

# Worship Helpers

You can sign up to help in worship on the sign-up sheet in the fellowship hall or online at: [trinityhammond.org](http://trinityhammond.org)

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## Sunday, March 9

Greeter: Steve & Jean Peterson  
 Ushers: Kerry & Marti Peterson  
 Lector (Reader): Autumn Afdahl  
 Acolyte: Braden Afdahl  
 Slide show:  
 Sound/Video: Dan Doornink

## Sunday, March 16

Greeter: Lois Koosmann  
 Ushers: Lois Koosmann & Barb Schrank  
 Lector: Marti Peterson  
 Acolyte:  
 Communion: Dar Sittlow  
 Slide show: Henry Pommier  
 Sound/Video: Matt Pommier

# Giving

Thank you for supporting the ministry and mission of Trinity Lutheran Church!

3/2/25 - Attendance: 47 Online: 9

## January Financial Report

Account Balances as of 1/31/2024  
 General Fund: \$ 5,284.26  
 Youth Org: \$ 4,310.56  
 Memorial Fund: \$ 28,188.11  
 WELCA: \$ 1,454.69

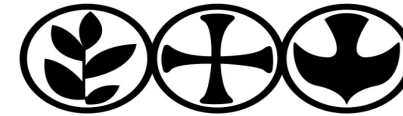
## January Numbers

Income: \$ 16,214.62  
 Expenses \$ 16,209.47  
 Income Less Exp: \$ 5.15  
 Outstanding Checks: \$ 2,946.27

## Year-to-date Numbers

Income: \$ 208,050.76  
 Expenses: \$ 204,844.54  
 Income Less Expenses: \$ 3,206.22

Note: The General Fund still owes the Memorial Fund \$2,400.



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Trinity Lutheran Church

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## Daylight Saving Time – Sunday, March 9

Please remember that this Sunday we will spring ahead and begin Daylight Saving Time. Sunrise and sunset will be about one hour later on March 9th.

## Lenten Season Midweek Confirmation and BAM followed by Worship

Ash Wednesday was March 5th. Now we will observe the five weeks of brief Lenten worship every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. This includes Wednesdays from March 12 through April 9. The theme for Lent this year is "Bearing One Another's Burdens: A Six-Week Journey of Support." Pastor Paul Backstrom and Pastor Julie Brenden will lead the series. In addition, a Lenten Devotional book, *Life Renewed*, is available for you to take home today.

**Confirmation and BAM** will gather on these Wednesdays, March 12 through April 9, for pizza at 6:00 p.m., class at 6:30 p.m., and ending with worship at 7:00 p.m.

**Lenten Midweek Worship** – March 12, 7:00-7:30 p.m. The focus of the worship is "God, Our Refuge and Strength."

## Trinity Annual Meeting

You may find a copy of the livestream of the annual meeting on Trinity's YouTube channel. If you would like a copy of the report, please request one through the church office. Meeting minutes will be available soon.

# This Week at Trinity

<b>Sunday, Mar. 9</b>	9:00 a.m.	Worship and Fellowship
	10:15 a.m.	<u>No BOLT</u>
<b>Tuesday, Mar. 11</b>	9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.	Office staffed
<b>Wednesday, Mar. 12</b>	9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.	Office staffed
	6:00 p.m. dinner, 6:30 p.m.—	BAM/Confirmation here
	7:00 p.m.	Lenten Service
<b>Sunday, Mar. 16</b>	9:00 a.m.	Worship and Fellowship
	10:15 a.m.	<u>No BOLT</u>

## Schedule for Lent at Trinity

March 12th – 7:00-7:30 p.m. Worship – “God, Our Refuge and Strength”  
6:00 p.m. Pizza, 6:30-7:00 p.m. Confirmation and BAM Service Project  
March 19th – 7:00-7:30 p.m. Worship – “Supporting Each Other in the Church”  
6:00 p.m. Pizza, 6:30-7:00 p.m. Confirmation and BAM Service Project  
March 26 – 7:00-7:30 p.m. Worship – “Christ Carries Our Burdens”  
6:00 p.m. Pizza, 6:30-7:00 p.m. Confirmation and BAM Classes  
April 2 – 7:00-7:30 p.m. Worship – “Supporting the Weak and Vulnerable”  
6:00 p.m. Pizza, 6:30-7:00 p.m. Confirmation and BAM Classes  
April 9 – 7:00-7:30 p.m. Worship – “The Power of Prayer in Support”  
6:00 p.m. Pizza, 6:30-7:00 p.m. Confirmation and BAM Classes  
April 17 (Maundy Thursday)- 6:30 p.m. Worship with Holy Communion  
April 18 (Good Friday) Trinity members will have two community services to choose from on this day: 12 Noon - Baldwin Ministerium-led worship at Peace in Baldwin, or Roberts and Hammond area service at Cross in Roberts at 7:00 p.m.

## Confirmation and BAM Service Project

During the weeks of Spring Break for the schools, Confirmation and BAM participate in a Service Project. The items are needed by March 12th. This year the project is creating Lutheran World Relief Personal Care Kits. The congregation is invited to join in purchasing new items for the kits by March 12th. Flyers with instructions are available for those interested in buying new items. Please check the list for specifics about each item.

Bath Towels – lightweight, 52”x27” maximum size, dark colors recommended  
Bath Size bars of soap, 8 or 9 oz., any brand, (2 or 3 for each kit)  
Adult Size Toothbrush in its original single package  
One sturdy comb, removed from packaging  
One metal nail clipper (attached file optional), package removed

Thank you for your participation in the Service Project which partners with Lutheran World Relief’s **Season of Hope**. Across the globe, families have been suffering from compounding crises such as war, violence, natural disasters, disease and extreme weather. LWR says to the world that Christ makes a new season possible: **a Season of Hope**.

## Trinity - Orville Owens Memorial Scholarship

Applications for the Trinity - Orville Owens Memorial Scholarship are available. Any member of Trinity Lutheran Church of Hammond, WI who is continuing their education at any four-year, two-year, or vocational school and who has not previously received a Trinity-Orville Owens Memorial Scholarship is eligible. **The deadline for submitting applications is April 9, 2025. No late entries will be accepted.**

You may request an application by emailing: [trinitylutheranhammond@gmail.com](mailto:trinitylutheranhammond@gmail.com), or, you can pick one up from the Endowment Committee's mail box located in the Fellowship Hall. Submit the application along with 1 letter of recommendation to:

Trinity Endowment Fund Treasurer, Trinity Lutheran Church  
1250 Broadway St., P.O. Box 68 Hammond, WI 54015

## Bulletin Sponsorships Available

If you are interested in honoring a loved one or remembering a special date with the congregation, there are many opportunities in 2025 to sponsor a bulletin and newsletter. For \$8 you can submit a note to be included for a particular Sunday. Please send these to Lois Koosmann at: [lois044@centurytel.net](mailto:lois044@centurytel.net)

## Prayer Ministry

**Prayer Requests:** Prayers for the family of Christine Hillstead  
Prayers for the homebound and those in Care Centers:  
Dorothy Hage, Lenore Moll, Beth Monson

**Prayer Point:** The millions of people suffering in the world from war, violence, natural disasters, disease, extreme weather, hunger, poverty, and oppression.

**Spiritual Practice:** Open yourself to being changed by scripture. Gaze at a passage, that is, memorize a passage, a story or teaching of Jesus, and live with it for the next two months. Recite it every day. Meditate on it every day. Reflect out into the community what you come to know.

**Submit a Prayer Request:** Please fill out the blue prayer request sheet found in the sanctuary and place in the offering plate, or email: [tlchwelca@gmail.com](mailto:tlchwelca@gmail.com), or call the church office and leave a message at 715-796-2788.