#### **PRAYER LIST**

**For global and national concerns:** For an end to oppression, violence, and terrorism and for peace throughout the world, especially for the Middle East Region and Ukranaine; for all the students and workers at the Marafiki AIDS Orphanage in Kenya; for all refugees; for those suffering storms or wildfires, and for people everywhere in the midst of the pandemic.

For our companion Synods in Honduras, Papua New Guinea, and Latvia.

**For those who serve our nation:** Doctors, nurses, paramedics and hospital staffs, teachers, soldiers and workers Christian Engle, Frank Langston, Shane McGowan, Dalton Ramey, Austin Robb, Travis Robb, Davin Schultz and Allie Vanous; for those in the military and all our veterans; and for police and government officials working for peace and safety in our nation.

## For Strength and Healing:

Melanie Blanchard Sheryl Burke Winnie Fish	Norma Ludlow Tanya Mattison Lucas McCoy	Yvette Poole Mary Roberts Bev Schultz-Herman
Dave & Patti Gier	LeAnn Minton	Dave Skiver
Sandra Hallock	Larry "Ted" Minton	Lois Slade
Larry Heath	Sue Minton	Geneva Slade
Louise Heath	Rachel Moore	Vonda Slade
Terry Howell	Marty Morrison	Ron Sweinhagen
Chris Hoyt	Cristen, Mytchal &	Butch Tanner
Lydia (Victim of DV) Joyce Lincoln	Jeremiah Morrison Phil Poholski	Michelle Taylor Lynn & Bill Zoller

**For those grieving:** especially the families of Pam Crawford, Marsha Howell, Jean Madison, Mary Mandrick, Roger Richardson, Elywin Waters, and all those around the world that have died of COVID-19.

## For those seeking quidance and discernment:

Especially for the ministry of King's Kupboard Food Pantry and those we serve, for our Bishop Craig Satterlee and Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, and for their staffs, for missionaries Shan and Lindsey Mahawon, and for those who don't yet know Christ.

## **Prayer Partners:**

Pastor Bob Finegan ay City Church in Hillsdale Rev. Ryan Prondzinski at Christ Lutheran Church Michigan Center



TLC HAPPENINGS Week of March 20, 2022

**LENTEN WORSHIP:** Instead of the usual Wednesday nights service during Lent we are going to do a Lenten Meditation and Study after services on Sunday. Depending on how many attend we will have it in Luther Hall or the beautiful newly painted downstairs conference room.

**COFFEE & COOKIES:** We will be having coffee and cookies during the Lenten Medication and Study. We are asking for purchased cookies due to Covid, hopefully we can go back to the wonderful homemade we used to have soon. Please sign the sheet in the Narthex if you are able to provide cookies.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING:** We will need to have a short meeting at the beginning of the service on March 27th to elect the members of the Call Committee.

**EASTER EGG HUNT:** We are planning a Easter Egg Hunt April 16th at 1:00 pm. We had a company donate 500 plastic eggs. Now we need donations of individually wrapped candy that will fit in the eggs. We will also need people to stuff eggs sometime in the week before the hunt.

**COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS:** We continue to request that, out of respect for the safety of others in the community, if you are not vaccinated, please wear a mask at all times in the buildings. For those that are fully vaccinated, masks are optional if the county's test positivity rate falls below 10%. If the rate is 10% or above, masks are required for everyone. Pastor will continually monitor the situation.

**COVID-19 NOTIFICATION:** In the event that you develop symptoms of COVID-19 or test positive and you have attended worship or worked at the pantry, please contact Tom Stockford-Shively (517-398-0773 as soon as possible. If Tom is not available, please contact Chris McNamara (517-416-4713 or leave a message on church phone (517-437-2647)

#### THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY March 20	<b>Third Sunday in Lent</b> 9:30 am: Worship with Holy Communion 10:45 am: Lenten Meditation and Study
MONDAY March 21	9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking and Packaging 3:30-5:20 pm: King's Kupboard Open 5:30 pm: Food truck
TUESDAY March 22	9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking and Packaging 10:00 am Bible Study
WEDNESDAY March 23	3:30-5:20 pm: King's Kupboard Open
THURSDAY March 24	9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking and Packaging
FRIDAY March 25	3:30-5:20 pm: King's Kupboard Open
SUNDAY March 27	Fourth Sunday in Lent 9:30 am: Congregational meeting 9:30 am Worship with Holy Communion 10:45 am: Lenten Meditation and Study

# **PASTOR'S CORNER**

Dear Trinity. It's good to be among you during the time allotted, generally Sunday and Monday. However, I very much want to hear from you any time and can be reached at 269-615-1613

In the event of minor needs or if you can not get in touch with Pastor, please contact Chris McNamara on her cell phone at 517-416-4713.

Office Hours for Church Secretary: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9:00 am to 2:00 pm (Except Tuesday 10:00 am to 11:30 am for Bible study)

Office Hours for KK Coordinator: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9:00 am to 1:00pm Friday 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

March Birthdays: Becky Morrison (3/23), Connor Otterbein (3/16), Joe Painter (3/17), Eloise Ramey (3/26), Cathy Shively (3/7), Dave Skiver (3/18), Vicki Skiver (3/27), Thomas Stockford-Shively (3/6), Ron Sweinhagen (3/25), Terry Vear (3/17), Mel Williams (3/23)

**Consider signing up for Simply Giving.** Contact the church office if you are interested in automatic giving from your bank account.

Financial Stewardship (based on a projected \$23,620 deficit)

General Fund (02/28/22)	Y-T-D Budget	Actual
Pledged Income	\$17,108	\$13,560
Other Income	\$4,109*	\$1,971*
Total Income	\$21,217*	\$15,531*
Total Expenses	\$24,107	\$21,736
Net Income	\$-2,890*	\$-6,205*

These figures do not include King's Kupboard.

\*These figures reflect \$0.00 transferred from the Edward Jones account.

\*These figures do not reflect the boiler replacement in Luther Hall or the Anonymous donation to cover it

**Building Fund:** Jan.-Dec. 2022 Pledged: \$3,524 YTD Received \$587

YTD Given Barnyard Boxes Animal Project: \$6

YTD Given for ELCA World Hunger:

YTD Given Third Sunday of Month for Marafiki Scholarship: \$40

## **Daily Bible Readings**

<b>Su</b> Isaiah 55:1-9	Psalm 63:1-8 Corinthians 10	:1-13 Luke 13:1-9
M Psalm 39	Jeremiah 11:1-17	Romans 2:1-11
<b>Tu</b> Psalm 39	Ezekiel 17:1-10	Romans 2:12-16
<b>W</b> Psalm 39	Numbers 13:17-27	Luke 13:17-27
<b>Th</b> Psalm 32	Joshua 4:1-13	2 Corinthians 4:16-5:5
Fr Psalm 32	Joshua 4:14-24	2 Corinthians 5:6-15
<b>S</b> Psalm 32	Exodus 32:7-14	Luke 15:1-10

**Fragrance:** Some people in worship are allergic to perfumes. Please keep your fragrance use to a minimum at worship on Sunday.

**Reminder:** If you are the last to leave one of our buildings, please be sure the lights are off and all doors are closed and locked behind you.