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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

September 2025



### Important Dates

September 3: Confirmation Begins @ 5:30

September 7: Sunday School Rally

September 14: Sunday School Begins 9:45  
Council Meeting @ 10am

September 15: Lagers with the Lord @ 6

September 17: Crew Begins @ 3:30

September 27: Health Fair 10-1

# SEPTEMBER

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Winter Office Hours Start September 5th M-F 9-1	1 Labor Day Office Closed Acts 25:23-27	2 Quilting 9 am-Noon Acts 26:1-3	3 Confirmation 5:30 pm Worship 6:30 pm Acts 26:4-8	4 Card Club 10 am Acts 26:9-11	5 Acts 26:12-18	6 Acts 26:19-23
7 9am Worship Sunday School 9:45	8 Bible Study 10 am Sunday School Rally	9 Quilting 9 am-Noon Acts 27:1-12	10 Confirmation 5:30 pm Worship 6:30 pm Voices of Praise 7 pm Acts 27:13-26	11 Card Club 10 am Patriot Day Acts 27:27-32	12 Acts 27:39-44	13 Acts 28:1-10
14 9am Worship Sunday School 9:45	15 Bible Study 10 am Lagers @ 6pm Buck Shots	16 Quilting 9 am-Noon Acts 28:17-22	17 Crew Begins 3:30-5:00 Confirmation 5:30 pm Worship 6:30 pm Voices of Praise 7 pm Psalm 1	18 Card Club 10 am Psalm 2	19 Psalm 3	20 Psalm 4
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Psalm 12						

# PASTOR'S PAGE

O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with him is great power to redeem. Psalm 130:7



As I write this, my beloved Chicago Cubs are in a stretch of incredibly bad baseball, and over the past seven weeks have squandered a six-and-a-half game division lead over the Milwaukee Brewers and are now in second place in the division, trailing the Brewers by five games at the time I am writing this. (By the way, I would like to thank all of you for pointing all this out to me on a constant basis. Thank you for constantly bringing it to my attention every time you see me. I appreciate it SO MUCH). In the midst of such a stellar run of play by my team, it already reinforces the way I look at my sports teams (outside of the Boyceville Bulldogs): I expect a loss. There is no hope. I always assume a loss, a collapse, everything going the wrong way.

It is one of my worst traits. It drives my friends and family crazy. The Cubs could be up ten runs in the 9<sup>th</sup> inning with two outs and if two people get on base I think we might blow it. I always assume the worst, even when it seem illogical. I can tell you, my friends, this is not a good way to be. It is not good for my mental or emotional health. It is not good for my relationships, as I get sullen and depressed and walk around muttering to myself with a dark cloud hanging over me.

This is, of course, the opposite of how I am in every other part of my life. Why? Because in the rest of my life, I know that my hope rests in Jesus Christ. I look at the bright side of life, look at the good in life instead of the bad, see the positive instead of the negative. Because we have redemption in Jesus Christ and we are saved by grace through faith, I know there is hope every day. I see the joy of life everywhere, except I guess with my sports teams. With the steadfast love of God, we always have hope.

I'm working hard to try to change that. Despite what is happening to my Cubs, we have a 97% chance to make the playoffs, where anything can happen. Plus, there is still a lot of baseball that can be played and we can catch the Brewers. Also, as a friend told me, sports is supposed to be fun and being in a pennant race is the best thing of all. I needed those reminders. And we need to be reminded that there is always hope. We always have that hope because we have Jesus, who loves us, redeems us, and promises to be with us always. May you have hope today, no matter what, because Jesus is with you.

Lastly, one more thing. God does not care about our sports teams. Of that, I am certain.

May God bless you today and always!

Yours in Christ,  
Pastor Brad

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## POINTS OF INTEREST

- Lagers with the Lord
- Confirmation/Crew Begins
- Health Fair
- Kid's Fun Pages
- Fall Service Group

## Quilter's Corner



Well, July has come and gone. Our group of ladies is still small. Some are going for appointments and just life itself is busy. We are working on our Lutheran World Relief quilts and trying to get ahead of them, plus all the other ones in between. Hopefully things will slow down. I really don't have much to share this month. It has been kind of the same thing. We make quilts, we snack and then go back to quilts. Lots of fun and of course things that need to totally stay in the quilting room. We maybe missed PB a little when he was gone, but we survived. He popped into our quilt room to see us before he had to go to Glenhaven. Sandy must have been feeling sassy that day, because she said something like "Hope you don't put them to sleep!" Way to go Sandy. I love it when the ladies get sassy. This happens a lot in the quilt room. What PB must put up with some of these quilters. The look on PB's face was priceless!!! So, I think Sandy just got knocked off PB's nice list!! I think PB was a little shocked himself! I think PB knows now to never be surprised at what comes out of the mouths of the quilters, young or old. I still have a couple more quilters to talk about so hopefully I can catch up soon on them. We have had some wonderful donations of fabric coming in and Darla pops in with all the quilt tops she does at the cabin and takes home fabric to cut and sew. We appreciate all those donations. Heide and Deb stopped in and donated one of their mother's (Carol Erickson) collection of hummingbirds for our shelf in the quilting room and each one received a hummingbird figurine themselves. Thank you, ladies, for thinking of us. We sure miss her! Until next month, God Bless!

Becky Nyhus

# YOUTH NEWS



## Confirmation

Class will be held from 5:30-6:30pm each Wednesday with 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade meeting alternating Wednesdays.

### Confirmation Parent Meeting,

Wednesday, August 27<sup>th</sup> at 7pm for all 7th and 8th grade confirmation parents. If you can't make this meeting, please contact PB.

#### Class schedule:

Sep 3: 7th grade

Sep 10: 8th grade

Sep 17: 7th grade

Sep 24: 8th grade



Mission Trip youth will be presenting about their trip to St. Louis on September 21<sup>st</sup> at 9 am worship!



2026 Mission Trip Informational Meeting on Sunday, September 21<sup>st</sup>, at 10:15 am for all high school youth. We will be going to Denver, CO, June 13-20<sup>th</sup>, 2026. Registration deadline is October 5<sup>th</sup>.

Confirmation begins on Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>, with 7<sup>th</sup> grade confirmation. First 8<sup>th</sup> grade class is September 10<sup>th</sup>. Class is at 5:30 pm.

## The Crew

### Calling all 3<sup>rd</sup> thru 6<sup>th</sup> Graders!

You are invited to be part of *The Crew* meeting at Trinity every other Wednesday. We will have games, activities, faith time, snacks, and much more. *The Crew* is meant to be somewhere your kids can hang out, grow closer together, grow closer to God, and become stronger in faith. Friends are welcome to attend with you.

**Kick off starts  
September 17<sup>th</sup>  
3:30-5:00**

**Music, snack, games, faith time. All 3rd-6th grade youth are welcome!**



### **Sunday School Rally Day**

**September 7th**

**Come Register and sign up!**

**Sunday School begins on September 14<sup>th</sup> at 9:45 am for all youth Pre-K through 6<sup>th</sup> grade!**

# WORSHIP

*Voices of Praise Returns September 10<sup>th</sup>*

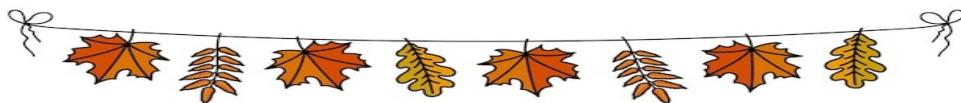
Come join our new fellowship group of people who like to sing! Our goal is to sing praise to the Lord. This is not a choir, just a group that wants to share their faith through song. Join us on Wednesday nights from 7 pm till 7:30 pm to lift your voice to the Lord! All are welcome of any age!



**Blessing of Animal Service, Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup>.**



This will be an outdoor service in the parking lot.  
Bring your animals for a blessing!



**Fall Family Fest & WestCAP Fundraiser!**

Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 4 pm till 7 pm!

Inflatables, games, and fun for the family start at 4 pm  
Meal starts at 5 pm. Men's Band concert starts at 6 pm.

All funds raised go to help support the  
WestCAP food pantry here in Boyceville.

# TRINITY EVENTS

## Bible Study

Mondays at 10am

All are welcome to attend

**Sept 8, 15, 22 & 29<sup>th</sup>**



Health  
FAIR



## Quilting

We will meet Tuesdays from 9am-Noon. All are welcome to attend, you don't need to know how to sew to attend.

Neighbor to Neighbor Health Fair  
September 27<sup>th</sup>, 10 am till 1 pm

## Card Club Fellowship

Card Club on Thursdays at 10am. Masks are Optional. Come join the fun and play '500'. Every talent level (beginner to pro) welcome to attend. We'll teach you the game. Cards and scoring sheets provided.



## **Cake Walk**

Please purchase a ticket or tickets for a chance to win a decorated bakery item. Drawing is after worship on Sundays.

**\$1 for 1 ticket**

**\$5 for 6 tickets**

This event is to provide resources and information specifically for the Hispanic population of our area and in conjunction with the Northwest Synod of Wisconsin. We are collecting personal care items as well to hand out during this event. Want to help? See the sign-up on the table in the Narthex

Want to Donate? Personal Care items include: soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, dish soap, laundry detergent, underwear (men's & women's), socks.



**Lagers with the Lord is  
Monday, September 15<sup>th</sup>  
@ Buck Shots 6pm**

# Women Of Trinity

## SEPTEMBER 2025

### In the Know:

**During the Month of September,** the ELCA is continuing awareness advocating for social justice & care for marginalized communities with the September 7th, 2025 efforts,

“God’s work. Our hands”

ELCA congregations continue to explore the Bible and its relevance to our lives, our communities, our world by implementing & continuing:

- ~ Backpack Programs
- ~ School Supplies Drive Programs
- ~ Lutheran World Relief School Kits
- ~ Youth Ministry Programs
- ~ Social Statement of Equitable Funding in Public Education

ELCA brings focus to the Holy Spirit in empowering believers and guiding through the fruit of The Spirit in Love, Joy & Peace.

Living out one’s Faith through care in being a good neighbor.

**Health Fair**  
**September 27th, 2025**



**Location: Trinity Lutheran Church**

### Inside WOT This Month:

\* Jun 1st—Sept 7th WOT Summer

**Fellowship Serving & Cakewalk**

Sign-up sheet in Narthex

\* **September 6th, 2025**

WOT Fall Gathering 9am—1pm

**Speaker:** Jeanne Hartfield’s

**“Spiritual Spa”**

**No Reg Needed**

**Free will offering**

Brunch Meal Sign-Up Sheet in Narthex

WOT Mtg & Board Member Elections 9:00a

\* **September 7th, 2025 ELCA’s**

**“God’s Work, Our Hands”**

\* Scheduling at Trinity a **“Call Night”**;

volunteers call all service group members verifying numbers as current.

\* **Peek Ahead to Save the Date:**

**Saturday October 11th, 2025**

**OKTOBERFEST Artisan & Craft Fair with Trinity’s QUILT Raffle!**

# HELP PAGE



Food Access & Resource Center  
823 Main Street, Boyceville  
Serving the Boyceville and Glenwood City  
School Districts at the  
Food Access & Resources Center  
**Pantry Schedule**  
**Thursdays 1pm - 7pm**

Please contact Melissa at 715-977-1191

No appointment needed

(closed on holidays and if school is called off  
due to the weather)

Volunteers Needed

Call Melissa Larson 715-977-1191

## Help Make Our Garden Grow!

Gardeners can 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!



## Sign up to help Mow!

You can use the church mower or bring your  
own. See sign up sheet in the Narthex



Crew snacks needed! See the sign-up on the  
table in the Narthex or call the church. We are  
looking for snacks for 50 youth. No need to  
serve them, just to provide them! You can bring  
anything you want! Cookies, cheese, fruits, veg-  
etables, anything you can dream up the kids will  
eat! Make it as big or as small as you  
want! Talk to PB if you have questions.

## Stepping Stones of Dunn County

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

**Anyone In Need Of Food Is Welcome!**

### Food Pantry Hours

Mondays 11am – 2pm  
Wednesdays 3pm – 6pm  
Saturdays 10am – Noon

Free Produce Fridays 3pm - 4:30pm  
(Curbside distribution while supplies last)



Sunday School Snacks and Helpers Needed

See sign ups in Narthex

## MEMORIALS

None at this time

# THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

## Ushers

Sep: Jeff Roemhild, Joel Roemhild, Paul Danovsky

## Altar Guild

Sep: Lori Bekkum, Beth Novotney, Jacque Bowell



## Acolytes

Sep 7: TBD  
Sep 14: Jacob Clark  
Sep 21: TBD  
Sep 28: TBD

## Lawn Mowing

Aug 17-30: Ron Peshaw

Aug 31-Sept 13: Randy & Peggy Schutz

Sept 14-27: Ken Carlsrud

Sept 28-Oct 11: Bill Fisher

## Communion Bread

Sandy Wheeler



## Fellowship Servers

Sep 7: TBD  
Sep 14: Jacob Clark  
Sep 21: TBD  
Sep 28: TBD



## Sunday School Snacks

Sep 7: TBD  
Sep 14: TBD  
Sep 21: TBD  
Sep 28: TBD



## Crew Snacks

Sep 17: Trudie & Lonna



## Cake Bakers

Sep 7: Shirl Hetzel  
Sep 14: Carol Nusberger  
Sep 21: TBD  
Sep 28: TBD



## Altar Flowers

Sep 14: IMO our daughter Jessica's 1st Heavenly Birthday from Larry and Sandy Wheeler

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



# JULY FINANCIAL PAGE

## Budgeted Revenue:

Cash Loose	453.00
Regular Giving	3919.00
Simply Giving -General	6060.78
Vanco Credit Card Giving	271.46
Misc/Investment Income	12.35
Designated- Building	757.00
Designated- Missions	110.00
Scholarship	0.00
Total Revenue	11,583.59

## Budgeted Expenses:

Benevolences	128.55
Worship	75.63
Educational Ministry	0.00
Outreach Ministry	219.10
Personnel (NET)	11,552.41
Office	529.55
Facilities	1,821.32
Designated-Scholarship	0.00
Withholding	226.58
Total Expenses	14,553.14

## **This Month's Net Income \$(2,969.55)**

Prior Months Carried over	(9,024.52)
Year to Date Net Income	\$(11,994.07)

## Internal Transfers INTO General-Out of Budget

Transfers from Special	128.55
From Reserve	0.00
From Building	665.64
From Scholarship	0.00
Designated: Youth Savings	125.00
Design: Youth Checking	518.00
Design: WELCA	848.10
Design: Men in Mission	0.00
Design: Quilters	0.00
Design: Sunday School	0.00
Total Transfers INTO Gen	2,285.29

## Internal Transfers OUT of General-Out of Budget

Transfers to Special	422.35
To Reserve	0.00
To Building	757.00
To Youth Savings	125.00
To Youth Checking	518.00
To WELCA	848.10
To Men in Mission	0.00
To Quilters	0.00
To Scholarship	0.00
To Sunday School	0.00
Total Transfers Out of Gen	2,670.45

Total Net Transfers	\$(385.16)
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Reconciled Checkbook Balance Jun 30	\$ 4,945.93
Net Income + Net Transfers	(3,354.71)
Add Back Withholding	226.58
Reconciled Checkbook Balance Jul 31	1,817.80

## ***Simply Giving***

**\$ 7,090.78**

General	\$ 6,060.78
Building	\$ 720.00
Missions	\$ 110.00
Youth Mission	\$ 100.00
Youth General	\$ 100.00

## ***VANCO Credit Card***

**\$ 283.81**

General	\$ 271.46
Garden Fund	\$ 12.35

## **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  
[www.trinityboyceville.com](http://www.trinityboyceville.com)

Thank you for supporting Trinity!



## PRAYERS/THANKS/PASTORAL ACTS



### BAPTISMS

*Lincoln Del Vierling  
August 13, 2025*

### Our Prayer Concerns

Leona Steies	Gary Gilbertson
Ben Schlosser	Randee Mayer
Shannon Bauer	Shirley Mittlestadt
Jeanna Hollister	Kurtis Marlett
Tom Lohfink	Ashley Behling
Stub Swenson	Jennifer Marlett
Dick & Arlene Clack	Kayden Ebensperger
Melissa Holden	Amy Frieburg
Lynda Swenson	Kasen Iverson
Brian Moll	Lynda Bird
Kendra Kostman	Ken Larson
Kathy Joles	Saul Hedlund

### FUNERALS



### **What a fantastic Lunch & Pie Social!**

We had a great turnout at this year's social — over 200 people joined us, and together we raised more than \$2,300 for WELCA!

A huge thanks to everyone who helped and donated. A special shout out to our potato salad makers, our kitchen crew and servers, and our skilled pie bakers (42 pies...wow)!

And of course, thanks to all of you who came out to eat, chat, and enjoy a slice of pie (or two). It's always great to catch up and share this fun Trinity tradition together. Already looking forward to next year!

- Heather Clark & Katie Moll



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# Puzzle!

Use the words provided to complete the puzzle. Then write the numbered words in the correct blanks below to complete Psalm 67:6, NIV.

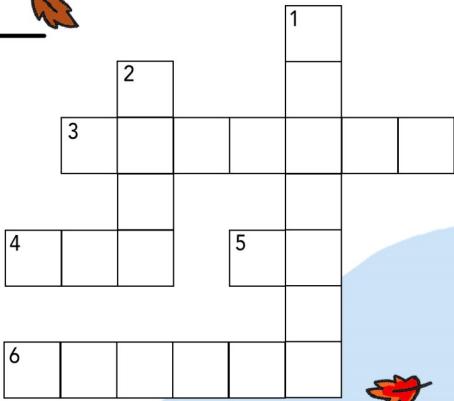
**WORDS:**

GOD, BLESSES, HARVEST,  
YIELDS, US, LAND



**ACROSS**

- 3. Rhymes with farthest.
- 4. Rhymes with nod.
- 5. Rhymes with thus.
- 6. Rhymes with fields.



**DOWN**

- 1. Rhymes with messes.
- 2. Rhymes with hand.

The \_\_\_\_\_

2

6

its \_\_\_\_\_ ; \_\_\_\_\_

3

4

our God, \_\_\_\_\_ .

1

5

Psalm 67:6, NIV



Answer: The land yields its harvest; God, our God, blesses us. Psalm 67:6, NIV

## sweet little sheep treats

Create adorable sheep using graham crackers, marshmallows, and a little imagination!

**What you need:**

- Graham cracker squares
- White frosting or marshmallow fluff
- Mini marshmallows
- Large marshmallows
- Candy eyes or mini chocolate chips
- Black gel icing or mini Oreo cookie



**What you do:**

1. Spread white frosting or marshmallow fluff on each graham cracker square.
2. Stick mini marshmallows all over to make the sheep's wool.
3. Cut a large marshmallow in half and stick it near the top for the head.
4. Add candy eyes and a dot of black gel for the nose. Or use a mini Oreo cookie half for a more defined face.
5. Let kids decorate their sheep however they'd like!



**Lesson tie-in**

Use this treat to remind kids that Jesus is our Good Shepherd.

I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep.

John 10:11, KJV



## FALL SERVICE GROUPS

2025 / September-December

Randy & Peggy Schutz 715-556-2247

Scott & Holly Coombs  
Stub & Linda Swenson  
Albert & Michelle Kelly  
Travis & Heather Duncan  
Bill & Julie Fisher  
Rebecca Johnson  
Joe & Carla Johnson  
Jerry & Noelle Krueger  
Leonard & Judy Krueger  
Ron & Deanna Steinberger  
Chad & Angie Maes  
Brian & Sandy Peterson  
Ken & Kris Calrsud  
Gary & Angie Gilbertson  
Larry & Cheryl Polenec  
Todd & Lisa Stuart  
Jeremy & Carrie Bartos  
Steve & Norma Stark

Brenda Dean 715-651-0388

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Steve & Jolene Bird  
Harold & Lavonne Anderson  
Barry & Heidi Guy  
Lenny & Christina Lange  
Jim & Melissa Keller  
Dale & Lori Behling  
Brad & Marlo Stevens  
Kyle & Brittany Lohfink  
Dennis & Beth Heifner  
Tyan Vandevrede  
Patrick & Paula Gretzlock  
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Brad & Amy Peterson  
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Kerby & Darlene Lee  
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Paul & Julie Wathke  
Mike & Chelsea Reitz  
Andrea Dominick  
Jolene Wolff  
Tony & Jacque Bowell  
Darryl & Sherry Seeger  
Darlene Schmidt  
Greg & Bridget Ellis  
Kathy Hanson  
Steve & Becky Nyhus  
Paul & Peggy Danovsky  
Paul & Jessica Lindstrom

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