

**November 6-7, 2021**  
**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
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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. Please note, the center ring of the tray of individual cups is non-alcoholic wine.

**Budget Offerings**

Rec'd last week: \$11,909.00    **Sept** E-Offering: \$5109.00    Avg weekly deficit: \$400.00

Giving is about 5% short of meeting our budget needs. That means we are 5%, or approx. \$2, short per week per giving unit (people who are already giving). Please consider giving 5% or \$2 more per week. You might also be interested in sponsoring one of our bills located in the Narthex.

**ADOPT-A-STUDENT UPDATE:** Giving for Jackson Scofield through the Adopt-a-Student offerings for 2020 raised approx. \$3,000 at this time last year. This year, our to-date 2021 offerings have been only \$1800. Reminder to all to remember to give in your Adopt-a-Student envelope as you can!

**ALTAR FLOWERS** In honor of Sean King on his birthday from Darren & Erin Taylor

**BAPTISM** - Blessings on the baptism of Isabella Datoli, daughter of Aldo & Chas Datoli. Her sponsors are Bret Golz and Amanda Peacock

**CANCELLED TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY** – Pastor Rogers Tuesday night bible study at 6:00 pm in the Trinity Center will be cancelled for **Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup>** and **Tuesday, November 16<sup>h</sup>**. **Class will resume on Tuesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>**.

**ALTAR FLOWERS** – Altar flowers are needed beginning **December 26<sup>th</sup>**. Please clearly mark your envelope "Altar Flowers" with your donation of \$25.00

**VOTERS' CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** - Please plan to attend the congregational meeting, **Sunday, November 14<sup>th</sup>** between services in the Trinity Center

**NEXT WEEKEND** we celebrate The Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost. The sermon is titled "From Dust to Dust to Life," with the hymn of the day "The Day is Surely Drawing Near" (LSB 508). The scripture lessons for worship are:

Old Testament (sermon text)	Daniel 12:1-3	The Time of the End
Epistle	Hebrews 10:11-25	The Full Assurance of Faith
Gospel	Mark 13:1-13	Signs of the End of the Age

**CANDLES** were made by Marilyn Felz for each Trinity member who entered paradise since All Saints' Sunday in 2020. Marilyn took candles previously used in past services to make the new ones that are lit as each person's name is read during the prayers.

**ALL SAINTS' DAY** "With angels, archangels, and with all the company of heaven ..." (Service of the Sacraments, Proper Preface). When we gather around the altar of the Lord in His House, we pray and praise God with "all the company of heaven." Those we have lost in the Lord are not truly lost to us – they have simply entered their rest with the Lord. As we gather to worship our Lord, we gather along with them. On the Last Day, everything that God has given into the care of our stewardship will fade away – everything except our brothers and sisters in Christ. Caring for one another in love and grace is our highest calling.

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12 @ 11:00 - IN THE TRINITY CENTER COFFEE SHOP**, a discussion on "Forgiveness". As part of the new "Friday Group" Dr. Dean Pittelko will be there on the second Friday of each month to discuss a variety of mental health topics. Dr. Dean is a Board Certified Clinical Pastoral Counselor.. All are welcome to join in the group, who focuses on a variety of fellowship activities ranging from community service projects, games, learning something new, eating snacks together, and just having fun.

**ANNIVERSARY DINNER** Saturday, November 13<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm. We have great items for a silent auction. A beautiful Solo Stove (fire pit), Blackhawks tickets and 4 tickets for Cinderella at the Paramount plus gift cards to our favorite places. Tickets will be sold at the door only. Family (2 adults & kids)-\$50, Adults-\$20 and kids 10 & under-\$10. Under 3 free.

**PLEASE USE AMAZON SMILE** when doing your Christmas Shopping designate Trinity as the beneficiary of your charitable rebate. Every little bit adds up to a big gift! Go to [Smile.Amazon.com](https://www.amazon.com/smile) to set up your account. If you need help, let Pastor know.

**GIVING TUESDAY** is coming up on **November 30th!** Please stay tuned for more details.

**SPONSOR-A-BILL** Stewardship is requesting your help in sponsoring some of Trinity's bills in an effort to reduce our end-of-year budget deficit. This quarter's highlighted bills are **Water Bill (\$400/mo.)** & **AT&T (\$500/mo.)**. Please consider helping by entirely or partially adopting payment towards one of these bills. Note: You can write your sponsorship on your Property Maintenance envelope, E-Offering, or take an envelope from one of the displays in the Narthex.

**HOMEBOUND**

Beacon Hill: LaVera Levin

The Bickford, Aurora: Grace Finke

Lutheran Home: Elizabeth Stearns

Lexington Elmhurst: Eileen Reese

Brighton Gardens, Whtn: Bill Rothenburger

**AT HOME:** Charlotte Hermann, Otto & Georgianna Ryl, Judy Sheridan,  
Strength and patience for all the caregivers.

**IN NEED OF HEALING:** Gail Biladeau, Lynn Contri, daughter of Marcy Seils, Julie Cotterill (sister-in-law of Margaret Cotterill), Anders Croon (grandson of Rosalie Buenrostro), Carrie Gremillion (Sean King's mom), Ken Kruger (brother of Carol Ritt), Marie Langlo (sister of Pattie Rothenburger), Mike McIntrye (cousin of Danya Rogers), Lisa Miller (daughter of Judy Sheridan), Rick Miller (son-in-law of Judy Sheridan), Jason Nelson, Tracy Schumpp (niece of Donna Williams), Cliff Sperry, James Stroh (father of Marna Rundgren & Stacy Warpool), Norma Taylor (mom of Bonnie Dale), Nichole Williams (friend of Jenn Hesse).

**FOR THE CHURCH:**

Seminarian: Jackson Scofield Bishops: Matthew Harrison and Jamison Hardy

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

Morren Chelsi Lempas (Youth sponsored child from Indonesia) Asian Indian Ministry

**SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES:** We give thanks to God for the men and women who have served in all branches of military service to defend and preserve this nation. May He bless all of them with joy, peace and the assurance that we are thankful for their service.

Commander in Chief – President Joseph Biden

Adam Biladeau, Matt Boudro, Will Hinckley (grandson of Ed Gustovich), Cameron Littleton (Traci Dale Maher's brother-in-law), Matt & Mary Macella (grandchildren of Arlene Johnson), Josh Preisel (grandson of Alice Bezik), Neal Rogers, Sofia Sperry (granddaughter of Cliff & Olinda Sperry), Paul Stahlke, Quentin Stubbs.

**BIRTHDAYS:** **7-**Danny Carlson, **8-** Justin Corrigan, Christopher Gore, Henry Petrowsky, Emily Risner, Madison Serna **9-**Amanda Heuser **10-** Tim Tomasek **12-** Chris Gilliland, Keith Golz **13-**Sean King

**ANNIVERSARIES:** **10-**Al & Phyllis Hotwagner, Jennifer & William Vrba

**13-**Wade & Jamie Golz, Nancy & Michael Zeman

**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF November 7<sup>th</sup>:**

**Sunday:** **Worship 8:00 AM** (FaceBook Live)

**Monday:** 1:00-Al Anon 6:30-Men's Bible Study 7:00-Women's Bible Study

**Tuesday:** 6:00 **NO** Class 8:00 - AA

**Wednesday:** 10:00-Bible Study 4:00-Confirmation 6:30-Growing in Prayer  
7:00 – Choir Caroling

**Thursday:** 8:00 – Choir

**Friday:**

**Saturday:** **Worship 4:30 5:30-Anniversary Dinner**

**THOSE WHO SERVE November 7<sup>th</sup>: All Saint's Day**

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

**Ensemble:** **8:00 & 10:30** Jubilate Choir

**Lay Assistants:** **8:00** Darren Taylor

**10:30** Greg Billing & Jodie Esposito

**Acolytes:** **8:00** Hank Pavlovsky

**10:30** Caleb Ilcken

**Ushers:** **4:30** – Rich Kumnick

**8:00** Bert Dale, Derek Bruschuk, Josh Bruschuk, Erin Bruschuk & Elijah Brockie

**10:30-** Dave Heuser, Harley DeJong, Keith Wojtas, James Mora, Paul Varno

**Altar Guild**

Judy Buehre & Donna Williams

**THOSE WHO SERVE November 14<sup>th</sup>:**

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

**Vocalists:** 8:00 Heidi Alvarez  
10:30 Greg Billing, Christy Crandell

**Ensemble:** 4:30pm Jubilate Choir

**Lay Assistants:** 8:00 Henry Meier  
10:30 Ron Boettger & Carlo Airdo

**Acolytes:** 8:00 Roy Pavlovsky  
10:30 Caroline Marchewka

**Ushers:** 4:30 – Craig Musa  
8:00 Scott Golz, Dante Apuzzo, Dino Apuzzo, Neal Rodenbostel

10:30- Gary Buehre, Rich Kumnick, Barba Wolski, Noah Rogers  
**Altar Guild** Judy Buehre & Donna Williams

**THOSE WHO SERVE November 21<sup>st</sup>:**

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

**Vocalists:** 8:00 Dave Bruschuk  
10:30 Kate Ilcken

**Lay Assistants:** 8:00 Darren Taylor  
10:30 Tate Scofield & Dave Heuser

**Acolytes:** 8:00 Aliyah Brockie  
10:30 David Sullivan

**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  
**Altar Guild** Judy Buehre & Donna Williams