

## **TRINITY WEEKLY NEWS and NOTES**

### **THIS WEEK AT TRINITY June 9 – 16, 2024**

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| <b>SUNDAY</b>    | 9:00am           | Live Stream Traditional Worship [Facebook/YouTube]    |
|                  | 9:00am           | Traditional Worship with Holy Communion [Sanctuary]   |
|                  | 9:00am           | Christ's Kids Sunday School                           |
|                  | Between Services | Coffee Hour [Café/MPR]                                |
|                  | 10:45am          | Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion [Sanctuary]  |
| <b>MONDAY</b>    | 6:30pm           | Church Council Meeting [Stammel Center]               |
| <b>TUESDAY</b>   | 7:00pm           | Tuesday Evening Ladies Bible Study [Zoom]             |
| <b>WEDNESDAY</b> | 9:30am           | Wednesday Morning Ladies Bible Study [Stammel Center] |
|                  | 10:00am          | Ladies Fellowship Group [YSR]                         |
|                  | 7:00pm           | Praise Band Rehearsal [MPR]                           |
| <b>THURSDAY</b>  | 8:00pm           | Trinity Choir Rehearsal [CMR]                         |
| <b>FRIDAY</b>    |                  |   |
| <b>SATURDAY</b>  |                  |   |
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|                  | 9:00am           | Traditional Worship with Holy Communion [Sanctuary]   |
|                  | Between Services | Coffee Hour [Café/MPR]                                |
|                  | 10:30am          | LWML Meeting [YSR]                                    |
|                  | 10:45am          | Traditional Worship with Holy Communion [Sanctuary]   |

*The Reverend Dr. Johnson Rethinasamy has accepted the Divine Call as Trinity Lutheran Church and School's pastor. Date of installation is June 30 and he will begin his full time ministry at Trinity at that time.*

### **2023-2024 Ministry Support Goal: \$9,230.00 per week**

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|-----------------|---------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| Sunday – June 2 | 9:00am  | Online Attendance: 23    | June 2 Offerings: \$8,596.00 |
|                 | 9:00am  | In Person Attendance: 93 | Sunday School: 12            |
|                 | 10:45am | In Person Attendance: 18 |                              |

**A note about online attendance:** These numbers reflect how many connections are made to the Facebook live stream so the actual number of people watching live is greater than what you see here. There are multiple people and families watching together from one device. The numbers are also increased after the stream is over and people are watching it from the saved video on Trinity's Facebook page and website. The far-reaching impact is great! Thanks be to God!

### **TODAY'S FLOWERS**

Today's altar flowers are for the glory of God in appreciation for Christ's Kids Sunday school director, Roberta O'Connor, and teachers Betsy Lazarek and Dawn Porzio for their dedication in teaching the love of Jesus to God's children by Elaine Koop.

### **GIFTS and MEMORIALS**

Gifts and memorials have been given for the glory of God to Trinity Lutheran Church to the Comfort Dog Ministry in loving memory of Robert Foote on his birthday and their wedding anniversary by Tina Foote.

**PASTORAL EMERGENCY CONTACT** In the event you or your family would need to reach a pastor during Trinity's off hours, please use the following number, for true emergencies, and you are unable to reach anyone in the office. The number to call is 516-931-7147.

**FRIENDSHIP PADS** Along with passing the offering plates during our worship services, the Friendship Pads are also available to be signed and passed. This not only helps Trinity, but the LCMS Synod as well to help keep accurate statistics on attendance.

### INSPIRATION FOR OUTREACH

**Mark 3:20-35:** The song goes, "And assembled as one, in the name of the Son, lifting hearts, lifting hands, celebrating as friends and proclaiming the Lord all our praises afford – we are brothers and sisters in Christ." We have an eternal relationship with God and one another through Jesus Christ. May God use our witness to bring others into eternal relationships with God.

### INSPIRATION FOR STEWARDSHIP

**Mark 3:35** "Whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother." Doing the will of God starts with trusting in His Son, Jesus Christ. Once we have faith in Him and have been reborn as new creatures through Holy Baptism, we strive to grow in this faith and in a life that agrees with our faith. Growing in generosity, in kindness and in love across our callings in the home, in church and in society is growing into the family of God, for all who do His will are His brothers and sisters and mothers.

**LIVE STREAM NOW MULTI-CASTED** Live streamed worship services are now simultaneously streamed to both YouTube as well as Facebook. Trinity's channel on YouTube is @TRINITYHICKSVILLE The Direct link to the Live Stream on Facebook is [FBLive.TrinityHicksville.Org](https://www.facebook.com/FBLive.TrinityHicksville.Org) The Direct link to the Live Stream on YouTube is [YTLive.TrinityHicksville.Org](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YTLive.TrinityHicksville.Org) We hope this additional platform will accommodate the many assorted devices in use. "Like & Subscribe!"

**LWML UPDATE** We will be holding a short meeting during Coffee Hour on June 16 in the YSR for anyone interested in knowing more about the LWML. We still have the essential position of president to fill or perhaps the position of executive coordinator. The positions of VP and Treasurer have been filled already. Here is a partial list of the duties of that leader. Open meetings with prayers and devotions, open communication with the Pastoral Office, setting up room requests for events and meetings, maintain attendance list from meetings, planning with executive board on events, dates etc. This is a period of transition. We need new members to come up with new ideas in fundraising and fellowship events to further the Christian missions and to help Trinity grow. We hope to see new faces at this meeting, willing to learn and take on an active role. We're listening!

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY** Trinity Lutheran Church and School, Hicksville, seeks an experienced Accounting/Finance professional to replace its 20-year Director of Finance. This position requires experience and working knowledge of GAAP policies, procedures and reporting requirements, including special rules for a not-for-profit entity. Responsibilities will include bookkeeping, managing cash and accounts receivables/payables, maintaining general ledger accounts and journals, payroll processing, internal financial reporting and working with a CPA on compilation engagement for annual financial statements. Also supporting the church and school staff in managing Trinity's temporal affairs as needed. If interested, or for further information, please send your contact information via email to Trinity's Finance Office at [finoff@trinityhicksville.org](mailto:finoff@trinityhicksville.org) attention John Doughty, Treasurer.

### **THOSE SERVING THE LORD and TRINITY TODAY**

**Preacher** Rev. Dr. Johnson Rethinasamy

**Organist** Henry DeVries

|                | <b>Deacon/Assist. Minister</b>      | <b>Readers</b>       | <b>Acolytes</b>                     |
|----------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>9:00am</b>  | Anthony Cavaliere<br>Erin Stevenson | Karen Musumeci       | Callum Stevenson<br>Cora Stevenson  |
| <b>10:45am</b> | Scott Galdo                         | Janice-Gentles Jones | Bryce Pellechia<br>Gianna Pellechia |

# Celebrate Summer 2024

Trinity Lutheran's Celebrate Summer offers an affordable program for children in a caring Christian environment. Celebrate Summer includes:

- Organized Sports
- Technology
- Science
- Fun with Food
- Arts & Crafts
- Music & Movement
- Water Play
- Academic Enrichment
- Live Animal Programs



## Celebrate Summer is for students entering Pre-k to Grade 2

Sign up now for all six sessions or mix and match your weeks according to your schedule.

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| <b>SESSION 1:</b> Helpful Heroes                      | June 24-28    |
| <b>SESSION 2:</b> Stars and Stripes (Closed July 4th) | July 1-5      |
| <b>SESSION 3:</b> Aquatic Adventure                   | July 8-12     |
| <b>SESSION 4:</b> Playful Pirates                     | July 15-19    |
| <b>SESSION 5:</b> Creepy, Crawly Creatures            | July 22-26    |
| <b>SESSION 6:</b> Sports Stars                        | July 29-Aug 2 |

You may choose your sessions and pay by week.

Payments must be made at least a week in advance.

**PROGRAM FEES:** \$400 per week (5 full days) or \$200 (per week 5 half days) \$100 non-refundable registration fee with application (this will be applied to your first week of camp).

Parents are responsible for lunch (if full day) and transportation. Children MUST be toilet trained.

For more information or to register call 516-931-2211 or contact Mr. William Mallon at [CelebrateSummer@TrinityLL.org](mailto:CelebrateSummer@TrinityLL.org)

**REGISTER ONLINE:** [trinityli.org/celebrate-summer/](http://trinityli.org/celebrate-summer/)



**SAVE 10%**

if you register and pay for your weeks on or before April 15

**SIBLING DISCOUNT**

\$50 off weekly fee for additional child/children

## PROGRAM HOURS

Full Day  
8:00am-4:00pm

OR

Half Day  
8:00am-12:00pm

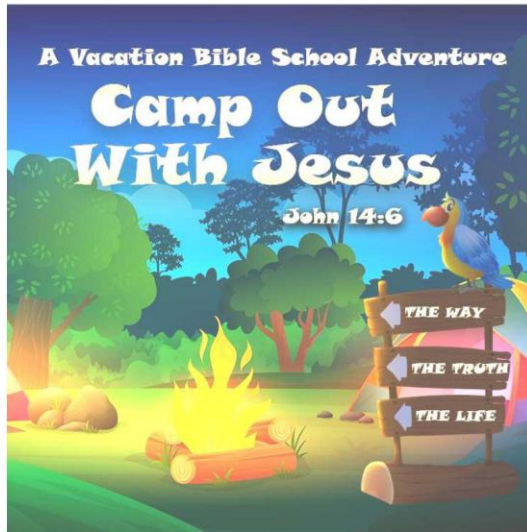
**SPACE IS LIMITED. REGISTER EARLY.**

Located within walking distance of the Hicksville train station.

40 West Nicholai Street, Hicksville, New York 11801  
516-931-2211 or email Camp Director, William Mallon at [CelebrateSummer@TrinityLL.org](mailto:CelebrateSummer@TrinityLL.org)

# **Embrace Adventure: Discover Faith through Nature!**

Join us this summer for a fun faith journey week at Trinity Lutheran Church's **Vacation Bible School**, themed '**Camp Out with Jesus!**'



**July 29 - August 2, 2024**  
**9:00am to 12:00pm**

Our 'Camp Out with Jesus' program at Trinity Lutheran Church and School invites children ages 4 yrs old through Grade 5 to explore their faith while engaging in exciting fun activities. This week-long adventure is designed to teach biblical truths through a camp theme, crafts, and camaraderie, helping children grow spiritually while creating unforgettable summer memories.

## **To Register**

Website: <https://trinityhicksville.org/summer-vbs/>

Direct Link: [Trinity VBS 2024 Registration](#)

**Volunteers Needed!** For info, email: [vbs@trinityhicksville.org](mailto:vbs@trinityhicksville.org)