June 17-18, 2023 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.

FROM PASTOR Many worshippers like to take a few minutes to pray before worship, but sometimes Trinity can be a very loud place. Please keep your visiting to a minimum in the sanctuary or the chapel and save it for fellowship time after worship. In an effort to remind us of this, the ushers will be closing the doors of the sanctuary/chapel 5 minutes prior to worship and reminding people in the narthex to keep their voices low so that those who wish to pray are uninterrupted. On the inside front cover of the hymnal are some excellent prayers if you would like a starter.

Budget Offerings

Rec'd last week: \$6900.00 **May** E-Offering: \$7621.20 Avg weekly deficit: \$500.00 We need \$5 more per week, per household, to meet our budget goals for 2023.

Attendance Saturday 7, communed 7; Sunday 92 communed 87

ALTAR FLOWERS - In thankfulness and praise from Darren & Erin Taylor

NEXT WEEKEND we celebrate The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost. The sermon is titled "To Whom Do You Belong?" with the hymn of the day "Lord of Our Life" (LSB 659). The scripture lessons for worship are:

Introit Psalm 56:3–4, 10–11; antiphon: v. 13 In God I Trust

Old Testament Jeremiah 20:7–13 Jeremiah Persecuted by Pashhur

Epistle (sermon text) Romans 6:12–23 Slaves to Righteousness

Gospel Matthew 10:5a, 21-33 Have No Fear

BLESSINGS on the marriage of David & Shelby Stahlke who were married June 17th.

ALTAR FLOWERS – Altar flowers are needed beginning **August 27**th. Please clearly mark your envelope "Altar Flowers" with your donation of \$30.00.

HYMN OF THE DAY is "Spread the Reign of God the Lord" (LSB 830) by the German pastor Jonathan Friedrich Bahnmaier (1774-1841). The tune GOTT SEI DANK was composed by pastor Johann Anastasius Freylinghausen (1670-1739), a close colleague of the Pietist preacher August Hermann Francke. Freylinghausen became director of the influential Francke Institutions in Halle, which provided orphanage care and education according to Pietist principle

SUMMER WORSHIP As summer starts, we wanted to let everyone know that our regular church service schedule will remain the same:

- Saturdays at 4:30 in the Chapel
- Sundays at 8:00 and 10:30 in the Church

The nursery will remain staffed for the Sunday 8:00 and 10:30 services for those who have small children. Pastor Rogers Sunday morning Bible Study will also continue throughout the summer, in the Trinity Center, after the 8:00 am worship service.

THIRD THURSDAYS Thursday, July 20, 7 pm Thursday, August 17, 7 pm Last summer's must-attend events are back! Third Thursday was a ton of fun. If you did not make it last year, don't worry you have another chance. Join Us in the Prayer Garden on the Third Thursday of the Month Each Month of Summer! Bring a chair, bring a snack, a game, an instrument. We will be enjoying the beauty of our prayer garden and each other's company. This is a family-friendly activity. All are welcome.

REST YOUR SOUL IS LOOKING for a new leader to welcome in moms and lead them in the litany on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7pm. Using a short devotion to kick off conversation, we enjoy fellowship with other moms who can relate to our daily joys and struggles as we carry out our vocation. Please contact Kelsey King if you are interested in serving in this role! 630-310-2500

JIM VANEWYK MEMORIAL GOLF EVENT will be Aug. 5th. This year we will be supporting (1) Adult Christian Care in Elmhurst, (2) Trinity Lutheran Preschool in Villa Park, & (3) various local needs in the community. We need sponsors! Please grab a copy of Pastor's letter & the sign up sheets in the Narthex. Golf Outing & dinner is \$55. Dinner only is \$15. Direct any questions to Margaret.

SPONSOR-A-BILL: This quarter's bill to sponsor is Music Maintenance (approx. \$200/mo). These funds will cover the costs associated with piano & organ tuning. As you can, please consider sponsoring one of these bills above & beyond your normal giving. Sponsor-a-Bill contributions help keep our budget on track & reduce the need for end-of-year pleas to meet the budget.

TO STAY ON TRACK FOR 2023, we will need each household to donate \$5 more than their usual budgeted giving.

HOMEBOUND

Lutheran Home: Elizabeth Stearns

Beacon Hill: John & Connie Graham, LaVera Levin, Lowell & Judy Pals

Aperion, W. Chicago: Deborah Bychowski Brighton Gardens, Whtn: Bill Rothenburger

AT HOME: Pastor & Carol Drews, Ron & Betty Edwards, Georgianna Ryl, Edith Schneider, Marcy Seils, Keith & Carol Speers Strength and patience for all the caregivers.

IN NEED OF HEALING: Elijah Brockie, Jim Bruschuk, Cayden Brust, Greg Bukowski, Vickie Dale (Bonnie Dale's sister), Linda Gibboney (daughter of LaVera Levin), John Graham, Bruce Kampert, Sue Kohs (cousin of Bonnie Dale), Mark (friend of Jim Bruschuk), Phyllis McCurdy (Sister of Donna Heuser), Lisa Miller (daughter of Judy Sheridan), Rick Miller (son-in-law of Judy Sheridan), Dolores Sauter, Jenny Stulgo (niece of Margaret Cotterill), Liz Suriano, Norma Taylor (mom of Bonnie Dale). We pray for peace between Russia and Ukraine.

FOR THE CHURCH: Jay and Julie Dass, Lutheran Confessional Church of Pakistan 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

Pastor Sifuentes and St. Matthew's Lutheran Church in the city

SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES: Commander in Chief – President Joseph Biden

Adam Biladeau, Matt Boudro, Peter Halpin (son of Dan & Rhonda Halpin), Will Hinckley (grandson of Ed Gustovich), Cameron Littleson (Traci Dale Maher's brother-in-law),

Matt & Mary Macella (grandchildren of Arlene Johnson), David & Alexander Nordman (grandsons of Ron Nordman), Josh Preisel (grandson of Alice Bezik),

Ella Sperry (granddaughter of Cliff & Olinda Sperry), Paul Stahlke, Quentin Stubbs.

BIRTHDAYS 18-Jacob Bruschuk, Ashley Collins, Sarah Heaney, Don Leabru

20- Jon Alvarez, Brian Guillemette 21- Annalise Alvarez 22-Becky Apuzzo, Sandi Wolski

23-Christopher Apuzzo, Leah Ridley 24- Michelle Korman, Jessica Mora, Danya Rogers, Donna Williams

ANNIVERSARIES: **18-**Alisa & Anthony Snyder **20-**Sharon & Fred Montag **21-**Gary & Judy Buehre **23-** Brooke & Justin Adkins, Jowell & Judy Pals **24-** Pastor David & Carol Ritt

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF June 18th:

Sunday: Worship 8:00 AM (FaceBook Live) & 10:30 AM Happy Father's Day

Monday: 1:00-Al Anon Tuesday: 8:00 AA

Wednesday: 6:00-Big House 6:30-Growing in Prayer

Thursday: 7:00-Rest Your Soul

Friday:

Saturday: Worship 4:30 PM

THOSE WHO SERVE June 18th:

Keyboard / Organ: 4:30pm - Kurt Linstead 8am & 10:30am Beverly Baumann

Lay Assistants: 8:00 Darren Taylor

10:30 John Dorn & Greg Billing

Acolytes: 8:00 Aliyah Brockie

10:30 Caroline Marchewka/LoreLai May

Ushers: 4:30 Rich Kumnick

8:00 Bert Dale, Derek Bruschuk, Josh & Erin Bruschuk, Neal Rogers

10:30- Dave Heuser, Harley DeJong, Keith Wojtas

Greeters: 8:00 Bonnie Dale

10:30 Donna Heuser

Altar Guild Denise Airdo & Donna Heuser

THOSE WHO SERVE June 25th:

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

Vocalists: 8:00 Kate Ilcken

10:30 Greg Billing

Lay Assistants: 8:00 Henry Meier & Donna Stubbs

10:30 Diane Devermann & Gloria Marchewka

Acolytes: 8:00 Jacob Bruschuk & Cruz Collins

10:30 David Sullivan

Ushers: 4:30 Craig Musa

8:00 Scott Golz, Dante Apuzzo, Dino Apuzzo, Neal Rodenbostel

10:30- Gary Buehre, Rich Kumnick, Barbara Wolski

Greeters: 8:00 Olinda & Cliff Sperry

10:30 Nancy Rex

Altar Guild Denise Airdo & Donna Heuser

THOSE WHO SERVE July 2nd:

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

Vocalists: 8:00 Danya Rogers, Pastor Rogers

10:30 Christy Crandell

Lay Assistants: 8:00 10:30

Acolytes: 8:00 Hank Pavlovsky

10:30 Caleb Ilcken / Garret May

Ushers: 4:30 Bert Dale

8:00 Jon Alvarez, Steve Boudro, Joe Peacock **10:30** Ron Boettger, Bob Rundgren, & Chris Gore

Greeters: 8:00 10:30

Altar Guild Marilyn Felz & Cindy Weber

THOSE WHO SERVE July 9th:

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

Vocalists: 8:00 Kate Ilcken

10:30 Jonathan Stahlke

Lay Assistants: 8:00 10:30

Acolytes: 8:00 Aliyah Brockie

10:30 Caroline Marchewka/LoreLai May

Ushers: 4:30 Rich Kumnick

8:00 Bert Dale, Derek Bruschuk, Josh & Erin Bruschuk, Neal Rogers

10:30- Dave Heuser, Harley DeJong, Keith Wojtas

Greeters: 8:00 10:30

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