## TRINITY WEEKLY NEWS and NOTES

# THIS WEEK AT TRINITY October 27 - November 3, 2024

REFORMATION SUNDAY 9:00am Live Stream Traditional Worship [Facebook/YouTube]

9:00am Traditional Worship with Holy Communion [Sanctuary]

9:00am Sunday School

10:30am Voters' Meeting [Church]

12:00pm International Potluck Lunch [Café/MPR]

MONDAY

**TUESDAY** 7:00pm Tuesday Evening Ladies Bible Study [Zoom]

**WEDNESDAY** 10:00am Wednesday Morning Ladies Bible Study [Stammel Center]

7:00pm Praise Band Rehearsal [MPR]

**THURSDAY** 7:00pm Confirmation Classes - Grades 6,7,8

8:00pm Trinity Choir Rehearsal [CMR]

FRIDAY SATURDAY

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY 9:00am Live Stream Traditional Worship [Facebook/YouTube]

9:00am Traditional Worship with Holy Communion [Sanctuary]

9:00am Sunday School

Between Services Coffee Hour [Café/MPR] 10:15am LWML Meeting [YSR]

10:45am Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion [Sanctuary]

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

Sunday – October 20 9:00am Online Attendance: 26 October 20 Offerings: \$10,301.00

9:00am In Person Attendance: 81

10:45am Attendance: 26 Sunday School Attendance: 14

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!

### **GIFTS and MEMORIALS**

Gifts and memorials have been given for the glory of God to Trinity Lutheran Church in loving memory of Nancy Kuck by Edward Kuck; to the Capital Improvement Fund in loving memory of Frank and Emma Fix by Lauren Fix; for the Comfort Dog Ministry in loving memory of Robert Gross by Tina Foote; to the Klitzing/Kramer Scholarship Fund in honor of Floyd Klitzing and Madeline Davids on their October birthdays by Jane Kramer; to the Trinity Lutheran Church and School General Scholarship Fund in loving memory of Deacon Anthony Cavaliere by John Doughty; to Trinity Lutheran School in loving memory of Deacon Anthony Cavaliere by Helen Peter, for tuition assistance in thanksgiving to God for his many blessings by anonymous;

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.

HOLY COMMUNION ADDITIONS We are now offering non-alcoholic white wine as part of Holy Communion. The cups will be in the center of the serving trays. Also available are gluten free wafers. Just let Pastor know.

# INSPIRATION FOR OUTREACH

Mark 10:46-52: Blind Bartimaeus is healed and immediately follows Jesus. So also, we who have been cured of the blindness of sin follow Jesus. It is our prayer that others may join us in following our Savior, Jesus Christ, who not only heals temporally but eternally through His life, death, and resurrection.

# INSPIRATION FOR STEWARDSHIP

Romans 3:20 "For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin." The Law of God is good – it's just that we sinners cannot save ourselves by the Law. Salvation is a free gift of God because that is the only way we could ever be saved. The Law shows us God's holiness and thus our own sin. And now in Christ we can look at the Law and see it in a new light – as a guide for how to live a godly life in thanksgiving to God for His gracious forgiveness in Christ.

TRINITY FELLOWSHIP CLUB (TFC) What exactly is this new club? Trinity old timers will remember the days of the Over 55 Club and the Married Couples Club, whereby church members who fit the criteria were part of a "club" who got together to do fun things. Well, we are resurrecting the club concept of doing fun things together only we took away age and marital status to be more inclusive of everyone. Occasionally, the TFC will organize a fun activity for the whole church to partake in, but mostly the activities will be arranged for those in the club. You can join the club at any time and partake of whatever activities that interest you and skip those that don't. The TFC is a good way to get to know your church family in a friendly, loving atmosphere. We hope you will all become a part. Our first event is for the whole church to participate in and it will be a "Get to Know the Pastor" International Potluck Luncheon today Sunday, October 27 after the Voters' Meeting. Join us!

# TUESDAY AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY ON HIATUS

The afternoon Bible Study held on Tuesdays at 3:00pm in the Stammel Center will be on hiatus until further notice. Watch the Friendly Reminders and Sunday's News and Notes for updates.

READERS WANTED! We are looking to broaden our team of readers/lectors for both of our Sunday worship services. If you are interested, please let us know by calling or emailing Kim in the church office or let our deacons or pastor know. Otherwise, pastor will come out to you and ask you/assign you to help us with the readings!

LIVE STREAM WORSHIP SERVICES MULTICASTED Live streamed worship services are simultaneously streamed to both YouTube as well as Facebook. Have you subscribed to our YouTube channel?

If not, please visit our YouTube page at <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCtAc3f1djSexhfGfTX">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCtAc3f1djSexhfGfTX</a> <a href="SEwUA">SEwUA</a> and click on the subscribe button. We would like to increase the number of subscribers to our YouTube page!

JOYFUL RESPONSE (LCEF) You can enroll in this program that will automatically withdraw funds from your bank account via an ACH transaction sent to Trinity on a regular basis (weekly, monthly, etc.) with no bank charges or fees. Special gifts with varying amounts (e.g. Memorials) can be made via the other methods herein. Contact Deacon Lynn Waldeck in the church office to get the Joyful Response enrollment form.

**LWML NEWS** Reminder: Our next monthly meeting is next Sunday, November 3 during Coffee Hour. Please bring in any donations for the veterans if you hadn't done so already. We won't be sorting the veterans stuff during the meeting since Josephine Kenney has been collecting the donations and bringing them to her house. She and Peter will be taking the items to the Veteran's Medical Center out in Northport when the donations are all in. She will just separate the items into bags between clothing/undergarments and toiletry items. Finally our annual Drive-thru Pork Roast Event is scheduled for November 9 from 11:00am-1:00pm out by the ECC canopied entrance. So don't forget to pick up if you've ordered!

# THOSE SERVING THE LORD and TRINITY TODAY

**Preacher** Pastor Johnson Rethinasamy

Organist Henry DeVries

Deacon/Assist. Minister Readers Acolytes

9:00amLynn WaldeckKaren MusumeciMadison GalloErin StevensonHenry Terjesen

# Open House

Saturday, November 2nd 10:00am

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We hope to see you soon!