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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY: September 12 - 20, 2026
Rally Day @ TLS

Saturday, 09/12:	**5:00pm**	**Trinity Lutheran Church & School Rally Day @ TLS** *Worship Service at 5pm, followed with a Pig Roast and Town Hall Meeting*
Sunday, 09/13:		***~NO WORSHIP SERVICES AT CHURCH TODAY!~***
Monday, 09/14:	6:00pm	Council Meeting
Tuesday, 09/15:	6:00am	Men's Bible Study @ TYM Square
	9:00am	Quilting
Wed. 09/16:	8:30am	Chapel @ TLS
	~~1:00pm~~	~~Wrinkled Righteous Game Day~~ CANCELLED
	5:30pm	Faith Formation Night @ TLC
	6:30pm	2nd Year Confirmation Class
Thurs. 09/17:	10:30am	Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall
Friday 09/18	5:00pm	Senior/West Tailgate @ TYM Square
Saturday, 09/19:	3:00pm	5th & 6th Grade Youth @ TYM Square
	5:00pm	Worship Service with Communion
	6:15pm	7th & 8th Grade Youth @ TYM Square
Sunday, 09/20:	8 & 10:30am	Worship Services
	9:30am	Toddler SS, Sunday School, Adult Bible Class & Adult Instruction Class
	1:00pm	***Trinity Tee-Off @ Pryor Creek***

Loved by Christ to Live for Christ

The Altar Flowers are given in praise and thanksgiving to God from Todd & Debra Miller in celebration their 40th Wedding Anniversary.

SPECIAL PRAYERS THIS WEEK FOR:

Recent requests: Ava Criswell and Sheryl Scheafer; God's comfort and peace for the family and friends of Betty Halstead (grandmother of Patti Stanfill) who was called to her heavenly home on 9/1; God's blessings on our Trinity Lutheran Church and School Ministry

Ongoing needs: Alli, Becky & Shawn (Velma Gammon's daughter & son-in-law), Willeen Brese, Katie Cardillo, Cateleya Castanon, Brooke Davis, Walter Flechsig, Kevin Frank, Kathleen Hall, Jeff Hansen, Phyllis Hansen, Brittney Hatzell, Eric Hatzell, Beverly Hoose, David Jinguji, Keith Johnson, Elaine Jordan, Kinsley Murri, Rod Myers, Karen Oset, John Reinholz, Maggie Schmidt, Shawn Seymanski, Margaret Skoog, Holly Ulmer, Diana Wohler, Kathy Zagel, and Joan & Joey Zarnick.

All In God's Family – Saturday, September 12th

We are so thankful for the many volunteers who served in a variety of ways to make this Rally Day possible and successful! Truly this is evidence of the Body of Christ putting faith in action and we are so blessed at Trinity Lutheran Church and School. Praise God from Whom all blessings flow!

Please note there are NO SERVICES on Sunday, September 13, at the church site.

Adult Instruction Class– "What Does This Mean?"

This class begins on Sunday, September 20th from 9:30-10:15am in the upper classroom. This is for anyone who would like to grow in faith and understanding of our church doctrine and/or interested in potential church membership. Please talk to one of the pastors or call the church office if you have any questions.

FINANCES & FIRST-FRUITS' GIVING

Budgeted Offering Target (July - August 2026)	$ 130,489
Actual Offering (July - August 2026)	$ 137,828
A difference of:	$ 7,339
Weekly Offering Goal – September 2026	$ 15,247
Actual Offerings in September (1 of 4 weeks)	$ 24,033

Last Weekend's Attendance –September 5-6, 2026

Saturday Worship Service	98
Sunday Worship Services	200
Total Attendance Last Weekend	**298**
Sunday School Attendance	13
Adult Bible Class Attendance	74

Offering Counters for September 12th:
Susan Loomans, Roxy Klundt & Barbara Nies
Offering Counters for September 20th:
Carol Corder & Kathy Hoehne

Food Pantry Ministry is Growing
Have you been bringing in food to help with Trinity's food pantry? If so, thank you! Every month this "basic needs" ministry serves many people in our church, community, and through our partnership with Love INC. Love INC is receiving more calls for food assistance, so we are getting more referrals and helping more people. If you would like to help, please consider making a food donation. In addition, we will gladly accept cash donations so we can purchase meat and other items that are hard to donate. *There are also many families who need food, but do not have transportation, so we are coordinating a delivery team. If you are willing to be a part of this ministry team, please contact the church office!*

LIFT Upgrade is Coming
Trinity's Council has approved a project to update our current lift. Due to the age of the current lift, it is becoming very difficult to get it serviced when there are issues. The new lift will be installed later this winter and will be faster, quieter, safer, and more user friendly. The cost for the new lift will be around $70,000. If you would like to give a special gift toward this project, please clearly mark your donation for the "LIFT" and put it in the offering or bring it to the church office.

Sunday School Starts September 20th
With the days of summer quickly coming to an end, we're getting ready for "regular" Sunday School. Classes are available for youth ages 3 years old and up. We look forward to learning about Jesus together!

Volunteers Needed at the School
We need some helping hands at Trinity Lutheran School in the library and the kitchen. Times and tasks vary with training offered. Please contact the school office at 406-656-1021 or Lisa Ullman at 406-672-1250 for more info.

18th Annual Trinity Tee-Off
All golfers and duffers are encouraged to register for the 18th Annual Trinity Tee-Off - Sunday, September 20, at 1pm at Pryor Creek. This is an awesome day of smiles and shanks that supports Trinity School and our Uganda Mission. **This is the last call and final opportunity this weekend to get your team together and register at** www.trinitybillings.org

Helping the Criswell Family
Some friends of the Criswell family are hosting a fundraiser at The VIG in the heights on Monday, September 14th. A portion of the sales will go to the Criswell family to help cover expenses, as well as a silent auction from 5-8pm. There is also an account at Stockman Bank for the "Criswell Medical Fund" if you'd like to give directly.

Yellowstone Valley Lutherans for Life Ch. #331
Be encouraged with others and learn how to be a Gospel-motivated voice for life when you attend a Lutherans for Life meeting. We begin with food and fellowship at 5:30pm and start the meeting at 6pm. We are meeting at Christ the King Lutheran Church at 759 Newman Lane, Suite 1 in Billings on Tuesday, September 22nd. Questions? Email Angie at yvlfl331@gmail.com

Join us for Faith Formation Night #1
"In the beginning..."

Wednesday September 16, 5:30 PM at Trinity Lutheran Church