



## Easter Flower Orders & Dedications 3/5 - 3/22



Easter flowers will once again adorn Trinity's Sanctuary in celebration of the resurrection of Christ. Flower Dedications will appear in the Easter Sunday worship slide show, May Pathways newsletter, and as an insert in the worship bulletin. Last day to order: 9AM, WED. 3/22. Flowers go home on Easter. You may cut out the order form below or pick a form in the office.

Trinity Easter Flowers (6" Pots)	Price	qty.	\$ Total
Easter Lily	\$13.50		
Blue Hydrangea	\$30		
Azalea (pink/white)	\$23		
Yellow Tulip	\$11		
Orange Tulip	\$11		
White Mum	\$14		
Yellow Mum	\$14		
Donation to Sanctuary			
Given by:	Total	\$	<input type="text"/>
In honor/memory/celebration of...			
Cash or checks (to Trinity). Memo line: "Easter Flowers"			

## OGHS Offering at Trinity on Easter Sunday, 4/9

Jesus teaches us in Matthew 25, that in every time and season, the Church connects with itself and its Savior through relation-

ships with those who have least. For over 70 years, One Great Hour of Sharing has partnered with others to take action to share God's love.

OGHS is the single, largest way that Presbyterians come together every year to work for a better world. Each gift to One Great Hour of Sharing helps improve the lives of the suffering and the vulnerable through three life-saving programs:

### PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE

Restore Streets to Live In

### PRESBYTERIAN HUNGER PROGRAM

Share your Bread  
with the Hungry

### SELF-DEVELOPMENT OF PEOPLE

Loose the Bonds of Injustice

## March Worship

with Reverend David Stewart

**3/5 - 2nd Sunday in Lent  
with Communion**  
**Message: Because God Is:  
I am Baptized**

10AM - In Person & YouTube  
11:15 Soul Feast - Session #7

**3/12 - 3rd Sunday in Lent**  
10AM - In Person & YouTube  
11:15 Soul Feast - Session #8

**3/19 - 4th Sunday in Lent**  
10AM - In Person & YouTube  
11:10 Sunday School  
11:15 Soul Feast - Session #9

**3/15- Agape Meal/Celebration  
At North Presbyterian**  
6PM - Bring a plate to share

**3/26 - 5th Sunday in Lent**  
10AM - In Person & YouTube

**Reminder: 3/12 is Daylight Saving**



Set clocks ahead 1 hour!



*We are there*

... with Presbyterians worldwide who are answering God's call.  
This Lenten season, please give what you can.



## Rev. David Stewart Preaching at Trinity on March 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th



Join Trinity in welcoming back Rev. David Stewart for the month of March. He is the retired pastor of Dayton Avenue Presbyterian Church and lives in the Summit-University neighborhood of St. Paul. His wife, Elona Street-Stewart, was very active in local school affairs and is the Executive of the Synod of Lakes & Prairies, and former co-moderator of PCUSA. He has four grown children (three sons and one daughter) living in the area and proudest of all, his five grandchildren.

### Clerk's Corner

#### Highlights of Session activities:

You may have noticed in the church building that many fans have been running 24/7 to dry out some of the classrooms. During the rainstorm we had around Valentines Day water accumulated on the flat roof and ice did not allow it to run off through the normal drain process. As water will do, it sought and found a path somewhere through the roof. Given the ice and snow on the roof, it is particularly difficult to find out exactly where or to what extent is that path. The Building & Grounds Committee is actively working with Service Pro to minimize the damage and with our insurance company to file a claim.

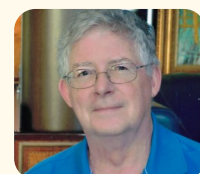
Confirmation classes will resume when April returns from the first segment of her sabbatical. Classes will pick up on Wednesday evenings and on Sundays beginning March 29.

In April's absence, please call Amy at the church office with any pastoral needs. If urgent and the office is not open, please call Brad Wright or Kathie Wilkinson.

April will be with us for worship on Sunday, March 26th and will return to the pulpit on Palm Sunday, April 2.

Please join in the discussions of *Soul Feast* after the worship services on March 5, 12 & 19. A soup luncheon is served each week as part of the discussion. While reading the book is helpful, it is not required for you to have read the book to attend the discussions each week. Please join in!

As always, the Session appreciates each of you and encourages feedback on the mission and ministry of Trinity Presbyterian Church. Please consider joining one of our committees.



Jay Wilkinson, Clerk of Session

### Trinity Presbyterian Program Financial Summary

Trinity Presbyterian Program Financial Summary			Thru month of	Jan-23
	Month Actual	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	Annual Budget
Total Program Donations	\$42,941.44	\$42,941.44	\$21,010.67	\$252,128.37
Total Program Expenditures	\$24,145.01	\$24,145.01	\$23,805.39	\$279,942.42
Donations Less Expenses	\$18,796.43	\$18,796.43	(\$2,794.72)	(\$27,814.05)
Checking Roll Forward Add	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$12,000.00
Income Less Expenses	\$19,796.43	\$19,796.43	(\$1,794.72)	(\$15,814.05)
Program Mortgage Expense	\$4,344.90	\$4,344.90	Actual program donations for 2022 thru DEC: \$269,497 Budgeted program donations through the month: \$272,493 Difference: (\$2,996) Program donations w/JAN prorated for 2022 thru DEC: \$269,497 Budgeted program donations through the month: \$272,493 Difference: (\$2,996)	
Mortgage Principal Paid	\$3,817.80	\$3,817.80		
Mortgage Interest Paid	\$527.10	\$527.10		
Mortgage Balance	\$149,291.50			

# Woodbury Community EXPO 2023 SAT. APRIL 1st

WOODBURY AREA  
**Chamber**  
OF COMMERCE

Trinity will be participating in the 2023 Woodbury Community Expo. Come and celebrate more than 10 years of bringing together commerce and community. The Woodbury Area Chamber of Commerce invites you to experience a lively family friendly atmosphere where you can visit with a variety of businesses from many industries all under one roof. There will be fun for every age including entertainment, activities and prizes! Visit more than 125 local businesses and organizations, along with enjoying tasty food by local restaurants. Be sure to visit Trinity's expo booth! Best of all, admission is FREE!

**Main Stage & Community Stage Entertainment** - View high energy shows all day long!

**Vehicle Fair** - Feel like a kid again. Climb inside police cars, a fire truck, city trucks-large & small, construction equipment & more!

**Kids Area - FREE!** Entertain the kids for hours! Enjoy a bounce house, face painting, science experiments, animal zone, giveaways & more!

**Food Area** - Stop by the food area to satisfy your craving with a variety of flavors from the Woodbury area.

**Enter to Win** - Gift card giveaways from many local businesses given away at the main stage throughout the day!



Trinity at the 2022 Expo!

**Would you like to represent Trinity at the Expo? Shifts are available! (10am-12, 12pm-2 & 2-4pm)**

## An Invitation to an AGAPE MEAL!



### The Lord's Supper at The Table of Christian Fellowship

**Wednesday, March 15th  
6:00 pm ~ Meisenheimer Hall  
North Presbyterian Church  
(Please bring: 1 tray of finger foods)**

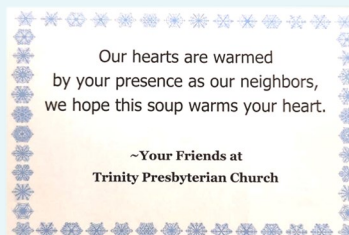
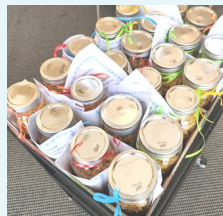
Join Trinity this Lent as we celebrate an ancient Christian custom at North Presbyterian Church, an Agape Meal! We will gather together for music, fellowship, worship, and a light supper. Hosted by the Elders and Deacons of North Church, the evening promises to be a fun and inspiring gathering!

In the first years of Christianity Christians gathered to worship God, to praise Jesus Christ, to enjoy their fellowship, and share the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. They called their gatherings "Agape Meals" from the Greek word for supreme, perfect love.

Dress comfortably and bring a tray of "finger food" to share. The Elders and Deacons will circulate around the room as they did long ago making sure everyone has enough to eat. Table service and beverage will be provided.

We will glorify God through our singing, listen to special music, read scripture, share prayers and the Lord's Supper at our dinner tables, just like the early Christians did long ago in Jerusalem. It will be an evening to remember!

**Address: 2675 Highway 36 E, N St Paul, MN 55109**



Thank you to everyone for your teamwork at the **Jan. 22nd Caring & Sharing** service! Trinity's mission project was assembling soup jars to be presented to the employees of Trinity's neighboring businesses; Artis & New Horizons. The jars were greatly appreciated.

Caring & Sharing services bring congregants together to partake in mission projects and share in conversation in the Fellowship Hall.





# Happy March Birthday!

Debi E.

Sue B.

Devon B.

Marty D.

Jason A.

Alain F.

Laura T.

Greg V.

Ethan L.

Mike S.

Bonnie H.

Jay W.

Jane W.

To be included in Trinity's birthday section, please contact the office. Trinity does not currently have birthdates/birth months recorded for every person of Trinity. Age and year of birth are optional.



Dear Friends, As we start a new year, I want to express my sincere gratitude for Trinity Presbyterian Church's support of Every Meal.

Trinity's Philanthropy this past year was critical to fighting child hunger in MN at a time when we continue to see a high demand for our food support. Because Every Meal fills the food gaps that government programs don't reach, we rely on the support of your organization and others in our community to keep our work going and growing. We turn every donation into nutritious, delicious and relevant food that goes home every Friday to kids asking to have enough to eat on the weekends.

In October, Every Meal reached a bittersweet milestone - the distribution of our 10 millionth meal since we began! The need is real in our community and we saw it increase throughout the year. With over 11,500 children now participating in our Weekend Meal Program, Trinity's support last year made it possible to provide our food bags to these children every week!

For your records, Trinity's donations for 2022 were **\$2,207.12** (Total Giving)

On behalf of the kids we serve, thank you for your support in 2022. I'm grateful to have you as a partner in feeding children right here in our community.

Sincerely,  
Rob Williams,  
President and Founder of Every Meal



## Confirmation Classes

Grades  
7-12

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**March Reminder:**  
Sunday School Meets:  
Sunday, March 19th  
11:10 -12:10pm

Sunday School class meets once per month (on the 3rd Sunday monthly).

# Announcements, Events & Opportunities

## Order Easter Flowers!

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## Sunday School Class session

**#6 Meets on March 19th.** Sunday School meets every third Sunday of the month, 11:10-12:10pm. Please contact the office if you would like to volunteer to give a lesson/s.

**Trinity Giving 2023** If you have not yet returned your giving card for 2023, please email your esti-

mate to the office or leave a written note/estimate in the office. Thank you!

## Deacon Congregational Family Assignments: (by last name)

Jane Willison (Abo-Eff)

Jane Williams (Eki-Lab)

Kathie Wilkinson (Lath-Sac)

Angela Roesler (Sche-Wrig)

## "Tuesdays @ 2" Bible Study

This study will resume in the spring. If you are interested in joining the next study, please contact Pastor April.

## Next Game Night Meets Friday March 10th at the Freeman home

- Join your Trinity friends for Game Night! All are welcome. This group meets on the second Friday of the month. If you have favorite games, bring them! Note: Full vaccination is required. Contact Brad Wright with questions.

## Subscribe to Trinity's Weekly News Source!

Subscribe to Trinity's weekly news email to be sure to get important Trinity news, announcements, worship schedule, Trinity photos and more, all in one place! Contact the office to subscribe. You will receive one weekly news blast for Friday news and a worship blast on Sunday morning.

## Trinity Text Alerts

Trinity utilizes 'SK Notify' to send important text announcements. When you subscribe to

SK Notify, you will receive no more than one text per week. Please contact the church office if you would like Trinity text alert messages sent to your mobile phone. If phone numbers change, contact the office.

## Would you like to give a Children's Message?

We would like to return to having a regular Children's Message in worship and we are looking for Children's Message volunteers to speak live or in a pre-recorded message. Resources are available to you. Questions? Contact Pastor April.

## MARCH VOLUNTEERS

### Welcome/Ann./Call to Worship:

3/5 - Lynn B.

3/12 - Brad W.

3/19 - Stephanie H.

3/26 - Pastor April

**Communion Prepare** - Don B.  
**Communion Serve** - Don B. & John G.

### Liturgist:

3/5 - Lynn B.

3/12 - Doug R.

3/19 - Open

3/26 - Pastor April

### Fellowship:

3/5 - VanderVeers

3/12 - Open

3/19 - Open

3/26 - Open

### Soul Feast Book Leaders:

3/5 - Don B.

3/12 - Lynn B.

3/19 - Brad W. & Kathleen S.

### Soul Feast Meal:

3/5 - Kathie W./Stephanie H.

3/12 - Ross/Jane W. & Barb F.

3/19 - Kathie W. & Gayle S.

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651-738-0045  
Church Hours: M-Th, 9:00-5:00 pm

## TRINITY MISSION STATEMENT:

*Growing in Christ,  
Sharing God's Love.*

## TRINITY CARES FOR:

*Creation, Community,  
Family & Christian Growth*

## TRINITY STAFF:

Pastor Rev. Dr. April Davis Campbell  
Amy Sachse - Office Administrator  
Jane Wasiluk - Director of Music  
Neal Strand - Choir Director



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