

# Trinity Tidings

April 2026



TRINITY  
LUTHERAN CHURCH

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*Trinity Church Council members can be identified by their blue name tags. These individuals, along with ushers, are good people to consult with if an issue arises on a Sunday morning.*

## Pastor's Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday: 10 am to 3 pm

*When possible, please call to set up an appointment.*



### ***Help us keep the prayer list up-to-date...***

If the need for prayer that put you on the list is no longer pressing or ongoing, please let the office know. Thank you!

**Please continue to pray:** For the lives, health, and healing of

**Isaiah Baughman, Shayna Bruker, Larry Dunn, Ulla Edwards,**

**Katrina Ellman, Danny Gusdal, David Harris, Jack Harrison, Judy Johnson,**

**Carol Kruse, Cathianne Lang, Joy Ryce, Sally VanDenBerg,**

**Julia Wadagnolo, Bob Warner, Steve Wendlandt, for those who are shut-**

**ins, lonely, grieving, or are in danger around the world, and for all those**

**servicing in the military.**

***Please note:*** The full prayer chain and updates are distributed by email or phone. Prayer is available to anyone. Please contact the church office to add prayers for you or your loved one.

*Please contact the office if you would like to receive prayer updates by email.*

### **Financial Update Through February 2026**

		<i>Over/(Under)</i>
Monthly Needed:	\$19,577.07	
Monthly Received:	\$24,231.67	\$4,654.14
YTD Needed:	\$39,154.14	
YTD Received:	\$42,624.81	\$3,470.67



Church Treasurer,  
Barbara Dresser



## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



We are deep into preparing for Holy Week, and the services will be beautiful. However, my mind is on all the people who come to the church front door almost everyday looking for food and water. I wonder if we can give out simple First-Aid packets because more people are asking for aspirin or any other pain reliever as well as food. It is hard to live on the street, and with Spring coming in, my heart and prayers are with the people I am beginning to recognize by name.

I know you all give so much to the church, but I must ask that we try to keep our pantry full, and bags available. This Tuesday morning, I have already given food to one family of three and one bag to “Emma,” who is an elderly lady, who today, at first simply asked for water, and then aspirin. Emma is a regular and knows the rules, and she is so sweet. We could sure use a couple cases of water every now and then.

The hygiene kits are really important and I look forward to our Worship in the Park when we will be intentionally be creating more hygiene kits. I wonder if we could have a few more made up before our official Worship in the Park Sunday...

More people are asking for adult cleansing wipes as well. I take my morning shower for granted, but many people on the street have nowhere to clean their bodies. I found many types of adult cleansing wipes on Amazon, [https://www.amazon.com/s?k=body+cleansing+wipes+for+adults&crid=LCKRQGZIUMKQ&srefix=body+clea,aps,515&ref=nb\\_sb\\_ss\\_p13n-expert-pd-ops-ranker\\_ci\\_hl-bn-left\\_1\\_9](https://www.amazon.com/s?k=body+cleansing+wipes+for+adults&crid=LCKRQGZIUMKQ&srefix=body+clea,aps,515&ref=nb_sb_ss_p13n-expert-pd-ops-ranker_ci_hl-bn-left_1_9)

Yes, Spring has sprung and even though right now the weather is almost perfect for those of us who are blessed to have a safe dwelling place to sleep and live in, soon the weather will change and become almost unbearably hot. Some of you have blessed our food-pantry with special skin lotions, suntan lotions hand sanitizer and such that, and these make a big difference for those living on the street.

One thing for sure is that we try to direct as many people as possible to the High Desert Homeless, Inc. in Victorville. Some will go, others will not, but whatever happens, if someone comes to our doors hungry, we will share from the abundance God has already blessed us with.

Spring is here and we have been so blessed as a Community of Faith! I ask you again to remember that little mantra, “Going to Church? Bring a Can!” I have given you more ideas as to other items we can pass out to people in need. It is so gratifying to be able to offer food and water to people in need, but we need to keep our shelves full. On Sunday morning, please come into the conference room and check out YOUR food-pantry. You will be inspired by seeing all the essential items you have provided to share with the neighborhood needy.

Thank your being the Body of Christ in this neighborhood.

Grace always,  
Pastor Tim

## WORSHIP VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

Date	Ushers	Lector	Communion	Acolyte	Sunday School Teacher (kids)	LiveStream
<b>4-2</b>  <b>6:30 pm</b>  <b>MAUNDY THURS.</b>	Beva Heath  Lynn Heinz	Marilyn Gonzalez	Marilyn Gonzalez  Teresa Nava	Aundrea Gonzalez	N/A	Anita Holmes
<b>4-3</b>  <b>6:30 pm</b>  <b>GOOD FRIDAY</b>	Ray Wolf  Mark Olson	Connie Johnson	Connie Johnson  Lynn Heinz	Crystal Piccoli	N/A	Anita Holmes
Date	Ushers	Lector	Communion	Acolyte	Sunday School Teacher (kids)	LiveStream
<b>4-5</b>  <b>EASTER</b>	Larry Andersen  Mark Olson	Allison Baughman	Allison Baughman  Connie Johnson  Marilyn Gonzalez	Aundrea Gonzalez	Therese Moore	Matt Baughman
<b>4-12</b>	Lynn Heinz  Marilyn Gonzalez	Ray Wolf	Ray Wolf  Anita Holmes	Sawyer Weygandt	Eden Weygandt  Beva Heath	Josh Weygandt
<b>4-19</b>	Teresa Nava  Aundrea Gonzalez	Beva Heath	Beva Heath  Allison Baughman	Henry Danser	Paul Sanchez	Matt Baughman
<b>4-26</b>	Larry Andersen  Lynn Heinz	Eric Amundson	Eric Amundson  Ray Wolf	Crystal Piccoli	Mark Olson	Anita Holmes





*High Desert*

CANCER CONNECTION

*Spring Fling*  
*Bunco & Tea*

Join us for a delightful afternoon  
featuring light appetizers and iced tea.

*Wear your most creative headwear to win  
the Best Tea Hat Award!*

**APRIL 25TH**

**2:00 PM – 4:00 PM**

*Trinity Lutheran Church*  
16138 Molino Dr.  
Victorville, CA 92345

***Bunco Buy-In \$20.00***

**Raffle and Auction**

This is a limited space event.  
Payment must be received to hold spot.  
Please contact (760) 885-2420 or  
our Facebook page *High Desert Cancer Connection*  
for tickets & questions.



With deep gratitude and appreciation, we thank Allison Baughman for her faithful service to Trinity over the years as President, Secretary, and Council Member. Allison has given so generously of her time, energy, and heart, leading with wisdom, humility, and a genuine love for this community. Her presence in leadership has been a steady and encouraging gift to us all.

We are especially thankful for the way Allison has modeled courage and authenticity in this season. Her willingness to be honest about her limits and to make a thoughtful, prayerful decision reflects a deep trust in God and a meaningful example of what faithful leadership can look like. By discerning her limits and choosing to step back from leadership, she reminds us that faithful leadership includes listening for God's guidance, honoring our well-being, and trusting that God continues to sustain the work of the church through many hands. In this, she has continued to lead us well.

While we will miss her in this role, we are grateful that Allison remains a beloved part of the Trinity family. We give thanks not only for all she has done, but for who she is—her kindness, her thoughtfulness, her integrity, and the quiet, steady faith she brings into this community. She is a gift to this church, and we are deeply thankful for her.

With heartfelt thanks,  
The Church Council



## 2026 REGIONAL GATHERINGS

APRIL 25 | HAWAII [LUTHERAN CHURCH OF HONOLULU]  
MAY 2 | INLAND EMPIRE [TRINITY, RIVERSIDE]  
MAY 9 | ORANGE COUNTY [BETHLEHEM, LOS ALAMITOS]  
MAY 16 | SAN DIEGO [CLAIREMONT, SAN DIEGO]  
JUNE 20 | A-ZOOM-BLY [ON ZOOM]

### Register Now For Your Regional Gathering!

Each Regional Gathering will be held from 10am-2pm and lunch will be provided.

#### **Everyone is invited to the Regional Gathering in your area:**

rostered persons, lay persons, voting members and non-voting members. All are welcome!

Just as in 2024, this will be an assembly in two parts. Voting members are expected to attend both the Regional Gathering in their area and the all-synod assembly being held over Zoom (aka the "A-Zoom-bly") on June 20, 2026.

The Regional Gatherings will be an opportunity to worship together, and be in conversation together, as we support one another in mission and ministry in these challenging times.

Registration for the Regional Gatherings is now open.

**[Click here for the registration link](#)**. The cost per person will be \$25 and each congregation is welcome to bring as many people as they would like, in

addition to your assembly voting members. Each person must be registered to attend, in order to plan for meals and seating. Their registration deadline will be 2 weeks before each event (see dates below).

*Please note that registration and payment for the Regional Gatherings is separate from your "A-Zoom-bly" voting member registration which will open in mid-March.*



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 NO GAME DAY	2 <b>Maundy Thursday</b> 10:00 California Retired Teachers Association 6:30 Maundy Thursday Service	3 <b>Good Friday</b> 6:00 Iglesia de Dios Emmanuel 6:30 Maundy Thursday Service	4 10:00 Widows & Widowers Meeting
5 <b>Easter</b> 9:30 Worship/Fellowship 12:30 Mt. Moriah 4:00 Iglesia de Dios Emmanuel	6 9:30 Dorcus Quilting	7 11:30 Bible Study 5 Executive Mtg 6:00 Boy Scouts	8	9	10 12:00 TLC High Desert Second Chance Food Pick-Up 6:00 Iglesia de Dios	11 10:00 Widows & Widowers Meeting 1:00 TLC Food Giveaway
12 9:30 Worship/Fellowship 10:30 Congregational Mtg 12:30 Mt. Moriah 4:00 Iglesia de Dios Emmanuel	13 NO WORSHIP MTG	14 11:30 Bible Study 6:00 Boy Scouts 6:30 Property Mtg	15	16	17 6:00 Iglesia de Dios Emmanuel 8:00 Mt. Moriah	18 10:00 Mt. Moriah Tea
19 9:30 Worship/Fellowship 12:30 Mt. Moriah 4:00 Iglesia de Dios Emmanuel	20 <b>Newsletter Articles Due</b> 9:30 Dorcus Quilting	21 11:30 Bible Study 5:00 Council Mtg 6:00 Boy Scouts	22	23	24 6:00 Iglesia de Dios Emmanuel	25 10:00 Widows & Widowers Meeting 1:00 Sprint Fling Bunco & Tea (F. Hall) 1:00 Centering Prayer (Conf. room)
26 9:30 Worship/Fellowship 12:30 Mt. Moriah 4:00 Iglesia de Dios Emmanuel	27	28 11:30 Bible Study 6:00 Boy Scouts	29	30		



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followed by coffee and fellowship

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