
WELCOME

Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church! On this day in the season of Epiphany, we gather for worship engaging elements of ritual from the Taizé worship community in France. This ecumenical monastic community gathers sojourners from around the world to unite in prayer and worship. Today we welcome Pastor Adam White, Senior Pastor at Faith Lutheran in Waconia, to offer a message based on his experiences there. We are also fortunate to host an authentic Taizé cross, where all are invited forward to reverence the cross later in the service, as we also share Holy Communion. God's blessings to you and your loved ones!

- Pastors Alicia and Ben Hilding

PRAYERS

Please keep in your prayers this week: Al G., Allen K., Chenelle J., Cheryl G., Darbie B., John S., Karen H., Laura C., Matt G., Michelle N., Rachel C., and Ray M.

**If you would like to be added to this public prayer list, please contact Pastor Alicia (alicia@holyltrinityonline.org).*

SPONSORS

Joan and George Winn sponsored the Radio Ministry this week. Thank you for your gift of ministry!

The Hospitality Ministry has openings for sponsors.

Sponsoring a week is a great way to support the church, honor a special event, or memorialize a loved one. The Radio Ministry is \$70, and the Hospitality Ministry (Wednesday evening meals) is \$300 (full week) or \$150 (half week). Please contact Jamie at office@holyltrinityonline.org or call 952.758.3513 to support these important ministries. Thank you!



WORSHIP

PRELUDE

WELCOME/ INVOCATION

OPENING HYMN *Come and Fill Our Hearts, ELW #528*

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Jesus our joy, you want us to have hearts that are simple, a kind of springtime of the heart. And then the complications of existence do not paralyze us so much. You tell us: don't worry; even if you have very little faith, I, Christ, am with you always. Amen.

CREW TIME DISMISSAL

SCRIPTURE READINGS 1 Kings 19:11-17
Romans 8:26-27

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION ELW #175

GOSPEL Luke 6:17-26

MESSAGE Pastor Adam White

HYMN OF THE DAY *Stay With Me, ELW #348*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE *Oh Lord Hear My Prayer, ELW #751*

WORDS OF INSTITUTION/ LORD'S PRAYER

TIME OF REVERENCE *Eat This Bread, ELW #472*
Jesus Remember Me, ELW #616
Ubi Caritas, ELW #642
In the Lord I'll be Ever Thankful

CREW TIME RETURNS

BENEDICTION

SENDING HYMN *Be Not Afraid, ELW #388*

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

NOTES

COMMUNION: Every person has a place at God's table. No exceptions. All are welcome to join the Holy Communion meal, regardless of church membership or denomination. During the time of reverence, you are welcome to receive Communion. Receive a wafer (regular or gluten-free) in your hand, and then select red wine or juice. Children (under 4th grade) and others who do not commune are welcome to receive a blessing.

HEARING DEVICES: Please visit the Soundbooth for assistance.

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: Holy Trinity is located on the original homelands of the Wahpekute (Dakota) people.

NURSERY: If you have someone who needs room to move, check out the Nursery! Exit the Sanctuary and turn right. You'll find comfortable seating, toys for little ones, and a TV to view worship.

OFFERING: Experience the joy of giving! Give via cash or check using the envelopes near your seat. Place it in the collection plate as the ushers pass your row. Give electronically by scanning the QR code (select "General Operating"). Lastly, all are welcome to make a joyful noise by placing your loose change in the metal milk can or giving your coins to a child to deliver your "noisy offering." 10% of the offering supports Holy Trinity's Mission Outreach projects. Thank you!



QR CODES: Easy as 1, 2, 3! Open your smartphone camera, hold it over the QR code, and tap the link.

RESTROOMS/CHANGING TABLES: Located directly outside the Sanctuary in the Lobby and the Fellowship Hall (north side).

WIFI: Username: HTLC-Guest, Password: Fellowship

FINANCES

Finances as of December 31, 2024	Year-to-Date Budget	Year-to-Date Actual	Campaign Gifts Received
Revenue	\$650,632	\$641,278	\$758,425
Expenses	\$650,520	\$629,204	Gifts to receive
Revenue - Expenses	\$112	\$12,074	\$493,974

RESPOND

ADULT FORUM: Following worship, Pastor Adam White will host a conversation to hear more about this Taizé worship community in France, and his experiences there. Confirmation students and the general worship community are each invited. Please join Pastor White in the Classroom (Sunday) or remain in the Sanctuary (Wednesday).

CULTIVATING CONNECTIONS: Lent Small Groups are a great way to meet new people while diving deeper into your faith. Groups are offered during a variety of times and days. Sign up by scanning the QR code or contact Jamie at 952.758.3513 or office@holytrinityonline.org.

QUINN'S BRACELETS: Available now - February 21 in the church office. Donations accepted in person or scan the QR code to support the Endowment Fund.



MINDFUL YOGA: Sunday, February 23, 4 pm. Large Classroom. Join Jen Saylor for an hour of mindfulness, strength, ease, and gratitude. All levels are welcome. Ages 14+.

BLACK HISTORY EDUCATION EVENT: Sunday, Feb. 23, 10 am, Large Classroom. Join the Racial Justice Committee in viewing a one-hour video, "A Time For Burning" with discussion to follow. Scan the QR for more information about the video. **Intended for high school and older.

MARDI GRAS SENIOR LUNCHEON: Tuesday, March 4, Noon - 1 pm, Fellowship Hall. Yes, Lutherans celebrate Fat Tuesday! Anyone age 55+ is invited to enjoy delicious food, fun games, and great conversations. Cost is a free-will offering (suggested donation of \$5). **RSVP to Jamie by Tuesday, Feb. 25 by calling 952.758.3513 or emailing office@holytrinityonline.org.**

FAITH MILESTONE CLASS: Sunday, March 2, 4:30 - 6:30 pm: First Communion - 4th grade students. These family-friendly classes include dinner! RSVP to kate@holytrinityonline.org by Wednesday, Feb. 26.

SERMON NOTES

Answer the following reflection questions as you participate in the Taizé service. After worship, listen closely as Pastor Adam White shares his experience in Taizé, France.

Name: _____

1. Which part of the Taizé service did you enjoy most? Why?
2. Describe what you thought was most interesting about Pastor Adam's talk.
3. Would you ever want to visit Taizé? Why or why not?

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FEBRUARY 19, 2025

SUNDAY: 9 AM
WEDNESDAY: 6 PM

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