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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY – September 4 & 5, 2021
Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Saturday: 5:00pm Worship Service with Communion
Sunday: **MITE BOX SUNDAY**
8:00am & 10:30am Worship Services
9:30am Summer Sunday School & Adult Bible Class
Monday: **Labor Day – No School at TLS – Church office closed**
Tuesday: 9:00am Quilting
6:30pm Properties Meeting
7:00pm Bible Study led by Rev. Bruce Zagel
Wednesday: 8:30am Chapel at TLS
1:00pm Kitchen Guild
6:30pm Second Year Confirmation Class
Thursday: 6:00pm Council Meeting
6:30pm Choir Rehearsal
Saturday: 11:00am Solberg/Allard Anniversary Celebration
3:00pm Flicker Youth Group
5:00pm Worship Service
6:00pm Flame Youth Group
Sunday: **RALLY DAY**
8:00am & 10:30am Worship Services with Communion
9:15am Brunch served by the Youth & SS/Bible Study Kickoff Celebration

LWML Members:

The Fall 2021
Quarterlies are
available in the
boxes in the
Narthex.

Knowing Christ and Making Him Known

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given in praise and glory to God by Clayton and Sheryl Scheafer in memory of Lillian Scheafer who passed away a year ago on the 5th and in celebration of their wedding anniversary on the 5th of September.

SPECIAL PRAYERS THIS WEEK ARE FOR:

Libby Angell (Don's sister-in-law), Sharla Arend (Jenn Boll and Janna Arend's mother), Susan Borman, Katie Cardillo, Liz Clark, Walter & Betty Flechsig (Linda's parents), Kathleen Ford, Brittney Hatzell, Beverly Hoose, Peter Janiec (June Kazarian's son), Karianna Jinguji, Keith Johnson, David Keinath, Gloria Kern (Cyndi Johnson's mother), Ted Kinsell, Margaret Kober, Don Kunkel, Tami Larson, Don Leikam, Garry Leikam, Jeanette Maxon (Kathy Hoehne's sister), Sue McCannel (friend of Diane Vetch), John Modde (father of Ronna Voges), Kinsley Murri (Rod & Phyllis Myers' granddaughter), Dick Rudio, Stephen Torgerson (Kristen Jinguji's brother), Kristin

Walter, and Kevin Wirth (a friend of Lindsey Carter).

Thank you for the prayers for our granddaughter, Natalie Rose. She is still in the NICU but steadily gaining weight and thriving. Thank you, Lord!

~ Dennis & Deanna Lenz

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY will begin on Thursday, September 16th at 10:30am in the Fellowship Hall here at the church. Join us for Bible study and fellowship!

FUNDRAISER – *Blue coupon books are back!* 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.

FINANCES & FIRST-FRUITS' GIVING

Budgeted Church/School Income (Year to Date)	\$ 364,970
Actual Church/School Income (8/22/2021)	\$ 479,399
Actual Church/School Expenses (8/22/2021)	\$ 349,566
A difference of :	\$ 129,833
Budgeted Offering Target (July 2020-July 2021)	\$ 72,188
Actual Offering (July 2020-July 2021)	\$ 58,289
A difference of:	\$ -13,899
Weekly Offering Goal – August, 2021	\$ 14,294
Actual Offerings in August (5 of 5 weeks)	\$ 88,281

Last Week's Attendance – August 28 & 29, 2021

Saturday Worship Service	121
Sunday Worship Services	202
Total Attendance Last Weekend	323
Sunday School	12
Adult Bible Class	55

Offering Counters for September 5th

Sherrie Murray, Kathy Hoehne, and Vivian Roberts

Offering Counters for September 12th

Ellen Gernant, Vivian Roberts, and Ann Boucher

13th ANNUAL TRINITY TEE-OFF will be held on Sunday, September 19 at Pryor Creek Golf Course. *Tee-Off registration forms can be found in the narthex, or you can sign your team up at www.trinitybillings.org. Deadline is September 8!*

Board and Officer Nominations

In May, our congregation unanimously approved a new Constitution and Bylaws. Under this new structure, Trinity has 3 elected boards: Elders, Council, and School Board. Elections for these Boards, and for our congregational officers (Congregational Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, and Treasurer), will take place on Sunday, October 3, at Noon. ***We are currently accepting Board and Officer nominations, and ask you to prayerfully consider these needs.*** All candidates should demonstrate spiritual maturity (Acts 6:3), which includes regular attendance at worship and Bible Study. Please submit nominations for these positions to Mike Larson, Pastor Rinderknecht, or the church office, by September 13. Thank you!

Join us for Rally Weekend - September 11 & 12!

Regular worship schedule - Saturday at 5 PM
Sunday at 8 and 10:30 AM

All three youth groups will meet!

Friday, Sept 10: **FIRE** - 6:00-9:00 PM at TYM

Saturday, Sept 11: **FLICKER** - 3:00-5:00 PM

FLAME- 6:00-8:00 PM

Join us during the Bible Study hour on Sunday and help us wrap up summer ministries and kick off our school year Sunday School and Bible Studies!

Brunch hosted by Trinity Youth Ministry!

Summer ministries wrap-up video!

**Sunday School teacher meet and greet and
kickoff!**

Adult Bible Study information!

PASTOR RINDERKNECHT'S NEXT ADULT INSTRUCTION CLASS

will begin on **September 27th** (*Please note the change*) 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!

ADULT CHOIR/WORSHIP TEAM HELP WANTED

The Worship Team and the Adult Choir are looking for volunteers to play/sing in our worship services. If you would like to use your talents to praise the Lord, please call Nicolas Harding at 402-937-6301 to find out the details. Adult choir will begin practicing on Thursday, September 9 at 6:30pm.

PRAYER PARTNERS NEEDED

The Youth Ministry team is looking for members of the congregation who would like to pray for a confirmation youth.



Contact Cameron or Debbie at 245-3984 if you are willing to be a **PRAYER PARTNER**.