

Trinity Lutheran Church and School

300 Broad Street
Menasha, WI 54952

Church Phone: (920) 722-2662 / **School Phone:** (920) 725-1715

Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00 am to 3:00 pm

Worship Services:

Saturday – 5:00 pm; Sunday – 9:00 am; Wednesday – 6:30 pm

Education Hour: Sunday - 10:30 am

In Person & Online Worship Service and Education Hour

Trinity's website: www.trinitymenasha.com

Services will continue to be available for live-streaming on Trinity's Facebook page, and for later viewing on YouTube. Check the church website for more details.

Important Dates:

November 2: Board Mtgs
November 3: Gallery Choir Practice
November 6: Food Pantry
November 9: Stewardship Mtg
November 9: Bd of Directors Mtg
November 13: Trinity's Holiday & Craft Bazaar
November 20: Food Pantry
November 24: Noon Dismissal
November 25 & 26: No School

Holy Communion

We are once again offering the choice of Common Cup or Individual Cup.



Dear Trinity Lutheran Church,

Thank you for your donation of 12 quilts, five blankets, eight sheets, 24 pillowcases and two rugs, which will make a difference in the lives of the people we serve.

Thank you, Trinity Lutheran Church!

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Trinity's Holiday Bazaar

Sat., Nov. 13th • 9 am-3 pm

300 Broad St. Menasha

Trinity Lutheran Church & School

See the Bazaar flyer in newsletter.

Stewardship Meetings

Nov. 1: 6:30 PM Stewardship Meeting SFH
Nov. 3: 9:00 AM Stewardship Meeting SFH
Nov. 6: 9:00 AM Stewardship Meeting SFH
Nov. 9: 6:30 PM Stewardship Meeting SFH
Nov. 12: 9:00 AM Stewardship Meeting SFH

Our Mission Statement:

Trinity Lutheran Church and School, Menasha, is a fellowship of Lutheran Christians being empowered by the Holy Spirit through the Word of God and His Sacraments to encourage, refresh, and strengthen both adults and children in the redemptive work of Jesus Christ, while sharing His love with those who do not yet know their Lord and Savior.



Senior Pastor:

† Rev. Steven S. Billings

Assoc. Pastor/Principal:

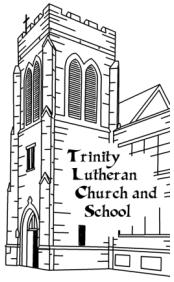
† Rev. Keith E. GeRue

Director of Music:

Mr. Tim Reuning

Organist:

Mrs. Nancy Lephart



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CHANGE SERVICE REQUESTED



November 2021 Newsletter



TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH - FINANCIAL REPORT SEPTEMBER 2021

	<u>BEGINNING BALANCE</u>	<u>DEPOSITS/INCOME</u>	<u>WITHDRAWALS/EXPENSES</u>	<u>ENDING BALANCE</u>
Nicolet General Fund	\$17,904.50	\$105,096.12	(\$69,982.16)	\$53,018.46
Nicolet Restricted Funds	\$142,620.49	\$4,856.21	(\$1,121.72)	\$146,354.98
LCMS Endowment Fund	\$124,531.40	\$7,918.37	(\$316.25)	\$132,133.52
LCEF Steward Fund	\$1,536.09	\$7,017.47	(\$7,414.10)	\$1,139.46
Nicolet Money Market	\$73,212.25	\$1.81	\$0.00	\$73,214.06
RBC Account	\$53,930.17	\$3,189.53	(\$140.00)	\$56,979.70
Nicolet Memorial Fund	\$9,164.87	\$300.70	(\$2,186.00)	\$7,279.57
Nicolet Office Acct	\$1,627.36	\$0.01	\$0.00	\$1,627.37
Nicolet Debts Repaid	\$5,389.24	\$0.28	(\$2,300.00)	\$3,089.52
Nicolet Think Tank	\$3,182.71	\$0.24	\$0.00	\$3,182.95
Nicolet Scrip	\$15,168.29	\$20,370.68	(\$34,735.09)	\$803.88
TOTAL	\$440,075.44	\$148,751.42	(\$118,195.32)	\$470,631.54
LCEF Mortgage (BOTR)	\$1,017,720.55		(7,414.10)	\$1,013,804.86

\$ SCRIP News \$

SCRIP is sold in the Church/School Office, Monday - Friday from 8:00 AM-3:00 PM, and in the narthex before and after worship services.

How to Order Scrip? Call the office Monday– Friday from 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM at (920) 722-2662 or email your order to: ChurchAdmin@trinitymenasha.com. They will put it together for you.

Kwik Trip Scrip is back to a 10 percent rebate... limited time only!

Fleet Farm Scrip—get yours now at a special 8 percent discount!

Church Treasurer Needed

Kari Lindner has informed me that she will be stepping down as the Treasurer of Trinity effective January 1, 2022.

I thank Kari for her service as Treasurer, using her time and talents to God's glory.

Kari is willing to train a replacement and help out until a new treasurer is selected.

If you have skills in accounting and feel moved by the Lord to take on this position, please contact Blain Henkel at (920) 729-4445.

YEAR 2, OCTOBER 2021

CALLED TO GO: KYIV, UKRAINE

*The newsletter of Amanda Groshek
(teaching English, sharing Jesus)*



Teams congregating as we get ready to kick off Fall Retreat 2021!

STAY IN TOUCH:

Email:

amanda.groshek@missionofchrist.org

Blog:

[Called to Go](#)
([on Wordpress](#))

CONVERSATIONS FROM THE CLASSROOM

Why do we study the humanities?

As my ninth grade lit class prepared to start reading "Lord of the Flies" by Golding we were talking about the author, who was a professor of humanities before joining the navy in the war. After discussing what subjects the humanities include -- art, music, history, literature, language and philosophy -- I asked the students to take a few minutes and reflect on *why do we study the humanities?*

Their answers included: we can learn from other's mistakes by studying history and possibly from reading novels, that art and music help us to express ourselves, that the humanities in general can help us learn about right and wrong, that learning these things teaches us about culture. All of these are good answers!

Building off of their answers, we then talked about: how literature and drama help us to be more empathetic, that art and music and language are all means of expression and how these things help us to connect to each other, because God didn't design us to live life alone but in community. We talked about art and music also help us appreciate beauty, and how God created a beautiful word for us to appreciate.



One of the ways that I was involved in Fall Retreat was for the 'Amazing Race' activity where I was playing piano.



Brilliant evening skies from my walk home

JESUS LOVES YOU

Chapel and Small Group

Small groups meet the last Wednesday of the month instead of there being a regular Wednesday chapel. Each of the middle through high school classes is divided into groups of boys and girls. The girls are assigned to a female teacher. The boys are assigned to a male teacher. The goal is for these groups to be a place where students feel comfortable and free to ask questions about God or life, a place to share the struggles and joys, and a place for students to grow in their faith.

This is something that was part of the school routine pre-COVID, but last year had to be cancelled because of COVID guidelines, so it's exciting to have them again!

I am with a group of middle schoolers. Because I am the person who dismisses everyone at the end of the day, we knew who each other were; but we've never had classes together, so the first part of this first small group of the year was spent getting to know each other. During the second half though, we got around to reflecting on things we'd been discussing in chapel over the month of September.

The theme of chapel this year is: Jesus loves you. I was interested to learn that all of the girls agreed that of all the messages from the Bible you could share with teens, they thought that this was the most important.



Some of the drama students and me

Prayer Requests:

- Thanksgiving for Fall Retreat, good conversations in and out of classrooms, and the ability to meet in small group!
- Thanksgiving for the student who asked if they could join me at church last Sunday and prayers for them as they continue growing in their faith.
- Prayers for good health for everyone and for students as they continue to grow in their faith and as the semester continues



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Isolation and Loneliness can lead to Depression

Courtesy of Eldercare locator



As we age, circumstances in our lives often change. We retire from a job; friends move away or health issues convince us to eliminate or restrict driving. When changes like these occur, we may not fully realize how they will affect our ability to stay connected and engaged and how much they can impact our overall health and well-being. What are the factors that put you at a great risk of isolation? 1) living alone; 2) mobility or sensory impairment; 3) major life transitions or losses; 4) low income or limited financial resources; 5) being a caregiver for someone with a serious

condition; 6) psychological or cognitive challenges; 7) inadequate social support; 8) rural, unsafe and/or inaccessible neighborhood; 9) transportation access challenges; 10) language barriers; and 11) age, racial, ethnic, sexual orientation and/or gender identity barriers.

We need social connection to thrive—no matter what our age—but recent research shows that the negative health consequences of chronic isolation and loneliness may be especially harmful for older adults. Older adults who describe themselves as lonely have a 59% greater risk of functional decline and a 45% greater risk of death. An estimated one in five adults over age 50—at least 8 million—are affected by isolation. Prolonged isolation can be as bad for your health as smoking 15 cigarettes a day. Other negative health conditions that occur from prolonged isolation and loneliness are: chronic health conditions such as heart disease, a weakened immune system, depression and anxiety, dementia (including Alzheimer's disease), admission to nursing homes and overuse of emergency services, and even death.

The good news is that with greater awareness, we can take steps to maintain and strengthen our ties to family and friends, expand our social circles and become more involved in the community around us. Having a social network that meets our needs means different things to each of us. We hope that this information we are discussing helps to motivate you to evaluate your situation and, if needed, take action to strengthen the relationships that matter the most to you. Don't forget—when you open up your world to new people, sharing your time, talents and wisdom, it's a win-win for you and your entire community.



Here are some actions you may want to consider taking to help you stay ahead of the “connection curve:”

- Invite people over for coffee or call them to suggest a trip to a museum or to see a movie
- Schedule a time each day to call a friend or visit someone
- Meet your neighbors—young and old
- Don't let being a non-driver stop you from staying active. Find out your transportation options. **(Making the Ride Happen – open Mon-Fri 8:30 am-4:30 pm, 888-200-0576)**
- Use social media, like Facebook, to stay in touch with long-distance friends or write an old-fashioned letter
- Stay physically active and include group exercise in the mix, like joining a walking club
- Take a class to learn something new and, at the same time, expand your circle of friends
- Revisit an old hobby you've set aside and connect with others who share your interests
- Volunteer to deepen your sense of purpose and help others
- Visit your local community wellness or senior center and become involved in a wide range of interesting programs
- Check out faith-based organizations for spiritual engagement, as well as to participate in activities and events
- Get involved in your community by taking on a cause, such as making your community more age-friendly.

Ladies Aid 2021 Schedule of Meetings/Events

Ladies of Trinity Congregation,

You are welcome to join us for any meeting or event. Our motto is "Serve the Lord with gladness." Psalm 100:2.

Our Ladies Aid mission statement is as follows: The Ladies Aid is a fellowship of women members of Trinity Lutheran Congregation of Menasha committed to serving our Lord, our congregation and our community while promoting and supporting relationships among women. The mission statement of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML) is to assist each woman of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod in affirming her relationship with the Triune God so that she is enabled to use her gifts in ministry to the people of the world. Listed below are our scheduled plans for the remainder of 2021.



You may contact anyone of our officers with any questions.

November 12, 2021 - Apple Pie Day at Kraus's

November 13, 2021 - Ladies Aid Pie and Bake Sale in conjunction with Trinity's Craft Fair

November 16, 2021 - 5:30 p.m. Ladies Aid/LWML Christmas Party at Mark's East Side, 1405 East Wisconsin Avenue, Appleton. Invite a friend!

December 4 & 5 / December 11 & 12 Annual Trinity Ladies Aid/LWML Cookie Sale

Sewing Group

Sewing at Trinity happens most Mondays from 9 a.m. to approximately 12 noon. You need no sewing experience and your time with us is flexible. Call Elaine Weinig (920-470-9090) or Ilene Anderson (920-574-2477) with questions regarding the sewing group.

We ask for prayers for our Ladies Aid/LWML that God would bless our efforts in serving Him, our Trinity Congregation, and our community!

Ladies Aid/LWML Officers:

President: Dottie Kraus (920-991-2705)

Vice President: Barbara Kester (920-722-3228)

Treasurer: Jane Stier (920-284-2937)

Secretary: Carol Evensen (920-725-5576)



Stewardship Small Group Meetings

The Board of Stewardship reminds each of you of the invitation to attend one of the "Sharing God's Blessings, Proclaiming His Gospel" small group meetings. Please respond to the letter or the contact from our Board Member. Thank those of you that have attended sessions to date and have given valuable feedback. Please keep the Holy Spirit's work through these sessions in your prayers.

From the School November 2021



EVENTS AROUND THE SCHOOL

Nov 1:	ALL SAINTS Day 4:00 pm Volleyball Party and Parent Game
Nov. 3:	8:45 am Chapel
Nov. 5:	1:30-2:30 Chapel Family Card Making 2:45 – 3:15 pm Electives 2 Popcorn Friday
Nov. 8-9:	NO SCHOOL N/S Teachers Conference
Nov. 10:	8:45 am Chapel
Nov 11:	Veterans Day Assembly and Lunch
Nov. 12:	2:45 – 3:15 pm Electives
Nov 14:	9am Worship – School Sings and Chimes
Nov 15-22:	Food Drive
Nov 15:	5pm Parent Dinner and School Update
Nov 16:	3:45 pm Basketball Practice Tom's Dining out 4-8pm
Nov. 17:	8:45 am Chapel
Nov 18:	3:45 pm Basketball Practice
Nov. 19:	2:45 – 3:15 pm Electives 2 Popcorn Friday
Nov 23:	Thanksgiving Lunch 3:45 pm Basketball Practice
Nov. 24:	8:45 am Chapel Noon Dismissal
Nov 25-26:	Thanksgiving Break



“Where Does Thankfulness Come From?”
Luke 17:11-19

A typical Thanksgiving sermon goes something like this: We should be thankful. We are not thankful - or, not enough anyway. So be thankful! Amen.

That doesn't work very well, though. We know what we should do. We know how we should be. But why are we like that? Why do many fail at thanksgiving every other day but Thanksgiving? Why has the art of the thank you note vanished? Why do we so often forget to give thanks, for one another, for what we have been given?

Perhaps the answer lies in what makes Thanksgiving Day so successful one day a year. What happens on this day that makes it special and unique and sets it apart from all other days?

Well, it is, they say, the busiest travel time of the year. People go home. We go to be with family. We leave our isolation and our inward focus for a day or two to be with others and focus on them. We share ourselves and give of ourselves. On this day, time isn't the enemy or something to beat, but something to share. We make an effort for others - to cook for them, to be there with them, to tell them that we appreciate them. And it's right. It feels right. Like the way things should be. Because it is.

So, it seems that thankfulness is something we cannot do well by ourselves in isolation. Thankfulness is best done with others, is best shared with others, and when we share with others - sharing ourselves and what we have.

Which is why, I think, in our increasingly individualistic and isolated world, where friends are virtual, names are a list in our contacts, phones are answered by machines or voice mail, and conversation is by text . . . where we are together less and less, no wonder thankfulness is such a rare commodity these days.

But it's not only that we have squeezed each other out of our lives - how often does God, too, get squeezed out? Our knowledge of the world and how things work in nature and medicine and science means that God is not looked to so much anymore for what we need. The rain doesn't come from God but from that low pressure system making its way across the country. The harvest comes from genetically engineered seeds, precision GPS guided plowing and reaping, and well-timed irrigation. My healing comes from a pill or an operation or stem cells re-creating in our bodies what time and disease have taken away. And in such a picture, God is so very far away - from my thoughts, from my life, from my reality. He is not in my mind, and so am I even in His? And so giving thanks? Well, it's just not in the picture.

But then something goes wrong. Rains become floods, the harvest comes in short, the medicine doesn't work, and sickness becomes death. And then we wonder why is God so far away? But that's where we've put

Him, isn't it?

But then what happens? Communities come together to help those effected by natural disaster. We give to the needy. Families come together to mourn. And thanksgiving blossoms again, in the midst of struggle and hurt. Because in the midst of these we are forced out of our individual and isolated lives and put together again. And we focus on others. We share ourselves and give of ourselves. We make an effort for others. And it's right. It feels right. Like the way things should be. Because it is.

It's why people who have lost everything are often so thankful. In the midst of something gone horribly wrong, there is something right. And we see the hand of God at work for us. The hand that wasn't not there before - it most certainly was. We were just blinded to it. By our sin. By our stuff. By our success. By our bounty. So how fortunate when what is blinding us is then taken away, and we see again. And give thanks.

Perhaps that is what happens on Thanksgiving. Or at least, part of it. We see again. We see each other again. As not just as a name on a list or a friend with a like, but as gifts from God.

And so it was on the road that day that marked the border between Samaria and Galilee. A traveler came and broke the isolation of ten lepers. God in the flesh, come to be with His people. Not a God far away, but a God near. To share Himself and give of Himself. To give healing and life. And a Samaritan, an outsider among the Jews and an outcast because of his leprosy, got not only the gift of healing, but a family of faith. Someone who came to be with Him. And so there is thanks.

And it is this same God in the flesh, God with us, who then traveled the road to Jerusalem, to give more. To ascend the cross to give Himself and His life for us. For the forgiveness of our sins. That we be His family of faith. To be not a God far away (which, in fact, He never is), but a God near. God with us.

And so, this same God of life comes to be with us. God in flesh and blood, come to be with us. Our God now preached into our ears and placed into our mouths. To share of Himself and give of Himself. To give us the healing of forgiveness and life eternal. And we sinners receive not only these gifts, but a family of faith. And so there is thanks. Thanks be to God!

Thankfulness that we then share with others. Not because it is a rule or something we have to do, but because that's what thankfulness does. It is not an isolated thing, but a shared thing. It is joy that is shared. It is giving what we have received. It is living in the image of God. And we know, this is right. The way things should be.

It is what the Philippians did with Paul. Paul didn't ask for their help, but they couldn't do otherwise. And though far apart in distance, they were close in heart and

faith. And so there is giving, sharing, thanksgiving.

And so it is good that we have a day set aside for this, to help us see again. To help us learn again thankfulness and how it is. A day not to be the only day of thanksgiving, but the first of many. The model that can help us make everyday a day of thanksgiving and a life of thanksgiving. A day to see again the God who is near, the God who has given us all, and who won't stop. So that we, too, can give of ourselves and share ourselves and so regain the thankfulness and joy we seem to so often lose. Or at least misplaced. Until we see our place in Jesus again. Until we see His place on the cross again, where all is made right again. The way things should be. Right with God in Jesus, so we can be right with each other in love.

And we bless the Lord for His steadfast love.

In the Name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



Salute to the Veterans Let Trinity Lutheran School thank you properly

Let Trinity Lutheran School thank you properly
VETERAN'S APRECIATION Thursday, November 11th, is
Veteran's Day. We will acknowledge what God has done
through veterans for us in our 10:30 am assembly. Join us for
a presentation in honor of our Military Veterans performed
by the students of Trinity School

Trinity Lutheran School

300 Broad Street

Menasha, WI 54952

10:30am on November 11

Following the presentation, enjoy a free lunch to thank you
for your service to our country.

Please call Trinity's office to RSVP for lunch by:

November 5, 2021

(920) 725-1715



TRINITY'S HOLIDAY

BAZAAR & SILENT AUCTION

SAT. NOV. 13TH 9AM-3PM

300 BROAD ST. MENASHA

Trinity Lutheran Church & School



Ladies Aid
Pie & Bake Sale



Brat Fry & Chili



Cinnamon Rolls
& Coffee



Make Your Own Bracelet
Or Christmas Ornament



School
Fundraiser



Homemade Crafts
Kits & Supply Sale!

\$1.00 Room

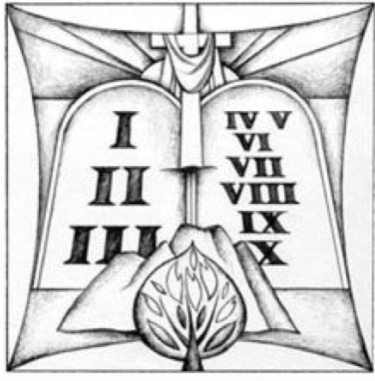


Everything is a Dollar

Color Street Nail Booth *Noelle Webber*

Mary Kay Cosmetics Booth *Barb Sexmith*

Rosey's Schtuff *Rosemary Collingwood*



Catechetical Comments

A Series

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

This month we continue our look at The Close of the Commandments:

What does God say about all these commandments? He says, “I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, punishing the children for the sin of the fathers to the third and fourth generation of those who hate Me, but showing love to a thousand generations of those who love Me and keep My commandments.” [Ex. 20: 5–6]

What does this mean? God threatens to punish all who break these commandments. Therefore, we should fear His wrath and not do anything against them. But He promises grace and every blessing to all who keep these commandments. Therefore, we should also love and trust in Him and gladly do what He commands.

Question 82. *What has original sin done to human nature?*

Original sin

A. has brought guilt and condemnation to all people

The *Catechism 1991* now poses this question: “What has original sin done to human nature?” It answers the question first by saying that original sin “has brought guilt and condemnation to all people.”

In support of this it sets forth the following Scripture passages:

Rom. 5:19 – By the one man’s disobedience the many were made sinners.

Eph. 2:3 – [We] were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind.

Original sin has not only left an indelible mark upon mankind, it has repositioned our entire race in relation to God, separating us from the natural intimacy we once enjoyed.

Imagine being born to royalty. The Queen was your grandmother, the Prince and Heir to the Throne your father. You awoke each day

to palatial surroundings and played upon the knees of the most powerful people in all the land. Your wishes and desires held the attention of those who could fulfill all your cravings with a snap of their fingers. Oh, what a world you were born into!

But one day an evil thought entered your juvenile brain and shattered your innocence. You not only wanted to be cared for by the heirs of power; you wanted to *be* the heir of power. Indeed, you wanted that power for yourself . . . and you wanted it *now*. And you were willing to take drastic action to get it.

What do you think would happen if your desire to unseat the ruling authorities were to become known? *Banishment* just might be the result of your murderous intentions. *Treason* would be the charge and *death* would be the penalty. You and all your descendants would lose forever the gilded life you had lived.

This is what happened in the Garden. Adam and Eve, who once walked with God, rebelled against Him and lost the position of favor the King once lavished upon them. They, and all their descendants were banished from the presence of God.

But, wait! There’s more to our story.

It was no dispassionate ruler from whom your actions had separated you. No, it was your own family, your own blood, those who

loved you from the day you were born. What would Grandmother the Queen not do to restore you? As hurtful as your evil thoughts toward her may have been, the thought of losing you forever would be unbearable. Plans would be made, actions would be taken, to bring you back into the family.

Of course, there would be a price. The Law is the law, and without it chaos reigns, putting the entire kingdom in jeopardy. No, this would have to be done in the proper way. Simply pretending that nothing had happened would not suffice. You wanted the death of Grandma the Queen and your parents. This could not go unpunished. A crime so severe requires a punishment as severe. Oh, what a dilemma your sin had created!

Of course, we know how God solved the dilemma the sin of Adam and Eve created. Yes, the punishment had to be meted out in order to avoid the chaos of lawlessness, but their restoration and that of their descendants had to be procured. What was God our Father to do?

Forward stepped the eternal Son, who offered to suffer the punishment on our behalf, thus satisfying divine justice, preserving good order in the kingdom, and restoring the lost to their loving God.

It was an ingenious plan! It was not without its challenges, however. Jesus, God's only Son, had to take our punishment, to suffer the agony of the cross and the grave. It was an unimaginably gruesome ordeal, but it was necessitated by two things: 1) the sinful rebellion of mankind, and 2) the unsurmountable love of our gracious God and Father. Abiding lawlessness was not an option, but neither was living without us.

Original sin put God in a terrible predicament. It took tenacious love, divine genius, and the willingness of our Eternal Elder Brother, Jesus, to mend what sin had torn.

More on the effects of *original* sin next month. ✝

Humbly in His service,
Rev. Steven S. Billings
Senior Pastor



Ladies Aid/LWML Bake Sale

(IN CONJUNCTION WITH TRINITY'S HOLIDAY BAZAAR)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2021

It's that time of year again when we dream of wonderful baked pies, breads, cookies and more; that's what's in store for you at the Trinity Ladies Aid/LWML Bake Sale on Saturday, November 13. Because of the very high cost of apples, pecans, and scarcity of such items as pumpkin, we will ask you to order your pies ahead of time for pickup at *THE BAKERY BOOTH on November 13.*

The **following pies** can be ordered with **PICK UP between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. at the Bakery Booth on November 13:**

APPLE (2 crust or crumb crust) \$15

KEY LIME (graham cracker) crust \$10

PECAN or WALNUT \$15

PUMPKIN \$10

The **following pies/cake** can also be ordered, and **you pick the date for PICK UP between October 18 & November 19:**

CHERRY \$15

BLUEBERRY \$15

LEMON MERINGUE \$15

CUSTARD (with or without coconut \$10)

ANGEL FOOD CAKE (from scratch, unfrosted) \$13

To place your pie and cake orders, call or email Dottie Kraus @ 920-991-2705 / rkraus001@gmail.com.

There will be an array of other wonderful breads, cookies, bars, jams, muffins, etc. for you to purchase at the November 13 HOLIDAY BAZAAR BAKE SALE.




TO ALL YOU WONDERFUL TRINITY BAKERS, WE WELCOME YOUR DONATIONS OF BAKERY, JAMS ETC. PLEASE BRING YOUR DONATIONS TO THE GYM ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12 BETWEEN 8 A.M. AND 5 P.M. OR SATURDAY MORNING NOVEMBER 13, AFTER 8 A.M. Please place your items on the tables in front of the stage. We thank you!

ALL PROCEEDS OF THE BAKE SALE WILL GO FOR MISSIONS AND TRINITY CHURCH AND SCHOOL PROJECTS.



November 2021



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	ALL SAINTS DAY 1 Pastor's Sabbath 9 AM Sewing 4 PM Volleyball Party & Parent Game 6 PM Prayer Time 6:30 PM Women's BS 6:30 PM Stewardship Mtg - SFH	2 6:30 AM Ladies BS 6:30 PM Board Mtgs	3 8:45 AM Chapel 9 AM Stewardship Mtg - SFH 5 PM Catechism 6:30 PM Worship 7 PM Gallery Choir Practice	4 6 AM Men's BS	5	6 9 AM Food Pantry 9 AM Stewardship Mtg - SFH 5 pm Worship
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28 9 AM Worship 10:30 AM Ed Hour In-Person/Online	29 Pastor's Sabbath 9 AM Sewing 6 PM Prayer Time 6:30 PM Women's BS	30 6:30 AM Ladies BS 4:30 PM Basketball @ FVCA Neenah	SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES AT TRINITY: Pre-K through 6 th Grade Sunday School 10:30 AM - Classrooms Young Adult Bible Study with Pastor GeRue 10:30 AM - Conference Room Adult Bible Study with Pastors Billings & Alliet 10:30 AM – Large Fellowship Hall			



Serving Our Lord with Gladness - November 2021

Senior Pastor: Rev. Steven S. Billings

Associate Pastor/Principal: Rev. Keith E. GeRue

Worship Date/Time	Acolyte Serving	Elder on Duty	Usher Captain	Greeter	Altar Guild
Nov. 3 6:30 pm			Reinke/Diesch		Zeinert, Jean
Nov. 6 5:00 pm Nov. 7 9:00 am Nov. 10 6:30 pm	N/A	Harrmann, Tom Thomas, Craig	Harrmann, Tom Weinig, Lee Reinke/Diesch	Kamprath, Liz	Conradt, Phil&Mary Burrows, Gail Zeinert, Jean
Nov. 13 5:00 pm Nov. 14 9:00 am Nov. 17 6:30 pm	N/A	Harrmann, Tom Thomas, Craig	Maynard, Jerry Sexmith, Steve Reinke/Diesch	Kester, Barb Collingwood, Rosemary	Conradt, Phil&Mary Burrows, Gail Evensen, Carol
Nov. 20 5:00 pm Nov. 21 9:00 am Nov. 24 6:30 pm	N/A	Harrmann, Tom Thomas, Craig	Colby, Lee Collingwood, Dave Reinke/Diesch	Zeinert, Jean Nielsen, Jane	Conradt, Phil&Mary Burrows, Gail Zeinert, Jean
Nov. 27 5:00 pm Nov. 28 9:00 am	N/A	Voigt, Roger Thomas, Craig	Colby, Lee Wittmann, Jim Reinke/Diesch	Schultz, JoAnn Sexmith, Barb	Conradt, Phil&Mary Kislewski, Jackie

Church Office Hours:

Monday-Friday - 8am-3pm

Jean Zeinert & Mary Conradt, Church Administrative Assistants

Phone: (920) 722-2662 ext. 201

email: ChurchAdmin@trinitymenasha.com

Looking for donations for the Silent Auction Items, For Trinity's Holiday Bazaar!!

New or fairly new items (good condition)

Fall & Christmas Items or Décor

Sport Memorabilia/Hobby Collections/Artistic Creation

Assembled theme Items & Baskets

All items can be appealing to Men, Women & Children

Art Items / Homemade Crafts/ Kits & Craft Supplies /
Beads

Household / Men's Items (Tools) / miscellaneous Stuff

**Larger items of choice, need to be approved. Contact
Sally Bolen, 920-422-2054 for approval.**

**Drop off items at Trinity Lutheran Church
300 Broad Street, Menasha
by November 12th at 3:00pm. Enter at
Door 7, put items in the gym.**

THANK YOU!

I want to say thank you to all for the cards, phone calls from near and FAR and the many prayers during my recent surgeries and recovery's. This has been an interesting journey to say the least.

Thank you all again for your continued prayers and thoughts.

Jerry Peotter

Dear Trinity Family,

A very heartfelt thank you to my Trinity Family for all the thoughts, prayers and many beautiful cards and numerous phone calls. A special thank you to Pastor Billings for his visits with communion and prayers. Your kindness is all so much appreciated and holds a special place in my heart, which will always be remembered. I am so blessed to be a part of this Trinity Family with so much love. God Be Praised and Loved Forever and Ever with Our Whole Heart. God bless you all.

Lana Gast

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES- NOVEMBER

11/10 WIECK, Loni & Jacob
 11/11 MIES, Donna & Robert
 11/12 KOBBS, Justin & Rachel
 11/13 BAEHMAN, Duane & Kathryn
 11/13 KAYE, Gary & Teresa
 11/16 MAYNARD, Jerry & Ellie

11/18 FLATER, Robert & Karon
 11/25 EDWARDS, David & Karen
 11/26 WILKE, Rita & Duaine
 11/28 KOHLER, Donna & Edward
 11/29 SCHAEFER, LeRoy & Mercedes



BIRTHDAYS - NOVEMBER

11/03 MILLER, Nicolette
 11/04 CORRENTE, Dominic
 11/05 DAHMS, Nathan
 11/05 VITEK, Rudy
 11/06 SCHRAMPFER, Alexander
 11/07 MAHONEY, Julian
 11/08 BATES, Abbie
 11/08 CORRENTE, Courtney
 11/08 DURKEY, Judith
 11/08 MAYNARD, Jerry
 11/09 BILLINGS, Rev. Steven
 11/09 DIESCH, Jacqueline
 11/10 PETERSON, Chantay
 11/10 SCHMIDT, Craig
 11/11 KOHLER, Linda

11/13 RATZBURG, Brian
 11/14 BARTELME, Linda
 11/14 VOSTER, Beverly
 11/17 MODERSON, Ailene
 11/18 BROWN, Mackenzie
 11/19 REUNING, Tim



11/19 TUYLS, Caleb
 11/21 HEID, Janine
 11/22 NIELSEN, Rebekah
 11/22 TUYLS, Lauryn
 11/23 WEINIG, Adina
 11/24 CLEVELAND, Jackson
 11/24 KAMPRATH, Timothy
 11/25 MANTEUFEL, Lyanna
 11/27 LAWRENCE, Samuel
 11/28 BURSACK, Michael
 11/28 KOHLER, Donna
 11/29 SCHMIDT, April
 11/29 VANDEN HEUVEL, Jacinda
 11/30 STOLZMAN, Thomas

✠ Trinity Membership Update ✠



New Members/Transfers In:

Released/Transfers Out:

Baptisms:

Weddings:

Members Who Have Passed:

Allie Jo Mansfield

²⁵For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last He will stand upon the earth. ²⁶And after my skin has been thus destroyed, yet in my flesh I shall see God. Job 19:25-26