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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY May 26 & 27, 2018

~First Sunday After Pentecost – The Holy Trinity ~

Sunday	8 & 10:30am	Worship Services with Communion
	9:30am	Sunday School & Adult Bible Class
	6:30pm	Financial Peace University Class – at TYM Square
Monday	MEMORIAL DAY – Office closed	
	<i>No school at TLS</i>	
Tuesday	6:00am	Men's Bible Study
	9:00am	Quilting
	12:15pm	<i>Field of Fun Day at TLS</i>
	6:30pm	<i>Preschool End of Year Celebration at TLS</i>
Wednesday	7:00pm	Ladies' Small Group
	1:30pm	<i>Spring Musical Matinee at Trinity Lutheran School</i>
	6:30pm	FIRE Youth Group
Thursday	10:30am	Bible Study
	6:30pm	<i>Spring Musical at Trinity Lutheran School</i>
Friday	<i>Last Day of School at TLS – Noon Dismissal</i>	
	6:00pm	8 th Grade Graduation Service at TLC
Saturday	1:00pm	Pickle Ball at TLS
	5:00pm	Worship Service with Communion



Knowing Christ and Making Him Known

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given in praise and glory to God by Ed & Eloise Livingston in memory of Barbara M. Oviatt.

SPECIAL PRAYERS THIS WEEK ARE FOR:

Karianna Jinguji, Alex Martian (Autumn Hicks' son), Ken Hale (Janine Liwosz's brother), Karole Kober, Karen Hergett (Sheryl Scheafer's good friend), Mike Hall, Reid Bullock (friend of the Carter family) Eugina Rongholt, Amber Nader, Wendy Davis (Cassie Thompson's mother), Kinsley (Rod & Phyllis Myers' baby granddaughter), John Wiedmeier, Doris Schimm (Mary Wiedmeier's sister), Lori Smith (Ray & Bobette Smith's sister-in-law), Dave Sellers, Joey Blomberg, and Katie Cardillo.

PICKLE BALL for people 50 and over happens weekly at the Trinity School gym. We meet at 1pm on Saturday afternoons for about 2 hours. This will be on the Trinity calendar each week. If we have to cancel, we will put it in the bulletin the week before. Please join us. We can teach you. Call Karole or Roger at 652-2048 if you have questions.

TRINITY'S 100TH ANNIVERSARY celebration is less than a year away - March 17, 2019. We will start celebrating this fall. Watch the bulletin for little stories about our church over the years.

VOTERS' MEETING - June 3 at Noon

Next Sunday, June 3, we will have a Voters' Meeting at Noon. The two main agenda items are approving our 2018-2019 Budget and approving our Officers and Board Members for the coming term. A copy of the draft budget was sent with the Friday, May 25th email. A list of the Board Candidates is available on the table in the narthex. We are still looking for a few more board members, especially for our Board of Youth, so please consider serving if you are not already on a board! Also, we are asking the Voters' to grant a provision allowing current board members and chairs to continue to serve until the new constitution and structure is in place, which will likely be in the next year or so. Please join us on June 3 as we discuss these important issues!

FINANCES & FIRST-FRUIT'S' GIVING

Budgeted Church/School Income (Year to Date)	\$ 1,640,963
Actual Church/School Income (7/1/17-5/20/18)	\$ 1,585,782
Actual Church/School Expenses (7/1/17-5/20/18)	\$ 1,466,116
A difference of :	\$ 119,666
Budgeted Offering Target (Through April 2018)	\$ 782,393
Actual Offering (Through April 2018)	\$ 774,554
A difference of:	\$ -7,839
May Target Offering	\$ 68,172
Needed Per Week	\$ 17,043
Actual Offerings in May (3 of 4 weeks)	\$ 52,227
Bell Tower Roof Fund (Goal: \$14,000)	\$ 4,710
Expansion Offering (May 12 & 13)	\$ 590
YTD Expansion Offering (July 1-May 20)	\$ 51,933

Last Week's Attendance – May 19 & 20, 2018

Saturday Worship Service	108
Sunday Worship Services	268
Total Attendance Last Week	376
Sunday School	46
Adult Bible Classes	85

Offering Counters for May 27th:

Sherrie Murray, Roxie Klundt, & Sallie Hildenburg

Offering Counters for June 3rd:

Ellen Gernant, Vivian Roberts, & Cheryl Wagenman

SPRING MUSICAL – Trinity Lutheran School will present their Spring Musical, “Malice in the Palace, the Story of Esther” on Wednesday, May 30th at 1:30pm and Thursday, May 31 at 6:30pm. Anyone who can make it is welcome to join us at the matinee performance on Wednesday. We need an audience for our dress rehearsal/matinee, so please feel welcome to come on either day.

QUILT SHOW – Messiah Lutheran Church is sponsoring a Quilt Show featuring Barb Hagler and Mary Lu Etzel on June 11-13. Admission for the Sneak Peek Reception from 5:30–8:00 on Monday evening is \$10. The show is open from 10-7 on Tuesday, June 12th and 10-1 on Wednesday, June 13th. Admission for those two days is \$5. Call 406-656-2018 for more information.

CARD TABLES – The church is in need of card tables for their game day activities. If you have one to donate, please bring it to the church or call Tim Keller at 698-5615.

THANK YOU to everyone who brought food for our Food Pantry. Many of our supplies have been replenished, but we could still use:

Small/large jars of peanut butter
Spaghetti & Spaghetti sauce
Cans of tuna, chicken and fruit

SUMMER FUN!!!

Winter is finally long gone, and it is time to have some summer fun. Please join us for these upcoming events at Trinity!

Josh Snodgrass in Concert

Thursday, June 7, @ 7pm

Enjoy an evening of amazing music as Josh Snodgrass performs a number of hymns and church favorites on his guitar. There is no charge for this concert, although a free-will offering will be received. To learn more, visit www.joshsnodgrass.com.

Shipwrecked at VBS

June 18-22 @ 9-11:30am

Join us as we get shipwrecked this summer and learn how Jesus rescues us! This week-long VBS will be held at Trinity School and is designed for kids age 4-12. Get your children signed up today at www.vbspro.events/p/events/tlcvs2018

Trinity Blast & BBQ

Sunday, June 24, @ 2pm

What could be better than blasting flying objects into oblivion followed by a tasty BBQ? Whether you are an avid shooter, or a first timer, this is a great event with an even better cause (the Manitoba Mission). Sign up to day at www.trinitybillings.org/upcoming-events.html

HELP MANY, IN MANY WAYS!

Did you know that our Benevolent Fund helps our members as well as those in our community? Donations to this fund help pay for medical bills, fuel, mortgage and utility assistance, construction supplies, and a plethora of other needs. The benevolent fund is one of the primary ways that we are able to meet needs as they arise, and it is a tremendous blessing to those who receive assistance. This summer we have a couple of families who could use some help with ongoing medical needs. If you would like to help, please consider making a donation to the benevolent fund. Whether you can make a donation or not, please take time to regularly pray for those who are going through medical challenges!

HELP WANTED- The Quilters need help. Young and old please join them on Tuesday mornings around 9:00am. No experience needed!! For more information, call Betty Kober – 656-7075 and leave a message.