

September 3, 4 & 7, 2022 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 8:00 am to 3:00 pm Church Admin E-Mail: ChurchAdmin@trinitymenasha.com



Saturday, September 3:

5:00 PM Worship Service In-Person & Online

Sunday, September 4:

9:00 AM Church Service In-Person & Online 10:30 AM Education Hour

Monday, September 5:

OFFICES CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY

Rev Billings' Sabbath

Tuesday, September 6

6:30 AM Ladies Bible Study

4:30 PM VB vs. New Hope @ Home

Wednesday, September 7

8:45 AM Chapel

5:00 PM Catechism

6:30 PM Worship Service

Thursday, September 8:

6:00 AM Men's Bible Study

5:30 PM VB vs. St John's Berlin @ Home

6:30 PM Chamber Choir Practice

Friday, September 9:

Saturday, September 10:

9:00 AM Food Pantry

5:00 PM Worship Service In-Person & Online

Sunday, September 11:

9:00 AM Church Service In-Person & Online

10:30 AM Education Hour

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

廿 We Pray For...廿

Rick Ascher, Shannon Braun, Michael Burns, Juliet Colby, David Cotter, Matt Daniels, Cindy Diesch, Jeff Dionne, Dennis & Judith Durkey, Tim E., Frank Erdmann, Shirley Fleischer, 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 Pomerenke, Sandy Rammer, Joan Reinke, Kathy Rigotti, Dan Schael, Jan Schroeder, Ray Schroeder, Sam & Amy Schroeder, JoAnn Smoody, Wayne Stafford, Scott Steenepoorte, Liz Swanev, Bud Tschirgi, Joyce Virchow, Ronald Virchow Sr., Carla Watson, Merle Webber, Kurt Wendler, Laverne Werth, Dorothy Wirth, Jean Damon. Lorena Hintz, Mlodik Family, Heather Andreshak.

☆ Stewardship Lesson ☆

Romans 10:15a – "And how are they to preach unless they are sent?" Each week in the Lord's House, the Word goes out to us. Indeed, every day and all around the world, the Word goes out wherever it is preached and read. This brings us great joy, but even more joy is derived from realizing that God has blessed us with being part of this sending of the Word. From the blessings God gives us, we return a portion to Him in the Church for His work. And thus we are doubly blessed. We receive the Word, and we get to send it forth to others.



News, Events, Requests, Etc.

Visit us at: www.trinitymenasha.com_or "Like" Us on Facebook

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are given in celebration of Dennis and Judith Durkey's 60th Wedding Anniversary

λ

In celebration of Tom & Barbara's Kester's 56th Wedding Anniversary

This Weekend's Banners

"Salted for Service"
"Making Disciples for Life"

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.

Gluten-Free Hosts Available

If you prefer a gluten-free host for communion, please talk with one of the pastors before the service.

REGULAR SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS HAVE RESUMED.

Trinity's Food Pantry

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

You can continue to provide for our Pantry distribution. Currently, the following nonperishables 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. Also, contact Steve if interested in picking apples for the Pantry.

Ladies Aid-September 20

Our 2022-2023 organizational meeting is scheduled for September 20 at 5:30 p.m. We will plan to have an hors d' oeuvre buffet so bring your favorite or a light dessert to share. Our main goal is to plan for the coming year. Above all, we want to serve Him, along with caring for each other, our Trinity Congregation and our neighbors. Come and be part of this important meeting; guests and new members are always welcome. NOTE TIME OF 5:30 p.m.!

Bible Study Opportunities At Trinity Lutheran Church:

10:30 AM Sunday – $\underline{\text{"The Letter to the Romans."}}$ with Rev. Alliet & Rev. Billings - Large Fellowship Hall

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

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, <u>12 Ordinary Men: How the Master Shaped His Disciples for Greatness</u>, and What He Wants to Do with You with Dottie Kraus

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

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

To Members of Trinity Lutheran Church and School

August 30, 2022

As many of you know the carpet in the Sanctuary and the roof over the Sanctuary is going to be replaced. The carpet project will take place the last week in October and the roof project to begin early November and completed in the mid to end of November. In addition, due to the very poor condition of the rubber, roofs over the gym and the old school section need to be replaced. Those roofs will also be replaced and take place in the spring of 2023.

Your cooperation and patience to adapt to some of the logistics of parking and construction equipment that will be present during these projects will be greatly appreciated.

We have been blessed with the foresight of several members to make arrangements to fund these projects, along with the contributions donated over the past several years by many congregational members. With that said, I had requested to raise an additional \$20,000 to be donated to these above projects to challenge the congregation to share in the cost which, in the end, will greatly help with the bottom line of Trinity's budget at the end of the fiscal year. We have not yet achieved that goal, but I am confident that the Lord will "Give us this Day, our daily Bread".

Thank you,

Blaine R. Henkel – President of Trinity Lutheran Church and School

\$ SCRIP News \$

SCRIP is sold in the Church Office Mon.-Fri. from 8:00AM-3:45 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@trinity menasha.com. They will put it together.

Saturday, September 3:

Elder on Duty: Bruce Gast
Usher Team: Roger Voigt
Communion Assistant: Lee Colby
Altar Guild: Paula Reichert
Greeter: JoAnn Schultz
Acolyte: Donovan Rausch

Sunday, September 4:

Elder on Duty: Bart Nielsen
Usher Team: Jim Wittmann
Communion Assistant: Steve Sexmith
Altar Guild: Jackie Kislewski
Greeter: Jane Nielsen
Acolyte: Levi Kroes

Wednesday, September 7:

Elder on Duty: Tom Harrmann
Usher Team: Dave Acker
Communion Assistant: Tom Harrmann
Altar Guild: Kari Lindner

☆ Serving Our Lord Next Weekend ☆

Saturday, September 10:

Elder on Duty: Bruce Gast
Usher Team: Tom Harrmann
Communion Assistant: Ian Thomas
Altar Guild: Paula Reichert
Greeter: Betty Allen
Acolyte: Donovan Rausch

Sunday, September 11:

Elder on Duty: Bart Nielsen
Usher Team: Lee Weinig
Communion Assistant: Paul Collingwood
Altar Guild: Jackie Kislewski
Greeter: Liz Kamprath
Acolyte: Emma Schmidt

Wednesday, September 14:

Elder on Duty: Tom Harrmann
Usher Team: Steve Reinke
Altar Guild: Carol Evenson

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

Trinity Lutheran School

"Disciple Simon Peter" Matthew 10:1-4; 4:18-19; 16:13-18

In school, we learn about numbers. As we increase in age and grade level, we go from starting to count numbers to using numbers in some challenging ways in mathematics classes. Numbers are interesting and important.

Numbers are also important in the Bible. One of the Bible's favorite numbers is the number 12. Jacob had 12 sons who became the 12 family groups of the children of Israel. There were several times when God's leaders and prophets set up monuments of 12 stones or offered 12 sacrifices.

How many disciples did Jesus first choose to follow Him? 12! In the next 12 weeks, we are going to meet each of those 12 disciples and learn how God used them to make other disciples. Matthew's list of disciples begins with "Simon, who is called Peter" (Matt. 10:2).

Jesus called disciples from different backgrounds and different places. Jesus chose common people to be His disciples. Peter was a fisherman when Jesus called him. Jesus said that Peter would no longer catch fish, but he would now follow Jesus to invite others to follow Him.

All of the disciples were sinful human beings. Peter's bold and brash personality sometimes got him into trouble. Peter almost drowned when he looked away from Jesus and saw a wave coming toward him. Peter fell asleep in the garden when Jesus asked him to stay awake and pray. Peter said he would never deny Jesus, and then he denied Jesus three times. When Jesus was on the cross, Peter was among the disciples who were hiding because they were afraid that they also might be arrested for following Jesus. Peter also listened to Jesus and saw Jesus' miracles.

Peter believed that Jesus was the Messiah that had been promised (Mark 8:29). Peter was one of three disciples who saw the glory of Jesus at His transfiguration. Peter was one of the disciples who saw that Jesus' tomb was empty. Jesus showed Peter and the other disciples that He was indeed alive.

Peter was chosen to be the spokesperson for the disciples when the Holy Spirit came on Pentecost. Peter followed Jesus' command to make disciples of all nations. Peter preached about Jesus in Jerusalem and other places. The Holy Spirit inspired Peter to write a letter to suffering Christians that is part of the Bible. Peter was a martyr — he was killed for being a disciple of Jesus and a proclaimer of Jesus' death and resurrection.

Baptized to make disciples of all nations, we, too, can be willing to suffer for Jesus and tell others about the Jesus we know from the Bible.

Dear Jesus, thank You that the forgiveness given to denying Peter is also the forgiveness given to us. Thank You that the proof of the resurrection given to Peter is also given through Your Word to us. Give us the boldness of Peter to confess You as our Savior and to be Your disciples for life. Amen

Welcome Shower for Miss Emily Ehlert-

If you would like to donate a Welcome! gift of food, paper products or a gift card for Miss Ehlert,

please bring your donations to the Large Hall & place them on the pews. The gift will be given Sept. 18th on Rally Day.

SCHOOL CALENDAR			
Sept. 5	NO SCHOOL		
Sept. 6	4:30pm Volleyball @ Home		
	vs. New Hope		
Sept. 7	8:45 am Chapel		
Sept. 8	5:30 pm Volleyball @ Home		
	vs. St. John Berlin		
Sept. 9	2:45 pm Electives		
Sept. 13	4:30 pm Volleyball @ Home		
	vs. Trinity Oshkosh		
Sept. 14	8:45 am Chapel		
	9:30 am Hearing and Dental		
Sept. 15	5:30 pm Volleyball @ Home		
	vs. Valley Home School		
Sept. 16	9:00 am Picture Day		
	2:45 pm Electives		
Sept. 18	9:00 am Rally Day		



KRAUT WAKING PARTY

Date to be determined 856 State St., Menasha

A lunch will be available

If you want to see how sauerkraut is made, whether you eat it or not, come to the Weinig's (watch for more info on the Spinner in September).

SAUERKRAUT TIME!!

Order your Kraut by Sept. 15th

Ice cream pail - \$7
5 Gal. pail - \$20
Sign up below, or call Elaine with your order at (920) 470-9090.

NAME:	AMOUNT:	PHONE #: