

## Calling All Graduates!

Did you graduate from High School, College, Technical College or Graduate School this year? We would like to honor you! If you graduated any time in the last year (December graduates, I'm looking at you), please contact the church office at

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Please include your information (where you graduated from, what degree you got, what your future plans are) no later than Wednesday, June 8 at NOON so that we can honor you during worship on Sunday, June 12.



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1 THESES 5:6  
Always rejoice!  
Rejoice!

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# Messenger



## Sunday Morning Music

Our Sunday morning music comes from a treasure trove of music (boxes and boxes of music) that used to belong to Jan. Following her tragic death last October, Dave passed on some of Jan's music on to her sister, but over 90% of Jan's music books and sheet music Dave passed on to Nathan. Every Sunday we get to hear from Jan's lifelong collection of beautiful religious music. What a gift!

## Guest Speaker

On Sunday, June 26, we will have the pleasure of having guest speaker Becky Boland. In 2019, Becky was certified by the Minnesota Conference as a lay minister at Hennepin Avenue United Methodist Church. Certified lay ministers are people who have answered God's call and completed a series of training and requirements in order to serve as staff or volunteers in specialized ministry roles in their congregations. Becky is a frequent guest preacher in a variety of United Methodist Churches throughout Minnesota. We look forward to having her preach at Wyoming Church on June 26.

## June Celebrations

Birthdays	Anniversaries
6/1 Ron L.	6/13 Diane D.
6/3 Lisa R.	Russ J.
6/6 Henry S.	David W.
6/9 Kiara B.	Barb B.
Pierce B.	6/21 Dave A.
6/10 Ervin L.	6/25 Pastor Holly
6/11 Kristin I.	6/30 Marti G.

\*If you do not see your special date, please let the office know!

## Worship Services in June

In June we welcome the season of Pentecost (wear red on Pentecost Sunday, June 5). June 5 is Pentecost Sunday, June 12 is Trinity Sunday (where we celebrate God as Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer or Father, Son and Holy Spirit). The last two Sundays we welcome guest speakers as Pastor Holly takes the last of her vacation. Come and worship!

### June 5

In the Last Days  
Acts 2:1-8, 12-21

### June 12

Holy Mysteries  
John 16:12-15

### June 19

Bea Zaruba,  
guest preacher

### June 26

Becky Boland,  
guest preacher

## From the Pastor . . .

I'm writing this during my week of continuing education (I'm livestreaming this year's Festival of Homiletics being held in Denver at Trinity United Methodist Church). It was halfway through the first day of watching preachers preach to preachers (500 of us online, 500 of us in person) that it dawned on me that Trinity Church was where I had my graduation from Iliff School of Theology 34 years ago. I searched for my Master of Divinity degree sitting on my shelf and found there the names of the 57 of us (including Lori Nielsen) who graduated that year. What a great memory this week of continuing ed stirred up!

The days leading up to this week of continuing education have been hectic. In late April/early May I had an all-day in person meeting with the District Committee on Ordained Ministry to interview prospective ministry candidates and then the following week was a two-day retreat, serving as a mentor for new ministers in the Minnesota Conference.

All of these gatherings are a gift that I feel privileged to be a part of, but all these obligations keep crowding out any time to take a deep breath.

I hope that you can find enough time to take a breath, even those of you who are "retired," who often tell me you are busier than you were before retirement. And those who have young ones at home are going through all the last class picnics, sports events, and concerts that come at the end of the year. We could all use a break. And now that the spring/summer season (that seemed to both come all at the same time) is upon us, we can take some time to just breathe.

I want to say a word of thanks to all who prayerfully and carefully prepared for the vote in mid-May on our inclusion statement. Ninety percent of those voting, voted in favor of the statement to make clearer the kind of welcome we've been offering all along to people of all ages, ethnicities, abilities, sexual orientations and gender identities. Thanks for making our welcome clear. It matters.

Blessings to all of you as we go through these days, looking forward to all God has in store. And take time to breathe.

-Pastor Holly

# June '22

### SERVANT SCHEDULE

#### June 5:

**Usher:** Gary Gustafson

**Greeter:** Marti Gustafson

**Live Stream:** David Aastuen

**Soundboard:** Alec Aastuen

**Coffee Service:** Linda Richnofsky and Glenna Quist

#### June 12:

**Usher:** Cyndi Turbeville

**Greeter:** Lois Shannon

**Live Stream:** Ryan Rodacker

**Soundboard:** Deb Hulbert

**Coffee Service:** Karen Paul and Darlene Andre

#### June 19:

**Usher:** Craig Rylander

**Greeter:** Pat Rylander

**Soundboard:** Karyla Parrish

**Coffee Service:** Donna Keacher and Chris Sycks

#### June 26:

**Usher:** Ed Kramer

**Greeter:** Karen Kramer

**Live Stream:** Karyla Parrish

**Soundboard:** Deb Hulbert

**Coffee Service:** Shirley Faber and Cyndi Turbeville

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**Seek the LORD  
and his strength;  
seek his presence  
continually!**  
**1 Chr 16:11**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
<b>Pray without ceasing. 1 Thes 5:17</b>			1 9am-3pm Stitch n' Rip Quilters 7-8:30pm NA meeting	2	3	4
5 9:30am Fellowship Time 10:00am Worship w/Holy Communion <i>Pentecost</i>	6	7 7am Men's Prayer Breakfast 8am Sunrise Study Group 9:30am Spiritual Prayer Group	8 9am-3pm Stitch n' Rip Quilters 7-8:30pm NA meeting	9	10	11
12 9:30am Fellowship Time 10:00am Worship	13	14 7am Men's Prayer Breakfast 8am Sunrise Study Group 9:30am Spiritual Prayer Group <i>Flag Day</i>	15 9am-3pm Stitch n' Rip Quilters 7-8:30pm NA meeting	16	17	18
19 9:30am Fellowship Time 10:00am Worship	20	21 7am Men's Prayer Breakfast 8am Sunrise Study Group 9:30am Spiritual Prayer Group <i>Father's Day</i>	22 9am-3pm Stitch n' Rip Quilters 7-8:30pm NA meeting	23	24	25
26 9:30am Fellowship Time 10:00am Worship	27 11am Meadows Worship	28 7am Men's Prayer Breakfast 8am Sunrise Study Group 9:30am Spiritual Prayer Group	29 9am-3pm Stitch n' Rip Quilters 7-8:30pm NA meeting	30	31	