

### **\*\*\*Trinity at a Glance\*\*\***

- **No Affirmation Class on April 5th.** Classes will resume on April 12th.
- **The last Sunday Session and Affirmation Class** is scheduled for Sunday, **May 3rd.**
- Please note that the **church office will be closed Monday, April 6th.**
- **Please stop by the Giving Tree** in the narthex and pick up a tag or two for Mission/Outreach's next project! **We are collecting items for Safe Journeys.** These items will be used by Safe Journeys for victims of domestic violence. Thank you so much for your generosity!
- **The next blood drive is Wednesday, April 8, 2026.** Please contact Carol Wahlstrom to donate or to volunteer to help: [carolwahlstrom@gmail.com](mailto:carolwahlstrom@gmail.com).
- **The Swenson Scholarship is open to graduating High School seniors** going on to further their educations and who have remained active at Trinity throughout their elementary and high school years. Applications can be picked up at the church office Mon-Wed 9-2pm until April 30th. **The application deadline is May 1st.**
- **The Annual Trinity Rummage Sale will be held Fri, May 1st, 2-4pm for set up & 4-7pm for the sale. Also Sat, May 2nd 9-4pm for the sale.** Clean up date TBD. We are now taking donations for this event. If you are interested in helping, please contact Carol Wahlstrom, [carolwahlstrom@gmail.com](mailto:carolwahlstrom@gmail.com). We will need help for set up, during the sale dates & for clean up.  
Please feel free to **post the flyers by Java Junction** at your local supermarkets, coffee shops, and give to your neighbors and family. Additional flyers can be obtained from the office during business hours Mon, Tues, & Wed, 9-2pm.
- **Please join us on April 12th** at 10 am to celebrate our students' **First Communion!** There will be a reception in Java Junction after Service.
- **Open Table UCC's Annual Plant Sale is online through April 30th.** Order early before plants sell out! Plants start at \$4.50. <https://pci.jotform.com/form/260608653154154>
- Thrivent Action Teams are a simple and impactful way to support service projects, outreach efforts, or maintenance projects through our church. **If you are a member of Thrivent** (a financial services organization rooted in Christian values), you can apply for a grant two times a year - typically \$250 each time. These grants are designed to support community projects such as fundraisers, care packages, meal programs, or events that meet a church need such as maintenance projects.  
**Any Thrivent client with an eligible membership can apply**, and the process is quick and easy through your Thrivent account online. If you need help setting up an account or applying for the grant Carol Wahlstrom [carolwahlstrom@gmail.com](mailto:carolwahlstrom@gmail.com) or Jane Goetz [goetz\\_jane@yahoo.com](mailto:goetz_jane@yahoo.com) can help you. Once approved, you'll receive the funds along with helpful planning materials, if needed. If you've ever had an idea or want to help fund a project, this is a great opportunity. To learn more or to apply please visit Thrivent's website or contact Carol or Jane.
- **Please support Mission's 2026 Growing Project.** The funds raised will help people (mostly women) increase their food production in Guatemala's Western Highlands. There are information sheets in the pews that describe what's happening there and the help that will be provided.  
**Our goal is to raise \$25,000** to help. We're planning a number of activities to inform about the project and raise funds. All help is welcome! Last year's project raised almost \$29,000! Thank you for all of your support!
- **Friends of Marj Nelson** are invited to contact the office by email at [tlcoffice@trinitylutheranottawa.com](mailto:tlcoffice@trinitylutheranottawa.com) to obtain the link to her Caring Bridge page. This page will keep folks updated on her situation.

● **CURRENT FINANCIAL REPORT:**

- March Income = \$221,146.79 (Income YTD = \$67,048.67)
- March Expense = \$20,068.35 (Expense YTD = \$62,744.95)
- Income Less Expense = \$1,078.44 (Income Less Expense YTD = \$4,663.72)

● **THIS WEEK @ TRINITY:**

- **Monday (4/6):** *Church Office is Closed*  
*No Tai Chi*  
10a Drum Fit (Community Room)
- **Tuesday (4/7):** 8a LEASE Screenings (Education Building)  
10a Sit Fit (Community Room)  
4:30p Mission Outreach Meeting (Community Room)  
4:30p Endowment Committee Meeting
- **Wednesday (4/8)** 9a Blood Drive (Community Room)  
9:30a Finance Committee Meeting (Board Room)  
1p Bible Study (TBD)  
6:30p Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- **Thursday (4/9):** 10a Sit Fit (Community Room)  
1p Trinity Stitchers (Sewing Room/Fellowship Hall)
- **Friday (4/10):** 7a Sunrise Rotary (Fellowship Hall)
- **Saturday (4/11):** 2p Wayne Goodchild Visitation & Funeral
- **Sunday (4/12)** 9a Sunday Session  
9a Affirmation Class  
10a Holy Communion & First Communion  
11a First Communion Celebration (Java Junction)

**WORSHIP ASSISTANT SCHEDULE -**

*Please sign up using the binder at the back of the aisle.*

<p><b><u>Sunday, April 5, 2026 (Easter Sunday)</u></b>  Crucifer/Acolyte: <i>Madi Perino</i>  Ushers:  Lector: <i>Anne Lauterjung</i>  Communion Assistants: <i>Anne Lauterjung</i>  Altar Guild: <i>Anne Lauterjung, Linda Scott</i>  Video Tech: <i>Anne Lauterjung</i>  Music Directors: <i>Matt Makeever &amp; Mary Heider</i>  Altar Flowers: <i>In honor of Gary Grunstad from Vickie Grunstad &amp; Family</i></p>	<p><b><u>Sunday, April 12, 2026</u></b>  Crucifer/Acolyte: <i>Anna Reed</i>  Ushers:  Lector: <i>LouAnn Gayan</i>  Communion Assistants:  Altar Guild: <i>Katrina Bromann, Cindy &amp; Jay Komater</i>  Video Tech: <i>Anne Lauterjung</i>  Music Directors: <i>Matt Makeever &amp; Mary Heider</i>  Altar Flowers: <i>In honor of Kate Beckman from Jan &amp; Pete Beckman</i></p>