



Madison, South Dakota

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Palm Sunday

Sunday, March 29, 2026

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## *Celebration*

**PRELUDE**

“Turn Your Eyes”

**PROCESSIONAL READING**

Matthew 21:1–11

Celebrate Insert

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

P: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

C: **Hosanna in the highest!**

**PROCESSION WITH PALMS**

“Hosanna”

**MUSICAL REFLECTION**

Cherub Choir

**PEACE**

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

**SONG OF PRAISE**

“Tell the People I Love Them”

#132

**FIRST READING**

Isaiah 50:4–9a

Celebrate Insert

L: The word of the Lord. C: **Thanks be to God.**

**SECOND READING**

Philippians 2:5–11

Celebrate Insert

L: The word of the Lord. C: **Thanks be to God.**

**GOSPEL** (*Stand*)

Matthew 21:23–27

P: The Holy Gospel... C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

P: The Gospel of the Lord. C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

Deacon Koren

## SONG OF RESPONSE

"In Christ Alone"

#150

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

## HOLY COMMUNION

*Regardless of your age or faith background, you are welcome to join us in Holy Communion. Communion will be served at stations. Follow the directions of the ushers. If you would like to receive communion, please have your hands out and open. If you would like communion delivered to you in the pew, please notify an usher.*

## COMMUNION SONG

"Jesus, Name Above All Names"

#13

## POST-COMMUNION TABLE BLESSING

**P:** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**C:** Amen.

## OFFERING

"He is Lord"

#8a

*To give online, use this code. Thank you!*



## OFFERING PRAYER

## ANNOUNCEMENTS &amp; MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

## RESPONSIVE BENEDICTION

**May the Lord bless and keep us (echo)**

**May his face shine upon us (echo)**

**May his blessings be with us (echo)**

**And give us peace (echo)**

## SENDING SONG

"I'm Forever Grateful"

#122

## **DISMISSAL**

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## **POSTLUDE**

### **"I'm Forever Grateful"**

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### **WELCOME TO TRINITY**

The people of Trinity Lutheran Church believe that Christ welcomes ALL people to himself, as beloved children of God. This means that we embrace the full inclusion of all people into the life and ministry of this faith community. Whether you have been a lifelong member of Trinity or just discovered us, you are welcome. If you are certain of what you believe or are immersed in doubts, you are included. No matter how you may have previously been excluded, you belong. You are welcome to worship with us. You are welcome to the table to share in Holy Communion with us. You are welcome to join us for Bible studies, book studies, small groups, and other opportunities to explore your faith. You are welcome to participate in coffee hours, potlucks, and all the other gatherings we have as a faith community to celebrate and build relationships. You are welcome to serve with us, as we do our best to embody Christ's love in the world. We welcome YOU...just as Christ welcomes you...just as you are!

If you would like to be a part of what God is up to here at Trinity, if you would like to become more involved, or if you are feeling called to take on a formal leadership role in this faith community, we invite you to connect with Deacon Koren or Pastor Steve.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Remember in Prayer:** Krystal Draper, Sally Olson, Fay Dimick, Deanna Bergheim, Georgia Bellinger, Tim Schut, David Hanson, Virginia Oas, Mendy Herke, Maci Johnson, Kelly LaValliere, Lucas, Marilyn, Grace Wilkens, Shelby Hanson, Carrie Wieman, Kim Verhey, Jerry Larsen  
Families of Mason Wheeler (Dave Wheeler's brother), Joanne Boomgarden, and Mike Halseth on their deaths
- **Photo Release:** Over the next few weeks, Danielle Kearin will be taking photographs in worship and at various activities at Trinity. Some of these photos may be used on Trinity's website. If you do not want us to use photos that include you or a family member, please contact the office. Thank you.
- **Holy Week:** Join us for Maundy Thurs. worship at 6:30 p.m. and Good Fri. worship at 6:30 p.m. Easter worship services are at 7, 8:45, & 11 a.m., with coffee hour at 10 a.m. No Sat. worship until Apr. 11<sup>th</sup>.
- **Altar Guild:** The Altar Guild will have a rehearsal for Maundy Thur. stripping and veiling the altar on Tue., Mar. 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary.
- **Bethel Gala:** Bethel Lutheran Home's annual gala is at 5:30 p.m. on 4/16 at Dakota Prairie Playhouse. In support of this fundraiser, Trinity has reserved a table (8 seats) at the dinner. This table is open to any Trinity mission partners who would like to attend the gala at no cost. Also, if we have enough interest to fill more than one table, we will reserve a second table. If you are interested, please contact the office by 4/7.
- **Usher Training:** The next usher training will be after Easter. The date will be announced plenty ahead of time so you can make plans to attend.
- **Preschool Fundraiser:** The TLC Preschool is selling Wild Dutchman sunflower seeds from Mar. 30 to Apr. 10. Place your order with a student, board member, or in the narthex.
- Please check the newsletter for the current summary of the financials.

*Please see Trinity's eNews for weekly calendar and more detailed announcements.*

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