

**January 26-27, 2019**  
**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**TRINITY CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL**

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**WELCOME TO TRINITY!** We are very happy that you are here to worship with us today. Trinity Lutheran Church and Nursery School believes that we are called to be "ALWAYS GROWING IN CHRIST" and we want to do everything possible to help you grow. We pray that the Gospel you hear today will take root in your life and do just that, grow.

**The Lord's Table:** We believe that the Lord's Supper, Holy Communion, is the real body and blood of Jesus Christ, for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith. If you believe likewise, please join us at the altar when it is time to celebrate this holy meal. Even if you do not believe as we do, we still welcome all adults and children to come forward at Holy Communion to receive a blessing from Pastor. Just decline the wafer at Holy Communion and Pastor will give you a blessing.

**Attendance** on Saturday 17, communed 17; Sunday 130 communed 83

**Offerings:** Capital Improvement: \$311.00; Adopt-A-Student: \$110.00  
4<sup>th</sup> Qtr Thrivent Choice: \$267.00 December E-Offering: \$3160.70  
1+1+1 Offering=\$64.00 Needed per Sunday: \$8644.00, Received last week: \$5298.00

Please keep Trinity Lutheran Church in mind when establishing your estate planning; any bequests can go a long way in honoring the legacy our parish has built for over 100 years.

There is a cry nursery available every Sunday during the late service and during the Christian Education Hour for pre-school age children and younger.

**ALTAR FLOWERS** In loving memory of Hilde Depner from her family

**NEXT WEEKEND** we celebrate the Fourth Sunday after Epiphany. The sermon is titled "God's Got you," with the hymn of the day "Son of God, Eternal Savior" (LSB 842). The scripture readings for worship are:

O.T. (sermon text)	Jeremiah 1:4-10	<i>The Call of Jeremiah</i>
Epistle	1 Corinthians 12:31b-13:13	<i>The Way of Love</i>
Gospel	Luke 4:31-44	<i>Jesus Heals Many</i>

**LEARN MORE ABOUT THE HYMNAL** and how to use it for home devotions. Mary Stahlke will lead a discussion about *Lutheran Service Book* **on Sunday, January 27, at 9:15 am** in the Trinity Center.

**TAIZE SERVICE** This **Friday, February 1**, a group from Trinity is attending the Taize service at Ascension Church in Oak Park. We'll leave Trinity at **6:00 pm** to attend the service and afterward have a snack in an Oak Park restaurant. Please RSVP to the church office or Mary Stahlke (708-552-1271) by Thursday, January 31.

**FREE COATS** – There are a few women's and girl's coats that are free if you would like to take one. They are marked free and hanging on the coat rack across from the mailboxes.

**DORCAS** is meeting **February 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm** in the kitchen. We will be baking cookies for our Senior church members.

**COLLEGE STUDENT ADDRESSES:** The confirmation class will be making Valentine packages to send to Trinity's college students. If you know of a student who would like to receive a package, please contact the church office with a current address: 630-834-3440.

**CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS**– Please check your mailboxes for your year-end contribution statements.

**NEW MEMBER POTLUCK** - Parish Fellowship is sponsoring our annual Potluck on **Sunday, February 10<sup>th</sup> @11:45** (after the 10:30 Service). This is a great time of year to have dinner with your Church family and welcome our new members. Parish Fellowship is providing the main course and dessert. Please bring a family sized side dish or salad to share. A sign-up sheet is located in the Narthex ....please let us know what you will be bringing and how many in your family will be attending. We look forward to seeing you!

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR:** **Sunday, Feb. 17<sup>th</sup>**, at Trinity from Noon to 2:30 pm, Chaplain Gary Danielsen, will train those who are interested in serving our veterans for the LWML Operation Barnabas ministry at Trinity. His bio is in the Operation Barnabas room. A light lunch will be provided. RSVP to Danya at 630-439-6178 or [danyacherie@aol.com](mailto:danyacherie@aol.com).

**UPCOMING BLOOD DRIVE! Feb 24<sup>th</sup> 8:00AM-11:30AM** Appointments are encouraged! Our collection goal is 14 units. Please schedule your preferred donation time at: [https://ht.heartlandbc.org/donor/schedules/drive\\_schedule/5571770](https://ht.heartlandbc.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/5571770).

**SATURDAY, MARCH 9 @ 5:30: IT'S BACK!** Put Trivia Night on your calendar and watch for details in the next few weeks.

**ALTAR FLOWERS** – Altar flowers are needed beginning **March 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Please clearly mark your envelope “Altar Flowers” with your donation of \$25.00.

**ADS FOR CHURCH DIRECTORY** – Anyone interested in placing your business advertisement or personnel message, in support of our 2019 directory, should call Dick Garfield at (800)-544-6903 ext.112 or email: [dgarfield@cathedraldirectories.com](mailto:dgarfield@cathedraldirectories.com). Your current ad or business card could be used. Advertisers do not need to be church members.

**1+1+1 A DOLLAR FOR MISSIONS** - The English District has launched a new funding missions. **Here’s the plan: \$1 per member (kids and adults) per week.** Simple, right? Look for the 1+1+1 box in the Narthex. I encourage everyone to participate as we raise money for missions above and beyond our regular tithes.

#### **IN OUR PRAYERS:**

##### **HOMEBOUND**

Brighton Gardens, Whtn: Bill Rothenburger

Fox Point Manor, McHenry: Jo Carter

Lexington Elmhurst: Eileen & Shirley Reese

Lexington Lombard: Doris Burmeister

Lutheran Home: Elizabeth Stearns

Bridgeway-Bensenville: Carol Knudsen, Pat Saunders

**AT HOME:** John Nolen, Charlotte Herman, Sylvia Rabe, Otto & Georgianna Ryl, Doris Swailes

Strength and patience for all the caregivers.

Lexington, Elmhurst: Kay Benzin

The Waterford, Mishawaka, IN: Irene Dodge

The Bickford, Aurora: Grace Finke

Waupun, WI: Jennie Ludwig

Beacon Hill: LaVera Levin

**IN NEED OF HEALING:** Carla Allenstein (cousin of Diane Rodenbostel), Brenda Brady (Danya's cousin), Donna Carlisle (friend of Vicki Johnson), Bob & Grace Cox, Marion Fritsch, Gloria Froula, Bill Furlong, Linda Gibboney (daughter of LaVera Levin), Una Hennessy (Aunt of Erin Taylor), Mark Jaloszynski (friend of the Esposito's), Bill Kingsbury (friend of the Esposito's), Kristin Kozuh (daughter of Bishop & Carol Ritt), Rick Miller (son-in-law of Judy Sheridan), Joann Ophardt, Beverly Pittelko, Andrew Sauter, Helen Scofield, Renee Tranter (granddaughter of Jean Galbavy), Laurie Wallace (friend of Karen Magnuson), Sandi Wolski, Rhonda Zacharias (friend of the Stahlke's), Marlene Zoellner.

#### **FOR THE CHURCH:**

Missionaries to the Dominican Republic–Rev. Dr. Jonathon and Deaconess Cheryl Naumann

Bishops: Matthew Harrison and Jamison Hardy Christian Jones (our seminarian)

Michelle Hennig, Deaconess Field Worker

Lutheran Child and Family Services of Illinois Asian Indian Ministry

Morren Chelsi Lempas (Youth sponsored child from Indonesia)

**SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES:** Commander in Chief – President Donald Trump  
Adam Biladeau, Matt Boudro, Danielle (granddaughter of Alice Bezik), Don Nack, Neal Rogers, Paul Stahlke and Brian Taylor.

**BIRTHDAYS:** **27**-Clifton Sperry III, **28**-Paul Varno, **29**-Debra Banks, Denis Maher

**30**- Luke Bruschuk **31**- Allison Gagliano, Michael Gagliano, Jackson Scofield

**FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS:** 1-Jason Elko, Barb Tomasek 2-Courtney Carbon, Daniel White

#### **CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF January 27<sup>th</sup>:**

**Sunday:** **Worship 8:00 & 10:30**

**Monday:** 1:00-Al-Anon 6:00– Boxing 7:00 Women’s / Men’s Bible Study

**Tuesday:** 1:00-Golden Light 6:00 - Boxing 8:00-AA, Darts

**Wednesday:** 10:00 Bible Class 4:00-Confirmation 6:30–Big House

**Thursday:** 6:00–Boxing

**Friday:**

**Saturday:** **Worship 4:30** 9:00 LWML

#### **THOSE WHO SERVE January 27<sup>th</sup>:**

**Keyboard / Organ:** **4:30pm** – Kurt Linstead **8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke

**Lay Assistants:** **8:00** Rich Kumnick & Darren Taylor

**10:30** Dave Heuser & Jackson Scofield

**Acolytes:** **8:00** Aliyah Brockie **10:30** Allison Gagliano

**Ushers:** **4:30** – Bert Dale

**8:00** Jon Alvarez, Steve Boudro, Joe Peacock & Gee Gawat

**10:30**- Ron Boettger, Bob Behenna, Bob Rundgren, Chris Gore & Paul Esposito

**Vocalist:** **8:00** Heidi Alvarez **10:30** Jonathan Stahlke

**Greeters:** **8:00** – Cliff & Olinda Sperry **10:30** – Darla Batjes & Sue Pfannes

**Altar Guild** Marilyn Bloechle & Olinda Sperry

**THOSE WHO SERVE February 3<sup>rd</sup>:**

**Keyboard / Organ:** 4:30pm – Kurt Linstead      8am & 10:30am Mary Stahlke

**Lay Assistants:** 8:00 Jim Bruschuk & Jim Van Ewyk  
10:30 Jodie Esposito & Matt Thompson

**Acolytes:** 8:00 Elizabeth & Elle Bruschuk    10:30 AJ Esposito & Wesley Warpool

**Ushers:** 4:30 – Rich Kumnick  
8:00 Bill Bennin, Bert Dale, Derek Bruschuk,  
Josh Bruschuk, Erin Bruschuk & Elijah Brockie  
10:30- Dave Heuser, Harley DeJong, Keith Wojtas,  
Jackson Scofield, James Mora, Paul Varno

**Ensemble:** 8:00 – Jubilate Choir

**Greeters:** 8:00 – Bonnie Dale    10:30 – Donna Heuser

**Altar Guild** Marilyn Felz & Melody McCallister

**THOSE WHO SERVE February 10<sup>th</sup>:**

**Keyboard / Organ:** 4:30pm – Kurt Linstead      8am & 10:30am Mary Stahlke

**Lay Assistants:** 8:00 Jackson Scofield & Darren Taylor    10:30 Jim & Denise Smelter

**Acolytes:** 8:00 – Aidan Kuehl    10:30 –Amelia Myers & Leah Ridley

**Ushers:** 4:30 – Rich Kumnick  
8:00 – Scott Golz, Dante Apuzzo, Dino Apuzzo, Neal Rodenbostel  
10:30- Gary Buehre, Rich Kumnick, Barb Wolski, & Noah Rogers

**Greeters:** 8:00 – Diane Rodenbostel    10:30 – Carol Edwards

**Altar Guild** Marilyn Felz & Melody McCallister