



# Lost and Found

April  
2021

"For the Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost."

## SPIRITUAL INSPIRATIONS

### Our God is... Almighty

How strong are you?

If you want to see incredible physical strength, watch "The World's Strongest Man" competition. To win, the competitors have to do such demanding feats as lift 300-pound, round stones onto a pedestal, flip huge tires over and over, and pull large buses—in the least amount of time.

Such strength pales in comparison to the almighty power of the one true God.

God's power isn't limited to a competition, and he doesn't use it to win prizes for himself. God uses his power for our benefit.

The greatest proof of God's almighty power is when Jesus was raised to life after being crucified.

Jesus had the weight of the world on his back in the form of every sin of every person for all time. We rejoice because he was willing to lift the heavy weight of sin off us and endure the excruciating pain of dying on the cross in our place. Jesus was humbled, but only temporarily. Three days later, God showed his almighty power when Jesus became the only person to overcome sin, death, and hell.

The Apostle Paul writes, "By his power God raised the Lord from the dead, and he will raise us also" (1 Corinthians 6:14).

Jesus won the victory of eternal life. He gives the hope of heaven to all people. Now that is a feat of strength!

God is not done revealing his almighty power. On the Last Day, Jesus will return to earth to raise our bodies back to life and to reunite them with our souls. We may be weak, but God uses his strength for us. Trust in the power of Jesus' death and resurrection.

Worship with us during the Easter season. Together we can rejoice in God's almighty power.

*Inspiration  
from the  
Psalms:*

Psalm 16:11

You have  
made known  
to me the path  
of life; you will  
fill me with joy  
in your pres-  
ence, with  
eternal pleas-  
ures at your  
right hand.



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## WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?

**DIVINE CALL RESPONSES:** Adam Bohl was recently called as 7th and 8th grade teacher and principal. His wife, Jessica, was called as 1st and 2nd grade teacher. Both have returned the calls to Trinity. Rev. Aaron Schultz was called as pastor. He has also returned the call. In light of this, we will be hold two Divine Call meetings.

*The first* – to call a 7th and 8th grade teacher and principal, as well as a 1st and 2nd grade teacher, will be held immediately following the Maundy Thursday worship service on April 1st. All voters and non-voters (men and women) are invited and encouraged to attend.

*The second* call meeting will be held in conjunction with the Special Voters Meeting on Sunday, April 11th. We will be calling a pastor at that time. These are important issues for our church and school. Please plan on attending!

**A SPECIAL VOTERS MEETING** and call meeting will be held Sunday, April 11, immediately after second service. We will be discussing the future of busing at our school as well as necessary masonry work needed on the school building. The congregation (all voters, men, and women) and school parents are encouraged to attend to voice your opinions on these important matters. School parents, regardless of membership, please come! We value your input on these very important issues.

**EXCITING NEWS!** Trinity is in the process of upgrading our video equipment. Soon, we will be able to live stream our worship services over the world wide web. High speed internet is being installed in the church that will allow us to upload services to the internet. Some of you may have noticed a new camera has already been installed in the sanctuary. Audio and video will be greatly improved. Testing will begin in April, and we hope to be live-streaming by May! Watch the bulletin for future updates.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL REGISTRATION:** Now is the time to get your children registered for the 2021-2022 school year. The deadline is April 12<sup>th</sup>. If you have not received your registration packet, or if you know of someone who is interested in our school, please contact the office, either by phone or email. We are still accepting students to our preschool/prekindergarten program, as well. Simple registration forms can be found on the table in the narthex or they also be obtained from the school office, along with the complete Pre-K packet.



## WE WANT YOU!

Our school is in *desperate* need of full time bus drivers, men or women, to drive morning and afternoon routes each school day throughout the school year. We are also in need of substitute bus drivers. If you are interested in either position, please contact the school office or any school board member. Drivers need not be Trinity members, so if you know of someone who may be interested, please share this message with them.



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## **WHAT'S GOING ON HERE? *continued***

**THE HANCOCK HISTORICAL MUSEUM** in Findlay is planning an exhibit on the history of the Famous Dove ,and its passengers, which was shipwrecked off the Virginia coast in September of 1831. They plan on having it ready for viewing at the end of June. They are inviting people who have photos, documents or items relating to the passengers of the Dove, to share them for the exhibit by donation, loan or allowing the museum staff to scan papers or photos. You may take the items to the Museum at 422 West Sandusky Street, Findlay and ask for Lauren Pepple Etler, who is Ralph Anderson's granddaughter, or call Lauren at 419-889-4716 to arrange a meeting. Please write down as much information/history as you can about the picture/item and include your name and phone number. The Museum has access to newspaper files so newspaper clippings will not be needed. Our church contact is Esther Spaeth.

**DUE TO COVID RESTRICTIONS**, the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders will not be able to take their biannual Chicago Trip. They will, however, be able to take a 3 day trip to southern Ohio where they will participate in various learning activities and new experiences. The students thank you for supporting this trip with your purchase of spaghetti dinner tickets. To continue to raise funds we are also hosting a meat package raffle. Each ticket is \$10 and the drawing will be held on April 30, 2021. The package includes:

- 4 lbs. T-bone steaks
- 4 lbs. rib steaks
- 8 lbs. skirt steaks
- 8 lbs. sirloin steaks
- 16 lbs. chuck roasts
- 20 lbs. hamburger(1 lb. pkgs.)
- 12 lbs. hamburger patties

If you would like to purchase tickets, please see any 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> grade student/parent, Mr. Koepsell, or by calling the school office, 419-326-4685.

**COMMUNION SERVICE:** We will continue to offer the special communion only services once a month, for as long as there is a need. The next one will be April 18th at 1:00pm. Please email or call the school office to sign up.

**LADIES AID GUEST NIGHT:** At our March meeting Pastor Nowak continued our Bible study on prayer. The discussion on a Ladies Aid name change continued with many new ideas. The April meeting on April 12th will be our Guest Night with Mary Ann Gallant sharing her trip to Israel . We hope you will join us at 7:30 pm in the church narthex. CoVID restrictions will be in place. All are welcome to attend, even if you're not a member of Ladies Aid. Bring a friend (or 2!).

**LWMS HEARTLAND & OHIO CIRCUIT RALLY** will be held Saturday, April 10, 2021 at Risen Savior Lutheran Church in Mansfield, from 9:30am to noon. Guest speaker will be Pastor Scott Miller, Home Missionary and LWMS Pastoral Advisor. Sign-up on line at [sites.google.com/site/lwmsheartland/](https://sites.google.com/site/lwmsheartland/). There is also a sign-up sheet in the church narthex. Please let Cheryl Kretz (419-326-6993) know if you are going so we can plan ahead.



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Join us for Worship Sundays at 8 & 10:30am

Sunday School & Bible Class at 9:20am

*Mornings with Mommy-1st & 3rd Monday or  
Tuesday of the month. Register on line at  
[tlcjenera.org](http://tlcjenera.org).*

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## Memory Gem from God's Treasure

(for parents, children—everyone young and old!)

Therefore, my dear brothers, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the lord is not in vain.

1 Corinthians 15:58



# The Tiger Tribune

## ***Basketball 2020-2021***

By Izzy Kretz

We have had three games this season and the A team has come close to winning their games but have not yet succeeded, but the B team has won one game. All teams have been trying hard and made a great effort in their practices and games, but it was a struggle trying to wear masks while playing basketball in Michigan. The A team's coach is Mr. Beagle, B team's is Mr. Beach, and the C team's is Mrs. Sherman and Mrs. Spaeth. They are doing really well at getting their team's active and learning new activities.

## ***Kindergarten with Mrs.***

***Hummer***

By Trenton Siefker

**Q: What project or class did you and/or your students enjoy most this month?**

A: The Eggs of Easter, which Mrs. Hummer has done in order to represent the different days of Holy Week and Easter.

**Q: What are you and/or your students looking forward to in April?**

A: The Kindergarteners are learning to read and write independently in the preparation for the 1st grade.

**Q: With the weather getting nicer again, what are some things you're looking forward to doing outside?**

A: Mrs. Hummer is looking forward to planting flowers and a few other plants as well as getting to run in the fresh air instead of on a treadmill.

## ***1st & 2nd with Mrs. Krueger***

By Mikayla Norway

**Q: What project or class did you and/or your students enjoy most this month?**

A: The first and second graders enjoyed saying the March "Lion and Lamb" poem and then graphing a lion or lamb depending on the day.

**Q: What are you and/or your students looking forward to in April?**

A: Mrs. Krueger is looking forward to going to Cincinnati with Pastor Krueger to visit their son.

**Q: With the weather getting nicer again, what are some things you're looking forward to doing outside?**

A: Observing plant growth with her students in science.

<p><b>3rd &amp; 4th with Mrs. Baumann</b> By Allison Stuckey</p>	<p><b>5th &amp; 6th with Mr. von Stein</b> By Abbey Miles</p>	<p><b>7th &amp; 8th with Mr. Koepsell</b> By Maya Beagle</p>
<p><b>Q: What project or class did you and/or your students enjoy most this month?</b> A: Mrs. Baumann and the 7th and 8th graders enjoyed learning about sound. The 3rd and 4th grade class enjoyed learning about different kinds of instruments.</p> <p><b>Q: What are you and/or your students looking forward to in April?</b> A: The 3rd and 4th grade class looks forward to studying rocks in Geology.</p> <p><b>Q: With the weather getting nicer again, what are some of the things you're looking forward to doing outside?</b> A: Mrs. Baumann is looking forward to watching all the flowers grow in her garden. She doesn't look forward to pulling weeds though.</p>	<p><b>Q: What project or class did you and or your students enjoy most this month.</b> A: In Social Studies they have been doing skits on the various groups that travelled west.</p> <p><b>Q: What are you and or your class looking forward to in April?</b> A: Getting to Easter break, doing more stuff outside and getting to do track.</p> <p><b>Q: With the weather getting nicer again what are some things you're looking forward to doing outside.</b> A: Maybe traveling and camping places also just seeing family that haven't been seen in awhile.</p>	<p><b>Q: What projects or class did you and/or your students enjoy the most this month?</b> A: Mr. Koepsell's class enjoyed watching Shakespeare's <i>Hamlet</i>.</p> <p><b>Q: What are you and/or your students looking forward to in April?</b> A: The 7th and 8th graders are looking forward to Easter break.</p> <p><b>Q: With the weather getting nicer again, what are some things you're looking forward to doing outside?</b> A: Mr. Koepsell is looking forward to going disc golfing and watching his kids ride their bikes.</p>

**March '21**

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	1 No School Good Sam Com 11:00am Maundy Thursday Com. Service 7:00pm Call Mtg after	2 No School  Good Friday Service 7:00	3
4 Easter Sunrise Service 6:30am Easter Service 9:30am Communion	5 MWM 9:30	6 MWM 9:30	7 School Chapel 8:20  Handbells 6:30	8  Catechism 6:30	9	10 LWMS Rally Mansfield 9:30 am
11 Childrens Lesson Call meeting & Special Voters Mtg Elders Mtg 1:00 Outreach Mtg 2:00	12 Worship Com. 6:00 Board of Ed 6:00 Ladies Aid Guest Night 7:30pm	13 Principals' Conference 9:00am	14 School Chapel 8:20  Catechism 6:30 Handbells 6:30	15 Good Samaritan Bible Study 11:00am	16 Principals' Conference	17 Principals' Conference
18 Communion	19 MWM 9:30 Pastors' Conference  Church Council 7:00	20 MWM 9:30 Pastors' Conference	21 School Chapel 8:20  Catechism 6:30 Handbells 6:30	22	23	24 Confirmation Rehearsal
25 WELS Connection Jenera Field Day 2:00pm	26	27	28 School Chapel 8:20  Catechism 6:30 Handbells 6:30	29 Good Samaritan Communion 11:00am	30	1
2	3	<b>Sunday Worship</b> 8:00 & 10:30 AM Sunday School & Bible Class 9:20AM		<b>Money Counters</b> James Miles 04.11-04.24 Clark Inniger 04.25-05.08		Monthly Flower Chairperson Mark Burkholder  Lutheran Chapel On the Air Sundays 11:00AM 1230 AM Dial (WCWA)

**GREETERS FOR APRIL**

	EARLY SERVICE	LATE SERVICE
4.01	Tyler & Kathy Smith	Maundy Thursday
4.02	Jerry & Betty Burkholder	Good Friday
4.04	Jim & Jane Smith	Mike & Jill Woodward
4.11	Mark & Kathi Curth	Bob & Julie Inniger
4.18	James & Deb Reichley	Mark & Jane Boehm
4.25	John & Janet Weihrauch	Jerry Beagle

**BIRTHDAYS**

1	Leah Nowak
2	John Spaeth
6	Sally Rettig
16	Karen Beach
27	Ruth Marquart
27	Shelby Armand
30	Mary Lou Reddick
30	Megan Nowak

**NEXT MONTH**

1	Athletic Day- Cincinnati
3	Confirmation
28	Last day of school

**ANNIVERSARIES**

9	Mike & Jill Woodward
18	Darl & Pamela Deeds
22	Ray & Dawn Curth
24	Gary & Rebecca Mitchell

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