



July 30, 31 & August 3, 2022 Weekly Bulletin

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✠ This Week at Trinity ✠

Saturday, July 30:

5:00 PM Worship Service In-Person & Online

Sunday, July 31:

9:00 AM Worship Service In-Person & Online

10:30 AM Ed Hour In-Person Only

Monday, August 1:

Rev Billings' Sabbath

Pastor GeRue Military

9:00 AM Sewing

6:00 PM Prayer Time

6:30 PM Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, August 2:

Pastor GeRue Military

6:30 AM Ladies Bible Study

Wednesday, August 3:

Pastor GeRue Military

6:30 PM Worship Service

Thursday, August 4:

Pastor GeRue Military

6:00 AM Men's Bible Study

Friday, August 5:

Saturday, August 6:

5:00 PM Worship Service In-Person & Online

Sunday, August 7:

9:00 AM Worship Service In-Person & Online

10:30 AM Ed Hour In-Person Only

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.



✠ We Pray For...✠

Rick Ascher, Shannon Braun, Michael Burns, Juliet Colby, David Cotter, Matt Daniels, Cindy Diesch, Jeff Dionne, Frank Erdmann, Shirley Fleischer, Lorna Forbes, Lana Gast, Dominic Hall, Michael Hastings, Peter Keller, Brenda Kempf, Sam Koch, Judy Krause, Karen Lambert, Pr. Ronald Meier, Betsy Meverden, Donna Mies, Dianne Olsen, Lisa Olson, Lynn Olson, Bill Otto, Norb Pomerence, Sandy Rammer, Joan Reinke, Kathy Rigotti, Dan Schael, Jan Schroeder, Ray Schroeder, JoAnn Smoody, Scott Steenepoorte, Liz Swaney, Jill Thomas, Bud Tschirgi, Joyce Virchow, Ronald Virchow Sr., Carla Watson, Merle Webber, Laverne Werth, Dorothy Wirth.

✠ Stewardship Lesson ✠

Luke 12:15 - "And he said to them, 'Take care, and be on your guard against all covetousness, for one's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions.' " Coveting is the opposite of being content with what God has given us. And the cure for coveting is twofold: thankfulness to God and generosity toward God's purposes. So be on guard against all covetousness. Acknowledge that your Father has given you all you need, and therefore be free and confident in directing the mammon of this world toward godly purposes.

WE ENCOURAGE EVERYONE TO USE THE HYMNAL TO HELP CUT OUR PAPER COSTS.

News, Events, Requests, Etc.

Visit us at: www.trinitymenasha.com or
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Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are given to the glory of
God by the Altar Guild.

This Weekend's Banners

"New People."

"Kingdom People Produce Kingdom Fruit"

Trinity's Food Pantry

Trinity's Food Pantry serves those in need in the
Fox Cities.

You can continue to provide for our Pantry dis-
tribution. Currently, the following non-
perishables are needed: Tuna, Paper Products,
Yellow Mustard, Pickles, Tomato Sauce & Paste.
If you or someone you know would benefit from
the Food Pantry, please call or text Steve Reinke.

We are blessed that Peace in Neenah has again
given us access to the bounty of their garden for
our Food Pantry Families. If you would like to
help with picking vegetables for our Food Pantry,
please call or text Steve Reinke (920) 540-5090
for details and picking times.

Bible Study Opportunities At Trinity Lutheran Church:

10:30 AM Sunday – "The Letter to the Romans." with Rev. Alliet & Rev. Billings - Large Fellowship Hall

10:30 AM Sunday – Young Adult Bible Study (7-8th Grades, High School & College
Students) "Micah" with Rev. GeRue - Conference Room

10:45 AM Sunday – With Blaine Henkel—**THIS STUDY WILL RESUME IN SEPTEMBER.**

6:30 PM Monday – Women's Bible Study, meet in the Large Conference Room for
devotions, discussion and fellowship until this fall. Contact: Connie Henkel

6:30 AM Tuesday – Ladies Bible Study, 12 Ordinary Men: How the Master Shaped His Disciples for
Greatness, and What He Wants to Do with You with Dottie Kraus

6:00 AM Thursday – Men's Bible Study, Book of Romans with Steve Reinke, Large Conference Room

For more information, please get in touch with the contact person listed above, or contact the church
office.

**PLEASE NOTE: SCHOOL OFFICE IS CLOSED.
HOURS ARE BY APPOINTMENT.**

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.

August Golf League

Join us for a fun casual August Golf
League for Trinity starting on Mon-
day, August 8th at Winagamie Golf
Course with tee off times between 4-5. If inter-
ested in signing up, please contact Barb or Ste-
ve Sexmith. Join us every week through the end
of August. We need to let the course know how
many tee times we need each week.



Contacts:

Barb (920) 427-6763, bsexmith@new.rr.com or
Steve (920) 540-8687, sexmith@new.rr.com.

Portals of Prayer

Portals of Prayer, a devotional book, is available
in the narthex, or stop by the office for a copy to
pick up your free Portals of Prayer, courtesy of
the Board of Elders.



Trinity Camping Weekend 2022

Has been set for the traditional 3rd weekend in August, August 19 - 21. We will camp once again at Wild West Campground & Corral. They're located on 90+ acres within 15 miles from Waupaca, WI and Hartmann Creek State Park, where you'll find a variety of recreational activities to enjoy. They are located on Hwy 54, 8 miles west of Waupaca (5 miles west of Hartmann Creek State Park). Check them out at: www.wildwestcampground.com. Campsite reservations and payments are taken online. Cannot camp the entire weekend, or not a camper? Come join us on Saturday for fellowship and a lunchtime potluck meal. Contact Roger or Merry Voigt with questions - phone 920-725-9908, email rogerwvoigt@gmail.com.



Roof and Carpeting Project

Project Challenge Goal - \$20,000

Amount Received - \$12,067

If you wish to contribute to this challenge, label your envelope as "Roof and Carpeting Project". Thank you.

\$ SCRIP News \$

SCRIP is sold in the Church Office Mon.-Fri. from 7:00AM-3:00 PM, and in the narthex before and after worship services.

How to order Scrip? Call the office Mon.- Fri., or email your order to: ChurchAdmin@trinitymenasha.com. They will put it together.

Stock up on both Festival and Kwik Trip Scrip for the new Festival-Kwik Trip Gas Card Program!



✠ Serving Our Lord Next Weekend ✠

Saturday, July 30:

Elder on Duty: *Bruce Gast*
Usher Team: *Lee Colby*
Communion Assistant: *Bruce Buksyk*
Altar Guild: *Jackie Bouchard*
Greeter: *Barbara Kester*
Acolyte: *Melani Gast*

Sunday, July 31

Elder on Duty: *Bart Nielsen*
Usher Team: *Paul Collingwood*
Communion Assistant: *Steve Sexmith*
Altar Guild: *Volunteer Needed*
Greeter: *Jane Nielsen*
Acolyte: *Dylan Kobs*

Wednesday, August 3:

Elder on Duty: *Tom Harrmann*
Usher Team: *Steve Reinke/Bill Diesch*
Altar Guild: *Volunteer Needed*

Thank you all for your service to the Lord and Trinity.

Non Sewing Help Needed

Non-sewing help needed for the Shelter Sewing group. We have been continually blessed with donations from Fair Market of sheets, fillers and much more, to the point that we need help sorting and cutting apart items that have come in. Working at home is an option or come and share the comradery (and a cup of coffee) while working together to make warm coverings for the needy. We meet Mondays at 9-ish. Contact Elaine for more information. 920-470-9090. More sewers are always welcome too!

Altar Guild Help Needed

We are in need of volunteers to serve on our Altar Guild team. Tasks are: set-up, reset, and clean up communion. On Sundays, after worship, we deliver the Altar flowers to members of Trinity. Setting the Lord's Table is truly an honor and blessing. Contact Kari Lindner at (928) 279-7192 to be a member of our team.

LIFE AS A CHRISTIAN LUTHERAN FOCUSES ON WORSHIP TOGETHER.

Those baptized “in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit” (Matt. 28:19) gather as disciples of Jesus to worship Him. Our Devotional Thoughts are a resource so that guided by the Spirit, Disciples may be made for life.

“**Making Disciples for Life**” includes two key nouns: disciples and life. The first weeks of the Devotionals introduce us to Jesus’ 12 disciples (Matt. 10:2–4). The first disciples in this diverse group are taught by Jesus, follow Him to the cross and witness His resurrection. Jesus then commissions them to “**make disciples of all nations**” (Matt. 28:19). Numerous other weekly themes are organized around discipleship. Disciples of Jesus are called to confession and are assured of Jesus’ forgiveness. Disciples are called and commissioned to follow Jesus always.

The resurrection of Jesus brings life to His disciples. Life is a focus of other weekly Devotionals. Christians deal with temporal realities. There is life in work, school, and extra-activities. There is life in church, school, home and neighborhood contexts. “**Making Disciples for Life**” addresses the reality of life in school, home and beyond. Jesus’ desire is life eternal for disciples of all ages. Jesus calls us to always focus on life eternal.

The theme of disciples organizes our weekly devotional focus. The “Text” and “Theme” are based on the weekly Scripture reading. “Gathering Disciples” provides an introductory thought which connects us to the week’s theme.

“Teaching Disciples” shares Law and Gospel exploration of the text and, most importantly, brings Christ and His redeeming work to us.

“Praying Disciples” responds to the disciples’ plea, “Teach us to pray” (Luke 11:1).

”Growing Disciples” provides opportunities for us to continue exploration and explanation of the theme beyond the Devotional setting.

A suggested section of the “Six Chief Parts” of Luther’s Small Catechism is included with many of the Devotionals.

The weekly Devotional is intended to encourage us to a more deeply study the text and expand or adapt the theme and text to grow and to make disciples for life!

✠ SCHOOL NEWS ✠

SPACE IS LIMITED!

Looking for the best Lutheran Education in the Valley for your child(ren) then call us today for more information, or for a tour, at (920) 725-1715. We are enrolling for the 2022-2023 School Year.

Installation and Dedication of Teachers

Installation for Miss Emily Ehlert as K4 Teacher and the dedication of the rest of the faculty will be on Sunday, August 28 at the 9AM service. Please join us as we start off the 2022-2023 school year.

Our 2022-2023 staff is:

3PS: Mrs. Caitlin Vanden Bloomer

4K: Miss Emily Ehlert

5K: Mrs. Heather Andreshak

1st-2nd: Miss Kirsten Johnston

3rd-4th: Mrs. Valerie GeRue

5th-6th: Miss Elizabeth Bahrns

7th-8th: Mrs. Rachel Maloney

Art: Juliet Colby

Teacher Aide: Desiree Wittmann

Teacher Aide: Anne Dahms

Teacher Aide: Sophia Seigel

Teacher Aide: Margaret Corrente

Cook: Mrs. Anne Dahms

Before—After Care: Desiree Wittmann

Admin. Assistant: Nathan Dahms

Principal: Rev. Keith GeRue