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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

# TRINITY GOOD NEWS

## **MAY 2020**



Like the crocus, it shall blossom abundantly Isaiah 35:1-2 Important Dates May 1 Blood Mobile at Trinity May 31 Graduate Recognition Sunday June 22-July 5 Pastor Brad's Vacation June 29 Blood Mobile at Trinity July 18-24 Youth Mission Trip/Lame Deer MT August 24 Blood Mobile at Trinity August 29 Synod Assembly October 10 Sip & Shop Craft/Vendor Sale

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For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. John 3:16-17

One of the new things Amy and I have gotten in recent months that I absolutely love is our air fryer. I absolutely love the air fryer. From chicken wings to pork chops, fries to steak, cheese curds to broccoli, the air fryer gets it done. Stuff comes out awesome and one weekend we used it for basically every single meal. It is simple, easy to use, and easy to clean. And sometimes, simple is the best.

The verses listed above are so simple and wide known that they can be taken for granted. Yet, they simply state the Gospel of Jesus Christ. God loves us so much that God sent Jesus to us to save us and bring us to eternal life. That's it. Nothing more than that. Simple. Clear. Life-changing.

The simple things can be life changing. My weight loss didn't come from a complicated diet or innovative weight loss program. It has come (and hopefully will continue to come) by doing simple things. Working out every day. Smaller food amounts at meals. Eating green stuff. Cutting out pop. Simple.

We can take the simple things for granted. It seems too easy. Too simple. But it isn't. The simple things can be powerful. I bet many of you have been missing the simple things of life lately as some of the things we took for granted, like school, going to the store, seeing friends and family, are no longer so simple.

Jesus was sent by a loving God to save you. To forgive you. To bring you eternal life. We give praise and thanks to our God for the salvation that Jesus has won for us through his death and resurrection. It may be simple, but it is powerful. And it is needed.

I know that I need it every single day. This simple Gospel message has changed my life. Maybe it has changed your life. God loves you so much that God sent Jesus to save you. Simple. And life changing.

Sometimes in life the simple things are the best. Hold onto this most precious of simple messages, that you are loved by God and saved by God's only Son, our Messiah Jesus Christ. Share that simple message with your family and neighbors and the whole world. Give thanks for it. Celebrate it with Alleluia's! Live life with joy and hope because Jesus is risen and we have eternal life. For that we can say, "Thanks be to God!"

Yours in Christ,

Pastor Brad





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#### YOUTH NEWS/TRINITY EVENTS

#### Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School, scheduled for June 15-19, is cancelled. Luther Park has cancelled all Vacation Bible School sessions.

#### **Blood Mobile**

Trinity is hosting the Blood Mobile on Friday, May 1<sup>st</sup> from 10am-4pm. Please help give the gift of life in these trying times. No volunteers are allowed.

#### Lifetouch Church Directory Photos

The Church Directory pictures are rescheduled for September 8-12. You can schedule your new picture date by using this link. <u>https://booknow</u> -lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/b7pgj5sq/

#### **Office Closed**

The Church office will be closed on Monday, May 25<sup>th</sup> for Memorial Day

#### Luther Park Bible Camp

There will be NO Luther Park Camp until the week of July 5<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Butter Braid Sellers**

Please pick up your Butter Braid orders on Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> at 4pm located in shed behind the Church.

#### \*Staying Connected To Trinity

'Trinity Tidings' is a weekly email to you from Pastor Brad that will give you up-to-date activities going on at Trinity and you will get instructions to participate in 'Zoom' calls, which will connect you by live video or chat via your smartphone or computer. If you are not receiving 'Trinity Tidings', please email Pastor Brad so you get on his email list.

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#### <u>Worship in May</u>

May 3<sup>rd</sup>: Drive Thru Communion from 9:45 a.m.—11:00 a.m.

May 10<sup>th</sup>: Regular Worship on 'Facebook Live' at 9:00 a.m.

<u>May 17th</u>: Parking Lot Worship at 9:00 a.m. We invite you to come in your car to the parking lot for worship. You will be able to listen to the worship in your car on a FM radio station. You can also view worship on the Facebook Livestream. Communion will be given out at the parking lot service. You are to remain in your cars at all times.

May 24<sup>th</sup>: Regular Worship on 'Facebook Live' at 9:00 a.m.

<u>May 31<sup>st</sup></u>: Graduate Recognition Worship: Boyceville Senior, Emma Bygd, will be our preacher. We will honor our graduates at 9:30 a.m. All high school seniors and their parents should be at the church parking lot by 9:30 a.m.

#### **Fellowship Connections in May**

<u>May 10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup></u>: Sunday Fellowship on 'Zoom' at 10:00 a.m. Want a chance to see each other, say 'Hi', and enjoy a visit with church members online; with your coffee cup in hand! Look in your email for the invitation to join our 'Zoom' Fellowships.

<u>May 6<sup>th</sup> & May 20<sup>th</sup></u>: Wednesday 'Zoom' Check-In at 6:00 p.m. Join PB in a guided conversation and a chance to check-in with each other in these trying times. Look in your email for the invitation to join our 'Zoom' Check-Ins.

<u>May 17<sup>th</sup></u>: Sunday CONNECT group 'Zoom' style at 6:30 p.m. This is a chance to CONNECT with each other and with our faith. We will be using the CONNECT program that we had started in January. Invitation to join 'Zoom' CONNECT will come through email. All are welcome!

Reminder: PB needs to have your email so you can receive an invitation to 'Zoom'! \*See article above "Staying Connected to Trinity".

## THANKS/WOT/PRAYERS/NEEDED

#### We Are Thankful

Thank you to Lonna & Bill Borgert, & Dianna Nutter for all the clean-up work in the yard and garden.

Thank you to Jeff Roemhild for the use of his electric piano for Services.

#### WOMEN OF TRINITY

#### Women of Trinity for May 2020

We missed seeing each other at Easter Services. Plus, I missed seeing the W.O.T. board members at our April meeting during this, 'Safer At Home' time. The idea of combining both groups appealed to me.

I invited the ladies to email me their favorite Easter morning tradition from Trinity. You can read along and use your senses and claim a favorite thought or add one as well.

It starts with PB shouting, "HE IS RISEN, ALLELU-IA!" The beautiful music starts, including brass, timphony drums, organ and voices join together. The processional begins with the items to be returned to the altar after their removal on Maundy Thursday. The sun is streaming through the stained glass windows and the fragrances of Easter Lilies greet our noses. The joy is present if you are at the Sunrise Service or the gam Service. Let's not forget about the delicious Easter Breakfast served by our youth. The aroma that greets us when we enter is delightful. It's a wonderful time to be with our church family and smiling at all the young children dressed in their Easter best as they dashed forward to hear the Children's Sermon. What a treat!

I hope you nodded your head as you went down memory lane at Trinity Lutheran in Boyceville Wisconsin. I am already looking forward to Easter on April 4<sup>th</sup> 2021!

Perhaps you can share a favorite Easter tradition with your family or friends from Trinity or elsewhere ...

#### Alleluia,

#### Deb Holmlund

I would like to leave you with a May Poem ... I am not sure of the poet...but enjoy!

#### Welcome Mau

May You be happy. May You be well. May You be safe. May You find comfort. May You have courage. May You find healing. May You have peace. May You have joy.



May You be filled with loving kindness. May You be blessed today & always.

#### **Our Prayer Concerns**

Carol Erickson Leona Steies Doris Herdahl Easton Riek Ben Schlosser Shannon Bauer **Betty Steies** Ted Erickson Mike Kietzer Megan Mittlestadt Dick Clack Beverlye Thompson Melissa Holden Gary Lierman Ashley Behling Kurtis Marlett Glen Rosen

Saul Hedlund Shirley Huey Don Owen Gavlan Nerison **Randee Mayer** Mary Slind Bill Bjorkman Adella Hanson Tom Lohfink Jennifer Marlett Kavden Ebensperger Willard Tronrud Jeanna Hollister Lynda Swenson Eloise Knutson Stub Swenson Aaron Upton

Family of Evelyn Norgarrd All those affected by COVID-19 Our schools, teachers, kids, parents, grandparents All health care providers, first responders



#### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

#### **Communion Bread Bakers**

June July August September October November December

Katelyn Bird Laura Debee Katelyn Bird Marlene Edlin Heidi Swensen TBD Sandy Wheeler





#### **Church Lawn & Garden**

Volunteers are needed to mow the Church lawn and weed and water the flower garden. (Yes, the snow will melt some day). You can use the church's John 🛄 🤅 Deere lawn mower and trimmer. You

are asked to supply the gas. Gardeners use our hose and water, but you supply the 'green thumb'. Sign up sheets are on the table in the Narthex. Help keep our church grounds looking beautiful!

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## TRINITY MISSIONS

#### **LUTHERAN 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 quilts, baby care 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.

#### **DUNN COUNTY RELIEF**

Not only will we be collecting for *Lutheran World Relief*, we will also be collecting for *Dunn County Relief* where many people in are area are in need. Some of the agencies benefiting will be WestCAP, Stepping Stones, and 3-C (United Way).

#### **QUILT PROJECT**

The Trinity Quilting Ladies make quilts to donate to Lutheran World Relief, Dunn County agencies, Luther Park auctions, raffles, Trinity baptisms and confirmands, and other places/people where needed.

#### April was "Quilt Supply" Month

Below is a list of items needed for quilts:

Fabric; cotton, flannel, etc.; any kind, any size, any color	<u>Thread;</u> any color
Flat Bed Sheets; used for backs, any size, any color but White	<u>Batting</u>
<u>Heavy Crotchet Thread;</u> any color	Monetary Donations

#### May is "Baby Care Kit" Month

*Baby Care Kits* are distributed as part of emergency and relief efforts, but they are also given out as part of LWR health initiatives to encourage women to seek prenatal care. *Baby Care Kits* are also needed in Dunn County. Below is a list of items needed for kits:

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

1 <u>Jacket, Sweater or Sweatshirt</u> with a hood or include a baby cap prefer buttons or ties

1 Nail Clipper; metal

Comb; sturdy

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- 2 Pairs of Socks
- 1 <u>Hand Towel</u>; dark colored
- 2 Bars of Soap; bath size, gentle
- 2 <u>Diaper Pins</u>

#### Thrift Sales are a good source to check when looking for Mission Items such as fabric, baby clothes and receiving blankets, and towels. Make sure they are gently used and not stained.

#### July is "Personal Care Kit" Month

Personal Care Kits will be distributed to Lutheran World Relief and Dunn County Relief. Below is a list of items needed for kits:

- 1 <u>Bath Towel</u>; light weight, dark colored, "20 x 40" to 52" x 27"
  - Bars of Soap; bath size
- 1 <u>Toothbrush</u>; adult size, in original package, can put in business envelope

Toiletries, deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, makeup, shaving supplies, nail file, nail polish, personal hygiene supplies, tooth paste, tooth picks, mouth wash, Kleenex, toilet paper, clothes soap, hair care supplies, etc.

#### August is "School Kit" Month

4	Notebooks; wide or college-ruled, 70 sheet	1	Ruler; 30-centimeter or centimeter/inches ruler
1	Pencil Sharpener	1	Safety Scissors; blunt end, steel blades
5	Pencils; #2, unsharpened with erasers	1	Crayons; box of 16 or 24
1	Eraser; 2½" long		

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#### MEMORIALS

IMO HERB DOW BUILDING RICHARD & JANE (HANSON) BOHRER

IMO RONNIE MCCARTHY BUILDING RICHARD & JANE (HANSON) BOHRER

IMO DAVID KLINGMAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP DELORES BREZINA

IMO DAVID KLINGMAN GENERAL BRAD & AMY PETERSON

IMO NORMA WILLIAMS GENERAL FAMILY & FRIENDS OF NORMA WILLIAMS

IMO DAVID KLINGMAN GENERAL BOB & LYNDA BIRD

IMO ANDY MOLL & ARLENE HILL YOUTH BOB & LYNDA BIRD

IMO DAVE KLINGMAN GENERAL SCOTT & KRISTINE STUART

IMO DAVE KLINGMAN GENERAL MIKE & SANDY MITTLESATDT

IMO DAVE KLINGMAN GENERAL CHRIS & MARCIA GRANLEY

IMO DAVE KLINGMAN SCHOLARSHIP SHIRLEY BLOOM

IMO ALLEN ANDREWS SCHOLARSHIP SHIRLEY BLOOM

IMO MARILYN NUSBERGER GENERAL SHIRLEY HETZEL

IMO ALAN ANDREWS BUILDING MARLYS NUSBERGER

IMO HERB DOW BUILDING MARLYS NUSBERGER

IMO MARILYN NUSBERGER GENERAL MARLYS NUSBERGER

IMO EVELYN NORRGARD SCHOLARSHIP RICHARD & ARLENE CLACK IMO EVELYN NORRGARD GENERAL BRAD & AMY PETERSON

IMO EVELYN NORRGARD BUILDING PAT RETTKE

IMO EVELYN NORRGARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP MARY SLIND

IMO EVELYN NORRGARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP SHIRLEY BLOOM

IMO EVELYN NORRGARD GENERAL RON & LEE PESHAW





**FUNERAL** Evelyn Norrgard *April 11, 2020* 

#### **BAPTISMS**

Travis Sampson April 12, 2020

Kyler Allen Sampson April 12, 2020

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#### FINANCIAL PAGE

Financials March 2020			
Checkbook Balance as of March 1	173.81		
Income:	, 0		
Regular Giving	7,571.00		
Cash Giving	219.00		
Simply Giving	5,663.08		
VANCO Credit Card Giving	248.75		
Misc. Giving	706.00		
Benevolences	370.00		
Building	25,927.50		
Scholarship	40.00		
<b>Total Income General</b>	<u>40,745.33</u>		
Transfer from Reserve	0.00		
Transfer In	27,208.33		
Out of Budget-Youth Savings	558.71		
Out of Budget-Youth Checking	291.26		
Out of Budget-WELCA	0.00		
Out of Budget-Sunday School	0.00		
Grand Total Income	68,803.63		
Balance Brought Forward	<u>68,977.44</u>		
Expenses:			
Benevolences	277.00		
Worship	483.04		
Educational Ministry	0.00		
Outreach Ministry	36.75		
Office	985.67		
Personnel	9,273.14		
Facilities	2,174.03		
Loan Payment	25,940.00		
<u>Total Expense General</u>	<u>39,169.63</u>		
Transfers Out			
Building Fund	25,927.50		
Special-Missions	198.00		
Special-Missions-ELCA	162.00		
Special-Missions-WestCAP	10.00		
Special-Missions-WestCAP Mea	l Pro 0.00		
Special-Missions-Quilters	0.00		
Special-Easter Flowers	240.00		
Special-Employee FICA/Withho	- · · ·		
Scholarship	40.00		
Out of Budget-Sunday School	0.00		
Out of Budget-WELCA	0.00		
Out of Budget-Youth Savings	588.71		
Out of Budget-Youth Checking	291.26		
Total Expenses	<u>66,916.70</u>		
Checkbook Balance as of March 31	2,060.74		



Church Loan Carpet/Paint/Youth Coordinator \$6,907.44 as of April 2, 2020

## Simply Giving March \$6,565.58 General \$5,628.08 Building \$5,628.08

Building\$742.50Missions\$195.00Youth\$0.00

#### VANCO Credit Card Giving December \$248.75

General \$248.75 Missions \$0.00

#### **Financially Supporting Trinity**

You can support Trinity financially a number of ways:

• by sending an offering in the mail to

Trinity Lutheran Church PO Box 247 Boyceville, WI 54725

- by using the GivePlus app.
- by going to our website at <u>www.trinityboyceville.com</u>

Thank you for supporting Trinity!

I am now sending for many fishermen, says the Lord, and they shall CatCh them



#### 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			
11am – 2pm			
3pm – 6pm			
3pm – 6pm			
11am – 2pm			
11am – 2pm			
10am – 12 noon			
Closed			

No one is ever turned away, however, recommended eligibility guidelines are that vou 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.

#### Mental and physical health are important during #SaferAtHome, and so is spiritual health.

#### You can safely be spiritual during the COVID-19 pandemic by:

- Viewing or listening to almost any form of spiritual service at home.
- · Praying, being mindful, or meditating individually or as a family.

#### **Food Harvest Ministry**

Distribution May 16 8am -10am 1002 Main Street 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

#### **Options for Women**

Location: 1002 8th St. East, Menomonie WI Mailing Address: PO BOX 427, Menomonie WI 54751 Phone: 715-222-0777 optionsmenomonie@gmail.com www.ofwmenomonie.com facebook.com/ofwmenomonie

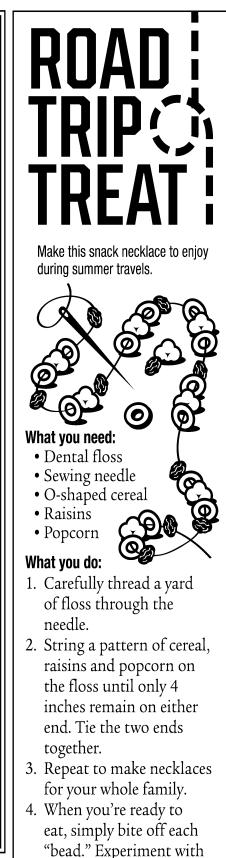
Options for Women-Menomonie is an organization dedicated to providing families and pregnant women with information, as well as restorative, mental, physical, emotional and material help.

See the brochure on the bulletin board for more information.



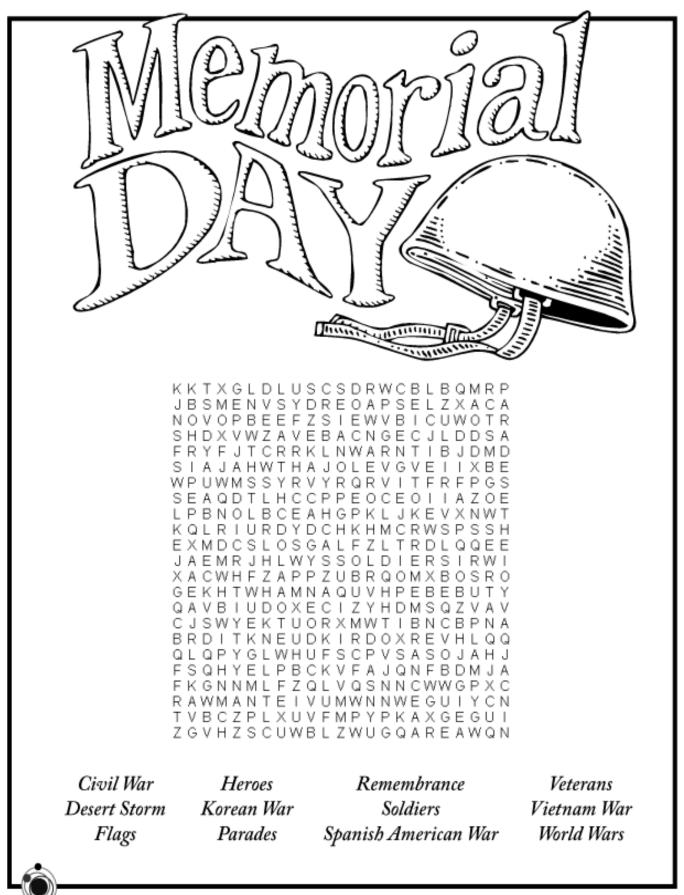
Then write the boxed letters in order in the spaces below to complete Psalm 121:8, NIV. Start at the SHIP. Move 1 space N, 3 spaces E, and 2 spaces N Start at the WORLD. Move 1 space W, 1 space S, and 1 space SE Start at the SUITCASE. Move 1 space NE, 2 spaces S, and 1 space E Start at the PLANE. Move 2 spaces SW, 1 space S, and 1 space W Start at the CAR. Move 1 space E, 1 space N, and 1 space NW Start at the SIGN. Move 1 space SE, 1 space W, and 2 spaces NW The \_ ORD will watch ove\_ your comi\_g and go\_ng both no\_ and for\_vermore. Psalm 121:8, NIV

Answer: plane, car, sign, ship, world, suitease. The LORD will watch over your coming and going both now and forevermore. Psalm 121:8, NIV



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## For the righteous will never be moved; they will be remembered forever.

