

## **Report of the Lead Pastor for August 2020**

Rev. Dr. Jack M. Horner

September 8, 2020

Baptisms: Luke Reed 8/2; Joel Williams IV

Funerals: Tom Pheasant 8/8; Howard Lindsay 8/22; Frank Lentz IV 8/31

Weddings: none

### **In-person worship**

The Covid-19 taskforce approved Trinity providing in-person in-building worship services beginning this weekend. We feel we can do this responsibly and safely. The staff and key volunteers are working hard to make sure these are meaningful and safe worship experiences. We are posting a video to explain what people can expect this week.

### **Pastor Brock Sabbatical**

Pastor Liz and I were able to hold down the fort, I mean church, while Pastor Brock was on sabbatical. Both of us even managed short vacations. We are seeing an uptick in private, family baptisms while we continue to plan for in-person worship.

### **ELCA World Hunger**

I received a very nice phone call from Rev. Dave Wangaard from ELCA World Hunger ministry thanking us for our generous support. Trinity, he shared, is one of the best supporters of World Hunger throughout the ELCA. We have very compassionate and generous people in our congregation, thanks be to God!

### **Tech support**

It's been wonderful to see the generosity of the congregation in supporting our IT-AV technical needs. Tonight, you have a job description from A&P to staff a professional to continue to help us develop and increase the tech side of our worship ministry.

Your servant in Christ,

Pastor Jack Horner