

# WHAT HAPPENS NOW?

## I. Personal/Family Life

### A. Spiritual Life

1. Personal/Family Prayer
2. Life in the Word/Devotional Life

## II. Congregational Life

### A. Spiritual Life

1. Regular (Weekly) Worship
2. Frequent attendance at the Lord's Supper
3. Participation in Bible Study – **Youth Sunday Bible Class**
4. Small Groups – **Youth Group**
5. Use your offering envelopes
6. Sign the Fellowship Register

### B. Other Congregational Activities

1. VBS, Sunday School, etc.
2. Fellowship Events
3. Up-keep & Enhancement of the Lord's House & Service
  - a. Sing in Choir
  - b. Usher
  - c. Cleanup
  - d. Evangelism

## III. Life In the Church at Large

### A. Circuit

### B. District

### C. Synod

## Trinity Lutheran Church, Menasha

- 1857 Congregation founded (October 4).  
1872 Congregation affiliated with the Wisconsin Synod.  
1951 Trinity severed ties with the Wisconsin Synod (April 15) & joined the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. 48 families who wished to remain with the WELS withdrew & organized Bethel Lutheran Church.  
1953 Dedication of the Church-School unit (July 12) congregation worshiped in large fellowship hall.  
1957 Interior of the sanctuary completed. Dedication on 100th anniversary of congregation.  
1967 New school addition ground breaking and construction.  
1968 Dedication of addition (February 10 & 11)
- 2003 BUILDING ON THE ROCK-JESUS CHRIST:  
Ground Breaking (April 13 - Palm Sunday).  
Cornerstone Laying, (October 7- Heritage).  
Dedication (October 28 - Reformation).
- 2007 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration.  
2012 Debts Repaid program to reduce mortgage expense raised over \$200,000.  
2017 160<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration.

## Congregations of Circuit 14 - Winnebago - South Wisconsin District

Trinity	Menasha
New Hope	Neenah
Peace	Neenah
Hmong	Oshkosh
Good Shepherd	Oshkosh
Trinity	Oshkosh
Hope	Fond du Lac
Divine Savior	North Fond du Lac

## Our Church Body Operates on a Three Year Cycle

Year 1	Winnebago Circuit #14 Meets in Circuit Forum for the encouragement of the Circuit	2017, 2020, 2023
Year 2	South Wisconsin District Meets in District Convention Each congregation sends <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• one lay delegate</li><li>• one pastoral delegate</li></ul>	2018, 2021, 2024
Year 3	The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod Meets in Synodical Convention Each circuit sends <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• one lay delegate*</li><li>• one pastoral delegate*</li></ul>	2019, 2022, 2025