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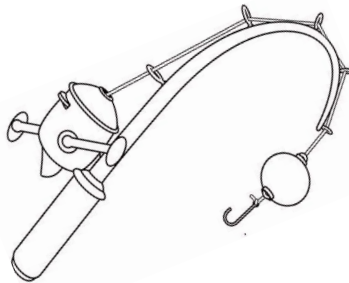
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*Trinity Lutheran Church exists to support its members
in proclaiming the Word of God so that all may know
the peace, joy, and fulfillment that comes through
Jesus Christ*

TRINITY GOOD NEWS

MAY 2018



***The enemy brings
all of them up with a hook;
he drags them out with his net***
Habakkuk 1:15

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1039 NORDVEIEN DRIVE
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May is a month of transition. It is the transition between spring and leading into summer (though as I write this in early April the snow is still flying fast and furious). Farmers are sowing crops in their fields. High school seniors are preparing for graduation, school is about to end, and college students are wrapping up second semesters. We are (hopefully) moving from coats and jackets to shorts and sandals. People start to open cabins and prepare campers for the summer; and vacation plans get finalized. The snow (again, hopefully) melts away to reveal green grass, flowers, and leaves on the tree.

May is a transition month for the church as well. Sunday School and confirmation ends for the year. *The Crew* stops as well. Activity slows down from the business of April. At the end of the month, our Wednesday night worship will even move outside from inside. But this month of transition also means a time of decreased worship attendance and smaller crowds. It is part of the rhythm of the church and of life.

But May is also a good time to remember the mission of the church to be a place that proclaims Jesus Christ and to reach out beyond our walls to serve others. In order to do this, though, we need your financial gifts. We need to be able to fund our ministry so that we can continue to do it. We want to be able to help our neighbor, be a community space for a variety of activities, to support our partners in mission who feed the hungry, clothe the naked, and support the suffering. And, of course, we want to be able to pay our bills and our staff.

As we prepare in this month of transition, we still need your financial gifts. One tool we have to help you continue to keep our ministry funded and vibrant is *Simply Giving*, our automated giving program. I encourage you to consider using this tool that helps keep our finances stable and strong. You can find a form to fill out in this *Good News* and we even have an incentive to encourage you to sign-up!

However, if *Simply Giving* isn't for you, consider giving a special offering this month to support our mission for the coming months. Because though May is a month of transition, our ministry continues every single day. I thank you for your support and love of Trinity and for the ways in which you proclaim Jesus Christ in word, service, giving, and love. Have a blessed month!

Yours in Christ, Pastor Brad

YOUTH NEWS

one fish, two fish

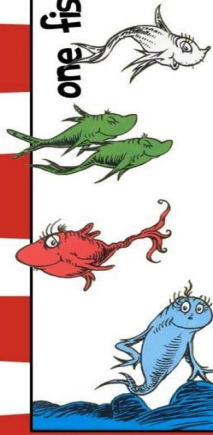
The Crew

May 2nd

3:30-5:00

Last One
Until Fall

red fish, blue fish



Thank You

Sunday School
Teachers



Last Day of Confirmation
May 2nd

8th Grade Confirmation Faith Statements Due
June 6th

Middle School Fun Night

Friday, May 11th 6pm-11pm

We will be having a 'Scavenger Hunt for Hunger'
(drivers needed)

Games

Friends Welcome

Food

Capture the Flag

Basketball

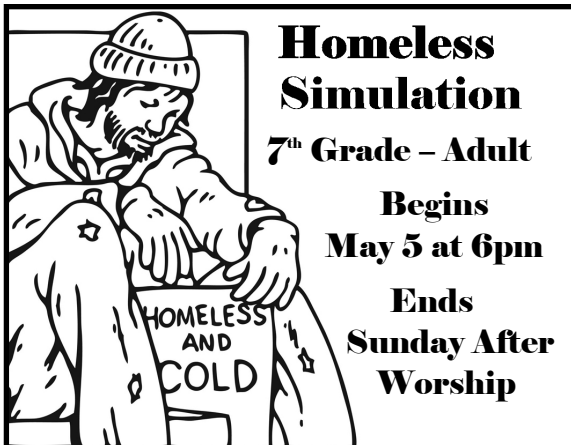
Dodgeball



May 5th at 8am

Meet at Trinity's Parking Lot
Bring rakes, gloves, etc. to clean
our section of highway 170
between Boyceville & Wheeler
Sign up sheet on the
table in the Narthex

A 'homeless simulation' is a way to understand what it is like to be homeless. We will be sleeping outside in boxes; visiting a 'soup kitchen'; hearing from speakers about homelessness and poverty; having a Bible study; as well as other activities and surprises. Participants are allowed to bring a *sweatshirt, sweatpants, blanket, pillow, hat, OR gloves, toothbrush & toothpaste*. We also ask that you bring an item for the food pantry. We will end our simulation by attending worship on Sunday just as you are. All are welcome to attend but we especially encourage high school students and their parents to attend! Friends are welcome as well. A sign-up sheet is on the table in the Narthex.



Homeless Simulation

7th Grade - Adult

Begins
May 5 at 6pm

Ends
Sunday After
Worship

Questions? Talk to Pastor Brad or Katie Wagner

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

2018 Theme: *This Changes Everything*

JUNE 11 - JUNE 15

Monday - Thursday

9am - 2:30pm

Friday

9am - Noon

VBS PROGRAM

Thursday 7pm

REGISTRATION FEE

\$10 per Child

Checks Payable to

Trinity Lutheran Church

- ◆ Register by June 3rd
- ◆ Registration Form on Page 5
- ◆ One Registration Form per Each Child
- ◆ Bring a Sack Lunch Monday-Thursday
- ◆ Beverages & Morning Snacks Provided



you
have
been
saved
through faith

EPHESIANS 2:8

Week at a Glance: This Changes Everything

Theme	Scripture	Objectives
Our Hearts	Luke 24:13-35 (the walk to Emmaus)	- We witness Jesus' resurrection - God's spirit works in our hearts - Tell this story of new life to the world
Our Identity	Acts 9:1-18 (the conversion of Saul)	- Jesus calls us to be his followers - Reflect God's love into the world
Our Purpose	Matthew 25:31-46 (the parable of the king, sheep, & goat)	- Followers of Jesus embody compassion & service toward the most vulnerable in their midst
Our Community	Matthew 15:21-28 (the Canaanite woman)	- Followers of Jesus create a new community where all people are welcomed & valued
Our Perspective	Luke 15:11-32 (the parable of the prodigal father & wayward son)	- God's grace is an extravagant love that changes how followers of Jesus see & serve the world

2017-2018 Grade _____

The information on this form is gathered to assist us in identifying appropriate care and will only be shared with medical personnel. This form is to be completed by the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of minors.

Camper's Name _____ Last _____ First _____ MI _____

Preferred Name _____ ☐ Female ☐ Male

Telephone _____ Birth Date _____

Home Address _____ Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Parent/Guardian—In an emergency, notify: _____

Name _____ Telephone _____

Relationship _____

Location while camper is VBS Day Camp _____

Who will be picking your child up? _____

HEALTH HISTORY
Does the camper have any physical condition requiring special care? Please explain.

Does the camper have any allergies, i.e.: food, meds, etc? If so, describe reaction and treatment.

Explain any activity restrictions:

Do you carry family medical/hospital insurance? _____ Yes _____ No

If so, indicate: Carrier _____

Policy or Group # _____



VBS Day Camp Registration & Emergency Health Form

THIS BOX MUST BE COMPLETED FOR ATTENDANCE

Church where Day Camp is being held Trinity Lutheran Church

Town/ST Boyceville Date June 11-15

I understand and certify that my child's participation in Luther Park Bible Camp's (LPBC) Day Camp program held at the church and its activities is completely voluntary. I recognize that certain hazards and dangers are inherent in Day Camp events and programs and I acknowledge that although LPBC and the church have taken safety measures to minimize the risk of injury, LPBC and the church cannot insure nor guarantee that the participants', equipment, premises and/or activities will be free of hazards, accidents, and/or injuries. I further recognize and have instructed my child in the importance of knowing and abiding by LPBC and the church's rules, regulations and procedures for the safety of participants. I waive any claim against LPBC and the church and/or its personnel for any lost articles; for any injury to my minor child; and/or any injury to myself. The church assumes secondary insurance coverage. I assume primary coverage.

This health history is correct so far as I know, and the person named on this form has permission to engage in all camp activities except as noted.

AUTHORIZATION FOR TREATMENT: In case of emergency, I understand that every effort will be made to contact the parent(s) or guardian(s) of the VBS Day Camper.
In the event I cannot be reached, I hereby give permission to the medical personnel selected by the church to order x-rays, routine tests, treatment, and necessary transportation for my child. I give permission to the physician selected by the church to secure and administer treatment, including hospitalization, for my child as named on this form.

AUTHORIZATION FOR TRANSPORTATION: I hereby give permission for my child to be transported for off-site outings.

AUTHORIZATION FOR USING LIKENESS: I hereby give permission for photographs/video including my child and/or myself to be used in the promotion of LPBC and/or the ELCA.

COMPLIANCE WITH ELECTRONICS POLICY: I understand that LPBC does not allow any electronic devices except cameras and I certify that I have ensured my child's compliance with this policy.

Signature of Camper's Parent/Guardian _____

Date _____

Reverse side must be complete as well.

MISSION MADNESS 2018 UPDATE



Cheerful Givers

Ends May 6th

Last year's total was \$3,368

Can we top that total?

Total as of April 16th \$655



Cheerful Givers

All funds raised go to Trinity's Mission Partners. You may designate funds directly to a particular mission partner or just to "Missions". Our Mission Partners are listed below:

ELCA; Luther Park; Lutheran Social Services; Stepping Stones; World Hunger; American Lutheran Homes; WestCAP; Boyceville Weekend Meal Program

As each goal is met, Pastor Brad will do the following:

\$500 GOAL MET: PB wears a Brewers/Packers cap golfing in May

\$1000: PB donates cake for Cake Walk; if Steve Stark doesn't win it, Steve gets to smash it in PB's face (a second cake will be provided for the winner if there is one)

\$1500: PB gives up Coke for one week

\$2000: PB eats a serving of baked beans

\$2500: PB gives up ALL meat for one week

\$3000: PB paints his face Green & Gold for the first Bears/Packers game and must openly cheer for the Packers during the first half AND will dress up as a Packer fan for Halloween (first goal wasn't met in 2017 and the second wasn't fulfilled because PB broke his ankle that day)



Each Sunday & Wednesday you can enter into the Grand Prize Drawing for PB's BBQ Ribs by donating \$25 per ticket! Tickets for each day will be drawn & put in for the Grand Prize Drawing. The more you donate, the more chances you have to win; but don't delay, Grand Prize Drawing Date will be a surprise! You don't want to miss it!

AND TO TOP IT ALL OFF...

If all goals have been met before May 6th you can humiliate PB even more

MEMBERS CAN THROW WATER BALLOONS AT PB!

No drawing will be held

Anyone purchasing a ticket can throw a water balloon

One Balloon for \$2 or Three Balloons for \$5



TRINITY EVENTS



Graduation Recognition Worship

Sunday, May 20st at 9am

If you have someone graduating from high school, college, or tech college, please let Pastor Brad know

Baccalaureate Worship Service

Sunday, May 20th at 6pm

Join us at Boyceville High School for this special service

High School Graduation Day

Friday, May 25th at 7pm

Congratulations to all of Trinity's Graduates

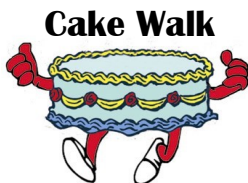
Trinity Graduating Seniors

Tanner Anderson
Hayley Bird
Trevor Debell
Lauryn Dominick
Kyle Holden
Garrett Joles

Luke Knudtson
Kylie Krueger
Bryce Larson
Noah Novotney
Casey Owen
McKenna Weber



*Do not be afraid of tomorrow,
for God is already there.*
—Unknown



Cake Walk

Funds for the Cake Walk
will be used for the
'National Youth Gathering'
in Houston, TX in July 2018

Bible Study Mondays

May 7, 14, 21
at 10am



Youth Gathering Meeting

Sunday, May 20th
10am

*Follow me,
and I will make you
fish for people.*
Matthew 4:19



**Around the
Camp Fire**



Wednesdays

**Starting
June 6th
at 6pm**

Join us around the camp fire for a casual
worship service of scripture, song, and
occasional goodies!! Worship will be held
around the fire pit (weather permitting).

Bring your lawn chair!

NARRATIVE LECTIONARY



*Keep this **Book** of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it.*

Joshua 1:8



**GLUTEN-FREE
DAIRY-FREE
WHEAT-FREE
CORN-FREE
COMMUNION
WAFERS
ARE AVAILABLE**

**We are saving
resources!**

You only need to fill out one Communion Card per year *and* all family members can be on one card



Narrative Lectionary Stories for May 2018

May 6: Philippians 1:1-18a

Partnership in the Gospel

Proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ is not something that is done by the pastor or a leader. It is done by the whole church. We are partners in God's mission for the world.

May 13: Philippians 2:1-13

The Christ Hymn

This hymn in the book of Philippians beautifully encapsulates what Christ has done for us.

May 20: Acts 2:1-21

Pentecost

God sends us the Holy Spirit, our Advocate, to remind us of all that Christ has done for us and this Holy Spirit calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies this thing we call church.

Beginning May 27th we'll be using the *Revised Common Lectionary*

May 27: Isaiah 6:1-8; Psalm 29; Romans 8:12-17; John 3:1-17

Revised Common Lectionary for June

June 3

First Reading: Deuteronomy 5:12-15

Psalm 81:1-10

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 4:5-12

Gospel: Mark 2:23—3:6

June 10

First Reading: Genesis 3:8-15

Psalm 130

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1

Gospel: Mark 3:20-35

June 17

First Reading: Ezekiel 17:22-24

Psalm 92:1-4, 12-15

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:6-10[11-13]

Gospel: Mark 4:26-34

June 24

First Reading: Job 38:1-11

Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 6:1-13

Gospel: Mark 4:35-41

*I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry,
and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.*

John 6:35

HELP PAGE

2-1-1 Provides Free & Confidential Information

2-1-1 is a simple, free way to connect all people in need with vital human services for everyday life or in times of crisis. By dialing **2-1-1** people are linked to information about local resources, from both government and nonprofit organizations. From the single parent seeking food for their children to the senior citizen looking for in-home care, **2-1-1** brings people and community resources together.

Call **2-1-1** for help with food, housing and shelter, employment, education, legal advice, emergencies, health care, counseling, physical and mental health issues, financial assistance, transportation, and more.

When you call **2-1-1**, you will talk to a trained resource specialist who has access to a comprehensive database of nearly all health and human services that exist in your community. Information and referral is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week throughout the year.

Webpage: www.211wisconsin.org

Stepping Stones

1620 Stout Road
Menomonie, WI 54751
715-235-2920

Food Pantry Hours

Mondays	11am – 2pm
Tuesdays	3pm – 6pm
Wednesdays	3pm – 6pm
Thursdays	11am – 2pm
Fridays	11am – 2pm
Saturdays	10am – 12 noon
Sundays	Closed

No one is ever turned away, however, recommended eligibility guidelines are that you are a Dunn County resident and your income is below 185% of the federal poverty level. Bring a photo ID, proof of your Dunn County residency (drivers license, utility bill, lease, etc.) and know your household's gross monthly income.

Food Harvest Ministry

distribution May 19th
9am -10am
Methodist Church
in Boyceville

United Way C-3

(Located next door to Stepping Stones in Menomonie) Phone: 715-231-3066

Accepting all items for donation except electronics and exercise equipment.

Days and Times Open

Monday—Thursday 9am– 3pm
Friday 9am—Noon

Food Access and Resource Center

West Cap

823 Main Street, Boyceville

The pantry will be opened the
following days

Thursday 3pm-7pm
Friday 9am-1pm

Free Produce Distribution

Wednesdays 5pm-7pm

Volunteers needed

Call Melissa Wyss 715-977-1191

Free Clinic of Greater Menomonie Area

Mayo Clinic Health System-Red Cedar in Menomonie
2321 Stout Road, Menomonie, 715-233-7655

Level A - Southwest Entrance

Medical services are provided to anyone that is uninsured or uninsurable and has a household income of 200% or less of the Federal Poverty Level.

Clinic is open on Tuesdays. Registration is from 5-7pm.
(Please do not arrive before 5pm)

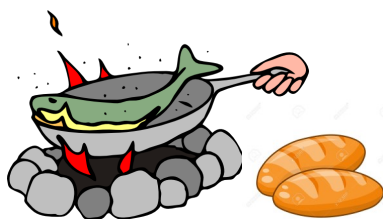
Walk-ins only. Appointments are not given.

What information do I need to bring with me?

- List of current medications
- Health history information
- Recent test results
- Proof of income- required for some services

For more information check the church bulletin board or
www.menomoniefreeclinic.org

Donations can be mailed to the following:
Free Clinic of the Greater Menomonie Area
PO Box 624, Menomonie, WI 54751



*When they had gone ashore,
they saw a charcoal fire there,
with fish on it, and bread.*

John 21:9

ORGANIZATIONS

*Many women
do noble things,
but you surpass
them all.*
Proverbs 31:29



Women of Trinity

Board Meeting

May 4th @ 6pm

Ruth Circle

May 17th @ 7pm

Esther Circle

May 21th @ 1:30pm



Men in Mission

TBD

*The glory of young men
is their strength,
gray hair the splendor
of the old.*

Proverbs 20:29

TRINITY WOMEN NEED YOUR HELP

The Women of Trinity are searching for
new ideas from the congregation.

This year we are not going to have the
Spring Bake Sale/Spring Craft Fair and are looking
for something new to try. We would like to 'put it out there'
and see what great ideas other people may have.

We are always open to new ideas.

Please contact the WOMEN OF TRINITY BOARD



Thank
You!



God has cast our confessed sins into the depths of the sea,
and he's even put a "No Fishing" sign over the spot.

—D.L. Moody



CARD CLUB FELLOWSHIP

**Thursdays at 10am
at Trinity**

Come join the fun and play '500' and en-
joy the fellowship! Every talent level
(beginner to pro) welcome to attend.

We'll teach you the game. Cards and
scoring sheets provided. Pot-luck served.



*All who were with him
were amazed at
the catch of fish
that they had taken*

Luke 5:9

TRINITY MISSIONS

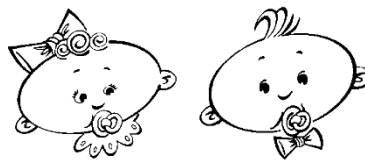
LUTHER WORLD RELIEF

Lutherans have been feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, and befriending those in need through *Lutheran World Relief* for over 50 years. One of the ways the 'Women of Trinity' brings hope to those in need is by assembling baby care kits, fabric kits, personal care kits, and school kits. During the next coming months Trinity Women will be asking for donations to fill these kits. If you are unable to fill a full kit, it's okay to give what you can. Every little bit helps. A collection box is located near the church office.

May is "Baby Care Kit" Month

Baby Care Kits are distributed as part of emergency and relief efforts, to be sure, but they are also given out as part of LWR health initiatives to encourage women to seek prenatal care. One such initiative in Mali provided training for local prenatal health care workers, who were given Baby Care Kits to distribute when they assisted with births. These kinds of programs help more babies in rural, poor areas receive a healthy start in life. We hope you will join us in this effort! Please include sizes between 6 and 24 months.

- 2 T-Shirts; lightweight cotton
- 2 Sleepers or Gowns, without feet, long or short sleeved, 6-24 month size
- 2 Receiving Blankets; medium weight cotton or flannel, or crocheted or knitted with light weight yarn, up to 52"
- 4 Diapers; cloth, flat-fold preferred



Babies are bits of stardust,
blown from the hand of God.

-- Barretto

- 1 Jacket, Sweater or Sweatshirt with a hood or include a baby cap prefer buttons or ties
- 2 Pairs of Socks
- 1 Hand Towel; dark colored
- 2 Bars of Soap; bath size, gentle
- 2 Diaper Pins

THRIFT SALES

With Thrift Sales beginning, please be on the lookout for *Baby Care Kit* items listed above. Also, look for light-weight bath-size towels in very good condition for *Personal Care Kits*.



The Quilting Ladies are always looking for quilting fabric such as cotton for making quilts for Missions.

Thank you in advance and enjoy the Thrift Sale Season!

*Be strong and courageous; do not be frightened or dismayed,
for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.*

Joshua 1:9

Wherever You Go

Graduations bring a commencement, or beginning, of new things. In 1990, Dr. Seuss published *Oh, the Places You'll Go!* This popular graduation gift tells in Seuss' style of all life's possible ups and downs, twists and turns. There will surely be excitement and slumps, fun and loneliness, purpose and confusion. And, yes, fear: "There are somethings, down the road between hither and yon, that can scare you so much you won't want to go on." The sheer determination of the storybook's life-traveler moves him beyond trouble and fear. But God's children don't have to go it alone. Life cannot take us anywhere God hasn't been first. Furthermore, he walks beside us on every winding path and around every corner.

Graduates and all Christians can trust in the promise of Joshua 1:9 (see above)

SERVICE GROUP APRIL/**MAY**/JUNE

Larry & **Sandy Wheeler** 715-308-4684

Shirley Hetzel
 Ted & Carol Erickson
 Lyndon & Melody Schmidt
 Danny & Shanna Knops
 Derrick & Amy Retz
 Jeff & Tryn Gross
 Eric & Amanda Rydel
 Sherri Hellendrung
 Lanny & Shirley Hintzman
 Paul & Brenda Schlough
 Stan & Linda Larson
 Gary & Angie Gilbertson
 Tyler & Samantha Bird
 Joe & Amy Hellman

Kathy Hanson 643-2593

Maryls Nusberger
 Darryl & Sherry Seeger
 Mary Slind
 Darlene Schmidt
 Greg & Bridget Ellis
 Shawn & Tabitha Frye
 Warren & Amy Hanson
 Bonnie Oliver
 Troy & Jeanna Hollister
 Dan & Lori Jensen
 Brenda Dean
 Gerald & Marilyn Bartos
 Ron & Becky Hanestad

Pat Rettke 643-4406

Sharon Seeger
 Kevin & Wendy Bird
 Rick & Andrea Hanestad
 Jon & Andrea Talmage
 Dan Chernak
 Stu & Ginny Waller
 Elizabeth Plemon
 Blaine & Erin Leslie
 Andrea Hoag
 Eugene & Debby Klatt
 Carol Nusberger
 Nancy Zavodny
 Brian & Katie Moll
 Jeremy & Stephanie Schlosser



Paul & **Peggy Danovsky** 643-5858

Wendell & Diane Andrews
 Delores Brezina
 Dick & Jean Ebersold
 Helen Rosen
 Bill & Eloise Knutson
 Tony & Amanda Harvey
 Joel Danovsky & Jennifer Hoff
 Mary Jo Edwards
 Tamara Edwards
 Larry & Cheryl Polonec
 Todd & Lisa Stuart
 Denise Timblin
 Linda French
 Lionel & Trudie Chernak

*Names in bold are contact people



*The kingdom of heaven is like a net
 that was thrown into the sea
 and caught fish of every kind
 Matthew 13:47*

Ushers

Apr: Rick Stalker, Kevin Bird,
 Joe Larson, Stan Larson,
 Troy Kostman

May: Dale Bird, Wendell Andrews,
 Tony Hellendrung

Jun: John Bekkum, Ted Erickson,
 Stub Swenson

Altar Guild

Apr: Katie Moll, Amy Hellmann

May: Helen Rosen, Diane Andrews

Jun: Shirl Hetzel, Mary Slind

PRAYER REQUESTS

*I have heard your prayer
and seen your tears;
I will heal you.
2 Kings 20:5*



*I will spread out my hands
in prayer to the Lord.
Exodus 9:29*

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

Phyllis Lundeen	Saul Hedlund	Adella Hanson	Emma Shearer
Mike Kietzer	Leona Steies	Shirley Huey	Doris Herdahl
Kayden Ebensperger	Jennifer Marlett	Don Owen	Easton Riek
Brad Stevens	Sharon Seeger	Ben Schlosser	Randee Mayer
Shannon Bauer	Carol Tape	Mary Slind	Betty Steies
Ben Fern	Daryl Jones	Ted Erickson	Beverlye Thompson
Terry Heckman	Diane Andrews	Lyndon Schmidt	Vaughn Hedlund
Lee Peshaw	Adeline Tronrud	Willard Tronrud	Tom Lohfink
Megan Mittlestadt	Family of Virgil Robinson		

WE ARE THANKFUL

- Thank you to Peggy Danovsky, Sandy Wheeler, and Linda Soleimani for painting the restrooms. Check out the restrooms. They look great! Nice job, girls!
- Thank you to Mary Slind for donating the cross and to Jeff Roemhild for hanging it.
- Thank you to everyone who donated candy for the Children's Sermon candy bucket.
- Thank you to everyone who worked the Smelt Feed!



**Celebration
of
Life**

Virgil Robinson

Saturday, May 19th

12:30 p.m.—2:00 p.m.

Trinity Lutheran Church

Boyceville, WI

All are welcome to attend



**Memorial Day
May 28th
Church Office Closed**

Difference Between Memorial Day and Veterans Day

Many people confuse Memorial Day and Veterans Day. Memorial Day is a day for remembering and honoring military personnel who died in the service of their country, particularly those who died in battle or as a result of wounds sustained in battle.

While those who died are also remembered, Veterans Day is the day set aside to thank and honor ALL who served—in wartime or peacetime—and whether they died or survived. Veterans Day is always observed officially on November 11, regardless of the day of the week on which it falls.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May

- 2 The Crew (last one); 3:30pm-5pm
- 5 Adopt-A-Highway; 8am & Homeless Simulation Begins; 6pm
- 6 Homeless Simulation Ends; After Worship
Mission Madness Ends
- 9 Pastor Brad Gone
- 11 Middle School Fun Night; 6pm-11pm
- 13 HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY
- 14 Summer Office Hours Begin
- 15 June/July *Good News* Deadline
- 20 Youth Gathering Meeting; 10am
Graduate Recognition During Worship; 9am
Baccalaureate at High School; 6pm
- 28 OFFICE CLOSED / Memorial Day

June

- 2-3 Synod Assembly at the Davies Center at UW-EC
- 6 Outside Campfire Wednesdays' Worship Begins (weather permitting); 6pm
- 11-15 Vacation Bible School Week
- 14 VBS Program; 7pm
- 18-22 Luther Park Bible Camp Week
- 25-July 2 ELCA Youth Gathering Trip

July

- 5-19 Pastor Brad's Vacation

August

- 11 Brown/Danovsky Wedding

October

- 28 Confirmation Sunday Worship; 9am



TRINITY SERVICE NEWS

SERVING OUR CHURCH—May 2018

Ushers: Dale Bird, Wendell Andrews, Tony Hellendrung

Altar Committee: Helen Rosen, Diane Andrews

Readers:

May	6	Dan Debee
May	13	Leana Stewart
May	20	Jan Theberge
May	27	Pastor Brad

Greeters:

May	6	Helen Rosen
May	13	Steve & Angie Olson
May	20	Brenda Dean
May	27	Linda Nerison

Acolytes:

May	6	Myia Draeger, Brittany Buhr
May	13	Volunteers
May	20	Marik Ebensberger, Emma Schlosser
May	27	Volunteers

May Schedule

WOMEN OF TRINITY

Board Meeting
May 2 @ 6pm

CIRCLE MEETINGS

Ruth Circle
May 17 @ 7pm
Hostess: Lynda Bird
Bible Study: TBD

Esther Circle
May 21 @ 1:30pm
Hostess: Shirl Hetzel
Bible Study: Mary Slind

Altar Committee
Helen Rosen, Diane Andrews

MEN IN MISSION

TBD

SERVING OUR CHURCH—June 2017

Ushers: Ted Erickson, John Bekkum, Stub Swenson

Altar Committee: Shirl Hetzel, Mary Slind

Readers:

June	3	Craig Formoe
June	10	John Larson
June	17	Jamie Tilleson
June	24	Pastor Brad

Greeters:

June	3	Craig & Sharon Formoe
June	10	Char Larson
June	17	Mary Slind
June	24	Marlene Edlin

June Schedule

WOMEN OF TRINITY

Summer Gathering
June 7 @ 6pm

RUTH CIRCLE

June 21 @ 7pm

ESTHER CIRCLE

June 18 @ 1:30pm

Altar Committee
Shirl Hetzel, Mary Slind

MEN IN MISSION

NO Meeting

SERVING OUR CHURCH—July 2017

Ushers: Ted Litzkow, Dan O'Connell, Paul Danovsky

Altar Committee: Jan Theberge, Carrie Bartos

Readers:

July	1	Delores Brezina
July	8	Bob Bird
July	15	Liz Lohfink
July	22	Pat Rettke
July	29	Hayley Bird

Greeters:

July	1	Diane & Wendell Andrews
July	8	Steve & Norma Stark
July	15	Ruby Litzkow
July	22	Jessica Larson
July	29	Becky Nyhus

July Schedule

WOMEN OF TRINITY

NO Board Meeting
NO Circle Meetings

Altar Committee
Jan Theberge, Carrie Bartos

MEN IN MISSION

NO Meeting

ALTAR FLOWERS

May 6
 May 13
 May 20
 May 27
 June 3
 June 10
 June 17
 June 24
 July 1
 July 8
 July 15
 July 22
 July 29

If you would like to put flowers on the altar for a special reason, please sign up on the 'Altar Flower Chart' on the bulletin board. Please include the reason for the flowers so you can be recognized in the bulletin, *and a reminder to Darla would be helpful.*

COMMUNION BREAD

Month of May	Marlene Edlin
Month of June	Shirley Bloom
Month of July	Evelyn Norrgard
Month of August	Delores Brezina
Month of September	Sandy Wheeler
Month of October	Katelyn Bird
Month of November	Laura Debee
Month of December	Sandy Wheeler

FELLOWSHIP SERVERS

May 6	Myia, Brittany
May 13	Mason, TBD
May 20	Marik, Emma
May 27	TBD, TBD

CREW SNACKS

May 2 Tillie

CAKE BAKERS

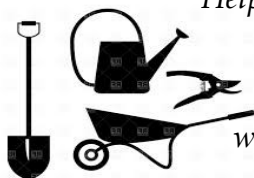
May 6	Pastor Brad
May 13	TBD
May 20	Taylor Grambow
May 27	TBD
June 3	Damien Waller
June 10	TBD
June 17	TBD
June 24	TBD

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



**Lawn Mowers
&
Gardeners
Needed**

Volunteers are needed to mow the Church lawn and weed and water the flower garden. **Lawn mowers** use our *John Deere* riding lawn mower and trimmer. You supply the gas. **Gardeners** use our hose and water, but you supply the 'elbow grease'. Sign-up sheets are on the table in the Narthex.



*Help keep our church grounds
looking beautiful!*

*You care for the land and
water it; you enrich it abundantly.*

Psalm 65:9



*Let no one despise your youth,
but set the believers an example
in speech and conduct,
in love, in faith, in purity.*

1 Timothy 4:12

FINANCIAL NEWS

Financials March 2018

Checkbook Balance as of March 1	(1,685.03)
<u>Revenue:</u>	
Regular Giving	6,853.00
Cash Giving	636.07
Simply Giving	5,183.00
Misc. Giving	638.00
Benevolences	387.00
Building	1,155.50
Out of Budget-Youth Savings	1,146.98
Out of Budget-Youth	345.13
Transfer In	3,744.41
Total Income	<u>20,089.09</u>
<u>Expenses:</u>	
Benevolences	387.00
Worship	972.58
Educational Ministry	0.00
Outreach Ministry	21.57
Office	1,192.48
Personnel	9,631.83
Facilities	2,911.35
Carpet/Paint/Youth Coord Loan Payment	700.00
Transfer Out	3,054.61
Total Expenses	<u>18,871.42</u>
Checkbook Balance as of March 31	(467.36)



**Church
Carpet/Paint/Youth Coordinator
Loan**

\$54,058.50
as of March 27, 2018

Simply Giving Total

March \$6,185.50

General	\$5,183.00
Building	\$867.50
Missions	\$135.00



IMO STEVE BOLEY

GENERAL
DEL BOLEY

IMO VIRGINIA SCHLOUGH

GENERAL
BILL & JULIE FISHER



PACKERS



How Would You Like To Attend A Regular Season Packer Game?

(Game day not yet determined)

All you have to do is join the *Simply Giving* program or increase your *Simply Giving* amount and you are in the drawing for two regular season Packer tickets! Anyone who signed up for *Simply Giving* or increased their giving from December 2017 thru May 31, 2018 will be in the drawing. The last day to join or increase *Simply Giving* is Thursday, May 31st to be in this drawing. The drawing for the 2 Packer tickets is Sunday, June 3rd.

Simply Giving is an electronic giving program used to automate your regular weekly offerings. It is convenient for you and provides much-needed consistency for our church. There is no cost for you to participate.

Complete an Authorization Form found on the following page and on the round table in the Narthex, attach a voided check or voided deposit slip, and return it to the church office or to Becky Nyhus. Any questions, contact Becky at 715-781-7011.



Simply giving form here

EASTER LILIES

IN MEMORY OF

Sarah Formoe
 Vernon Bloom
 Vernon Formoe
 Family & Friends
 Deborah Johnson
 Ericka Kettle
 Tyler May
 Jared Schutz
 Sarah Formoe
 Steven Aasen
 Abigail Smith
 Justin May
 Our Parents
 Edwin Kothrade
 Geovanna Perrido
 Cheri Carlsrud
 Fred Seeger
 Melvin Dickman
 Amy Danovsky
 Marilyn Miller
 Jamie Jo Anderson
 Ivan Webster
 Anna Webster
 Carol Rivard
 Keith & Judy Peterson
 Jerry Breland
 Fred Seeger
 Elmer & Alice Retz
 Jim & Edith Campbell
 Deceased Loved Ones
 Edward Schmidt
 Don Jaeger, Dad
 Don Jaeger
 Tess Mayer & Fred Seeger
 Tess Mayer & Fred Seeger
 Cindy Hetzel
 Armon Hetzel
 Fred Seeger
 Ericka Kettle
 Marilyn Miller
 Jamie Jo Anderson
 Robert Nusberger
 Mom & Dad Oakland
 Joyce Hopkins
 Andrew & Katheryn Hibben
 Edward J. Schmidt
 Ralph Stark & Leonard
 Jared Schutz
 Vernon Bloom
 Sarah Formoe
 Loved Ones
 Our Parents & Sister
 Ryan Williams, Grandson
 Herb & Alice Lake
 Richie Lake
 Craig Mohn

FROM

Craig & Sharon Formoe
 Craig & Sharon Formoe
 Craig & Sharon Formoe
 Darlene Booth & Brian
 Perry Johnson
 Mom & Dad Christopherson
 Lacy Bird
 Lacy Bird
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 Lacy Bird
 Lacy Bird
 Ted & Ruby Litzkow
 Loren & Heidi Kothrade
 Loren & Heidi Kothrade
 Lori & Dan Jenson
 Darcy Harbek
 Darcy Harbek
 Paul & Peggy Danovsky
 David Miller
 David Miller
 Judy Webster Solberg & Family
 Judy Webster Solberg & Family
 Brad & Amy Peterson
 Brad & Amy Peterson
 Dawn & Murphy Breland
 Dawn & Murphy Breland
 Jerry & Jean Retz
 Jerry & Jean Retz
 Helen Rosen
 Darlene Schmidt
 Linda Nerison
 Barb Jaeger
 Linda Nerison
 Barb Jaeger
 Shirl Hetzel
 Shirl Hetzel
 Sharon Seeger
 Sharon Seeger
 David Miller
 David Miller
 Marlys Nusberger
 Linda Soleimani
 Linda Soleimani
 Lyndon & Melody Schmidt
 Lyndon & Melody Schmidt
 Steve & Norma Stark
 Steve & Norma Stark
 Shirley Bloom
 Shirley Bloom
 Delores Brezina
 Ron & Lee Peshaw
 Wendell & Diane Andrews
 Bill & Lonna Borgert & Diana Nutter
 Bill & Lonna Borgert & Diana Nutter
 Jon & Andrea Talmage

EASTER LILIES (cont.)

IN MEMORY OF

All Baby Angels
Sarah Formoe
Jared Schutz
Grandparents
All Our Angels
O.K. Hedlund
Jared Schutz

IN HONOR OF

Shirley Bloom
Marian Formoe
Family & Friends
Children & Grandchildren
Henry Kelly
Friends
Church Family
Children & Grand Kids
Glenn Guy's Presidency
Halle & Maria Perrido
Dominic Perrido
Our Family & Friends
My Family
Fox & Hazel

FROM

Jon & Andrea Talmage
Brian & Heather Knutson
Brian & Heather Knutson
Brian & Heather Knutson
Randy & Peggy Schutz
Julie & Bill Fisher
Hayley Fisher

FROM

Craig & Sharon Bloom
Craig & Sharon Bloom
Linda Soleimani
Wendell & Diane Andrews
David Miller
Susie Hanestad
Larry & Viv Hanestad
Larry & Viv Hanestad
Gerald & Marilyn Bartos
Loren & Heidi Kothrade
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Randy & Peggy Schutz
Darlene Schmidt
Julie & Bill Fisher

A special thank you to Sharon Seeger for all her work she does to make this happen.

Just For Pun!

- *Acupuncture is a jab well done.
- *Every calendar's days are numbered.
- *When two egotists meet, it's an I for an I.
- *A boiled egg in the morning is hard to beat.
- *Reading while sunbathing makes you well red.
- *A chicken crossing the road is poultry in motion.
- *A man's home is his castle, in a manor of speaking.
- *Bakers trade bread recipes on a knead-to-know basis.
- *If you've seen one shopping center, you've seen a mall.
- *The worker who fell into an upholstery machine is fully recovered.

*He will yet fill your mouth with laughter,
and your lips with shouts of joy.*

Job 8:21

*God has brought laughter for me;
everyone who hears will laugh with me.*

Genesis 21:6



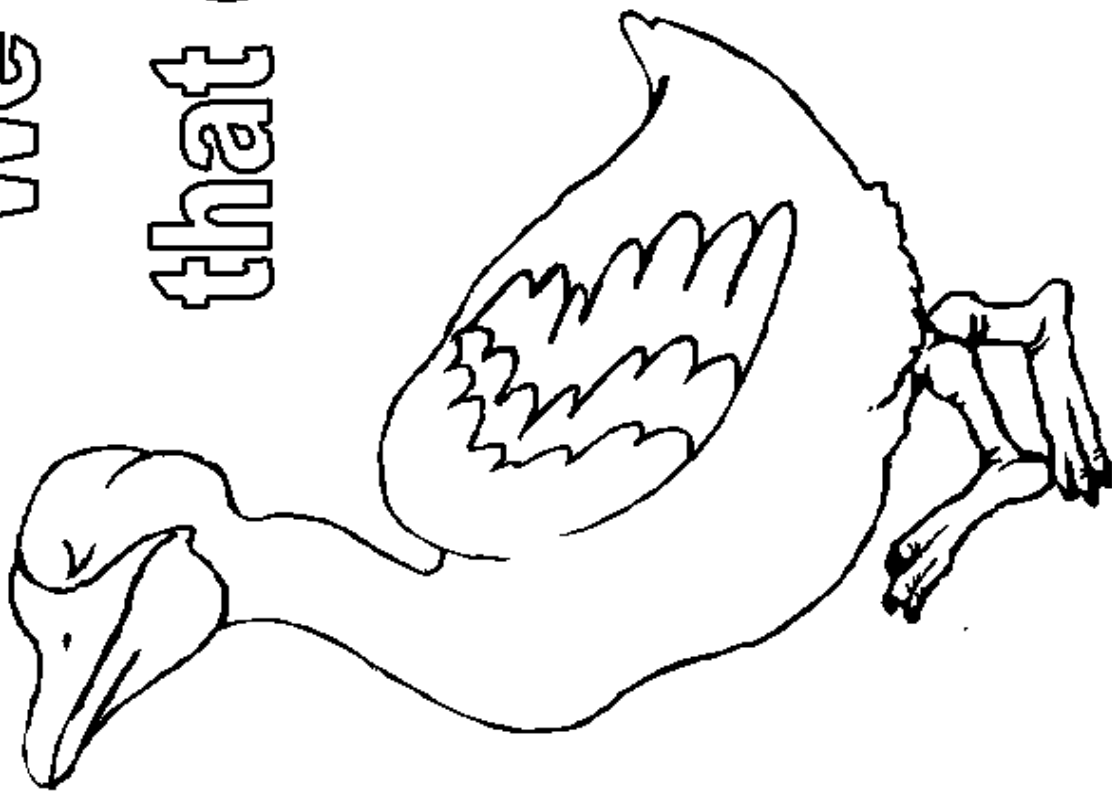
SUMMER IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER! **HAVE YOU REGISTERED FOR CAMP YET?**

With the summer fast approaching, camp is just around the corner! Plans are well underway for another great summer at Luther Park and Luther Woods, and we want you to be a part of the fun. The programs this summer have something for everyone-outrageous games, creative worship, fun in the pool, new friends, cookouts, campfires, and conversations that will help you discover what God has done and is doing in your life. For the more adventurous camper, Luther Park offer several programs that emphasize having fun in the outdoors. Adventure camps this summer include Adventure at the Woods, Trading Spaces, Backpacking, and Canoe Trips. Many camps fill early so register today! Camp brochures are available at the church or go online at www.lutherpark.org. You can also contact Luther Park at info@lutherpark.org or (715) 859-2215.

“Her children rise up and call her happy”

Proverbs 31:28

**We're so Lucky,
that our mom's so
DUCKY!**





WORTHY OF RESPECT

On Mother's Day, we celebrate our moms and everything they do for us. How does God tell us to treat our moms?



Directions: Using the key below, fill in the blanks to complete Deuteronomy 5:16, NIV.

A	C	D	M	N	O
E	F	G	P	R	S
H	I	L	T	U	Y

" _____ your _____
 and your _____ , _____
 the _____ your _____ has

 _____ 5:16, NIV

HEART LIGHT

This Mother's Day, make a bright gift for someone special in your life.



What you need:

- Scissors
- Cardstock
- Tape
- Mason jar
- Primer paint
- Acrylic paint (3 colors)
- Paintbrushes
- Battery-operated tea light
- Paper and pen
- Hole punch
- Twine

What you do:

1. Cut out two cardstock hearts and tape them to the jar sides, near the bottom.
2. Paint the entire jar with primer paint. Let dry.
3. Paint splotches of acrylic paint over the primer. Let dry. Remove the heart shapes.
4. Place the tea light in the jar.
5. Write a note that says, "Mom, you're the light of my life!" Punch a hole in one corner of the note, thread twine through the hole and tie the note around the jar's neck.

Answer: "Honor your father and your mother, as the LORD your God has commanded you." Deuteronomy 5:16, NIV