



# December 29 & 30, 2018- Weekly Bulletin

Senior Pastor: Rev. Steven S. Billings

Principal/Associate Pastor: Rev. Keith E. GeRue

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Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:10am-3:00pm

## ✠ Serving This Weekend ✠

### Acolyte-

5:00 Eva Radtke

9:00 Alexis Krueger

### Altar Guild-

5:00 All Members

9:00 All Members

### Communion Assistants-

5:00 Manteufel/Colby

9:00 Nielsen/Volunteer

### Greeters-

5:00 JoAnn Schultz

9:00 Jan Bathke

### Lectors-

5:00 Pastor Billings/GeRue

9:00 Pastor Billings/GeRue

### Ushers-

5:00 Voigt

9:00 Diesch/Maynard

## ✠ Serving Next Weekend ✠

### Acolyte-

5:00 Nate Boss

9:00 Josiah Nielsen

### Altar Guild-

5:00 Sandy Meyer

9:00 Laurel Wirth

### Communion Assistants-

5:00 Harrmann/Drum

9:00 Weinig/Henkel

### Greeters-

5:00 Volunteer

9:00 Lynn Olson

### Lectors-

5:00 Sandy Guiley

9:00 Colyn Hopfensperger

### Ushers-

5:00 Harrmann

9:00 Reinke/Weinig

Dec/Jan Elders- 5pm A. Manteufel/T. Harrmann 9am B. Nielsen/L. Weinig

Altar Flowers Have Been Given- in honor of Marian Kohler's 100<sup>th</sup> birthday by her loving family & by Norb Pomerence in memory of Ruth Pomerence.

### Worship & Education Hour Attendance Last Weekend-

79 (Saturday) + 92 (Sunday) + 374 (C. Eve) + 60 (C. Day) = 605

Formula of Concord (Alliet): 20

Matthew Study (GeRue): No Class

Genesis Bible Study (Henkel): 8

*~Items for Weekly Bulletin due to Church Office by Wednesdays at 10am~*

## ‡ This Week at Trinity ‡

### Sunday, December 30

9 am Worship

10:30 am Education Hour

### Monday, December 31

*New Year's Eve*

No School-Offices Closed

### Tuesday, January 1

*New Year's Day*

No School-Offices Closed

### Wednesday, January 2

Classes Resume

8:45 am Chapel

10:30 am Adult Bible

3:45 pm Faculty Meeting

5 pm Confirmation

7 pm Choir

### Thursday, January 3

6 am Men's Bible

BB Practice

### Friday, January 4

4K to Barlow Planetarium

### Saturday, January 5

5 pm Worship

### Sunday, January 6

9 am Worship

10:30 am Education Hour

## ‡ We Pray For...

Donna Mies, Mary Howden, Ron Kraus, Debbie Hansman, Keith Bahrns, Gina Borgen, Roger Kempf, Eileen Acker, Tom Howden Family, Don Flater, Steve Mehl, Judi Drum, Merle Webber, Ricky Adair, Betty Paul, Audrey Hansman, Judy Krause, Cathy Henrickson, Joan Reinke, Gary Voxland, Rose Kosloski, Jeff Groshek, Michael Dineen, Mona Barke, Dave Adamovich, Nancy Borgen, Karen Eake, Margaret Reed, Zachek family, Laura DeLain, Jim Werth, Denise Gorman, Lynn Olson

**Luke 1:45** *"And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her from the Lord."* The Lord always fulfills what He promises. We can be certain of that, and He has proven it over and over again. This faith in the Lord's own faithfulness is what gives us the courage to follow the Lord's commands in the face of the world's anger and resistance. The same faithfulness in God gave Mary the courage to carry on in her seemingly embarrassed circumstances.

## **\$\$ Current Finances \$\$**

Monthly Income Needed: **\$75,637**

Income as of Dec 23<sup>rd</sup>: **\$63,600**

Past Due Bills: **\$\***

\*\$40,000 borrowed from Restricted

## **News, Events, Requests, Etc.**

Visit us at: [www.trinitymenasha.com](http://www.trinitymenasha.com)  
or "Like" Us on Facebook

**Please Be Courteous-** silence all cell phones during the worship service.

**Elderly & Disabled-** if you would like to receive the Sacrament but cannot get to the rail please sit in the very front pews. Pastor & his assistants will bring you communion.

**Altar Flowers-** Cost is \$25. Please send your payment at least 2 weeks in advance to the **Church Drop Box**.

**Portals of Prayer-** devotional books are \$.75 each in the Narthex. If you would like a copy but there are none available, please let the office know.

**Tayco Street Parking Lot-** The Board of Properties would like to remind everyone that handicap stall laws are enforced at Trinity. The Menasha Police Dept. monitors our parking lots & may issue tickets if non-handicap vehicles are parked in marked stalls. This is a courtesy to members/guests who have permits.

**Common Cup-** those partaking of the Common Cup in Holy Communion are kindly asked to respect the chalice & your fellow worshipers by removing any lipstick prior to communing. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated by those who follow you at the Communion rail & those responsible for the care & cleaning of our Communion vessels.

**Congregational Voter's Meeting-** Tues, Jan 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary for election of Officers & Board Members for 2019.

**Flower Cans-** if you have any altar flower cans, please return them to the church to be re-used. Thanks!

**Congregational Planning Meeting-** for year 2019 will take place Sun, Feb 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10am. Details to follow. Questions, contact Blaine Henkel, Congregation President (920) 729-4445.

**Applications are Being Accepted-** for the full-time Church Administrative Assistant position. Please contact Roger Voigt (725-9908), the Board of Elders Director, for job description/wage info.

**Applications are Being Accepted-** for the part-time position of Business Manager. Please contact Blaine Henkel (729-4445) Congregation President, for job description/wage.

**Applications are Being Accepted-** for a School Cook. Please contact Pastor GeRue (725-1715), Principal, for job description/wage info.

**Please Help Trinity-** by donating bags of salt for the winter months. Call Lee Colby for drop off (637-4660). Save your receipts for credit to your offerings. Monetary donations can be marked "Bags of Salt" & dropped in the offering plate. Thank you!

**This Weekend's Banners-** Pulpit: "Rejoice"

New Address, Phone, Email? - please contact the Church Office with your updates. A new directory will be coming out in early 2019.

### † Confirmation Classes †

Happy New Year! All classes resume Wed, Jan 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Students- please turn in Sermon notes to your teacher weekly or place them in the Drop Box by Church Office.

Students- please remember your Acolyte & Ushering duties. These are an important part of our worship service. If you are unable to Acolyte, contact Rebekah Nielsen at (920) 734-8843. If you are unable to usher, CALL your Usher Captain.

### † Trinity Lutheran School †

*"Real. Present. God." -Psalm 46*

Christmas Break- Fri, Dec 21<sup>st</sup> at noon through Tues, Jan 1<sup>st</sup>. Classes resume Wed, Jan 2<sup>nd</sup> at 8:30am. Have a Merry Christmas & a Happy New Year!

### † Thank You to....

All Trinity congregation members for your gifts, beautiful cards, prayers & kind thoughts during this Christmas season. We are blessed to serve you.

Happy New Year!

-Rev. Steven S. Billings

-Rev. Keith E. GeRue

### \$ SCRIP News \$

SCRIP Will Not Be Sold- Dec 31 or Jan 1 in celebration of Christmas. Normal SCRIP sales will resume Wed, Jan 2<sup>nd</sup> in the School & Church Offices.

