

**Prayer List of Military Personnel**

Logan R. Broome	Son-in-law of Pat Cotter
Kyle Darwin	Nephew of Jerry and Nancy Brown
Randy DeValk	Son of Brian and Janet DeValk
Jared Haberlin	Son of Art and Chris Haberlin
Nicholas Langedyke	Grandson of Mort and Leah Gunderson
Sarah Wietbrock USAF	Daughter of Paul and Lisa Wietbrock
John Wietbrock USN	Son of Paul and Lisa Wietbrock
Andrew Brei	Grandson of Don and Dolores Brei
Caleb Raby	Son of Jason and Pam Raby
Dylan Carnagey	Grandson of Garry and Phyllis Rosenthal
Abbigale Strong	Granddaughter of Lenwood and Valerie Marx
Zachary Grace	Grandson of Lenwood and Valerie Marx
James March	Cousin of Jackie Smith
Bain Barkley USAF	Son of Alycia Barkley
Matthew Barkley ARNG	Son of Alycia Barkley
Brandon Barkley	Son of Alycia Barkley

**Upcoming Trinity Events**

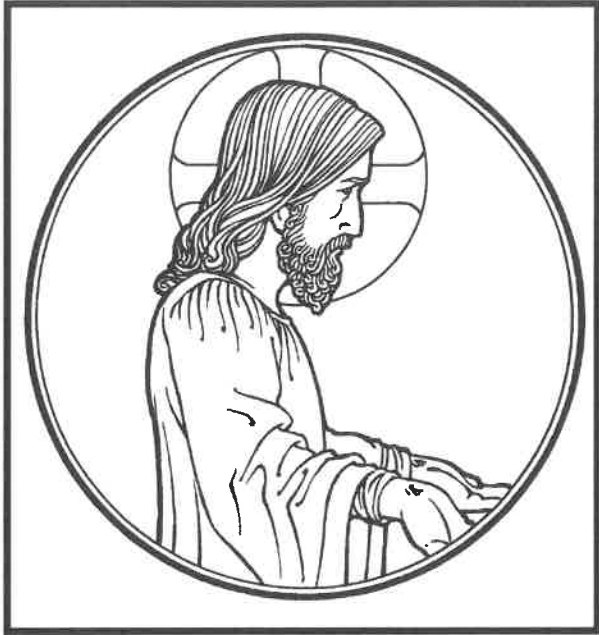
<b>Monday</b>	Youth Catechesis 6pm Men's Fellowship 7pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Women's Bible Study 10am
<b>Thursday</b>	Healthy Lifestyle Meeting 9am Adult Choir Practice 7pm
<b>Saturday</b>	Red Cross Blood Drive 7am-12noon

**Those Who Aided in Today's Service**

	<b><u>8:00 am</u></b>	<b><u>10:30 am</u></b>
<b>Elders</b>	Mike Dobbs	E.J. Viking
<b>Pianist</b>	Kristi Heinz	Kristi Heinz
<b>Ushers</b>	Jim Fetsch Bob Fox	Steve Swarens Josh Sickinger
<b>Greeters</b>	Brian & Tina Barnes	Donna Lee Laurie Marx

<b><u>Attendance Easter Sunday:</u></b>	137 + 98 = 235	<b><u>Communion:</u></b>	117 + 81 = 198
<b><u>Attendance Easter Vigil:</u></b>	177	<b><u>Communion:</u></b>	124
<b><u>Attendance Good Friday:</u></b>	55 + 86 = 141		
<b><u>Attendance Holy Thursday:</u></b>	37 + 57 = 94	<b><u>Communion:</u></b>	36 + 46 = 82

**QR CODE TO REGISTER  
FOR VBS:**



**Quasimodo Geniti:  
Second Sunday of Easter**

**07 April 2024  
Trinity Lutheran Church  
Lowell, Indiana**

**April 7, 2024 - Quasimodo Geniti: 2nd Sunday of Easter**  
**Trinity Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod**  
**Rev. Richard A. Heinz, Pastor      Mobile: 773-420-7177**  
**P. O. Box 236, Lowell, Indiana      Office: 219-696-9338**  
**Office email: office@trinitylowell.com**  
**Website: www.trinitylowell.org**  
**Divine Services—Sunday at 8:00 & 10:30 am**  
**Sunday School 9:25 am      Family Bible Study 9:30 am**

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**Welcome Guests!** We are glad to see you and happy that you have joined us today to praise and worship our Lord and Savior. Please fill out a guest card found in the pew rack in front of you.

**To Our Guests Regarding Holy Communion**—As a member congregation of The Lutheran Church--Missouri Synod, we believe we truly eat and drink the Body and Blood of Christ in His Sacrament, for forgiveness, life, and salvation. We ask that all who commune share this belief with us, and confess our common faith and doctrine. Communicant members of LCMS parishes and partner churches are welcome to commune.  
+ If you are new to us, please speak with the pastor before the service.  
+ Please fill out a card in the pew rack in front of you.  
+ *Guests who are not communing are welcome to come forward for a blessing during the Eucharist. You may fold your arms over your heart to indicate that you simply want a blessing.*

**Birthday Blessings** to Virginia Barrus on Saturday, April 13th. Her address is 18911 Idaho Court, Lowell, IN 46356.

There will be a **special Voters Meeting between services today** to discuss the estimate for removal of overgrown bushes on the church grounds.

**Men’s Fellowship** will resume meeting tomorrow, April 8th at 7:00 p.m. in the **parish hall**. All men of the congregation are welcome to join in this weekly time of fellowship and study.

**Women’s Bible Study** resumes on Wednesday, April 10th at 10:00 a.m. in the **parish hall**. All women are invited to attend this study led by Pastor Heinz.

**Adult Choir** will meet for practice this Thursday, April 11th at 7:00 p.m. in the church. This is the final practice before they recess for summer.

The **Parish Nurses** will be sponsoring a **Red Cross Blood Drive** this Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 a.m. to 12 noon in the **parish hall** at the church. To schedule your blood donation appointment, call 1-800-RED-CROSS or go to <redcrossblood.org> and use the sponsor code “Trinitylowell”. There is also a sign-up sheet on the table in the narthex.

“**Digging into the Apostles’ Creed**” is the title of this year’s VBS set for **June 9-13**. We still have positions to fill including: teachers, group leaders, craft helpers, snack helpers, games, kitchen crew to serve and clean up from dinner (they will not cook the meals,) and youth to assist with groups. If you want to help out, please call Laurie Marx at 219-696-4614. Mark your calendars, **our next VBS planning meeting** is set for **Tuesday, April 30th at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall. This meeting will be mandatory for all who will be helping with VBS.**

**Registration for “Digging into the Apostles’ Creed will begin today.** To register, use the QR code on the back of this bulletin or go to <https://vbsmate.com/TrinityLowell>. There are also registration forms on the table in the narthex. Register before May 12th to be guaranteed a VBS t-shirt.

**We will be sending out the unique identifier code to access our digital directory (see insert)** to everyone starting at 12:00 noon today. It will auto send to each family’s primary email address (make sure to check your junk folders). If there is not an email address associated with a person/family, or if you have not received the code, please reach out to Jason Sickinger. You can text him at 219-776-6557 or email him at [jbug6056@hotmail.com](mailto:jbug6056@hotmail.com). You can also contact him if you have any information that needs to be changed or updated, or if you would like to add a picture.

**Sisters of Mercy will NOT MEET tomorrow, April 8th. The meeting has been rescheduled for Monday, April 15th at 7:00 p.m. in the education building.**

**Trinity** will be hosting this year’s **Spring Prayer Breakfast** for the Hammond Zone LWML. This is open to **ALL women** of our congregation. It will be **Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. in the parish hall**. There will be a breakfast, a prayer service by Pastor Heinz, and a business meeting. We should be done by noon. We will be having an ingathering for Phil’s Friends. For more information, there is an invitation and list of items needed for the ingathering on the bulletin board in the narthex. **Please RSVP to Susan Stadt (219-844-6176) or the church office (219-696-9338) by April 14<sup>th</sup> if you plan to attend so we have enough food.**

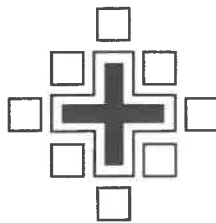
**Please be sure to pick up your Easter flowers today.** All flowers not picked up will be planted on the church grounds.

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# Second Sunday of Easter

*Quasimodo Geniti*

April 7, 2024



**INTROIT** Ps. 81:1, 7a, 10, 16b; antiphon: 1 Peter 2:2a

Like newborn infants, Alle- | luia,\*

long for the pure spiritual milk [of the Word.] Alle- | luia.

Sing aloud to | God our strength;\*

shout for joy to the God of | Jacob!

In distress you called, and I de- | livered you;\*

I answered you in the secret place of | thunder.

I am the | LORD your God,\*

who brought you up out of the land of | Egypt.

Open your mouth wide, and I will | fill it;\*

and with honey from the rock I would sat- | isfy you.

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***

**and to the Holy | Spirit;**

**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***

**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

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long for the pure spiritual milk [of the Word.] Alle- | luia.

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God, grant that we who have celebrated the Lord's resurrection may by Your grace confess in our life and conversation that Jesus is Lord and God; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## GRADUAL

*During the celebration of Easter and Pentecost, the Gradual is omitted and the Verse is expanded.*

## VERSE

Matt. 28:7b; John 20:26a, c

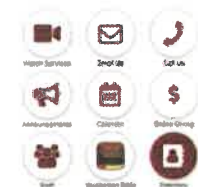
Alleluia. He has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee. Alleluia. Eight days later Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Alleluia.

## DAILY READINGS

**April 7:** Ex. 20:1–24; Luke 4:1–15; **8:** Ex. 22:20–23:13; Luke 4:16–30; **9:** Ex. 23:14–33; Luke 4:31–44; **10:** Ex. 24:1–18; Luke 5:1–16; **11:** Ex. 25:1–22; Luke 5:17–39; **12:** Ex. 31:1–18; Luke 6:1–19; **13:** Ex. 32:1–14; Luke 6:20–38.

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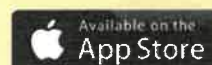
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