⊕ School News ⊕ "Sent to Serve"

This Week's Theme:

A prayer for Independence Day

Eternal Father, Ruler of all nations, on this day when our country celebrates its birth, we thank You for all spiritual and temporal blessings enjoyed in our land. In Your mercy. You have sustained this nation in times of trouble and preserved its liberties. Teach us anew to treasure especially that dearly won freedom of conscience and worship that is the cornerstone of this country's principles. Let us not misuse this liberty nor forget that true freedom is freedom to serve. Give us willingness to share in the process of democratic rule, to respect our country's laws, and to work for the preservation of its institutions. Forgive our past sins committed as a nation in the name of misguided patriotism, self-interest, or political expediency. Confound all those who, for the sake of partisanship or other motives, would sacrifice the greater welfare. Grant wisdom to our leaders. Strengthen all those who strive to do Your will. Increase loyalty to You and to our beloved country. Protect us and our fellow citizens from all subversive or terrorist acts. Above all. dear God, speed the course of Your Gospel among us, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit, hearts are turned to that freedom from sin and death that You alone graciously give through Jesus Christ Your Son our Lord we pray. Amen. -- Revised from Lutheran Book of Prayer. Copyright 2005. Concordia Publishing House.

Cruise the Fox River!

Thursday, July 22, 2021 • 4:00 pm

We invite you (ladies and gents) to join Trinity Ladies Aid/LWML for a Fox River Cruise on Thursday, July 22 at 4:00 p.m.

We will board the River Tyme Riverboat at 3:45 p.m. at 101 James Street in DePere. The boat is handicap accessible.



Cost is \$24, payable that day with cash or credit card, no checks. Call Dottie Kraus at (920) 991-2705; you may leave a message or sign up on the spinner in narthex.

There is a limit of 46 people, so please sign up or call as soon as possible. We will need to purchase drinks on the boat but can bring our own cold hors d'oeuvres.

ENROLL NOW!

Searching for a Christian School for your child(ren)? Call us today for more information, or for a tour, at (920) 725-1715. We are enrolling for the 2021-2022 School Year.



July 3 & 4, 2021 Weekly Bulletin

Senior Pastor: Rev. Steven S. Billings Principal/Associate Pastor: Rev. Keith E. GeRue Church (920) 722-2662, School (920) 725-1715 Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00am to 3:00pm



Saturday, July 3

5:00PM Worship in Church & Online

Sunday, July 4 ~ Independence Day! 9:00AM Worship in Church & Online 10:30AM Ed. Hour - Online & In Person

Monday, July 5 ~ Church Office Closed

Pastor's Sabbath 6:00PM At Home Prayer Time 6:30PM Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, July 6

6:30AM Ladies Bible Study 6:30PM Board Meetings

Wednesday, July 7

6:30PM Worship in Church (masks opt.)

Thursday, July 8

6:00AM Men's Bible Study

Friday July 9

Saturday, July 10

9:00AM Food Pantry 5:00PM Worship in Church & Online

Sunday, July 11

9:00AM Worship in Church & Online 10:30AM Ed. Hour - Online & In Person

NOTE THE NEW ADMIN
E-MAIL ADDRESS:
ChurchAdmin@trinitymenasha.com

Jeff Briggs, Jim Perry, Dan Schultz, Mona Bahrke, Merry Voigt, Ronald Virchow Sr., Brenda Kempf, Rose Kosloski, Pr. Ronald Meier, Charity Gerard, Ruth Wright, Kari Lindner, Joan Reinke, Tom Drum, Sherry Bricco-Tobin, Michael Hastings, Jim Wittmann, Karleton Borchardt, Merle Webber, Shelly Holewinski, Pastor Michael Ahlemeyer, Dennis Durkey, Jackie Kislewski, Levi Kroes, Joyce Virchow, Pastor Timothy Kinne, Michelle Mahoney, Jeff Dionne, Sue Maynard, Donna Mies, Sally Bolen, Kathy Rigotti, Dianne Olsen, Frank Erdmann, Alan Manteufel, Debbie Manteufel, Shirley Fleischer, Dan Schael, Ann Keller, Jeanne Juve, Walter Brinkman, Jerry Peotter, Lana Gast, Scott Dontje, Sandy Rammer, Scott Steenepoorte, Norb Pomerenke, Brooke Schroeder, Judy Krause, and Lynn Olson.

† Stewardship Lesson**†**

2 Corinthians 12:10 – "For the sake of Christ, then, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities." Paul found contentment in Christ. To be content means to accept what the Lord gives us at any given time as somehow being from the hand of the Father who wants to bless us. Sometimes it's hard to see how things like hardships, calamities, and insults will turn out for a blessing, but that is why Paul found this contentment in Christ and not in his own wisdom.

News, Events, Requests, Etc.

Visit us at: <u>www.trinitymenasha.com</u> or "Like" Us on Facebook

Altar Flowers

For the glory of God from the Altar Guild.

This Weekend's Banners

"Prepare the Way"
"God Bless America"

Church Office Hours

Church office hours are 8:00AM-3:00PM

\$ Current Finances \$

Monthly Income Needed: \$75,637 Income as of June 27 \$33,440

Weekly Bible Study Opportunities:

10:30AM Sunday – "Prayer: We Speak to God" with Rev. Alliet & Rev. Billings (In Person & Online).

10:30AM Sunday – "Daniel a Man of God" with Rev. GeRue, will resume in August.

10:45AM Sunday – Book of Isaiah (Blaine Henkel) (Online).

6:30PM Monday – Women's Bible Study, "Joy: A Study of Philippians" by Deb Burma (Connie Henkel) Large Conference Room

6:30AM Tuesday – Ladies Bible Study, Ten Minute Bible Journey (Dottie Kraus).

6:00AM Thursday – Men's Bible Study, Book of Acts (Steve Reinke).

For more information, please get in touch with the contact person listed above, or let Jean know.

Altar Flower Donations

If you wish to donate flowers please contact the office. The cost of providing altar flowers is \$25.00.

Trinity's Food Pantry

Many thanks to all who continue to support Trinity's Food Pantry through food & monetary donations. You are a blessing for many who are currently in need. We can use the following non-perishables: Canned Fruit, Tomato Sauce, Salad Dressing, and Mustard. If you or someone you know would benefit from the pantry, call Steve Reinke at (920) 540-5090.

WANTED: Coffee/Food

Preparers for Sunday Morning Bible

Study!!

Set up: 2 coffee pots,

- + carafes, pitcher (H₂O),
- + creamers, sugar,
- + utensils, plates/napkins & foods After class, take down & put away! Sign up on the MONTHLY CALENDAR

in NARTHEX!!

[All supplies are here! No Purchasing necessary ...]

> Questions: see/call Rose (608.213.2644) or Jackie (920.279.9234)

Trinity Camping Weekend

This year, Trinity Camping weekend is August 20-22 & will again be held at Wild West Campground & Corral.

They are located 8 miles west of Waupaca on Hwy 54. Check them out at http://www.wildwestcampground.com.

New this year: Reservations are now taken online. Go to their website and place your reservation today.

To plan for future years, a questionnaire will be created to get your input. Question? Contact Roger or Merry Voigt, at (920) 725-9908 or rwvoigt@sbcglobal.net.

Holy Communion

We ask that those desiring to commune be members in good standing of Trinity or of a sister congregation of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. If you have questions regarding this, please speak with one of the Pastors.

Prayer Chain

Barbara Kester is head of the Prayer Chain. If you desire prayers for yourself or someone else, please call Barbara at (920) 722-3228.

Portals of Prayer

Portals of Prayer, a devotional book, is \$.75 each. Please let the office know if you wish to purchase one.

Voter's Meeting

At the June 29 Voter's Meeting, the 2021-2022 budget was presented and approved unanimously. Budget details are posted on the bulletin board. If you would like a copy of the approved budget, please see Jean or Mary in the office.



Help Needed Mowing Grass

Volunteers needed for lawn mowing this season. All equipment needed is provided by Trinity. Please contact Lee Colby for more information or to sign up. Thank you!

Outdoor Plant Care

God's Ray of Sunshine and **your help** with taking care of the plants outside around the church would certainly make it a beautiful display for Trinity! Sign up is on the spinner in the Narthex.

SCRIP News \$

SCRIP is sold in the Church/School Office Mon.— Fri. from 8:00AM-3:00PM.

Beginning July 10, 11 & 14, SCRIP will again be sold in the narthex!

How to Order Scrip? Call the office Mon.—Fri. 8:00AM-3:00PM, or email Jean or Mary with your order at: ChurchAdmin@trinitymenasha.com. They will put it together.

Kwik Trip Scrip is now at 12% rebate – Limited time only!!