



The In Touch

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Our Mission: To Seek, Know, Love and Serve Christ in all Persons and in all Creation

Ramblings from the Liturgist...

Once again it is my turn to come up with something meaningful for the newsletter cover letter. Again, I found it in my copy of Forward Day by Day (the little daily devotions book available at the church). The author of this particular article is Deon K. Johnson, the bishop of Missouri. It goes like this:

Prepare. Life is short.

Life is short. Tell those you love how much they mean.

Life is short. Be generous in forgiving and letting go.

Life is short. Sing with a heart full of joy, even if you sing off key.

Life is short. Live a life of gratitude.

Life is short. Eat dessert first, read a good book, let go of things that don't matter, including past slights and hurts.

Life is short. Go to church, say your prayers, fall in love with Jesus again and again.

Life is short is short. Wake up, stay alert, be prepared, light the lamps, get ready. Listen for the knock; answer the call; serve where you are sent.

Life is short. Dream, but don't just dream, follow your dreams.

Life is short. Make a list and then check things off.

Life is short. Dance.

Life is short. Jesus is coming. Jesus is here.

Life is short.

I close with a blessing used often in our church — "Remember that life is short— and we haven't much time to gladden the hearts of those who travel with us. So be swift to love, make haste to be kind. and the blessing of God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit be with you and remain with you always."

Peace,
Georgeann



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Thank you*



April 4/1 - 4/30 ~ Andrew Kennedy

- ~ Andy Wright
- ~ Emma Mattsen
- ~ Bradley Davison
- ~ Bill T. Corrin
- ~ Heather O'Kane
- ~ Donna Day
- ~ Angie Tusler (Davison)

HAPPY
ANNIVERSARY

4/29 ~ Emily & Adam Rasmussen

Baptism

- 4/1 ~ Madalynn & Thatcher Jenkinson
- 4/1 ~ Melanie & Gage Waskul
- 4/14 ~ Jay Noland
- 4/15 ~ Ladd Corrin
- 4/17 ~ Karen Day
- 4/19 ~ Willie B. Corrin



Faith United Church of Christ, Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, and Zion Lutheran Church cordially invite you to join us for our midweek Lenten series – Making Changes

Dates

Wednesdays, April 2, 9

Time

6:00 pm soup supper

7:00 pm worship

Location

All will be held at Zion Lutheran Church,
530 6th Street, International Falls

Watch Holy Trinity Livestream On Facebook

Service bulletin is on our website: www.ifhtec.org

Sundays @ 10:00 am

Services can also be viewed on KCC-TV

April '25 Sunday Service Lay Responsibilities

Dates	Celebrants	Acolytes	Lectors & Lessons	
6 Holy Eucharist 10:00 am 5th Sunday in Lent	Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacons: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen	Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen	Carole Johnson	
13 Holy Eucharist  10:00 am Palm Sunday	Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacons: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen	Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen	Jeanne Corrin	
16 7:00 pm Prayer & Healing Service	Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacons: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen	Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen		
17 Holy Eucharist 7:00 pm Maundy Thursday	Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacons: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen	Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen		
20 Holy Eucharist  10:00 am Easter Sunday	Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacons: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen	Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen	Erik Strand	
27 Holy Eucharist 10:00 am 2nd Sunday of Easter	Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacons: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen	Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen	Wrights	



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5 Altar Guild
			Lenten Service @ Zion Lutheran 6:00 soup 7:00			Tricia
6	7	8	9	10	11	12 Altar Guild
Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m.		Vestry Meeting 5:00 pm	Lenten Service @ Zion Lutheran 6:00 soup 7:00			Donna & Karen
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 Altar Guild
 Holy Eucharist 10:00a.m.	Ruby's Pantry 5:00 - 6:30		Prayer & Healing Service 7:00 pm	Maundy Thursday Service 7:00 pm		Donna & Karen
20	21	22	23	24	25	26 Altar Guild
 Holy Eucharist 10:00a.m.	Newsletter Deadline (Sunday School)					Georgeann & Michele
27	28	29	30			
Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m.						