

The Trinity Trumpet

April 2025

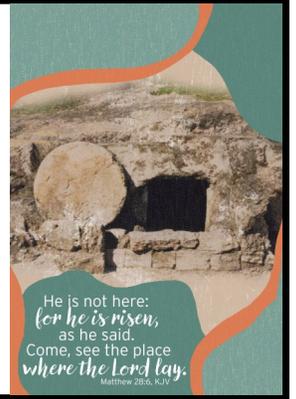
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The Shell or the Tomb

“Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to Him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.” Ephesians 3:20-21

“If the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through his Spirit who dwells in you.” Romans 8:11

Have you ever considered that egg you hold in your hand as you make breakfast? It’s light and fragile, and we know it is as we have all had the experience of dropping an egg, only to have to clean up the mess. That egg comes to be seen as frail and fragile and for all extensive purposes, is weak; and if we go on to think about chickens, it is a wonder that any of them make it through to becoming a chick, much less dinner on our plate.

Think about it, the mom and dad will sit on top of that fragile little, thin-skinned thing, and yet instead of being crushed by their weight, it is warmed by their bodies until it is ready to bring forth life. How is that possible? Well, I did a bit of research and what I found was amazing. Theoretically, that shell, because of its thickness, diameter and size as a large shell egg could withstand 3,000 pounds. In truth from studies in a lab setting, it was found that an egg could withstand from 100 to 300 pounds as a maximum load. That is amazing.

How can something so fragile, so weak in appearance, withstand all that? Support that weight? Hold up under that pressure? Now, knowing that the Easter Egg has been a standard object to represent the resurrection for such a long time, we perhaps have stopped considering why, except for the promise of goodies in plastic eggs and the image of new birth in that egg. But, maybe, just maybe, the Easter Egg should be reconsidered as a symbol of Easter from a much broader perspective.

Lent has been a time to consider our frailty. We come to realize that when God tell us, “[We] are dust and to dust [we] will return” in Genesis 3, He is honestly sharing the truth of our condition. But that is why Jesus came into the world. To save the lost. Lent leads to Good Friday, which is an oxymoron in anyone’s book, where the cross – the most terrible weapon of death and humiliation, crushes the shell of the one who has come into the world to save us, and in fact does. And the outcome? Well, it is a tomb. The secure holding place of the dead. Locking them up like in prison to hold them and keep them from the living.

To look at the description and history that surrounds Jesus’ tomb there are stone walls, a huge stone rounded to be pushed into place covering the tomb which makes a terrible thud as it falls into place dropping down into a carved well to hold it secure. In this case, sealed even with Pilates official seal to prevent anyone from opening. Without question the tomb looks strong, secure, and final; and whoever is inside is sealed away from everyone, forever.

If you ask any Joe on the street which one would win, the egg or the tomb for strength and assurance, the answer would be: The Tomb. But as Christians we aren’t dealing with the average Joe. In that marvelous, amazing tomb, under all that weight and pressure, Jesus isn’t crushed and sealed away forever, but the tomb warms Him, holds Him, and then gives new birth to Him as the Bible describes, “being the first fruit of a new creation.” That shell that withstands the crushing pressure of life and death and doesn’t break but holds the load until what is revealed is a new thing: new life, eternal life. The hope promised and the reality today of our walking with this

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... God Is He wants nothing more than You with Him forever; so much so that He's willing bear that weight, the weight of death itself, so that you and I could come to learn what it means in our lives, now and forever, that Jesus died for me. And our own shell wraps securely around us, like new born chicks, we to share that knowledge with all we know, because the God of resurrection desires all people to come to Him and live.

He IS Risen. RISEN INDEED! Thanks be to God. May we truly live now and forever.

Pastor Matt

Journey of Stones-Mid Week Lenten Services

This year's ecumenical Lenten Soup & Prayer Services continue. Each Wednesday, and throughout Holy Week, as worshipers enter the worship space, we pick up a stone and carry it with us. Throughout the scriptures the powerful image of rocks and stones (and our willingness to use them as weapons) will be a concrete reminder of the theme of each message. As we depart, we will lay those stones each week at the foot of the cross to hear the promise of Easter, and the stone closing Jesus' tomb as powerful reminders of how our Lord removes our stones of sin.

Please join us for a light soup supper from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm, with worship following immediately.

The light soup supper includes soups, breads, desserts, and beverages. A free will offering will be collected to be divided between Walnut and Avoca Food Pantries.

Week 4 Upon THIS Rock April 2

Week 5 Crying Stones April 9

Tre Ore Worship Service

The Tre Ore worship or (Three Hours' Agony) is a Christian service held in many traditions on Good Friday from noon till 3 p.m. This service commemorates and reflects on the three hours of Christ's hanging at the cross. The service is made up of seven small services focusing on the Seven Last Words from the Cross. In between each service there is a short break to allow worshipers to come and go as they wish. Coming for the whole time, coming to stay for a few reflections, or coming near the end and watching with Christ until He gives His last breath are all welcome. You are invited to come watch, wait, and pray as Jesus fulfills His Passion.



Sunday, April 13 — Palm Sunday, 8:15 a.m.
Worship, 10:15 a.m. Worship

Wednesday, April 16, 7 p.m. Easter Cantata at
Trinity by Walnut Community Choir

Thursday, April 17 — Maundy Thursday, 6 p.m. Worship/ First Communion

Friday, April 18 — Good Friday, 12 p.m.-3 p.m. Tre Ore Worship, 6:30 p.m. Good Friday
Worship

Sunday, April 20— Easter, 7 a.m. Worship,
9:30 a.m. Worship



First Communion will be celebrated for those who recently completed the classes. This will be during the Maundy Thursday Worship Service on April 17th at 6:30 p.m.

Worship Volunteers

If you are unable to serve at your scheduled time, please find a replacement and then let Eric Sieh know. Eric can be contacted by calling/texting him at (402) 650-3065 or by emailing him at eric.m.sieh@gmail.com

If interested in helping with fellowship between services, please contact Kathy Soetmelk at 712-249-9027.

Mid Term Hugs Ministry



Saydi

Adrian

Kaeden



Baylee



Hannah



Anistyn



Kaleah



Isabell



Lilly



Ashtyn

Thank you to all who participated in this ministry! Here's what a few of our recipients had to say:

“Thank you so much for this wonderful gift! It was such a lovely surprise!

“Thank you very much for all the goodies! I appreciate everyone for putting this together and thinking of me back at college. These will definitely help me get through these next couple weeks of exams <3 “

“Whose idea was this? This was so sweet!”

“Thank you so much for the Midterm hug! I'm so thankful to be a part of such a wonderful church community. This really brightened my week, I've been looking for some Christian books for women for awhile now and I'm so excited to read them! Miss you all at Trinity so much!”

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03/02	39/52	—
03/09	29/85	11,354.00
03/16	44/125	4524.00
03/23	36/86	2609.00


Glenn Johnson– Betty Oehlertz
In Memory of **Wayne Jacobsen**– Wayne & Virginia Nelsen,
 Kerry & Andrea Danker, Betty Oehlertz


 The family of Jovi Robison would like to thank everyone for their prayers during Jovi's recent heart surgery. Jovi is the daughter of Courtney and Tyler Robison. She is home and doing well!



NEW COMMITTEE *forming*



Amber Johnson is looking for individuals who would like to form a Fellowship Committee. This committee would organize and plan out gatherings beyond our worship services. Hoping to plan 2 to 3 gatherings for the remainder of this year. Purposes of these gatherings are: to bring all age ranges of our church family together in one location to have fun interactions and to welcome new individuals. If you would like to participate or have questions please contact Amber Johnson at 402-681-6847.



Save the date for VBS June 23-26. We are excited for the week and beginning to make plans. Details on the theme & registration will be coming soon. This year Megan Hansen will be leading the efforts to have a successful week, she knows she has big shoes to fill from Sue's great planning in prior years. :) If you are interested in helping, please reach out to Megan at megan.hansen328@gmail.com or 402-681-0806. We will be looking for at least two host homes to host our wonderful counselors this year.

-Megan Hansen



Please note: There are a few updates to our schedule for April!

April 2nd– Meet at 5:30 p.m. to travel to join in the Harlan Youth Gathering. Dinner will be served and we plan to be home by 8:15.

April 6th– Sunday lunch & trip to the AMC. Movie times are not out yet, but hoping for an afternoon showing of “The Last Supper.” I will need RSVPs by the 1st of April, so tickets can be purchased.

April 16th-Bible Study at 5:30 p.m. with Dinner
April 30th– Bible Study at 5:30 p.m. with Dinner

April 2nd and the 6th we will need drivers! If you are willing and available-please let Sue know. Your support of our youth group is greatly appreciated! Sue



Egg Cartons Needed

Sunday school is collecting empty egg cartons for an Easter project. The collection box will be available in the narthex. Need them no later than Sunday, April 6th. Thanks in advance!



April 01	Kadence	Coolidge
April 01	Jorden	Johnson
April 02	Linda	Feekes
April 03	Dean	Schueman
April 04	Harrison	Nelsen
April 04	Connie	Schroder
April 05	Melissa	Christian
April 06	James A.	Johnson
April 06	Finley	Krummel
April 06	Barbara	Lynch
April 06	Blakely	Maassen
April 06	Maelie	Madden
April 07	Sally	Matthies
April 07	Makenzie	Whyte
April 08	Baylee	Meyers
April 11	Nancy	Kelly

April 11	Rylinn	Madden
April 11	Kyle	Rock
April 11	Traci	True
April 12	Katherine	Roush
April 12	Jordyn	Speede
April 13	Reva	Bylund
April 13	Mark	Gress
April 13	Abbie	Willett
April 15	Emma	Blotzer
April 15	Milton	Hanson
April 15	Christian	Jorgensen
April 15	Roman	Scheffler
April 16	Leslie	Nielsen
April 18	Cody	McCreedy
April 19	Bella	Lamp
April 20	Ronda	Holst

April 21	Harleigh	Brockhoff
April 21	Lucy	Krohn
April 22	Hugo	Dittmer
April 22	Roger	Kubik
April 23	Cristin	Rold
April 23	Talon	Stevens
April 24	Shela	Jacobsen
April 26	Ross	Pattee
April 26	Harley	Spencer
April 27	Zoey	Maassen
April 27	Lisa	Willett
April 28	Lacey	Brockhoff
April 28	Karen	Dittmer
April 28	Heather	Smith
April 28	Nicole	Tiarks
April 30	Tenley	Pattee
April 30	Katelin	Weis

April/May Volunteer Schedule

	Sunday, April 6 8:15 a.m.	Sunday, April 6th 10:15 a.m.
Communion Support	Linda Schumacher	Neil Paulsen, Kavin Rold
Communion/Offering	Taylen Hansen	Ron Winter, Shane & Lacey Brockhoff
Scriptures & Prayers Readers	Suzette Blakestad	Cristin Rold
Greeters	Eric & Angela Sieh Family	Lance & Amber Scott Family
Acolytes	Rylinn Madden	Tyler Pieken
Worship Steward	Eric Sieh	Mike Krummel
	Sunday, April 13th, 8:15 a.m. Palm	Sunday, April 13th, 10:15 a.m. Palm Sunday
Communion Support	Linda Schumacher	Neil Paulsen, Kavin Rold
Communion/Offering	Ronda Holst	Jacob Collins, Jerry Conroy, Holly Hansen
Scriptures & Prayers Readers	Wendy Dierking	Karen Hansen
Greeters	Dale & Kim Krohn	Ryan & Gina Winter
Acolytes	Lucas Plumb	Stella Rold
Worship Steward	Gary Soetmelk	Ron Winter
	Maundy Thursday, April 17th, 6:30	Good Friday, April 18th, 6:30 p.m.
Communion Support	Eric Sieh	N/A
Communion/Offering	Jim Hansen, Kiptyn Lamp, Terry	N/A
Scriptures & Prayers Readers	Christina Berndt	Morgan Sieh
Greeters	Scott and Christina Berndt family	Sue Paulsen Family
Acolytes		Paxton Holst
Worship Steward	Jim Hansen	Angela Sieh
	Sunday, April 20th 7:00 a.m. Easter	Sunday, April 20th 9:30 a.m. Easter
Communion Support	Linda Schumacher	Neil Paulsen, Kavin Rold
Communion/Offering	Eric Sieh	Jim Hansen, Karen Hansen, Amber Johnson
Scriptures & Prayers Readers	Becky Bahnfleth	Amanda Holst
Greeters	Matt & Becky Banfleth	Dan & Megan Hansen & Family
Acolytes	Morgan Sieh	Katie Sheffler
Worship Steward	Eric Sieh	Adam Harder
	Sunday, April 27th 8:15 a.m.	Sunday, April 27th 10:15 a.m.
Communion Support	Linda Schumacher	Neil Paulsen, Kavin Rold
Communion/Offering	Morgan Sieh	Jeff Harder, Stephanie & Evan Harder
Scriptures & Prayers Readers	Jerod Johnson	Wendy Jorgensen
Greeters	Wendy & Chris Dierking	Mike & Wendy Jorgensen
Acolytes	Ethan Hansen	Lane Thornton
Worship Steward	Darrian Irlbeck	Shela Jacobsen
	Sunday, May 4th 8:15 a.m.	Sunday, May 4th 10:15 a.m.
Communion Support	Reva Bylund, Rhonda Holst	Greg & Marge Petersen
Communion/Offering	Donna Rold	Amy & Rob Jacobsen, Kendra Hansen
Scriptures & Prayers Readers	Morgan Sieh	Travis Lane
Greeters	Darren & Nicole Krohn Family	Nicole Lamp & Family
Acolytes	Paxton Holst	Jaelyn Johnson
Worship Steward	Gary Soetmelk	Sue Paulsen

TRINITY'S FIVE & DIME



Welcome to “Trinity’s Five & Dime”. This section is dedicated to stories, experiences, and devotionals where together we can share God’s spiritual candy. Glory be to God for the opportunity to share with you some thoughts, experiences, and scripture regarding our everyday lives. Praise and glory to God for his never changing word, faithful love, and countless blessings. May his life-giving word nourish us and strengthen us as we strive to fulfill the purposes, He has for us. Amen. Neil Paulsen

TIME

Thanks be to God for his Word, so that we might find wisdom and help to form ourselves more and more into the image of his Son. Silence the noise of this world, so that we may be able to hear the clear soft voice of the Holy Spirit and give us little glimpses of the eternity that you have promised to share with us. All this we pray in your holy name. Amen.

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 There is an occasion for everything, and a time for every activity under heaven: a time to give birth and a time to die, a time to plant and a time to uproot; a time to kill and a time to heal; a time to tear down and a time to build; a time to weep and a time to laugh; a time to mourn and a time to dance; a time to throw stones and a time to gather stones; a time to embrace and a time to avoid embracing; a time to search and a time to count as lost; a time to keep and a time to throw away; a time to tear and a time to sew; a time to be silent and a time to speak; a time to love and a time to hate; a time for war and a time for peace.

I believe that it was back in 2012 when I had shared a story with Pastor Eric about a trip that our son Nick had taken over in Europe, and how I could see the hand of God all over the way things happened to him while he was on that trip. Pastor Eric asked if I would be ok with having it put in the church’s monthly newsletter to which I agreed. And shortly after the story was in the bulletin, he asked if I would be interested in doing that on a regular basis. Just sharing my thoughts and stories with the rest of the congregation. After giving it some discussion and thought, I also agreed to that. As I pondered what I should call this little space in the bulletin, the one thought that kept popping into my mind was that when I would discover God working in my life, or when he would reveal himself in his Word, it was like eating M&M’s. They are just little nuggets of sweetness, and I just wanted some more of it. And that reminded me of when I would go into Hester’s Five and Dime on main street, and I would see all of the different candy there on display, and that I would just want to have a little bit of each kind. Hence the title “Five and Dime”. So, over the past twelve to thirteen years, I’ve done my best to help dispense some “little nuggets of sweetness” that I’ve discovered by reading the Word of God. And just like the teacher said in the verses above, there is a time for everything, and I feel that it’s time for me to close my Five and Dime. I’m not sure if it’s a permanent end or just a temporary break, or maybe somebody else would like to climb into the writer’s chair and share their thoughts. Those are questions that God will provide an answer for. I think I’ve got at least one or maybe two installments for this article called “Time”, which at that time I will put the cap on my pen. See you next month.....

Agenda/Minutes

Date of Meeting: 02/13/2025

Members Present: Kathy Soetmelk, Shela Jacobsen, Pastor Matt, Amber Johnson, Nicole Krohn, Darrian Irlbeck, Amber Scott, Christina Rauch, Eric Sieh, and Ryan Winter. Call to Order/Devotion: Meeting is called to order by Nicole Krohn. Devotion given by Pastor Matt.

Recognizing Guests: No guests Thank You Cards: None

Election of Officers: Kathy Soetmelk presented a ballot of nominees. Nomination for president Nicole Krohn made by Amber Johnson. Nomination for vice president Megan Hansen made by Amber Johnson. Nomination for Secretary Amber Scott made by Christina Rauch. Motion to vote for the entire ticket at one time made by Christina Rauch and seconded by Darian Irlbeck. Motion passed.

Motion made to vote all new members into elected positions by Ryan Winter seconded by Eric Sieh. Motion passed.

Introductions: All members introduced and shared some information about themselves. Approval of Agenda: A motion was made by Christina Rauch, seconded by Darian Irlbeck. Motion passed.

Approval of Last Meeting Minutes: Minutes were in order and no corrections made and a motion was made to approve the minutes by Darian Irlbeck, seconded by Eric Sieh. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: Report and bills were submitted. A motion was made to approve the report by Ryan Winter, seconded by Christina Rauch. Motion passed

Pastor's Report:

Blessings in Christ our Lord.

As we prepare for a transition in the council a new living body comes to life. With each change of membership of the council there is a new life, a new identity, and a new desire that becomes present. This is a good thing in so many ways, and a challenging thing as well. Good as a new hope for liveliness comes into play, and challenging because we must learn to value all who are here in this group, here what is being shared and then move forward. You must hear again that the council is not a "nuts and bolts - get the work of the church done" body. Sadly, that is what service, over the years, serving on a council has devolved into in so many places. The council, as I have grown to understand, are the Visioning Body of the congregation. What this means is collectively you are called by God for this time and place, and all are vital to the life of this congregation. Therefore, what matters is that you are, not only yourselves but for the fellow members of the congregation, growing in worship, giving, serving, inviting (in a sense the Marks of Discipleship) and through your own witness calling and witnessing to the members of the Body gathered here to grow in the same ways. If this is "just another job" to you amidst all you do, and not a ministry in your life, for the time that God has called you to serve, you will miss much. Our world is pushing BUSY - God invites us in Psalm 46:10 to "Be still and know that [He is] God." What I am inviting each of us to see as we begin this new year of Service to the Kingdom of God, is a renewed desire to grow as God speaks to and through you. We need to accomplish the work of "running the church" yes, but how do we make sure that time is made to grow each of you, and each of us together? I continue to grow more in love with the congregation that gathers at Trinity, but my heart breaks as younger members don't see the need or the call to come into God's presence weekly so that He can talk with them. Seeing people continue missing worship to get what they want, and not what they need. To be involved in a community around us and not seeing the need to struggle to discern our gifts, and the needs so that we can move out into the ministry as we are called to be in each day of our lives. To be a visioning body means we are talking about God's word and His will for our lives as we have called to this place to grow in faith and reach to those who do not have Christ. There is no place for personal agendas as has been the case in many councils, as people join to MAKE their desires happen. But for all of us, including the pastor, to grow and learn to talk and share and let God move among us. Brothers and sisters, I am entering my third year of ministry here and it takes that long for a pastor to get a sense of the body that they are serving. Though some day I am going to retire or die, that day is not today, when the body here will come under other leadership. I am in this for the long hall. I wrestle and grow each day just as you do but I love the body for what it can be and not just what it is, because God is pouring out more here than we know. I pray that our study of the book Junk Drawer Jesus will be a priority for each of us to read and discuss in honesty. I pray that we will see amid tired days and busyness, a joy and love of serving our God and helping others to find that same joy. I pray that our younger youth will find Christ in new ways that wake them into differences in life and how they live it, as I pray that older youth find themselves called into God's presence and as they do not turn away with dull ears from His call, but gladly hear the preaching and His word and learn and are moved by the Spirit's hand ever closer to the God who sees us as. And most of all, for you my beloved members of Trinity Lutheran, and leadership called and prepared for the days ahead to grow the Kingdom of God in this place, I pray that you are awakened and find a deeper love of your Lord than before, which will continue all the days of your life, to grow and more and have your being in Jesus Christ our Lord. As these things all happen, I pray that we vision, and lead the body gathered here at TLC into a newness of life...

...and understanding and faith toward God and fervent love toward one another to do His will in this place. You are loved and beloved. I love you as well. Seedlings and Sprouts has been expanded to two times a week. Pastor is continuing to look for youth member to attend the North Carolina mission trip in July. Cost will be \$450/member with a portion being covered by the church and the rest through fundraising/individual funds. Pastor has spoke to a couple members to attend the convocation in August.

President's Report/Comments: No report Sue's Report: Text messages were sent out to members to be enrolled to receive text messages. Youth group traveled to Harlan at the end of January to attend the Harlan Community Youth Gathering. We had 20 in attendance for our group. We will be starting a new bible study when we meet again on Feb. 26th Council Reports Property Report: I'd like to thank everyone for supporting the foundation repair project. Tentatively, we are scheduled for the work to be completed during the week of July 7-15. Errin Gunderson, an electrician from Neola, will be coming to replace a couple outdoor receptacles that aren't working properly. Errin is subcontracted as a lighting project installer for ROI Energy from Eudora, Kansas. MidAmerican Energy uses ROI to come up with energy efficient LED lighting solutions in commercial applications. Errin is going to talk with ROI to see if our outdoor lighting project would be eligible for a rebate from MidAmerican Energy. Pastor Matt had mentioned last summer the basketball hoop in the parking lot could use a little love. I am going to be taking down the backboard and getting it reworked before spring, so don't be alarmed when you notice the hoop is missing! Service: Eric Sieh reported he will be changing decorations to Lent. Work will be done to lighten up the base of the cross for the Narthex as well. He continues to look for someone to assist with music selection for services. Outreach: Amber Johnson reported that 23 boxes for youth members have been signed up for. Boxes will be returned and mailed later this month. Stewardship: No report Finance: No report Education: Vacation Bible School will be June 23-26, 2025 Additional Council Report Notes: Discussion was held having information put in the bulletin regarding Breeze and making sure all members are receiving the information. Eric will talk to Sue about putting information in the bulletin asking for assistance with music selection for services.

Old Business: Erin Gunderson will be here 2/14/25 to provide a bid for exterior lighting.

New Business: Nicole will talk to Sue and have job descriptions put in each council member's mailbox. Monthly devotions sign up sheet completed. Discussion held on meeting dates and times. Meetings will continue to be the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7 pm. Constitution and by laws will be put in each council member's mailbox. Nicole Krohn reminded members that all council reports need to be submitted the Monday before the meeting. Pastor Matt shared a letter with Darian regarding galvanized pipes and possible water testing. No followup needed at this time.

Pastor Matt reported that the Lenten service schedule is complete and has been shared with the Catholic church. We will continue with the soup supper with each Lenten service. Pastor discussed doing a 3 hour service on Good Friday. The service would be broken up in to 20 minute smaller services with a 5 minute break in between. Pastor Matt reported he will be off the week after Easter. Permission was sought by Pastor Matt to attend an anniversary celebration on March 2nd in Chicago. He would like this to be a working day. Discussion was held by council members and permission was given. Discussion was held in regards to doing another meal during fellowship time for the council members to serve. Discussion was tabled and will discuss further at February meetings for dates in March.

Pastor Matt requested a second cross be made for Lenten services. Eric and Darian will work on it.

Visioning: Discussion was held over the book "Junk Drawer Jesus". Council members will read a chapter each month.

Adjournment: Eric Sieh made a motion to adjourn the meeting, 2nd by Ryan Winter.

Next meeting will be held on March 13, 2025 at 7pm.

Respectfully submitted by Amber Scott, Secretary





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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 4-5:30 p.m. Seedlings Class	2 5:30 p.m. Confirmation Class 5:30 p.m. Youth Group depart for Harlan Gathering	3 2 p.m. TLCW Meeting 2 p.m. Avoca Nursing Home Worship 4 p.m—6 p.m. Food & Clothing Pantry 6:15 p.m. Peace Haven Worship	4 Pastors Day Off	5
6 8:15 a.m. Traditional Worship 9:30 a.m. Fellowship/Bible Study/ Sunday School 10:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship 5:30-7 p.m. Bible Study	7	8 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Christian Service	9 5:30 p.m. Confirmation Class	10 4-5:30 p.m. Sprouts Class 4 p.m—6 p.m. Food & Clothing Pantry 7 p.m. Council Meeting	11 Pastors Day Off	12
13 8:15 a.m. Palm Sunday Traditional Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School/Fellowship/ Bible Study 10:15 a.m. Palm Sunday Contemporary Worship 5:30-7 p.m. Bible Study	14	15 4-5:30 p.m. Seedlings Class	16 No Confirmation 5:30 p.m. Youth Group Bible Study 7 p.m. Walnut Community Choir Performance	17 2 p.m. Avoca Nursing Home Worship 4 p.m—6 p.m. Food & Clothing Pantry 6:30 p.m.-Maundy Thursday Worship/First Communion	18 12 p.m.—3 p.m. TresOre Worship Service 6:30 p.m. Good Friday Worship Service	19
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Sunday Worship Services Schedule
Traditional Worship at 8:15 a.m.
Sunday School/ Fellowship/Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Contemporary Worship at 10:15 a.m.
Holy Communion celebrated during each worship service.