Welcome: What a joy it is that you have joined us today as we worship our Jesus, our Savior-King. His perfect life, death and resurrection have won for us forgiveness of sins, life and salvation.

We extend a warm welcome to everyone attending our worship service today, especially to you who are guests. Please sign the guest book at the entrance and join us again soon! If there is any way we can serve you, please speak to the Pastor.

ORDER OF WORSHIP..............Page 12 & 38 in Christian Worship
TODAY’S HYMNS: 131 (insert)........133.....370.....130....
Organists: Trinity - David Bilitz; St. John's – Vernon Roehmildt

FIRST LESSON............................................Zechariah 9:9,10
PSALM OF THE DAY................................Psalm 24 (p. 73)
SECOND LESSON.......................................Philippians 2:5-11
GOSPEL LESSON........................................Matthew 21:1-11
SERMON....................................................Philippians 2:5-11

THE CROSS AND THE CROWN OF OUR KING
1. The cross secures
2. The crown assures

HEARING GOD’S WORD
Trinity: 46   St. John’s: 72
Wednesday: 24   Wednesday: 43

OFFERINGS TO OUR LORD
Trinity: $918.25   St. John’s: $1,336.01
Wednesday: $187.00   Wednesday: $365.00

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE
Sunday: 8:30 AM - Worship Service – Trinity
        9:00 AM – Sunday School – St. John’s
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        10:00 AM – Examination & Confirmation - St. John’s
Maundy Thursday: 7:00 PM – Worship with Communion – Trinity
                   Followed by Choir Practice
Good Friday: 7:30 PM – Worship with Communion – St. John’s
             Followed by Choir Practice
Next Sunday: 7:00 AM – Easter Worship Service– St. John’s
             Followed by Easter Breakfast
             7:30 AM – Easter Breakfast – Trinity
             9:00 AM – Easter Worship Service – Trinity

Announcements:
Zachary David and Zander Daniel Bilitz, infant twin sons of David and Kasi, will be brought into the Lord’s kingdom through Holy Baptism today at Trinity. May God keep them in their baptismal grace throughout their lives. We thank David and Kasi for providing a luncheon in celebration of their baptisms.

Congratulations to Roger and Donna Krueger who are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary! May the Lord continue to bless them. We thank their family for providing rolls after Trinity’s service.

We thank Trinity’s Sunday School for singing today and Joel Berg and Pastor Bilitz for accompanying on guitar.

Examination and Confirmation will be held at St. John’s this morning. Our confirmands are Gracie Baer and Kordell Schlaak. May God be with them and bless them throughout their lives.

We thank St. John’s Sunday School and the choir for their songs today.

Please note our special Holy Week services:
    7:00 PM – Joint Maundy Thursday Service at Trinity
    7:30 PM – Joint Good Friday Service at St. John’s
    7:00 AM – Easter Worship Service – St. John’s
             Followed by Easter Breakfast
    7:30 AM – Easter Breakfast – Trinity
    9:00 AM – Easter Worship Service – Trinity

There will be no Sunday School classes next Sunday.
Thanks to all those who participated in the Open Forum at St. John's last week. We appreciate all the input and opinions.

We are updating our members' phone numbers, addresses, and email information. Sheets are in the entryway at Trinity and in the basement at St. John's. Please indicate on the sheet what information you would like shared with the congregations.

April calendars and new *Forward in Christ* magazines are available.

If anyone in either church who plays drums, guitar, keyboard or other instruments is interested in playing for church please contact Joel Berg at joelberg72@gmail.com or 507-273-1517.

You are invited to a 10 day tour to the Holy Land March 13-22, 2018. Key sites of Old and New Testaments will be visited. For a Christian, there is no place like walking where Jesus walked. The Bible will "come alive". Discounts for early enrollments. Contact retired pastor Eugene Kock: pastorkock@yahoo.com

Palm Sunday
Hosanna To The King of Kings

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