbrushes
Week 4 March 30 <u>Sturdy</u> Combs

Week 5 April 6 Metal Nail Clippers
Week 6 April 13 Any of the above!

However, we will gladly accept any of these items whenever you bring them in!

#### Church Calendar April 19 - May 3

Saturday, April 19th – Psalm 31: 9-16

Sunday, April 20th – John 20: 1-18 *Easter* 

8:30 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary) 9:00 a.m. Easter Breakfast (AH) 10:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

Monday, April 21st – Luke 24: 1-12 *Office Closed* 

5:30 p.m. Church Council (CR)

Tuesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> – Acts 10: 34-43 Earth Day

11:30 a.m. Prime Timers Lunch (Lydia's) 2:00 p.m. Genesis Bible Study (CR)

Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> – 1 Corinthians 15: 19-26 9:30 a.m. Quilters (QR)

Thursday, April 24th – Ezekiel 36: 24-36

5:30 p.m. Building and Grounds (CR)7:30 p.m. RSO Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Friday, April 25th – Romans 12: 1-8

4:30 p.m. Spaghetti Dinner (TLC Gym)

Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup> – Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24

Sunday, April 27th - John 20: 19-31

8:30 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary) 9:30 a.m. Fellowship (AH) 10:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

3:00 p.m. RSO Chamber Concert (Sanctuary)

Monday, April 28th – Acts 5: 27-32

Tuesday, April 29th – Revelation 1: 4-8 5:00 p.m. TDC Staff Meeting (AH)

Wednesday, April 30<sup>th</sup> – 1 Peter 1: 4-8 12:00 noon TDC Board Meeting (BL)

Thursday, May 1st – Hebrews 11: 1-22

Friday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> - Hebrews 11: 23-40

Saturday, May 3rd - Psalm 150

May Baskets



Join us on Sunday, April 27 in Anderson Hall at 9:30 a.m. (during fellowship) to help create beautiful May Baskets for some very special people.

Donations of Spring Silk Flowers, Wired Ribbons and Baskets are greatly welcomed and appreciated. All donations can be placed in the container in the West Entrance.

Can you help deliver baskets? Baskets may be delivered between Sunday, April 27 and Thursday, May 1. If you have any questions, contact the church office (815-963-4446).

May Birthdays

Jeanne Brophy 92 5/1



**Please Pray For:** Helen, Phil, Barb, Jimmy, Jon, Norm, Kris, Cheri, Sharon, Danny, Sheila, Kim, Judy, Jerry, Peggy, Alex, Georgia, Larry, Jolyn, Mary Kay, Joey, Joyce, Russ, Joshua, Char, Don, Carol, Mike, Ron, Al, Jan, Julie, Reggie, Jeanette, Walter, Bart, Tony, Steve, Pat, Susan, Greg, Mirella, Deb, Billy, Jeff, Brandon, Rockford Leaders, Families