

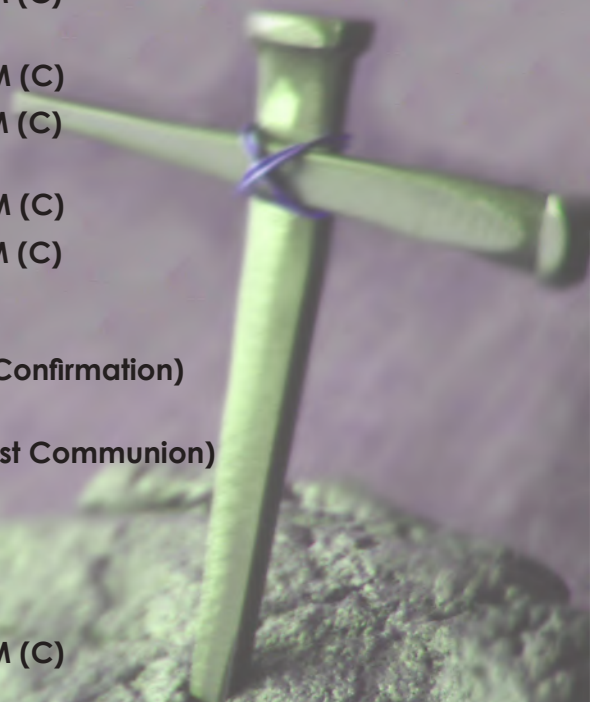
Trinity Today

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March 1, 2019

Lent and Holy Week Schedule

Prayer - Week 1	March 2	5:00 PM
	March 3	8:15 & 10:50 AM (C)
Ash Wednesday	March 6	Noon & 6:30 PM (C) (Imposition of Ashes)
Prayer - Week 2	March 9	5:00 PM (C)
	March 10	8:15 & 10:50 AM
Lent Midweek 2	March 13	Noon & 6:30 PM (C)
Prayer - Week 3	March 16	5:00 PM
	March 17	8:15 & 10:50 AM (C)
Lent Midweek 3	March 20	Noon & 6:30 PM (C)
Prayer - Week 4	March 23	5:00 PM (C)
	March 24	8:15 & 10:50 AM
Lent Midweek 4	March 27	Noon & 6:30 PM (C)
Prayer - Week 5	March 30	5:00 PM
	March 31	8:15 & 10:50 AM (C)
Lent Midweek 5	April 3	Noon & 6:30 PM (C)
Prayer - Week 6	April 6	5:00 PM
	April 7	8:15 & 10:50 AM (C)
Lent Midweek 6	April 10	Noon & 6:30 PM (C)
Prayer - Week 7	April 13	5:00 PM (C)
Palm Sunday	April 14	8:15 AM (C) 10:50 AM (C) (Confirmation)
Maundy Thursday	April 18	Noon (C) 6:30 PM (C) (First Communion)
Good Friday	April 19	Noon
Good Friday Tenebrae	April 19	6:30 PM
Easter Satellite	April 20	5:00 PM (C)
Easter Sunrise	April 21	6:30 AM (C)
Easter Festival	April 21	8:15 & 10:50 AM (C)



“Remain in Me” Challenge

Jesus said “If you remain in Me and My words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be given to you.” (John 15:7 NIV)

During Lent, we are starting a “Remain in Me” challenge for all adult worshipers to attend a Bible study sometime during each week from March 3rd through April 14th. As part of this challenge, we are offering a new 7-week adult Bible study opportunity titled “40 Days of Prayer” by Rick Warren. This video-based course will be offered in some of the existing Bible study classes, and we’ll also be conducting a large group study in the gym taught by Pastor Michael Dorn, Pastor Hofmann and Matt Meier.

Other Bible study opportunities are also available during the work week. Please plan on helping us meet the challenge of having 100% of our worshipers attending a Bible study during this Lenten period.



Save-the-Date

Buffalo Bayou Park Service Project



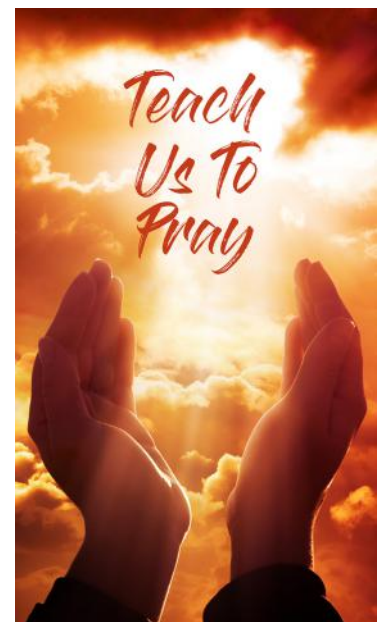
Friends, please save the date: Saturday, April 13th, 8:30 a.m., for a service project in our immediate community, serving Buffalo Bayou Park (BBP).

BBP will have us doing some manual labor on a Saturday morning in April to serve and beautify our park. Buffalo Bayou is the Houston Ship Channel and a length of it flows under I-45 at Houston and Washington.

Please wear closed-toe shoes or boots with long pants and Trinity shirt. Ages 8 and younger may not volunteer. Ages 9-17 must have parent's consent. One adult (21+) chaperone for every 10 youth (9-17) is required. Save the date and join us for a neighborhood service project. Call/text Pastor Hofmann at 915.500.2993 if you have questions.

Teach Us to Pray - Lent Sermon Series

How's your prayer life? Some people would say, “Fantastic!” but many more would probably say, “It's okay,” and there may be a few who would say, “My prayer life is atrocious.” Regardless of how you would rate your prayer life, there is always room for improvement. Everyone can grow in their prayer life. During the Season of Lent this year, the sermons will focus on prayer and steps a person can take to improve their prayer life. To reinforce the topics covered in the sermons, Bible studies are being offered that will discuss this topic in greater detail. In fact, Pastor Dorn has issued a challenge to the members of Trinity Downtown for 100% participation in Bible study as part of their spiritual discipline during Lent. Watch your email for additional information on how you can join the challenge and improve your prayer life. The sermon series will run from March 2 to April 14.



Lenten Devotions from Lutheran Hour Ministries

Centuries before Christ, God was preparing the way for His Son's arrival. From mankind's original sin through the children of Israel's on-again, off-again obedience, God was faithful, honoring His promise to Eve (Genesis 3:15), which first pointed to Jesus. In *People of the Passion*, you will see God working through the lives of ordinary people to achieve His ultimate aim; our salvation. There are prophets, priests, and kings, servants, soldiers, and civilians — each with a role in the high drama of Christ's passion. You may see yourself in some of these people — ordinary individuals who, like us, need a Savior.

Printed copies of Lenten Devotion booklets will be available March 3rd for the start of Lent on Ash Wednesday, March 6th. You may also view the devotions online at www.lhm.org/lent.



Easter Lily Orders



Beautiful Easter lilies will adorn the sanctuary for Easter. If you would like to purchase one or more for \$8.50 each, please write your dedication(s) on the Easter Lily form available at the Welcome Center. Insert your check and form in the envelope provided and place in the Easter Lily box. Lilies may be taken home after the 10:50 a.m. service on Easter Sunday.

Deadline to order and have dedication in Easter Service Folder is Sunday, April 7.

Lenten Mid-Week Services



Beginning Ash Wednesday (March 6), Trinity Downtown will begin its Lenten series based on the Seven Words of Jesus from the Cross. Our series will begin with the ashes of Ash Wednesday, march us through the season of Lent and into the fading darkness of Holy Week. We will host two worship times for each service: Noon and 6:30 p.m. As a reminder, our youth will have their First Communion at the 6:30 p.m. service on Maundy Thursday (April 18).



Finance Corner

...nor will they say, 'Look, here it is!' or 'There!' for behold, the kingdom of God is in the midst of you.
Luke 17:21 ESV

Trinity Downtown's God-lead financial recovery continued in January 2019. Here are some key statistics:

- Through January 2019, our tithes, offerings and expenses were on budget;
- We had a 28-month reserve for paying our Education Building mortgage payment;
- We continued reducing our operational debt in accordance with the Ministry Financial Plan approved by the congregation in November 2018; and
- We started reserving ~\$3k a month in our "Asset Replacement Fund." This fund is designed to help us replace infrastructure (e.g. air conditioning, electrical, plumbing and IT equipment) that is reaching the end of its operational life.



Your gifts are making a real difference in supporting Trinity's various ministries and are playing a direct role in what God is doing through our church.

It is a joy to participate in building God's kingdom with each of you. I'm eager to see what's next!

Joining Jesus alongside you,
Ron Lacy, CFO

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You shop. Amazon gives.

How to increase your giving to Trinity without spending any money.

Please remember that you can expand your stewardship by using a program that Trinity has qualified for at Amazon. Amazon will give Trinity a 0.5% rebate for all purchases made by our supporters when making their normal purchases at Amazon. It's very easy—whenever you are shopping on Amazon, go to this web address (instead of www.amazon.com):

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/74-1238451>

Using this service from Amazon won't change the costs of the products you buy, and all of your account settings and preferences will be retained. The only thing that will change is that Trinity will receive a rebate!

Health Tips - Pill-Splitting Safety

I belong to a large population of patients who take medications that must be split, cut or divided. In fact I take two medications that must be divided. I set my medications up once/week rather than having to divide them each day. It saves time and avoids mistakes. I imagine that many of you are “in the same boat.” This practice is known as pill splitting or tablet splitting. I find this “a pain in the neck.” For me it is time consuming and must be done carefully to ensure correct dosing. There are products available at your pharmacy that ensure that the daily dosage of a medication is accurate, that split the tablets evenly, and are safe and easy to use.



These are mentioned later in this article. I found this information as a good review, and I learned something new, which may indicate a need for me to change my practice. So, if your physician has recommended pill splitting, here are some recommendations you can follow.

- *Split as recommended.* **ONLY split pills that your physician or pharmacist says are OK to split.** Most sustained- or extended-release medications (often those with “SR”, “ER” or “XL” in the name) aren’t meant to be split. An exception is metoprolol (Toprol XL), which can be split. Do not split drugs with enteric coating. Certain drugs can also be prone to breakage or have active ingredients that are unevenly distributed, making splitting impractical or unsafe. Do not use a knife to split the tablets!
- *Look for score marks.* If a tablet is approved for splitting, the tablet will be marked to indicate where to cut it.
- *Split one tablet at a time.* It might be tempting to tackle the entire bottle at once. However, pills should only be split right before you take them, because split pills may be affected by heat, humidity and moisture. I have been tackling this one week at a time, so I will be checking with my pharmacist about this practice.
- *Use a splitter.* A small, inexpensive pill splitter can help you divide a pill evenly. You can find them in most pharmacies. In fact, I just purchased a new “splitter” which seems to be more accurate. However, if the shape or size of a particular pill does not allow for a splitter to work, ask your physician or pharmacist the best way to divide it.
- *Be realistic.* If you’re unable to split your pills evenly, ask to have your prescription revised.

SOURCE: *Mayo Clinic Health Letter*, February, 2019

“The Lord is close to the broken hearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.” Psalm 34:18

Julie Bertrand, Retired R.N.

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40 Days For Life

If you've been listening to the news "life" is making some progress. A few abortion clinics around the country are closing. But the war is real. Planned Parenthood is fighting very hard for the right to kill babies and make it tax payer funded.

Pastor Black has chosen Tuesday, March 12th, as Trinity Downtown's day to silently protest at Planned Parenthood, 4600 Gulf Freeway. Please consider giving two hours of your time on that day to quietly sit or stand in prayer to speak for the unborn. You will not be asked to speak with anyone or do anything other than stand or sit in prayer.

In 2018 we gave 1,158 baby blankets to the Coalition for Life's Big Blue and Baby Blue Buses. That's 1,158 mothers who chose life over abortion. Our baby blanket ministry has given away 6,886 blankets since we began in 2011. That's 6,886 babies who are alive today because of the work we have done.

Please message Jan Case at 281.392.5899, 713.677.4286, or jcase001@gmail.com if you would like to volunteer.

"Woe to those who call evil good and good evil, who put darkness for light and light for darkness, who put bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter." Isaiah 5:20



Blood Donor Sunday

Our next Blood Donor Sunday will be held March 17, 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Sign-up sheets will be located in the foyer and the narthex. If you would prefer a special time please sign up either at the church or online at www.giveblood.org and pick Trinity's drive to set an appointment. While scheduling an appointment ahead of time gives us an estimate of how many donors to expect and the Blood Center sends out the appropriate number of workers; an added bonus is we take scheduled appointments prior to walk-ups. Anyone donating will receive a free cross t-shirt.

We look forward to a very successful drive in March. Double red cell and combination whole blood and plasma machines will be available for those wishing to donate that way. Both count for two donations.

REMINDER!! The minimum donor age requirement to give blood is 16 years old with a parent's permission. Weight must be 122 lbs. (still 110 lbs. for 17 and older) and in general good health.

REMEMBER: one unit of blood can save as many as three lives as it is broken down into three components – red blood cells, platelets and plasma.

May our Lord keep you healthy so you can continue to contribute the gift of life!



Be in the Word

Adult Bible Classes - Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

"40 Days of Prayer" - Led by Bill Fischer's Team - Room 201

Throughout the 40 Days of Prayer series, you will learn how to cultivate a powerful prayer life and experience breakthrough in your relationship challenges, financial difficulties, bad habits, health crisis, and many other areas of your life.

"40 Days of Prayer" - Led by Jim Cleary's Team - Room 205

Throughout the 40 Days of Prayer series, you will learn how to cultivate a powerful prayer life and experience breakthrough in your relationship challenges, financial difficulties, bad habits, health crisis, and many other areas of your life.

"40 Days of Prayer" - Led by Pastor M. Dorn, Pastor M. Hofmann & Matt Meier - Gym

Throughout the 40 Days of Prayer series, you will learn how to cultivate a powerful prayer life and experience breakthrough in your relationship challenges, financial difficulties, bad habits, health crisis, and many other areas of your life.

"Christian Rubric for Life" - Led by Tom DeVries' Team - Room 206

On a routine basis we face questions that do not have simple answers. We can see the logic in competing arguments, but we cannot be sure we see God in our responses. This class appreciates that the answers are not simple, but that God has given us the knowledge through His Word, the tools provided by history's greatest theologians and the aptitude that God bestowed in each one of us to develop our own personal Christian Rubric for Life.

"Praying the Psalms of Jesus' Passion" - Led by Pastor P. Dorn - Room 233

During the days of Lent as we read the Gospel accounts of Jesus' suffering and death, we will pray some twenty psalms with Jesus and learn from them what His suffering and death has done for us. At the same time, these psalms will help us express our needs and our thanksgivings to God for His goodness to us through Christ our Lord.

Kingdom Quest Sunday School - Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

Grades 1 through 4 meet in Mary/Martha Hall in basement for opening.

Pre-K (ages 3 - 4)/Kindergarten - Room 212

6th Grade - Room 207

1st - 4th Grade - Basement

8th and 7th Grade Confirmation - Room 124

5th Grade First Communion - Room 211

9th-12th Grade - USC (basement)

Adult Midweek Bible Studies

Tuesday Morning Women's Bible Class

Tuesdays at 10 a.m. - Room 205 – Women's Bible Study led by Audrey Black.

The study is based on Jesus' "Parables", using LifeLight materials. For more information, contact Audrey at 713.782.6307 or dgb32@att.net.

Wednesday Women's Bible Study - "40 Days of Prayer"

Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. - Gathering Space - Women's Bible Study led by Jan Case

Sonrise Bible Study

Thursdays at 6:30 a.m. - Room 124 - Led by Pastor Black

Class discusses the Scripture readings assigned for the following Sunday. The class is open to men and women. Coffee is available. For more information, contact Pastor Black at 713.229.2917 or dblack@trinitydt.org.

Young Adults Bible Study

Current Study: "Book of Isaiah" - Meets 1st Friday at 7:00 p.m., 3rd Saturday at 10:30 a.m. and 5th Sunday after the 10:50 a.m. service. Contact Pastor Michael Hofmann for details at 913.500.2993 or mhofmann@trinitydt.org.

Greetings from Concordia Seminary, St. Louis!

I always feel a sense of anticipation going into new classes and I wonder how I will be able to keep up with all of the material that we need to cover. Yet, things always work out and I believe this semester will be no different. As my wedding day quickly approaches, I have been thinking about how things will change in terms of altering my schedule and how differently my formation will look. Several non-class aspects of seminary, especially marriage, seem to present obstacles to a lot of guys that go through the MDiv program. We get an excellent, rigorous academic education here, but the non-academic parts of formation tend to take a back seat for the sake of grades. The focus for most of the guys that I talk to is to do everything that is necessary to get an A in every class (or as close to that goal as possible). I've heard from students, faculty, and other pastors how damaging this can be to their own physical, emotional, spiritual, and relational wellbeing. In my own reflections, I've wondered if we shouldn't rather allow ourselves to be B students in order to better attend to our relationships and the other aspects of the formation which the seminary offers but doesn't demand. Perhaps we need to defy the idol of perfection (for whatever sake we've raised it up) and allow God to take care of us. Maybe the grades really don't matter that much and we should remember that we're here for the people of God rather than the glory of a spotless transcript.



Chuck Ridley
Seminary Student

With all of that said, I have found the material we've covered at the start of the semester to be incredible. Both our teaching and worship classes have been heavily founded on the premise that we as humans are first and foremost desiring creatures. In other words, before we engage our thinking and believing, we are driven by love. The question to be addressed, then, is, "what do you love?" This alternate understanding of humanity flies in the face of our Enlightenment conditioned ways of thinking and seeing the world, yet evidence of its truth is all around us. The argument is that we feel our way through life rather than think our way through it. Stephanie, my fiancée, told me a story of a student a while back that provided proof of this in my mind: the student was misbehaving and she tried to help him process how he should think things through before he said or did something that could be disruptive or harmful to those around him. Trying to justify himself, the student asked something to the effect of, "so I need to think right-foot, left-foot, right-foot, over and over again while I walk?" While he was clearly being sarcastic, he was effectively making the point that we do not, in fact, think our way through life, but we do much of our living based on ingrained behavior that has been learned over the course of time. This doesn't mean that we don't think things through, but our primary mode of operation is based in our gut, orienting our actions toward a certain vision of what life should look like.

The example of a mall was used as a place of worship competing with the Church. When you go to a mall, you are bombarded with images of what life should look like – images of the good life. You are subtly and implicitly told that your life is lacking something without whatever product is being sold in any given store – whether it's clothing, food, athletic equipment, or even a car. You are conditioned to desire and love those things which supposedly will make you happy and fulfill you. Now, we know this to be untrue as Christians, but how aware are we of these competing messages and what do we do to counteract them for ourselves and our children? This foundational change in view of humans from "thinking things" to "desiring creatures" leads us to understand the Christian life as one of formation. That is, everything we do and encounter is aiming our desire at one thing or another. The things we do within the Church (daily devotions, weekly worship, Christian day school, Bible study, etc.) are intended to aim our desire at the kingdom of God. Much more could be said about this topic, but I don't want to make this entire update about the one topic! I expect this will come up again as we go through the spring, especially as it relates to the other classes I am taking.

Outside of class, I continue to be busy planning for my wedding. I've been blessed with a wonderful fiancée who has taken on much of this burden so that I can focus on my studies. We also have

supportive and loving families who are helping tremendously in these efforts. It's surprising how much goes into a wedding even when you try to keep things relatively small and low-key. This is yet one more reminder of real life and helps keep me grounded amidst all of the academic work I do for classes. There are also various other activities going on. Pre-vicarage meetings give us good information to consider as we prepare to go off for the next year into parishes around the country. Speaking of Vicarage, Stephanie and I are hoping to stay local so that she can keep her call teaching for one more year. Call Day is May 1st, so stay tuned and we'll see where I'll be spending next year! Some less "exciting" but still enjoyable events have been after-chapel concerts organized by Dr. Jim Marriott. This week we enjoyed the musical talents of Mr. Brendan Knorp, the musical director for Concordia Lutheran Church in Kirkwood, MO. Listening to pieces by J.S. Bach and Alonso de Mudarra on the guitar, I felt as if I were transported to the Texas Renaissance Festival. It was a delightful departure from the piano and organ pieces we have heard in the past. These concerts in general also serve as another reminder of the formative role music plays in the Christian life.



Mr. Brendan Knorp plays the acoustic guitar, giving a sample of Bach's less commonly presented work.

May you be blessed in your Christian formation as you daily remember your baptism, by which you were brought into the kingdom of God, and as you experience God's great love and mercy for you in Christ Jesus our Lord!

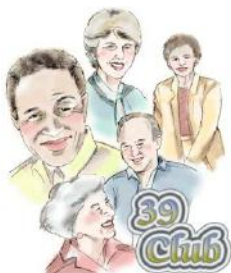
"God's own child, I gladly say it: I am baptized into Christ!
He, because I could not pay it, gave my full redemption price.
Do I need earth's treasures many? I have one worth more than any
That brought me salvation free, Lasting to eternity!

Satan, hear this proclamation: I am baptized into Christ!
Drop your ugly accusation; I am not so soon enticed.
Now that to the font I've traveled, all your might has come unraveled,
And, against your tyranny, God, my Lord, unites with me!" (LSB 594:1,3)

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In Christ,
Chuck Ridley

The 39 Club



The 39 Club is invited to meet in the foyer following the 10:50 am service on March 10 and plan to have lunch together at Cafe Express, 1422 West Gray.

In February the group enjoyed delicious "Chili and fixin's" as well as fellowship and conversation around the dinner table at Jean's home.

Those who are single, 39 and over, are invited to join us. For more information, contact Jean Minsch at 281.550.4752.

CHURCH REPORT
January 20 - February 24

BAPTISM

February 17

Waylon James Conner



TRANSFER IN

- Abby Winckler from Our Father LCMS - Centennial, CO

TRANSFERS OUT

- Emily Brighton to First Immanuel LCMS - San Jose, CA
- Dennis & Linda Gray to Epiphany LCMS - Houston, TX
- Leif & Johanna Olson and children, Anders, Lily, Jonathan & Victoria to Trinity Klein LCMS - Klein, TX

RELEASE

- Eric Juergen to WoodsEdge Community Church

DEATHS

- Barbara Raye Ellis - 1/23/19
- Viola Bernice Schulz - 1/23/19

MARRIAGES

- Kelly Koenig & Kenny Lamb - 1/26
- Caroline Hudson & Justin Feeney - 2/9

REVENUE UPDATE

Year To Date through 02/24/19

Actual Receipts \$263,676
Budgeted Receipts . . . \$233,436

ORGAN FUND UPDATE

Year To Date through 02/24/19

Total Contributions . . . \$517,116
Remaining Balance . . . \$74,766

SUNDAY SCHOOL TOTALS

	<u>PK-8</u>	<u>H.S.</u>	<u>Adult</u>	<u>Total</u>
01/27	44	0	130	174
02/03	35	0	138	173
02/10	39	0	117	156
02/17	33	0	121	154
02/24	45	0	111	156

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

	<u>5:00</u>	<u>8:15</u>	<u>10:50</u>	<u>Total</u>
01/26	53			
01/27		193	160	406
02/02	81			
02/03		212	112	405
02/09	36			
02/10		151	161	348
02/16	39			
02/17		216	154	409
02/23	32			
02/24		165	152	349

Sunday Children's Class

"Elizabeth Cutaia, Michael Karle and Elizabeth Stoerkel, the Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten Sunday class teachers, want to invite all 3 to 5 year old children who are potty trained to come to Kingdom Quest! We meet each Sunday in Room 212 at 9:30 a.m. Come join us on this quest to learn about God's love for us!"



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Minutes of the Governing Board are available to our members at the Welcome Center.

March 2019

Trinity Lutheran Church

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Ladies Circle Ministries Luncheon Gathering - March 7

Trinity Lutheran Ladies Circle will meet at 10 am on Thursday, March 7, in the Mary & Martha Fellowship Hall.

The guest speaker will be Pastor Lonnie Gonzales, City Director of LINC-Houston. Come and see how LINC continues to reach out and share the "Good News" of Jesus in the greater Houston area.

The mission project for this meeting will be the gathering of freewill offerings for the support of Lutheran Hour Ministries.

Following the meeting, a covered dish potluck luncheon honoring birthdays of January, February and March will be served. Members and guests are encouraged to come and bring along a friend. All are welcome. For more information, please call Debbie Leonard, president, at 319.431.6804.



Additional dates to remember:

- March 20 - 10 am - Devotions at Highland Park Care Center, 8861 Fulton St.
- March 30 - 9:30 am - LWML Bayou City Zone Spring Rally/Prayer Day Service, Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 2702 Rosalie St.

2019 LINC Houston Reaching the City Gala

March 24, 2019 - 6 p.m.
Junior League of Houston
1811 Briar Oaks Ln., Houston, TX 77027

Please join LINC Houston at the Reaching the City Gala and be part of advancing the Gospel in the city of Houston.

The evening will include live music, silent auction, open bar, and dinner. Most importantly, you'll hear about how LINC is empowering local ministry heroes that are impacting their communities through the Gospel. Guests will have an opportunity to financially partner with LINC Houston to see this Gospel work continue and expand!

Individual tickets are \$125 per person. Tables for 10 are available for \$1250 per table.

Visit <https://linchouston.org/gala> to learn more about sponsorships or to purchase tickets.



The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few... Luke 10:2

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