

Trinity News and Notes
Festival of the Holy Trinity
May 26th, 2024

SUNDAY 26th

Holy Trinity Sunday

9:00 a.m. Divine Service
10:30 a.m. Bible Study
1:30 p.m. *Misa en Español w/ meal*
3:30 p.m. Elders' book study

MONDAY, 27th

8:30 a.m. Matins

TUESDAY 28th

8:30 a.m. Matins

WEDNESDAY, 29th

8:30 a.m. Matins
9:30 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Divine Service
7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer

THURSDAY 30th

8:30 a.m. Matins
4:30 p.m. Private Confession & Absolution

FRIDAY 31st

8:30 a.m. Matins

SATURDAY 1st

Commemoration of Justin, Martyr

12:30 p.m. Divine Service
2:00 p.m. Lutheran Confession Series, session 1

SUNDAY 2nd

9:00 a.m. Divine Service
10:30 a.m. Bible Study
1:30 p.m. *Misa en Español*
3:00 p.m. Baby Shower for Hannah Magill

Looking Ahead...

- June 6, Trustees' meeting, 7 p.m.
- June 11, Council meeting, 7 p.m.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Our Sister Church: The Lutheran Church – Hong Kong Synod (LCHKS)

Missionaries: Rev. Daniel & Kathryn Conrad and Rev. Dr. Quintin & Lindsay Cundiff

Pastors: Rev. Aaron Filipek and Rev. Daniel Metzger

Circuit Visitor: Rev. Mark Lovett

District President: Rev. Justin Panzer

Synod President: Rev. Matthew Harrison

Baptismal Anniversaries: Rev. Cliff Winter and Kenneth Lessman

Training/Deployed in Our Armed Forces: Caleb Bartel, Dawson Bromlow, Keaton Wellner, Tori Myers, Jessica Myers

Our Schools: Concordia Academy, Euraquilo Christian Academy (VanSant Homeschool), Luther Classical College, Concordia University Wisconsin, CSL and CTSFW (LCMS seminaries)

Prayer Petitions: Schimming family (*as they mourn Derek*), Dave Reiner, (*Pastor Filipek's uncle*), Dave Gird, (*Roxann's husband*), Rachel Lewis, (*Godchild of the Wortz's*), Forrest Combes, (*father of Bridget Schneider*), Andrea Springer, (*Christie Lewallen's sister-in-law*), Calvin Applegate, (*cousin of Kendall Patterson*), Linda Horn, (*friend of Linda Claypool*), Adam Froetschner, (*Jared's brother*), Stephanie Gilmore, (*Kirsten Bartel's mother*), Vicki Lessman, Kyle Menke, (*Pr. Metzger's relative*), Gayla Taylor, (*Wife of Joel Taylor*), Evie Meyers, (*Miriam Nickel's Daughter*), Matthew Hastings, Julia Lessman, (*granddaughter of the Lessmans*), Gary, (*brother of Angie Patterson*)

Mothers with Child: Hannah Magill

Birthdays: Carmella Johnson, Judy Howard, Lenny Rose, and Debbie Wellner

Wedding Anniversaries: Gregg & Marie Goscha, Sam & Sophie Arndt, Carlos & Tiffany Araiza, Phyllis & Norman Brandyberry, David Ketteman & Mary Mattivi, Kenneth & Vicki Lessman, and Doug & Erin Stone

Shut-ins: Amy Fox, Gil & Judy Holstein, Florence Lavery, Judy Rollins, Louise Smith, Mary Tomlinson

READINGS for next Sunday

~Octave of Trinity ~

OLD TESTAMENT: Genesis 15:1-6

EPISTLE: 1 John 4:16-21

GOSPEL: Luke 16:19-31

ORATIO MEDITATIO TENTATIO: Our theological reading group meets next on **June 18, as follows: 8:30a.m. Matins; 9:15a.m. Reading Discussion; 11:15a.m. Prayer; 11:30a.m. lunch.** We will discuss *Festal Orations St. Gregory of Nazianzus (Popular Patristic Series)*. St. Vladimir's Seminary Press, 2008.

HALL OF MEN meets the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month at 7:30pm at the Ladder (next to Eighth Day Books).

SISTERS OF SOPHIA meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm at the Ladder.

TRINITY PHOTO DIRECTORY Allen Herbert has secured camera equipment to take pictures of Trinity members for a church photo directory. Photography will begin at 8:00 a.m. on the stage in the Fellowship Hall. A sign-up sheet will be available in the narthex. Ten-minute time slots for families will be available before Divine Service and after Bible Study each week until May 26. Questions? Call Allen Herbert at (316) 737-5101. Please call the church office at (316) 685-1571 to sign up over the phone.

LUTHERAN CONFESSION SERIES JUNE 1-2: It has become commonplace upon death to have a funeral home director recommend both embalming and cremation. Almost all the dead are embalmed and over fifty percent of bodies are now cremated. What does scripture teach? Come to the 28th installment of Lutheran Confession Series and learn about these timely topics. Presenter will be Pastor Michael Brockman of Immanuel, Wichita.

BABY SHOWER! There will be a baby shower for Hannah Magill June 2 at 3 p.m. in Trinity Lutheran Church basement. Hannah and baby are registered at Walmart.

KFL BABY BOTTLE PROJECT runs from **Mother's Day to Father's Day**. Each participating household receives a baby bottle on or before Mother's Day, along with suggested prayers for life. Participants pray at home and place spare change, bills or checks inside the baby bottle. On or after Father's Day, return baby bottles to Trinity. **Proceeds support pro-life educational efforts** of Kansans for Life **and selected pregnancy resource centers** in our state. Bottles are located in the narthex.

ESSENTIAL EXERCISE FOR THE CHRISTIAN MIND... Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's topics include: American Revivalism, Christian Hope, The U.S. Constitution & Civic Virtue, Media Bias and more. You can listen on-demand at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app, Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod or a podcast provider.

ISSUES, ETC. JOURNAL Is good theology like a pendulum or a plumb line? Does good theology react to error by swinging in the opposite direction or by returning to and remaining on the true line of God's Word? In this edition of the

<u>Trinity Financial Status</u> <i>Through April 2024</i>			
	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Contributions	\$ 90,670	\$ 91,890	\$ (1,220)
Expenditures	\$ 79,768	\$ 91,890	\$ 12,122
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$ 10,902	\$ 0	\$ 10,902

Issues, Etc. Journal, I recount my years spent reacting to the errors of evangelicalism rather than returning to the plumb line of God's Word.

Also in this edition, the chief administrative officer of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, Felix Loc, tells his story of coming to confessional Lutheranism from Catholicism through evangelicalism and Reformed theology. His is a journey from reliance on sincerity and knowledge to a reliance on Jesus Christ.

[Click here](#) to download the **Issues, Etc. Journal** for free.

SAFETY NOTE: For your safety and the safety of your belongings, please lock your vehicle before entering the Church. Don't leave valuables (cell phones, purses) in car.

TRINITY POSITIONS OPEN: Please prayerfully consider offering a bit of your time to volunteer for one of the following positions: **Board of Trustees, Board of Evangelism, Hospitality Committee, Usher, Altar Guild, and Offering Counter.** Call the church office to volunteer, 316-685-1571

DONATE ONLINE! PayPal is set up for donations on our website. Questions? See Sheryl or Dick.

Those Serving at Trinity in May ...

Greeters: *The Lewallens*

Usher: *Sheryl A. & Keith B.*

Counters: *The Wortzes*

Acolyte: *Caleb Filipek*

Crucifer: *Lennyn Janney*

Altar Guild: *The Filipeks*

Organist: *Amanda Carter*

Elder: *Allen Herbert*

Flowers: *The Unruhs*