



December 30 & 31, 2017 - Weekly Bulletin

Senior Pastor: Rev. Steven S. Billings
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Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-3pm

✠ Serving This Weekend ✠

Acolyte-

5:00 Abbie Bates
9:00 Josiah Nielsen

Altar Guild-

5:00 All Members
9:00 All Members

Communion Assistants-

5:00 Manteufel/Flater
9:00 Nielsen/Colby

Greeters-

5:00 JoAnn Schultz
9:00 Jan Bathke

Lectors-

5:00 Steve Reinke
9:00 Dawn Henrickson

Ushers-

5:00 Voigt
9:00 Diesch/Maynard

✠ Serving Next Weekend ✠

Acolyte-

5:00 Simon Siegel
9:00 Ethan Nielsen

Altar Guild

5:00 All Members
9:00 All Members

Communion Assistants-

5:00 Harrmann/Bathke
9:00 Weinig/Henkel

Greeters-

5:00 Sharon Raleigh
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 loving memory of Ruth Pomerence by her family.

Worship & Education Hour Attendance Last Weekend-

66 (Saturday) + 106 (Sunday) + 368 (C. Eve) + 75 (C. Day) = 615

Pastor Billings Class: No Class

Genesis Bible Study: No Class

Pastor GeRue Class: Resumes in June

Sunday School: No Class

Prayer Time every Monday evening at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary-all are welcome!

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

† **This Week at Trinity** †

Sunday, December 31st -New Year's Eve

9 am Worship
No Education Hour
6:30 pm Worship

Monday, January 1st

New Year's Day
No School-Offices Closed
No Sewing
No Prayer Time

Tuesday, January 2nd

6:30 am Ladies Bible Study
No School-Offices Closed
6:30 pm Voter's Meeting
Board Meetings to follow

Wednesday, January 3rd

8:45 am Chapel
10:30 am Adult Bible
5 pm Confirmation
7 pm Choir

Thursday, January 4th

6 am Men's Bible
3:30 pm BB practice

Friday, January 5th

Popcorn Friday

Saturday, January 6th

Pizza Sales Begin
5 pm Worship

Sunday, January 7th

9 am Worship
Pizza Sales
10:30 am Education Hour

† **We Pray For...**

Lilah Borchardt, Rachel Kobs, Terry Wray, Rev. Mark Meier, Noelle Weber, Mary Lou Collingwood, Michelle Mahoney, Sheryl Wray, Sylvia Gibson, Gary Voxland, Kathy Rigotti, Linda Greetan, Paul Williams, Dorothy Amond, Ashlee Kamprath, Shirley Fleischer, Manteufel Family, Joan Reinke, Oliver Siegel, Wendler family, Char Elliott, Ron Kraus, Ellie Maynard, Beth Godwin, Rose Kosloski, Jeff Dionne, Shirley Erdmann, Jeff Groshek, Dorothy Wirth, Michael Dineen, Mona Barke, Janine Gerhardt, Jean Toeppler, Rasmussen family, Adamovich family, Mary Howden & family, Karen Eake, Margaret Reed, Melissa Hines, Zachek family, Laura DeLain, Ralph Wendler, Jim Werth, Kristine Thomas.

Week of December 24 – As we worship the Christ Child, whose birth was in Bethlehem, pray for our District's Muslim Outreach ministry. Ask for God's blessings especially on Ebou Faye who is reaching the Somalian in Milwaukee with the saving message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

\$\$ Current Finances \$\$

Monthly Income Needed: **\$75,637**
Income as of December 24th: **\$53,975**
Past Due Bills: **\$20,783**

News, Events, Requests, Etc.

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Elderly & Disabled- if you would like to receive the Sacrament but cannot get to the rail please sit in the front pew on the Lectern side. Pastor & his assistants will bring you communion.

Altar Flowers- Cost is \$25 unless a special flower request is made. Please send your payment at least 2 weeks in advance to the Church Office.

Church Mailboxes- remember to check your mailbox weekly.

Portals of Prayer- devotional books are \$.75 each in the Narthex.

In the Hospital? - let the Church Office know by calling (920) 722-2662.

Pastor GeRue- if you would like to send him correspondence while he is in TX, please mail items to:

Rev. Keith E. GeRue, Chaplain
3300 Rancier Avenue, Apt. 128
Killeen, TX 76543

Video Games during Church- Please respect the divine nature of the service & refrain from the use of video games during church. If small children need something to focus their attention, there are "quiet bags" in the Narthex that contain activities appropriate for the context. Older children can have their attention redirected to what is happening in the service. Thank you for your prayerful consideration.

Tithe Counting Volunteers Needed- NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY! Please call the Church Office if you can help.

Snow Shoveling Volunteers Wanted- to help shovel the sidewalks & entryways of the facility. Please call Bob A. for more info (920) 734-5067.

2018 Offering Envelopes- are in your church mailbox. Please do not use them until Jan 2018. If you did not receive yours, call the Church Office.

Trinity's Game Night- Sat, Jan 13th following worship in the SFH. Pizza & beverages will be provided by Board of Outreach. Please bring your favorite games & snacks to share.

Alpha News- we are grateful for those that participated in our Fall Alpha series here at Trinity. Watch for details on our Spring Alpha, scheduled to begin on Feb 22nd.

Sidewalk/Parking Lot Salt- is needed this winter for our entryways & sidewalks. Please drop off by the Offices or contact Lee Colby, Custodian at (920) 637-4660.

Sunday Bible Studies- "The Truth Project" is the bible study title for all new & prospective members. This study will begin Sun, Jan 7th.

Pr. Alliet will continue to lead the fascinating & rich study of the Augsburg Confession & Blaine Henkel will continue his study of Luther's Genesis lectures.

Calling All Actors- whether you are a seasoned thespian, or you have never set foot on the stage, we are looking for you! Trinity's Off Broad Street Players will cast their 16th production, "Dear Ruth" on Sat, Jan 13th from Noon-4pm. Questions, contact Ann Reinke at reinkeann@gmail.com

2017 Offering Statements- will be available Jan 21st, check your church mailbox. If you have a discrepancy- contact Renee in the Church Office, not Pastor Billings. Thank you!

\$ SCRIP News \$

Congratulations to Jackie Kislewski our "Try Something New, Buy Something New" winner. Thanks to all who participated. Keep watching for more ways to win in 2018!

Thank you to everyone that purchased SCRIP in 2017. We are blest to have your continued support. Every purchase that is made helps our Church & School. May God bless you in 2018!

Buyers: when purchasing SCRIP in the offices, please do so at the window/counter- office personnel will assist you. Thanks!

✠ Trinity Lutheran School ✠

Searching for a new school for your child(ren)? Call us today for more information or tour (920) 725-1715.

Christmas Break- Fri, Dec 22nd at Noon until Tues, Jan 2nd. Classes resume on Wed, Jan 3rd. Merry Christmas & Happy New Year to all!

Confirmation Classes ✠

Students- Remember to check your schedule as to when you are to Acolyte or Usher.

Please be on time for class & enter through Door #2, doors will lock promptly at 5:15pm.

No Confirmation- on Wed, Dec 27th. Classes resume on Jan 3rd at 5pm.

Pastor Billings, along with the entire staff of Trinity Lutheran Church & School wish you a Happy New Year!

Christ Our Savior is Born!

