



This Week at Holy Trinity

Exciting News!
Depending on Weather,
our Palm Sunday and
Easter Sunday services may be held in-
person
and outdoors in our parking lot. Holy Week

Sunday, March 14, 2021 is the Fourth Sunday of Lent at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.

The service is available on-line. The link is on our website:
www.holytrinitywyo.org
On the site, you can also download the bulletin.

The service will be virtual only following the guidelines of the Episcopal Dioceses of Michigan. The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated. Those who wish to receive communion are asked to drive to our parking-lot during the time of the distribution.

When arriving in the parking-lot, please tune your car's FM radio to 98.5 (note change) to listen to the rest of the service including the post-communion prayer and blessing.

The priest will distribute communion to you in your vehicle.

Holy Week 2021

If the weather cooperates and is above 50 degrees without rain, our Palm Sunday and Easter services will be held

IN-PERSON and OUTSIDE

in our parking-lot.

We will require that masks be worn by all those attending, and social distancing be respectfully observed.

Those attending are asked to bring their own chairs, and place them so that they are 6-10 feet from anyone who is not a part of their household.

Passion (Palm) Sunday

March 28 at 10:00A.M.

This service includes the Triumphant Entry as Jesus rides into Jerusalem with shouts of Hosanna only to a few days later be tried and sentenced to public execution.

The service includes the blessing and distribution of Palms and the reading of the Passion Gospel.

Holy Tuesday

March 30 at 7:00P.M.

The Passion as Bible Study. There are four different versions of what happened to Jesus in the days and hours before his death.

This one-hour event will be an opportunity to ask questions about the passion narratives, how they differ and what you find particularly meaningful.

Maundy-Thursday or Holy Thursday

April 1 at 6:30P.M.

We encourage you to gather in your homes and partake of an Agape meal. Please make a ready a quite place with a slice of bread, a glass of wine, and a bowl of water; then follow the story as Jesus pronounces the "mandate" (the maundy) to Love, and then tenderly washes the disciples feet. Although not in our nave with our brothers and sisters, this Maundy-Thursday might be closer to the experience that Jesus had with his family the 12 disciples.

Good Friday

April 2 at Noon

This year, Fr. Don will lead Stations of the Cross using pictures of the stations found in our Nave (worship space). The service, and pictures will be on the screen so that everyone present can participate.

Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

Easter Breakfast

April 4 at 8:30AM.

Join Fr. Don and the Holy Donuts crew in a celebration Easter Breakfast.

Oh how we all wish we could break bread together, and many of us remember happy times in joining in big Easter breakfasts in years past. So this year, let us join together and eat with each other virtually!

Easter Sunday

**April 4 at 10:00A.M.
The tomb is empty!
The prophecy of old has come true.
Christ is Risen!
Christ is Risen Indeed!**

Continuing



Holy Donuts

For youth between 11-13 (about), Join Fr. Don on Sundays at 11:30am.
Call the church office and we will send you the ZOOM link.

Book of Common Prayer for Private Devotions

This is an opportunity for those who would like to learn about how to use the beloved Book of Common Prayer for private devotions. The discussion is held via ZOOM on Thursday evenings at 6:30 P.M.

Vestry

The Vestry continues to meet monthly via ZOOM. The Vestry is lead by our Interim Rector, Fr. Don Davidson and Wardens Kevin Murphy (Senior Warden) and Genia LaNore (Junior Warden).

The Vestry members can be contacted via email using their first name @holytrinitywyoming.org or (or short cut domain name) @htwmi.org. The minutes of Vestry meetings will be published on our website, and other records are available to anyone interested by calling Maggie at the church office. These records can be sent to you via email, or copied and mailed to you.

At the moment no church events of any kind are permitted inside our church building. This includes the 12-step groups. Our Sunday morning services are permitted to be live-streamed on-line from our nave. We are permitted up to 10 people who must wear masks at all times and maintain strict social distancing. All those who are present for our Sunday live-streaming service must be participating in the production of the service.

The parish website continues to be a one-stop effort for all church news. This is an evolving effort which means that the site changes daily. Work continues in the basement to rehab windows, walls and radiators after seals in the windows failed causing damage to the walls and radiators. Wiring in the Nave will be relocated so that we can continue with live-streaming after in-person services return without any safety hazards. The Interim Rector, and the Reverend Canon Valerie Ambrose from the Diocesan Office are working with the Vestry in facilitating the next steps in providing Holy Trinity with permanent clerical leadership.

Our Mission:
With God's help, we will
Seek Christ in all persons;
Serve others; and
Strive to be a vibrant, growing

Your Vestry

Kevin Murphy (23) Senior Warden
Genia LaNore (23) Junior Warden
Becky Wells Secretary/Clerk *
Brenda Amato (24) Treasurer

Nan Campau (22)
Troy Nelson (22)
Keith Kuzins (22)
Linda Kitsch (23)
Amanda Lustey (24)
Ron Stuitje (24)

* The secretary/clerk is a member of the Vestry without vote.

Office Hours:

*Due to our current COVID restrictions,
the office and building remain closed.*

Please call, text or email Fr. Don or Maggie whenever you have a question. In special circumstances clergy appointments remain available.

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Links

If you are interested in reading the current information from the Episcopal Dioceses of Michigan in regard to the ongoing pandemic restrictions, that information can be found at:

<http://www.edwm.org/coronavirus>

All decisions relating to the pandemic are being made jointly by the Episcopal Dioceses of Michigan, Eastern Michigan, Western Michigan and Northern Michigan for the health, safety, scientific evidence and love of Michigan Episcopalians.