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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY: June 9 - 16, 2024

Third Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday 6/09: 8:00 & 10:30am Worship with Communion

9:30am Summer Sunday School & Adult Bible Class

3:00pm Retirement Celebration at Trinity Lutheran School

Monday 6/10: 6:00pm Fellowship Meeting

Tuesday 6/11: 7:15am **NO** Prayer Group this week

9:00am Ouilting

6:00pm Council Meeting

7:00pm Bible Study w/ Rev. Dr. Bruce Zagel (zoom)

Wed. 6/12: 6:00pm Wednesday Night WaterWorks @ TYM Square (7th Grade and up)

Saturday 6/15: 5:00pm Worship with Communion

Sunday 6/16: ~ *Happy Father's Day*~

8:00 & 10:30am Worship

9:30am Summer Sunday School & Adult Bible Class

<u>LWML Ladies</u> the summer issue of the Quarterly is available for you in the narthex. Enjoy!

Knowing Christ and Making Him Known

<u>The Altar Flowers</u> are given in praise and thanksgiving to God by Sherrie Murray in memory of her parents, Adolph & Agnes Heimbuck.



<u>SPECIAL PRAYERS THIS</u>

<u>WEEK ARE FOR:</u> Recent

requests: Willeen Brese, Dora
Cardillo, Dennis Emmerick, Gerry
Fink, Justin Hettinger, Elaine

Jordan, Esther Olson, Rol Reinhart, Lorraine Shackelford, Marianne Wegner; Family and friends of Garry Leikam, who passed away on 5/31; God's guidance for Rev. David Mews as he deliberates our call; May God grant peace and protection to the people affected by war. **Ongoing** needs: Sharla Arend, Don Brutlag, Katie Cardillo, Cateleya Castanon (granddaughter of Mary Uecker), Brooke Davis, Marilyn Fischer (Sue Hayes' mom), Linda Flechsig, Walter & Betty Flechsig (Linda's parents), Patsy Friez, Diana Hafner, Jeff Hanson, Barbara Harris, Brittney Hatzell, Keith Johnson, Helen Kembel, Lance Kokron, Dee Krohn, Don Kunkel, Shawn Kunkel, Don Leikam, Kinsley Murri (Rod & Phyllis Myers' granddaughter), Tom Patton (Leonard's brother), Heidi Renner, Mark Roesler (brother of Susan Shotwell). Beverley Shepard-Bauer,

Shotwell, Christi Shults, Brenda Thornton and Darlene Zimmerman.

Retirement Celebration – Sunday at 3pm!

We are having a retirement celebration for our faithful servants: Deanna Lenz, Rick Thomas, Karole Michel, Jeff Ullman, Lisa Ullman and Kelly Humphrey on **Sunday, June 9**th at 3:00pm at **Trinity Lutheran School**. A gift table will be available at the Retirement Celebration on June 9th at Trinity Lutheran School. Any monetary gifts in check form need to be made directly to **them** (not the church). The most meaningful gifts are our words of thanks, so we encourage everyone to write a personal message that shares what you have appreciated most about their ministry at Trinity Church and School in the memory book available for each retiree, or in a card. Please plan to join us for this time of celebration and farewell!

Baptized into God's Family at our Saturday evening service on June 8 were Lucas Robertson, son of Seth & Maria Robertson and Hayes Shaw, son of Tristyn & Jen Shaw. Welcome to God's Family and to Trinity!

FINANCES & FIRST-FRUITS' GIVING

Budgeted Church/School Income(Year to Date)	\$2,480,268
Actual Church/School Income (7/01/2023–6/02/2024)	\$ 2,524,451
Actual Church/School Expenses (7/01/2023–6/02/2024)	\$ 2,270,822
A difference of:	\$ 253,629
Budgeted Offering Target (July 2023-May 2024)	\$ 939,026
Actual Offering (July 2023-May 2024)	\$ 846,432
A difference of:	\$ -92,594
Weekly Offering Goal – June 2024	\$ 16,064
Actual Offerings in June (1 of 4 weeks)	\$ 16,990

Last Weekend's Attendance – June 1-2, 2024

Saturday Worship Service	77
Sunday Worship Services	222
Total Attendance Last Weekend	299
Sunday School	35
Adult Bible Class	72

Offering Counters for June 9th:

Sherrie Murray, Liz Clark & Cheryl Wagenman

Offering Counters for June 16th:

Susan Loomans, Roxy Klunt & Charolette Nedens

<u>VBS – Register now!</u> Join us June 17-21 @ Trinity Lutheran School as they "SCUBA dive into friendship with God". Make a splash and "dive" to http://www.trinitybillings.org/vbs and click the REGISTER link. Questions? Talk with Cameron Heiliger – our youth director.



Muddy Cluster VBS ministry

This summer we will once again be helping to host a VBS and completing service projects at Circle of Life Lutheran Church in Muddy Cluster. The dates for our summer ministry are July 22-25. We need people to cook meals,

care for property needs, help with the VBS, and generally serve and fellowship with one another. Please consider coming down for a day, or for the whole week! A sign-up sheet is in the narthex and questions can be directed to Jonathan Boll at 406-670-0124.

School Custodian Needed

Our fantastic school custodian, Jeff Ullman, will be retiring at the end of August. We are now accepting applications for this 12-month, full-time custodial position, which will start in mid-August. To learn more or to apply, please contact Jonathan Boll at 406-670-0124 or jonathanboll@trinitybillings.org.

Associate Pastor Call Trinity extended a call to Rev. David Mews of Dearborn, MI, to be our Associate Pastor. Please keep Pastor Mews, his wife Maggie, and their family in your prayers as they consider this call. Please also pray for Rev. Mews' current congregation, Guardian Lutheran Church, as together we wait on the Lord's direction.

We leave all things to God's Direction Our annual voters' meeting was held on May 19. Agenda items included the election of new officers, approval of the 2024-2025 budget, solar panel project approval for Trinity School, and a long-range planning update and discussion about our mission, values, and facility needs. A page on our website has been set up that includes an audio recording of the meeting, the meeting informational packet, meeting minutes, and an online survey so you can provide your input on the proposed mission statement, core values, and facilities options. We encourage all of our members to take a few minutes to provide feedback by June 16 on the options we are considering.

This information can be found at: https://www.trinitybillings.org/votersmeeting.html

Open House for LaVie Health LaVie has a new location as they are now caring for patients at 2501 4th Ave. North. They will be having an open house and a ribbon cutting grand opening on Tuesday, June 11th from 4-6pm. Enjoy a self-guided tour, raffle, coffee from Mountain Mudd, and dessert with our team. If you'd like to stay for dinner, the local favorite gourmet grilled cheese food truck, Montana Melt, will be available for purchase. We can't wait to show you everything we've been working on! "Thank you for supporting us as, we aim to be a leader in providing care for those facing unplanned pregnancies, offering several nocost to low-cost services. We constantly thank our Lord and Savior for you, his guidance, and provision."

Missionary Rev. Dr. David Preus Presentation

Mount Olive invites all the area congregations to a potluck dinner and Bible Study in Mount Olive's fellowship hall on Friday, June 14th at 6:00 pm, led by Rev. Dr. David Preus. Rev. Preus and his family will be back stateside from serving as missionaries in Romania. Please support the Preus family with your presence and prayers.