

Ripples of Faith 2020



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 Waverly, Trimont, MN

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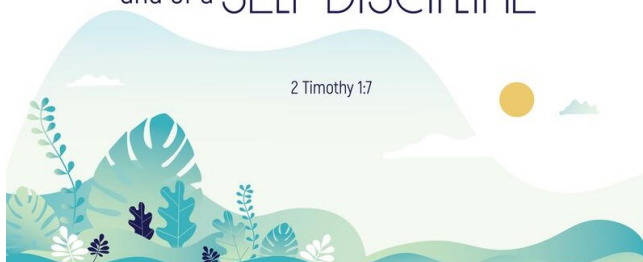
UPCOMING EVENTS: ??????

- 5/5 Mary Circle WLC
- 5/6 WELCA St. Peter
- 5/12 Parish Council meeting
Trinity Council meeting
- 5/13 Goldfinch Communion
- 5/26 THCC Worship

Sundays— 8:30 am St. Peter
 10:30 am Trinity & Waverly
 —9:15 Sunday school
 Trinity & Waverly
 Mondays: 9:00 am Men's Bible Study
 First Lutheran, Trimont

For **God** has not given us
 the spirit of ~~FEAR~~
 But of **POWER** of **Love**
 and of a **SELF DISCIPLINE**

2 Timothy 1:7



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MAY Worship Schedule

		St. Peter	Trinity	Waverly
4 th Week of Easter	Sunday, May 3 rd <i>Altar: White</i>		Worship 9:30 AM Facebook, YouTube, Zoom	
5 th Week of Easter	Sunday, May 10 th <i>Altar: White</i>		Worship 9:30 AM Facebook, YouTube, Zoom	
6 th Week of Easter	Sunday, May 17 th <i>Altar: White</i>		Worship 9:30 AM Facebook, YouTube, Zoom	
7 th Week of Easter	Sunday, May 24 th <i>Altar: White</i>		Worship 9:30 AM Facebook, YouTube, Zoom	

****Note:** At the time of printing, there are currently restrictions to the gathering of 10 or more people. If the “Stay at Home” order is lifted and larger gathering sizes are allowed, then we will evaluate the current worship schedule to determine when resuming in-person worship is appropriate and safe.

In the meantime, we have been having an abbreviated worship service (with a children’s sermon) at 9:30 am on Sunday mornings. You’re welcome to join us if you have not already. We are offering worship through a variety of ways.

To join worship using a computer or smart device (video and audio available):

Using Facebook, go to <https://www.facebook.com/partnersinministrytrimont/live/>

Using YouTube, go to <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UChdWPCVfThbKm-XH1Hz8h7A>

Using Zoom, go to <http://www.circleoffaithparish.org/covid19/> and click on the Zoom link.

To join worship using a telephone (audio available only):

1. Dial 1-312-626-6799
2. When prompted, enter Meeting ID number 507-728-8259 and press # button
3. When prompted, press # button to enter the meeting as a participant
4. When prompted, enter Meeting Password 56181 and press # button



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GIVING OPTIONS

We know that this is an uncertain time for many of you. If this pandemic has put you in a financial hardship, please let us know how your church family can be of assistance to you. If you are blessed to remain financially stable throughout this outbreak, we encourage you to continuing giving to your church family.

Even though we are not gathering in person for worship, we are still receiving bills that need to be paid. Your offerings can be mailed to the church office (PO Box 328, Welcome, MN 56181) and your gift will be properly distributed to your respective church.

For Trinity and Waverly Members

You can make an online gift by going to: www.circleoffaithparish.org/give.

For Thrivent Members

You can make an online gift through Thrivent's website. Through June 30, 2020, Thrivent is giving a 50% match to all donations, up to \$1 million. Go to: <https://www.thrivent.com/making-a-difference/living-generously/thrivent-choice/> and log into your Thrivent account to get started.

Face Masks Needed

By: Pastor Anthony

As you may have already heard, the wearing of face masks in public places (i.e. grocery stores, etc.) is recommended. Some members of Partners in Ministry in Trimont have begun making cloth face masks. Stephanie and I have been collecting these masks and bringing them to the Town Center grocery store in Trimont for people to take if they need one. We initially dropped off 37 masks and a day and a half later they were gone. There is an urgent need for face masks to protect each other.

How to Make Masks

If you have the ability to sew cloth face masks, please consider making some. If you need materials or patterns, please contact the parish office. Those who are Thrivent members could also apply for a \$250 Action Card to help cover material costs. If you aren't a Thrivent member, but need some assistance with covering material costs, please contact the parish office. Completed masks can be dropped off at the parish office or let us know and someone will pick them up from your house.

How to Get a Mask

If you or someone you know are in need of a mask, please contact the parish office or stop by the Town Center in Trimont. As masks become available, we will make sure that you get one.

I do have a couple different patterns available at the Parish office, if you would like a pattern, please call the office and I can either mail or email one out to you. Lisa

St. Peter Ripples



Next meeting: May 6 @ 1:30 pm
Hostess: Barb Schmidt

THIS IS DEPENDING ON THE VIRUS SITUATION !!

Bible Study: Read through the May devotional pages in the Gather magazine. We often entertain angels knowingly— do we offer generous hospitality?

All the Spring Gatherings have been cancelled. The Synodical Convention for May 2nd also cancelled. They encourage all unites to still send offerings to the Synod treasurer. Our giving commitments still need to be honored. Still uncertain if the Triennial Gathering in Phoenix in July will be held.

The quilt pickup is Albert Lea is cancelled until October 10.

The Ingham Lake Ice Cream Social scheduled for May 31st is cancelled.

Prayers for Tuesdays at 2 5/5 —5/26.
Continue prayers for the continuing crisis we are in. For all the medical profession, the sick and recovering, the families of those who have died, and the President and other leaders who make such hard decisions and pray for an end soon.

Our sympathy to the Franck family - to Janice and kids. LeRoy will really be missed by many of us. Also to Jody on the loss of her mother Genevieve Kosbab. It's tough to lose your parents.

Next work duty: Group 1
May Altar care: Marge Schley
Anniversaries: John & Charlotte Schmidtke 23rd
Scott and Vicki Smith 21st.
Honorary Birthday: JoAnn Wink - 23rd.

*Trees blossom, flowers bloom —
we celebrate the empty tomb.
Our Savior lives and reigns as King —
let every heart rejoice and sing.*

Love, Jeannine

Trinity Ripples

Waverly Ripples

ENDOWMENT FUND GRANTS

The Waverly Mission Endowment Fund is currently accepting grant application for mission projects and post-secondary scholarship. Any Waverly member is welcome and encouraged to apply. Hard copies are available at Waverly and through the parish office.

You can also apply at

www.waverlylutheran.org/endowment.

This year we have around \$4,000 to distribute. What project can you image getting some funding support from your Waverly Endowment Fund?



St Peter

DATE	LECTOR	USHERS
May 3	Jeannine Rasmussen	James and Aubrey Plumhoff
10	Ellie Plumhoff	Ronnie and Jane Leiding
17	Jordan Petschke	Bob Nelson and Larry W Schmidt
24	Jeff Petschke	Jordan and Christian Petschke
31	Jeannine Rasmussen	Dale and Jeanne Leiding
June 7	Ellie Plumhoff	Ann Wenzel and Sherry Schmidt



Trinity

DATE	LECTOR	USHERS	COMMUNION
May 3	Deb Philipp	Sun and Henry	
10	Liz Stahl	John and Rita Garbers	
17	MaryAnn Frerichs	Jean Schock—Velma Schaal	
24	Deb Philipp	Wes and Carolyn Strausser	
31	Liz Stahl	Jon and Jen Saxen	
June 7	MaryAnn Frerichs	Beth and Jay Mulso	



Waverly

DATE	LECTOR	CHILDRENS TIME	ACOLYTE	COMMUNION ASSISTANT
May 3	Deanne Gaalswyk	Pastor	Ushers	Susan Rathman
10	LuAnn Peterson		Ushers	Susan Rathman
17	Connor Simmonds	John Sherman	Ushers	Susan Rathman
24	Mim Potter		Ushers	Susan Rathman
31	Karen Helvig		Ushers	Susan Rathman
June 7	Laurie Sherman	Pastor	Ushers	Tom Peterson



May Ushers: Bob Olson, Jim Sherman, Brian Clow, Don Nordstrom

June Ushers: Brad Sherman, Cliff Armbrust, Tim Peterson, John Sherman

Anniversaries

may

Birthdays

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Max Nordstrom	2 MaryAnn DeBus Tim Peterson Gary & Joyce Sathoff
3 Lindsey Bettin	4 Donna Hand David Hartung	5 	6 Brian Burmeister Megan Gerhardt Adam & Melissa Poppe	7 Cody Wolter	8 	9 Happy Birthday 
10 Bobbi Sandberg Taylor Saxen Morgan Wolter Lon & Marilyn Oelke	11 Nicole Leiding Ty Leiding Jeff Lueth	12 Marisa Bettin Jon Traetow	13 Alex Saxen John & Denyse Borchardt '20'	14 Emily Bettin Jamesen Chukuske Randall Olson Adam Rasmussen	15 Marty Burmeister Marilyn Cheever Ilsa Pomeranke Tammy Williams	16 Kari Anderson Dale Hansen MiKenna Harder
17 Sarah Justice 	18 Susan Borchardt Ryan Feely Dale Leiding Jean Schock Doug & Sibyl Anderson	19 Dennis Krueger	20 Sonja Haugen Dustin Lyons Kim Mosloski	21 Merle & Shirley Burmeister '55' Scott & Vicki Smith	22 Brian Clow Katelyn Jensen Lea Silverthorn John & MaryAnn Frerichs	23 JoAnn Wink John & Charlotte Schmittke '72'
24 Carlene Hand Dean Koehler Cam Peterson Jordan Wolter	25 Mara Jensen Sandy Newville Darcia Schmidt	26 Jeff Armbrust Linda Bakke James Hatch	27 Levi Hansen Jane Leiding Don Nordstrom Rosalie Rademaker	28 Adrian Rasmussen Ronald & Jean Schock '60' Larry & Holli Wiggins	29 	30
31 Brianna Morrow Lois Nelson Craig & Carol Senne '35'						



Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation.

2 Corinthians 5:17



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>Our Sunday services will be at 9:30 am until we can gather in our church buildings again. The other items on the calendar will all depend on the COVID 19 updates and our Shelter in Home status.</p>					1 **Parish office closed on Fridays	2
3 Worship 9:30 am	4 9 am Men's Bible Study @ First Lutheran, Trimont	5 7 pm Mary Circle WLC	6 1:30 pm WELCA-StP	7 	8**	9
10 Worship 9:30 am 	11 9 am Men's Bible Study @ First Lutheran, Trimont	12 6 pm Parish Council mtg 7:30 pm TLC Council mtg	13 1 pm Goldfinch Communion	14	15**	16
17 Worship 9:30 am 4 pm Fox Lake 4-H meeting	18 9 am Men's Bible Study @ First Lutheran, Trimont	19 5:30 pm Wine, Women & the Word	20 Items due for the June Ripples	21	22**	23
24 Worship 9:30 am	25 	26 9:30 am THCC Worship	27 9 am Assemble June Ripples @ TLC	28 	29**	30
31 Worship 9:30 am 						



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We remember, O Lord, all those people throughout the years, who have made the supreme sacrifice for our country, for liberty, and for us. Whenever we breath the air of freedom or claim the right to justice, or enjoy the privilege of worship, fill us with gratitude for those who selflessly gave the last full measure of devotion — their very lives — for our benefit.

May these brave men and women now know the joy of eternity and your presence. And may the families of the fallen receive comfort and peace amid their grief. Help us as we minister to their needs. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.