Report to Congregation Council, March 2022 Meeting Trinity Lutheran Church Worship Team

From the minutes of the February 16 Zoom meeting:

Pastors

- Pastor Horner is forming a dramatic reading team, including foreign language speakers.
- Evaluation of summer and fall worship times—we will revisit this at the May meeting.
- New front altar is being made now. New paraments for it will be ordered soon. Hoping for a late spring/early summer blessing for the finished pieces.
- Many thanks to Fran and Jake Jacobs for taking charge of the disintegrating Luther flag in our nave. They arranged for a complete remaking of it, and it now sits in its place again.
- "Live Like Jesus" sub-themes are set through Pentecost Sunday.
- Kentland—Pastor Jack has spoken with Grace Lutheran in Highland Park about renting their Kentland building and grounds to reach out to the nearby communities in Upper Allen Twp. He envisions inviting families to join in the 9am streaming service at home, then meeting at Kentland for a Faith Formation activity. It could also be a place to take our VBS on the road.
- Re-instituting processions—possibly on Palm Sunday
- Re-instituting serving communion elements by pastors and assistants—Communion will remain as it is through the spring. The pastors will look at maybe Trinity Sunday on June 12 to include intinction for those who are comfortable with it.
- Easter Vigil—looking at using the expanded gathering space fully

Altar Care

Active volunteers—12 for the nave Fran has worked on making the process as easy as possible to retain volunteers.

Ushers

Having enough ushers is still difficult in the traditional service, but it is working out.

Facilitator

Stephanie is working with Jane on recruiting volunteers and finding a new Worship Team facilitator.

Jane will work on finding a new Worship Team member from the Saturday or Contemporary service to become a Worship Team member who is also the secretary for each meeting.

COVID Task Force has recommended and Steve has removed door signs that highly recommend mask wearing in the building. No announcement will be made about this.

Next Regular Meeting: May 18, 2022, 10:00AM