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THIS WEEK AT TRINITYSeptember 14 & 15, 2019

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday:	8:00am &	10:30am Worship Services with Communion
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	Noon	7 th Grade Confirmation Orientation Meeting
Monday:	Noon	P.A.R. at TYM (Also meets on Wednesday at Noon)
monday.	7:00pm	LWML Meeting
Tuesday:	6:00am	Men's Bible Study
Tuesday.	9:00am	Quilting
Wednesday:	8:30am	Chapel at TLS
weathestay.	1:00pm	Wrinkled Righteous Game Day
	6:30pm	FIRE Youth Group
	0.30pm	8 th Grade Confirmation
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Thursday:	10:30am	Bible Study
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Friday:	6:30pm	FIRE Youth Group
Saturday:	Noon	FLICKER Youth Group
	1:00pm	Pickle Ball
	2:30pm	FLAME Youth Group
	5:00pm	Worship Service
Sunday:	8:00am &	10:30am Worship Services with Communion
•	9:30am	Sunday School & Adult Bible Classes
	1:00pm	Trinity Tee-Off at Pryor Creek
	5:30pm	FPU Course Preview
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Knowing Christ and Making Him Known -

**THE ALTAR FLOWERS** are given in praise and glory to God by Darryl & Cindy Magnuson in celebration of their 39th Wedding Anniversary.

#### PASTOR RINDERKNECHT'S NEXT ADULT INSTRUCTION CLASS

Is scheduled to begin on September 23rd at 7pm. Please spread the word to....spouse, son, daughter, friend, relative.....whoever may be interested in sharing God's Word and learning more about what Lutherans believe. It's also a great class for members who may want a refresher confirmation course. Please call the office at 245-3984 so we can add your name to the class list!

SPECIAL PRAYERS THIS WEEK ARE FOR: Bill Agnew (Beth Heiliger's brother), Sharla Arend (Jenn Boll and Janna Arend's mother), Ethan Asher, Laurie Bauer (Wayne Bauer's wife and Dennis Bauer & Arnold Schultz's sister-in-law), Nicholas Beacon (Tom & Marsha Runge's grandson), JR Bruhn (Deb White's brother), Mark Dolar, Ken Hale (Janine Liwosz's brother), Mike Hall, Rachel Hamilton, Brittany Hatzell, Dagni Hedin (Darlene Zimmerman's sister) Ted & Irene Kinsell (and Sue Fachini who is their care-giver), Darrel Kobelt, Kathy Leikam, Kinsley Murri (Rod & Phyllis Myers' granddaughter), Jami Shaw, Lori Smith (Ray & Bobette Smith's sister-in-law), Elaine Wahlquist, Sandi Ward, Shalene Ward, and Mike Wham (Pete Wham's brother).

# FINANCES & FIRST-FRUITS' GIVING

Budgeted Church/School Income (Year to Date)	\$	385,397		
Actual Church/School Income (9/8/19)	\$	402,942		
Actual Church/School Expenses (9/8/19)	\$	361,829		
A difference of :	\$	41,113		
Budgeted Offering Target (Through August 2019)	\$	153,948		
Actual Offering (Through August 2019)	\$	131,188		
A difference of:	\$	-22,760		
Weekly Offering Goal - September	\$	14,671		
Actual Offerings in September (2 of 5 weeks)	\$	24,491		
Phase 1 Completion Drive Gifts & Pledges	\$	135,000		
Balance to Pay off Phase 1 Project (\$325K goal)	\$	190,000		
Last Week's Attendance – Sept 7 & 8, 2019				
Saturday Worship Service		88		
Sunday Worship Services		235		
Total Attendance Last Week		323		
Sunday School	]	Rally Day		
Adult Bible Classes	N	No Classes		

Offering Counters for September 15th:

Carol Corder, Liz Clark, and Barbara Nies

Offering Counters for September 22nd:

Susan Loomans, Roxy Klundt, and Myrna Henschel

#### <u>Ushering – Additional help is needed</u>

Due to some ushers having other duties and some retiring from helping, we would like to have additional help with the ushering duties especially for the Sunday morning services. Some of the current ushers are having to serve multiple times in a month to cover all the services. For any gentlemen of the congregation who can help with this ministry at Trinity Church, please contact the church office. Training will be provided on an individual or group basis for new ushers.

## **LWML MEMBERSHIP FEES FOR** 2019-20 ARE DUE BY October 28th!

The LWML fees for this year are \$16, payable to LWML Treasurer, Marjorie Pullmann. You can also drop off your fees at the church office or give them to your guild chairman.

## 1st Year Class (7th Graders/New Confirmands):

Please plan on attending one of the Informational Meetings scheduled for this weekend – Saturday, Sept. 14th at 6:00pm or Sunday, Sept. 15th at noon. If you cannot be at one of these meetings, please talk with Mr. Cameron Heiliger or Pastor Keinath.

# **Rally Day Thanks!**

Thank you to all of our members, musicians, ministry teams and boards who participated in Rally Day! Also, a special thanks to the Stewardship Board for helping coordinate the Ministry Fair, and to Art at Hansen Music for loaning us the equipment for the Sound Ministry booth. The Lord certainly has done great things for us, and continues to do so!

## Last Call for Trinity Tee-Off

The 11th Annual Trinity Tee-Off is coming up next Sunday, September 22nd, at Pryor Creek Golf course at 1pm. The deadline for signing up for the tournament is this Tuesday, September 17th. If you would still like to register please contact Jonathan Boll at 670-0124.

## Financial Peace Course Starts Soon!

Trinity's Stewardship Board will be offering Financial Peace again this fall, starting in just a few weeks. If you are interested in attending, please pick up a FPU registration form in the church narthex. The registration deadline is Monday, so please sign up today if you plan to attend!

<u>Trinity LWML members AND other Trinity</u> <u>ladies</u> – Plan to join us for our meeting Monday, September 16th at 7:00 pm. Our interesting program will be presented by Deb White, "Serving the Lord Through the Altar Guild." There will be time for fellowship and delicious treats!

**The LWML Southern Zone Fall Rally** will be held at St. John's Lutheran Church, 417 West Ninth Street, Laurel, MT on Saturday, October 5th. Registration begins at 8:30 am. Our Bible Study will be "True Governance is Self-Governance by the Spirit of God" led by our Counselor Rev. Dewell. Registration is \$7.00. Ingathering donations will go to *Yellowstone Valley Lutherans for Life* with checks made payable to them. RSVP to Myrt White by September 24th.

## <u>FUNDRAISER FOR</u> TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL

Blue coupon books are here! You can pick yours up at the school or church office or ask any Trinity Lutheran School student. The cost is \$20 and \$10 of each book sold goes to the school.

#### <u>St. Paul's, Park City LWML</u> <u>Community Harvest Potluck Dinner</u> <u>Sun. Sept. 29th at 4:00 p.m.</u>

We've moved our Reformation Dinner from late-October, when it is already dark by mid-evening and older people have difficulty driving home, to mid-September, when we still have mid-evening light to drive home more safely.

We're also changing the intent from celebrating the Reformation to a Harvest celebration, joining together to give God thanks for the bounty of our land and animals, and the abundance of food we enjoy.

Please contribute to the potluck in the following way:

- 1. Everyone bring a main dish for 10 people
  - (German recipes welcome!)

2. Family last-name first letters A-I

add a dessert for 10 people 3. Family last-name first letters J-Z

add a salad, beans, Jell-O, etc. for 10 people

Afterward – about 5:30 p.m., we will have a Harvest Celebration hymn-sing and prayers, with a brief message by Rev. Dewell. A Freewill Offering will be taken for the Joint Seminary Fund.