

October 29, 30 & November 2, 2022 Weekly Bulletin

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✠ This Week at Trinity ✠

Saturday, October 29:

8:00 AM Fall Clean Up
5:00 PM Worship Service In-Person

Sunday, October 30:

REFORMATION DAY

PASTOR APPRECIATION RECEPTION

9:00 AM Worship Service In-Person & Online
10:30 AM Education Hour/Sunday School

Monday, October 31:

Rev. Billings' Sabbath

SCHOOL—NOON DISMISSAL

9:00 AM Sewing
6:00 PM Prayer Time
6:30 PM Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, November 1:

ALL SAINTS' DAY

6:30 AM Ladies Bible Study
4:00 PM Volleyball Party & Parents Game
6:30 PM Board Meetings

Wednesday, November 2:

7:30 AM Leadership Mtg
8:45 AM Chapel
3:30-10 PM Texas Roadhouse Dine-Out
6:30 PM Worship

Thursday, November 3:

6:00 AM Men's Bible Study
1:30-2:30 PM Chapel & Family Card Making
6:30 PM Gallery Choir Rehearsal

Friday, November 4:

2:45-3:15 PM Electives

Saturday, November 5:

9:00 AM Food Pantry
5:00 PM Worship Service In-Person

Sunday, November 6:

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME—FALL BACK!

ALL SAINTS' DAY IS OBSERVED

9:00 AM Worship Service In-Person & Online
10:30 AM Education Hour/Sunday School

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

PASTOR APPRECIATION RECEPTION

October has been Pastor Appreciation Month! We will celebrate our wonderful pastors this Sunday, after church. The Board of Outreach and Social Ministry will have cake, punch, and water to celebrate Pastor Appreciation Month.

A table will be set up with "Thank You" cards you can fill out for the pastors. A basket will be provided to put your cards in.

Thank you.

Noelle Webber, Board of Outreach & Social Ministry

Trinity Is So Very Blessed



Rev. Billings



Rev. GeRue

News, Events, Requests, Etc.

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

The Altar Flowers have been donated,
to the glory of God, by the Altar Guild.

.This Weekend's Banners

"The Truth Will Make You Free"
"Crown Him the Lord of 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.

Donate a Keyboard

Our school is in need of a keyboard. If you have one you would like to donate, please contact Nancy Lephart at (920) 277-4388.

✠ Stewardship Lesson ✠

Revelation 14:6 – "Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people." During the Reformation, this text was used to refer to Luther's ministry and the Lutheran message. We have an eternal Gospel to proclaim. Christ has freed us from our sins without any works on our part. We are saved by grace alone! And, ironically enough, Luther said this should make him the "apostle of works". Once we are freed by grace, we are truly free to serve God in works that flow from thankfulness and praise.

✠ We Pray For...✠

The Sick: Heather Andreshak, Rick Ascher, Shannon Braun, Michael Burns, David Cotter, Jean Damon, Matt Daniels, Jeff Dionne, Dennis & Judith Durkey, Tim E., Frank Erdmann, Shirley Fleischer, Josh Fuchs, Alma Garza, Lana Gast, Michael Hastings, Lorena Hintz, Mary Howden, Peter Keller, Brenda Kempf, Carla Kobs, Sam Koch, Judy Krause, Karen Lambert, Warren Lindner, Pr. Ronald Meier, Betsy Meverden, Donna Mies, George Milosavljevic, Mlodik Family, Dianne Olsen, Lisa Olson, Lynn Olson, Bill Otto, Norb Pomerence, Sandy Rammer, Joan Reinke, Kathy Rigotti, LeRoy Schaefer, Dan Schael, Jan Schroeder, Ray Schroeder, Sam & Amy Schroeder, JoAnn Smoody, Scott Steenepoorte, Liz Swaney, Bud Tschirgi, Joyce Virchow, Carla Watson, Merle Webber, Kurt Wendler, Laverne Werth, Dorothy Wirth.

Birthdays: Mason Hass, Nicolette Lentz, Dominic Corrente, Richard Sprouse, Nathan Dahms, Rudy Vitek

Dear Trinity Lutheran Church and School Members,

You may not realize how much your kindness and support means to me concerning my recent Old Glory Honor Flight. It was an amazing experience but even more so were your cards, letters, and presence on my return. Thank you and bless you. It was a humbling and great experience. Pastor Jim Dehne

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 non-perishables are needed: Stuffing, Gravy (Turkey/Chicken), Canned Yams, Canned Cranberry Sauce, Paper Products, Tomato Sauce & Paste. If you or someone you know would benefit from the Food Pantry, please call or text Steve Reinke at (920) 540-5090.

\$ SCRIP News \$

SCRIP is sold in the Church & School 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@trinitymenasha.com.

LIMITED TIME SCRIP DEALS! -Kwik Trip & Tom's Drive In – 10% rebate! Fleet Farm—8% rebate!

NEW IN STOCK SCRIP! Both located on Appleton Road in Menasha! –We now have Michiels of Menasha Restaurant in stock at a 15% Rebate! Next week, we will be stocking Caribou Coffee at a 6% Rebate, just in time for the opening of their Menasha location.

Texas Roadhouse Dine Out: is set for November 2nd from 3:30—10:00 PM. Get your voucher to present to your waitress/host from the church bulletin, or stop by the office to pick one up. Plan to purchase your Scrip for this event!

Altar Vases

You may, or may not, have noticed that the gold-plated vases have not been on the altar in several weeks. They have been sent in to be refurbished in honor of Laurel Wirth's service as an altar guild member. The projected time before return is 14-16 weeks. In the meantime, you will see the original vases used in the old church. We are blessed to still have these in our possession. The Board of Worship

Daily Devotions Direct Link!

There is a link on our website that will give you direct access to Pastor Billings' Daily Devotion videos: <https://www.trinitymenasha.com/daily-devotions>

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.

✠ Serving Our Lord This Weekend ✠

Saturday, October 29:

Elder on Duty: *Alan Manteufel*
Usher Team: *Roger Voigt*
Communion Assistant: *Vance Pues*
Altar Guild: *Jackie Bouchard*
Greeter: *Barb Kester*
Acolyte: *Donovan Rausch*

Sunday, October 30:

Elder on Duty: *Dave Collingwood*
Usher Team: *Jim Wittmann*
Communion Assistant: *Lee Weinig*
Altar Guild: *Kari Lindner*
Greeter: *Connie Henkel*
Acolyte: *Levi Kroes*

Wednesday, November 2:

Elder on Duty: *Dave Collingwood*
Usher Team: *Dave Acker*
Communion Assistant: *Dave Collingwood*
Altar Guild: *Jean Zeinert*

✠ Serving Our Lord Next Weekend ✠

Saturday, November 5:

Elder on Duty: *Tom Harrmann*
Usher Team: *Tom Harrmann*
Communion Assistant: *Bruce Buksyk*
Altar Guild: *Philip & Mary Conradt*
Greeter: *Betty Allen*
Acolyte: *Melani Gast*

Sunday, November 6:

Elder on Duty: *Craig Thomas*
Usher Team: *Lee Weinig*
Communion Assistant: *Ron Kraus*
Altar Guild: *Gail Burrows*
Greeter: *Liz Kamprath*
Acolyte: *Levi Kroes*

Wednesday, November 9:

Elder on Duty: *Alan Manteufel*
Usher Team: *Steve Reinke*
Communion Assistant: *Alan Manteufel*
Altar Guild: *Jean Zeinert*



Trinity Lutheran School

“Justified Disciples”

Romans 3:19-28

“For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus” (ROM. 3:23–24).

The Book of Romans, and especially Romans Chapter 3, was important and powerful to Martin Luther. God’s Word says, “For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.” God’s inspired author, the Apostle Paul, pictured a courtroom setting. Each of us, and every other person (other than Jesus), born on this earth is guilty. God is holy and we are not; therefore, we stand before God as the Judge and our sentence to death and eternal separation from God is certain.

However, Paul shared that Jesus steps into the courtroom and says, “NOT GUILTY!” When God’s Word says we are “justified by his grace,” the good news is that we are declared innocent not because we deserve or can earn that innocence, but because Jesus paid the price for all our sin. God’s Word says, “Through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus” who by His blood shed on the cross made the complete payment.

Martin Luther’s conscience told him, “You’re guilty!” The rules of the church in Luther’s time told him, “You’re guilty!” God’s Word told Luther, “You’re NOT GUILTY!” Luther received the “Not Guilty” statement simply by believing God’s Word. This statement is Luther’s by grace through faith.

Luther was God’s instrument to share this Good News with the church and world of his time. Luther translated the Bible from Latin to German so that more people could read and believe that they, too, were justified.

We are blessed to be part of a Lutheran church and school that teaches about justification. We hear “not guilty because of Jesus’ sacrifice” every day in school and every Sunday in worship.

We want “all nations” to hear that Good News also.

Dear Jesus, You make disciples throughout history. Thank You for calling Martin Luther to share the truth of Your Word in the church and world of his time. Help us to hold to the truth of Scripture in the church of our time and to be witnesses of Your grace. Amen.

Adult Information Class

Are you interested in attending our next Adult Information Class? We plan on meeting on Sunday Mornings beginning November 13th. We will meet from 10:30–11:30 AM. Please see Pastor GeRue if you have any questions!

Veterans Day **Salute to the Veterans**

Let Trinity Lutheran School thank you properly. Join us for a presentation in honor of our Military Veterans at Trinity Lutheran School, 10:30am on November 11. Following the presentation, enjoy a free lunch to thank you for your service to our country. Please call Trinity School office to RSVP for lunch by: November 7. at (920) 725-1715.

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY SCHOOL

Monday, October 31:

Reformation Day

End of 1st Quarter / Noon Dismissal

Tuesday, November 1:

All Saints Day

4:00 pm Volleyball Party & Parent Game

Wednesday, November 2:

8:45 am Chapel

3:45 pm Faculty Meeting

Thursday, November 3:

1:30-2:30 Chapel Family Card Making

Friday, November 4:

2:45 – 3:15 pm Electives 2



FUNDRAISING

DINE-IN OR TO-GO

»» *Support* ««

Trinity Lutheran

November 2nd

3:30 – 10:00 pm

20%

Donation Night

Support Trinity Lutheran School by
presenting this flyer to the
Appleton Location and Texas
Roadhouse will donate **20%** of your
total food purchases to Trinity!



Announcing ... 

A premier ORGAN RECITAL ... HERE ...

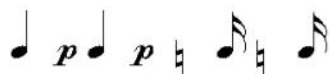
at Trinity Lutheran Church & School!!

on 11 November at 7:00pm 

featuring **BRUCE BENGTON**

A reception and light refreshments will follow the one-hour recital, which will include hymns.

A Freewill Offering will be taken at the recital
with all proceeds going to
the purchase of Handbells. 😊



Don't miss this spectacular event! If you have questions,
call the church office (722-2662) or Rose (608-213-2644)

Join Us for Bible Study 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:

Adult Information Class (7-8th Grades, High School & College Students) with Rev. GeRue - Conference Room

10:30 AM SUNDAY:

The Book of Isaiah with Blaine Henkel

6:30 PM MONDAY:

Women's Bible Study, "Joy: A Study of Philippians" by Deb Burma, Conference Room. 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

"But seek first the Kingdom of God..."



Trinity Bake Sale—October & November

Pie/Cake Order Form

During the months of October and November the Ladies Aid/LWML will have their pie & cake sale. We will take orders for several kinds of pies.

Pies that can be ordered:

- APPLE \$15: Please specify regular crust or crumb crust.
Regular Crust: _____ Crumb Crust: _____
- CHERRY \$15: _____ cherry pie(s)
- KEY LIME with graham cracker crust \$12: _____ key lime pie(s)
- PECAN \$15: _____ pecan pie(s)
- PUMPKIN \$12: _____ pumpkin pie(s)
- BLUEBERRY \$15 _____ blueberry pie(s)
- LEMON MERINGUE \$15 _____ lemon meringue pie(s)
- CUSTARD OR COCONUT CUSTARD \$12 _____ plain custard pie(s)
_____ coconut custard pie(s)
- COCONUT CREAM WITH MERINGUE \$15 _____ coconut cream pie(s)
- BANANA CREAM WITH MERINGUE \$15 _____ banana cream pie(s)
- NEW YORK CHEESE CAKE \$15 _____ cheese cake(s)
- ANGELFOOD CAKE FROM SCRATCH \$12 _____ angelfood cake(s)

PLEASE EMAIL ALL ORDERS TO DOTTIE KRAUS at: rkraus001@gmail.com
or call (920) 991-2705 and leave a message if no answer. WE WILL
DO OUR BEST, AND THANK YOU!



HANDBELLS!!

*Get excited about raising \$\$\$ for 2 octaves
of Malmark Handbells!!*

They're not cheap! ... But they're REALLY good! ♪ ♪ (about \$9,300)

Our first Fundraiser is ...

Buy-A-Bell! ... starts NOW!

See the Info in the Narthex!! ... \$\$\$

(Buy a **BELL** (or two or three...), a **TABLE** (or more), a set of **GLOVES**, the **FOAMS**, the **FOLDERS**, the **MALLETS**, one (or more) of the **TABLE COVERS**...)

We'll also do more fundraisers, including a recital/concert or two (not yet determined) ... and ... How 'bout a Sale or three?

And if you'd like to donate some \$\$\$, please feel free!!!

We already have some donations!! Thank you!! ♥

*Don't forget to think about signing up to
RING HANDBELLS!*

(Sign-up sheet on the wall in the Narthex—Name/Phone)
No experience necessary ... Just smiles ... (and counting)!

Any questions, please see/call Rose at 608.213.2644



Buy a Bell...

___ G4 \$400	___ G5 \$300	___ G#4 \$400
___ G#5 \$300	___ A4 \$400	___ A5 \$300
___ A#4 \$400	___ A#5 \$250	___ B4 \$400
___ B5 \$250	___ C4 \$400	___ C5 \$250
___ C#4 \$400	___ C#5 \$250	___ D4 \$350
___ D5 \$250	___ D#4 \$350	___ D#5 \$200
___ E4 \$350	___ E5 \$200	___ F4 \$350
___ F5 \$200	___ F#4 \$300	___ F#5 \$200
___ G6 \$200		

Buy a:

- ___ \$200 each 6' Table (3)
- ___ (Table)
- ___ (Table)
- ___ \$200 Set of Folders (5)
- ___ \$200 Set of Mallets (16)
- ___ \$500 Set of Foams (6)
- ___ [4' deep x 3' long]
- ___ \$100 each Table Covers (3)

[Fabric for US to SEW!!! OURSELVES]

Write a check, put it into your Trinity envelope and mark it "Handbell Fund"! If you'd like a specific bell or other purchased with your donation, place a note in your envelope and we'll label that Bell/Table/etc. ... **SOLD!!** Thank you!

If you have any questions, please see/call Rose at 608.213.2644.