



News for the Week of April 20, 2026

Calendar of Events:

- Monday (20) Evy's Art Class- 12:30 p.m.
- Tuesday (21) Quilting- 9:00 a.m.
- Stewardship- 11:30 a.m.
- Bible Study- 2:00 p.m.
- Wednesday (22) *Please note **NO** Grief Support. Disregard calendar entry.
- Friday (24) Halifax Urban Ministries Volunteer Opportunity- 8:00 a.m.
- Sunday (26) Sunday Worship service-9:30 a.m.

Bible Study

Bible study is led by Pastor Bob every Tuesday at 2:00 p.m. If you wish to attend via Zoom, you can do so by clicking this link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87305717775> Meeting ID: 873 0571 7775

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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5	6	7	8 Choir Rehearsal-7:00 p.m.	9	10	11
12 Worship – 9:30 a.m. Congregational Meeting- after worship	13 Evy's Art Class – 12:30 p.m.	14 Caregiver Support Group- 10:30 a.m. Bible Study- 2 p.m.	15 Handbells 6:00 p.m. Choir 7:00 p.m.	16 Elizabeth Circle Bible Study- 10:00 a.m.	17	18
19 Worship- 9:30 a.m. Blood Drive- 8 a.m.-2:00 p.m.	20 Evy's Art Class – 12:30 p.m.	21 Quilting- 9:00 a.m. Stewardship Meeting – 11:30 a.m. Bible Study- 2 p.m.	22 Grief Support Group- 10:00 a.m.	23	24 Halifax Urban Ministries Volunteer Opportunity- 8:00 a.m.	25
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Blood Drive

Thank you to all who participated in the Blood Drive this past weekend! Thank you to Grace Kellermeier for her efforts in coordinating everything with OneBlood.



A Note of Thanks

Dear Friends at Trinity,
Les and I want you to know how much we appreciate all the cards and phone calls. Les is on oxygen most of the time. We watch the Sunday service on the computer but miss seeing everyone in person. We appreciate your prayers.

Jean and Les Haughwout

Servant Sign Up

There will be new opportunities for serving at Trinity. You can find more information located in the church narthex at the Servant Sign Up table (wooden table closest to the office doors).



WELCA Luncheon

WELCA will host its annual luncheon, titled, "Growing with God", on Saturday, May 9, 2026. Time: 11:30 am and Lunch served at Noon. Speaker is Laura Albert, Garden Expert at the NSB Ace Hardware. She will talk about how to grow food and flowers in containers." All are Welcome!" Tickets are on sale this Sunday: \$12 per person. Contact Evy Okerstrom with questions. Contact information available in the church directory or by calling the church office.

There will be kind gifts for the Lutheran World Relief Program.

Personal Kit items needed:

1. Lightweight cotton or cotton blend bath size towels, dark colors, sizes 20" to 27" x 40" to 52"
2. Bar soap bath size: 8 to 9 oz. Note: any brand in original wrapping. No mini or hotel size bars.
3. Adult size toothbrush in its original packaging.

Potential Fundraising Opportunity

A flyer for 'Gold for a Cause' featuring a pile of gold and silver jewelry. The text on the flyer includes: 'Fundraising Reimagined. No cost. No donations. No risk.' 'Fundraising is getting harder – and your mission needs more support than ever.' 'Gold for a Cause offers a trusted alternative - private, on-site, gold & silver buying events. We purchase unwanted gold & silver from your members; and every purchase generates a percentage back to your church.' 'We've hosted more than 10,000 private gold & silver buying events nationwide – helping churches raise funds responsibly in a no-pressure, familiar environment.' 'A community-driven way to raise funds without asking for donations.' The logo 'gold for a cause' is at the bottom left. At the bottom, it says 'To learn more visit GoldforaCause.com or call 813-331-5446'.

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Trinity is discerning about participating in a cost-free fundraiser. A member described a program that purchases unwanted gold silver and gives a percentage of the proceeds to churches. After this information was shared, a different member received this flyer (left). We would like to determine if this is something that Trinity should pursue. If you are interested in participating, please contact the office via *phone or email*.

Why it works.

- ✓ **Members are never asked to donate.** We buy unwanted gold & silver. Participation is entirely optional.
- ✓ **No work. No risk.** Our experienced team manages everything. No costs. No fees. No burden to church staff or volunteers.
- ✓ **Your members benefit. Your church benefits.** Your members are paid for items they sell, and your church receives a portion of each sale.

Explore a different way to fundraise.

Trinity has not committed to this fundraiser or the company shown in the picture. This flyer is shared as an example. If there are enough people who show interest in participation, further investigations will be done.

April Birthdays

	2	Artie Slack	12	Karen Beiersdorf	
	5	Dave Faller	23	Liz Slack	
	9	Anne Marie Schmoeker	28	Jonathan Weinrich	
	10	Mary Mathews	30	Grace Kellermeier	

A NEW BIRTHDAY SONG

Using the tune KREMSER, *We Praise You, O God*

We celebrate with you the life that God gave you.

We thank God for letting us share in your joy.

God bless you, keep you, and shine Christ's light upon you.

With love we sing together happy birthday to you.

TRINITY COLUMBARIUM



COLUMBARIUM NICHE SUBSCRIPTION FEE

MEMBER: \$2000.00

NON-MEMBER \$3000.00

Includes one niche which will hold two urns, a faceplate (to cover the niche) that is engraved with name of deceased, plus year of birth and death.

APPLICATION AVAILABLE PLEASE CONTACT:

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