October 5-6, 2024
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 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.

Treasurer's Update

Rec'd last week: 6333.00 — **Net Deficit (8/31 YTD) $36,946.72**
YTD Income (as of 8/31) $276,828.02 — YTD Expense (as of 8/31) $313,774.74
Adopt A Bill 1st quarter $1140.00 — 2ND quarter $2665.00

ATTENDANCE Saturday 15, communed 15; Sunday 78 communed 71

ALTAR FLOWERS In thankfulness and praise from Kirk Golz

NEXT WEEKEND we celebrate the Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost. The sermon is titled "The Faithless Question," and the hymn of the day is "Thee Will I Love, My Strength, My Tower" (LSB 694). The scripture lessons for worship are:

Introit	Ps. 112:3–6; antiph: Ps. 112:1	*The Righteous Will Never Be Moved*
Old Testament	Amos 5:6–7, 10–15	*Seek the Lord and Live*
Epistle	Hebrews 3:12–19	*A Rest for the People of God*
Gospel (sermon text)	Mark 10:17-22	*The Rich Young Man*

MUSIC FOR LWML SUNDAY features African and African-American music. Mary Stahlke attended a worship conference last summer that included African drumming and information about purchasing instruments. A new conga drum has been ordered but was delayed in shipment, and a bongo drum will be used instead for the October 6 worship services. Stay tuned to hear the new conga drum at a future date.

TODAY, SUNDAY OCTOBER 6 IS OUR LWML MISSION WEEKEND. LWML mites continue to support our National, English District and Chicago area mission grants. A door collection will be taken ad we thank you for your continued support.

VOLUNTEER HOST needed on **Tuesdays 10:00 - 11:30** in The Trinity Center Coffee Shop. Contact Judy Bruschuk: jbruschuk@aol.com or 630-220-6364, to learn more.

TODAY - Pastor Rogers will be starting a new class in the Trinity Center during Education Hour. "Prepared with a Reason" will look at modern dilemmas and the answers Scripture gives us. God truly has provided for everything we need.

DUE NOW - SAT, OCT 12 @ 5:30: TRIVIA NIGHT hosted by the youth attending the 2025 National Youth Gathering in New Orleans. No - You DON'T have to be good at Trivia questions to play. Just come, have fun, and support our youth. Stop by the table in the Narthex to get all the details and a registration form.

SAVE THE DATE for a Reformation music festival at St. Johns Lombard (215 S. Lincoln St.) on **Sunday, October 27, at 3:00 pm**. Trinity's choir will be joining with other church choirs to lead the congregation in some spirited singing. Come celebrate the Reformation!

ALTAR FLOWERS – Altar flowers are needed beginning **October 13th**. Please clearly mark your envelope "Altar Flowers" with your donation of **$30.00**.

ALL SAINTS DAY MEMORIALS – If you would like a memorial to be included in the **Sunday, November 3rd** All Saints Day bulletin; please forward your donation to the church office by **Sunday, October 27th**. Memorials can be dropped in the collection plate or put in the Secretary's mailbox. Please mark your envelope: "All Saints Day Memorial".

TRINITY ANNIVERSARY DINNER - Saturday, November 9th at 6:00 pm, Founders Hall Come and celebrate another wonderful year in the life of Trinity Lutheran Church. Enjoy a great meal and fellowship with friends and family. Tickets will be available for purchase before the event and at the door for $15 per person or $30 per household. Additional information will be coming on the event, however for now ***SAVE THE DATE!***

SPONSOR-A-BILL This quarter's bills to sponsor are **Accounting** (approx. $583/mo) and **Printer/Copier Expenses** (approx. $500/mo). Please consider sponsoring 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.

GIVING TUESDAY is **December 3rd** this year. Save the date!

HOMEBOUND
Aperion, W. Chicago: Deborah Bychowski
Beacon Hill: John Graham, Lowell & Judy Pals
Brighton Gardens, Whtn: Bill Rothenburger
Lacey Creek: Judy Sheridan
Oak Brook Care Center: Greg Bukowski
Downers Grove Rehab: Tom Saunders
The Bickford, Aurora: Grace Finke
The Roosevelt at Salt Creek: Eileen Reese

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

IN NEED OF HEALING: Connie Berger (cousin of Bonnie Dale), Amy Brabeck (friend of Shelly Bychoswki), Jim Bruschuk, Sue Bukowski, John Doyle (brother of Margaret Cotterill), Linda Gibboney (daughter of LaVera Levin), Connie Graham, Amy McGee (daughter of Kirk Golz), Henry Meier, Lisa Miller (daughter of Judy Sheridan), Jeb Ostrom (cousin of Jenny Swensen), Kathy Remus, Danya Rogers, Bill Rothenburger, Tracy Schumpp (niece of Donna Williams) Liz Suriano.
We pray for peace throughout the world.

FOR THE CHURCH:
Seminarian: Jackson Scofield Bishops: Matthew Harrison and Jeffrey Miskus
Missionaries to the Dominican Republic–Rev. Dr. Jonathon and Deaconess Cheryl Naumann
Jay and Julie Dass, Lutheran Confessional Church of Pakistan 1-1-1 Missions
Morren Chelsi Lempas (sponsored youth from Indonesia) Asian Indian Ministry

SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES: Commander in Chief – President Joseph Biden
Adam Biladeau, Matt Boudro, Noah Brockie, Peter Halpin (son of Dan & Rhonda Halpin), Cameron Littleson (Traci Dale Maher's brother-in-law), Matt & Mary Macella (grandchildren of Arlene Johnson), Josh Preisel (grandson of Alice Bezik), Ella Sperry (granddaughter of Cliff & Olinda Sperry), Paul Stahlke, Quentin Stubbs.

BIRTHDAYS: **7-**Noah Brockie **9-**Dawn Boettger-Mudd, Samantha Hammonds
10- Tim Marchewka **11-** Hailey Lucas, Julia Pokryfki, Bob Rundgren, Alisa Snyder

ANNIVERSARIES **10**-Christopher & Karissa Thompson

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF October 6th:

Sunday:	**Worship 8:00 AM** (FaceBook Live) **& 10:30 AM**		
Monday:	1:00-Al Anon		
Tuesday:	6:00 Bible Study	7:30 Darts	8:00 AA
Wednesday:	10:00 Bible Study	6:00 Fall Family Dinner	6:30 Growing in Prayer
	7:00 Rest Your Soul		
Thursday:	9:00 Men's Discussion Group		7:00 Choir, Daughters of the King
Friday:			
Saturday:	**Worship 4:30 PM**	**6:00 Trivia**	

THOSE WHO SERVE October 6th:

Keyboard / Organ:	**4:30pm** – Kurt Linstead	**8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke
Vocalist:	**8:00** Voices of Praise	
	10:30 Jubilate Choir	
Instrumentalist:	**8:00** & **10:30** Jonathan Stahlke, drum	
Lay Assistants:	**8:00** Aliyah Brockie	
	10:30 Caroline & Gloria Marchewka	
Readers:	**4:30** Jan Bartnoski	
	8:00 Aliyah Brockie	
	10:30 Shelby Kampert	
Acolytes:	**8:00** Jacob Bruschuk	
	10:30 Caleb Ilcken	
Ushers:	**4:30** Bert Dale	
	8:00 Jon Alvarez, Steve Boudro, Joe Peacock	
	10:30 Ron Boettger, Bob Rundgren, Travis Jones	
Greeters:	**8:00** Donna Stubbs	
	10:30 Carol Edwards	
Altar Guild	Judy Buehre & Donna Williams	

THOSE WHO SERVE October 13th:

Keyboard / Organ:	**4:30pm** – Kurt Linstead	**8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke
Vocalist:	**8:00** Kate Ilcken	**10:30** Greg Billing
Lay Assistants:	**8:00** Darren Taylor	**10:30** David Sullivan & Jodie Esposito
Acolytes:	**8:00** Cruz Collins	**10:30** Garrett May
Ushers:	**4:30** Rich Kumnick	
	8:00 Bert Dale, Derek Bruschuk, Neal Rogers	
	10:30 Dave Heuser, Harley DeJong	
Greeters:	**8:00** Bonnie Dale	**10:30** Donna Heuser
Altar Guild	Judy Buehre & Donna Williams	

THOSE WHO SERVE October 20th::

Keyboard / Organ:	**4:30pm** – Kurt Linstead	**8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke
Vocalist:	**8:00** Art Biladeau	**10:30** Christy Crandell
Lay Assistants:	**8:00** John Dorn	**10:30** Kate Ilcken & Greg Billing
Acolytes:	**8:00** Hank Pavlovsky	**10:30** Lorelai May
Ushers:	**4:30** Carol Edwards	
	8:00 Scott Golz & Neal Rodenbostel	
	10:30 Gary Buehre, Rich Kumnick & Frank Ilcken	
Greeters:	**8:00** Celeste Golz	**10:30** Marilyn Bloechle
Altar Guild	Judy Buehre & Donna Williams	

THOSE WHO SERVE October 27th:

Keyboard / Organ:	**4:30pm** – Kurt Linstead	**8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke
Vocalist:	**8:00** Jubilate Choir	**10:30** Jonathan Stahlke
Lay Assistants:	**8:00** Donna Stubbs	**10:30** John Dorn & Harold Cazaubon
Acolytes:	**8:00** Jacob Bruschuk	**10:30** Caleb Ilcken
Ushers:	**4:30** Bert Dale	
	8:00 Jon Alvarez, Steve Boudro, Joe Peacock	
	10:30 Ron Boettger, Bob Rundgren, Travis Jones	
Greeters:	**8:00** Cliff & Olinda Sperry	**10:30** Bob & Diane Devermann
Altar Guild	Judy Buehre & Donna Williams	