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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY September 29 & 30, 2018

~Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost ~

- Sunday: 8 & 10:30am Worship Services
 9:30am Sunday School & Adult Bible Classes
 NOON NYG Meeting – Registration and Deposit Due
 NOON 7th Grade Confirmation Orientation Meeting
- Monday: 7:00pm Adult Class
- Tuesday: 6:00am Men's Bible Study
 9:00am Quilting
 6:30pm Board of Christian Education Meeting
 Properties Board Meeting
 Fellowship Board Meeting
 Youth Board Meeting
 7:00pm Ladies Small Group
- Wednesday: 1:00pm Visitation Guild
 Kitchen Guild
 2:15pm Chapel at TLS
 6:30pm 8th Grade Confirmation
 FIRE Youth Group
- Thursday: 10:30am Bible Study
 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal
- Saturday: 1:00pm Pickle Ball
 5:00pm Worship Service with Communion

Knowing Christ and Making Him Known

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given in praise and glory to God by Duane & Lindy Schultz in celebration of their anniversary.

SPECIAL PRAYERS THIS WEEK ARE FOR:

Ron Anderson, Katie Cardillo, Delores D'Schaak (Lucille Smelser's sister) Christine Gaetz (Kesler's & Koschel's Aunt), Ken Hale (Janine Liwosz's brother), Mike Hall, the family of Haley Hutzenbiler, Karianna Jinguji, Denis Kerby, Kinsley Murri (Rod & Phyllis Myers' baby granddaughter), Nannette (Leo and Diana Wohler's daughter), Denise Provost (Lucille Smelser's niece), Lori Smith (Ray & Bobette Smith's sister-in-law), and MaryJane Weathermon.

THANK YOU for all of your prayers. I am getting better. – Lois Carlton

The LWML Montana District Board will be meeting at Trinity October 12-13, 2018. Several of the members will need overnight housing. These members will need to be picked up at the church on Friday the 12th at 9:00 pm and returned to the church at 7:00 am the next morning. If you can provide a bed and transportation this night, please call Myrt White at 406-459-3500 and let her know. Thanks so much!

ATTENTION: LWML MEMBERS – who are attending the Southern Zone Rally in Bridger on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6TH, we will meet in the lower church parking lot at 7:45 am that morning to car pool to Bridger. If you were not at the LWML meeting on the 17th to indicate your attendance, but plan to attend, please call Myrt White at 406-459-3500 by October 1st to do so.

FINANCES & FIRST-FRUIT'S' GIVING

Budgeted Church/School Income (Year to Date)	\$ 487,682
Actual Church/School Income (9/23/18)	\$ 448,472
Actual Church/School Expenses (9/23/18)	\$ 399,617
A difference of :	\$ 48,855
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Budgeted Offering Target (August 2018)	\$ 74,382
Actual Offering (Through August 2018)	\$ 73,875
A difference of:	\$ -507
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Weekly Offering Goal	\$ 18,248
Actual Offerings in September (4 of 5 weeks)	\$ 62,607
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Bell Tower Roof Fund (Goal: \$14,000)	\$ 10,187
Expansion Offering (September 22 & 23)	\$ 535
YTD Expansion Offering (July 1, 2017–September 23, 2018)	\$ 71,228

Last Week's Attendance – September 22 & 23, 2018

Saturday Worship Service	119
Sunday Worship Services	261
Total Attendance Last Week	380
Sunday School	51
Adult Bible Classes	81

Offering Counters for September 30th:

Carol Corder, Roxy Klundt, and Allie Hein

Offering Counters for October 7th:

Susan Loomans, Deb White, and Ann Boucher

MUDDY CLUSTER SERVICE DAY -

For the past three years, Trinity has been helping build a youth lodge at Circle of Life Lutheran in Muddy Cluster (Lame Deer). It is a BIG project, but thanks to many helpers, progress is being made! Please consider giving a day of your time to come and help out. We will be leaving from church around 7am on Saturday, October 6, and plan to return by early evening. Please sign up in the church narthex or contact the church office if you are able to join the team. No experience is needed – just a servant heart!

FUNDRAISER – 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.

LWML MEMBERSHIP FEES for 2018-19 are due by November 1st. 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.

THANK YOU to everyone that helped make my retirement party so much fun. Especially to the staff of the church and school for organizing and for the parents and friends that helped serve. Also, for all the great gifts I received. I will be reminded of each of you every time I use one of the gift cards. And especially when Ed and I get to enjoy a weekend at Chico this winter. We are really looking forward to the pool and the great food they have. Even though I miss working with my wonderful friends at the school, and miss seeing all the students and parents, I am enjoying this new phase of life. Spending lots of time with my grandkids is such a blessing for all of us. God's Blessings to each of you.

Beth Heiliger

PASTOR DAVID PREUS and his family will be in Billings on the evening of Monday Oct. 8th, 2018. Pastor Preus is currently bringing the gospel to the people in the Dominican Republic. Please join us for a potluck supper, presentation and visit with Pastor Preus and his family at Mount Olive Lutheran Church, Billings on Monday October 8th at 5:30pm. 2336 St. Johns Ave. 656-6687.

TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL FALL FEST -

Is it your life dream to be on *The Price is Right*? Or perhaps work at a carnival? Or maybe simply give a half-hour of your time to help Trinity School have a fantastic Fall Fest? You can do ALL 3 (well, kind of) by volunteering to supervise a carnival game for 30 minutes on Friday, Oct. 12th. No pressure, no meetings, no skills needed - just show up and be an adult presence for a half-hour shift between 5:00 and 7:00. You'll still have plenty of time to enjoy the rest of the festivities and support the school's mission. If you are able and willing to help, please contact Lynette Keinath at 697-7407 or keinathfamily@hotmail.com

GIDEONS INTERNATIONAL – If you would like to help the Gideons International Organization share God's Word throughout the world, please consider donating by using one of the envelopes on the table under the window in the narthex. So far we have received \$443. Thank you for your generosity and support.