



April 23 & 24, 2022 Weekly Bulletin

Senior Pastor: Rev. Steven S. Billings

Principal/Associate Pastor: Rev. Keith E. GeRue

Church (920) 722-2662, School (920) 725-1715

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



✠ This Week at Trinity ✠

Saturday, April 23:

Pastor GeRue's Sabbath

Brat Fry: 7:30 AM-5:00 PM

1031 Antelope Trail Ct, Neenah

5:00 PM Worship Service In-Person & Online

Sunday, April 24:

9:00 AM Worship Service In-Person & Online

10:30 AM Sunday School / Ed Hour In-Person & Online

Monday, April 25:

SCHOOL & REGULAR OFFICE HOURS RESUME

Pastor Billings' Sabbath

6:00 PM Prayer Time

6:30 PM Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, April 26:

6:30 AM Ladies Bible Study

3:45 PM Running Club

Wednesday, April 27:

8:45 AM Chapel

5:00 PM Catechism

6:30 PM Worship Service In-Person & Online

Thursday, April 28:

6:00 AM Men's Bible Study

3:45 PM Running Club

Friday, April 29:

Midterm & Popcorn Friday

2:45 PM Electives

Saturday, April 30:

Pastor GeRue's Sabbath

5:00 PM Worship Service In-Person & Online

Sunday, May 1:

9:00 AM Worship Service In-Person & Online

10:30 AM Sunday School & Ed Hour In-Person & Online

✠ We Pray For... ✠

Ray Schroeder, Laverne Werth, Jill Thomas, Michael Burns, Carla Watson, Peter Keller, Lorna Forbes, Dorothy Wirth, Karen Lambert, Liz Swaney, Shannon Braun, Ronald Virchow Sr., Rose Kosloski, Pr. Ronald Meier, Joan Reinke, Michael Hastings, Merle Webber, Joyce Virchow, Jeff Dionne, Donna Mies, Kathy Rigotti, Dianne Olsen, Frank Erdmann, Shirley Fleischer, Dan Schael, Lana Gast, Sandy Rammer, Scott Steenepoorte, Norb Pomerence, Judy Krause, Lynn Olson, Rev. Jerry Stecker, Dominic Hall, Sam Koch, LuAnn Ratzburg, David Cotter, Laurel Wirth, and Lucille Bricco., the family of Wilma Gast,.

Holy Communion

We ask that those desiring to commune be members in good standing of Trinity or of a sister congregation of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. If you have questions regarding this, please speak with one of the Pastors.



A Memorial gift was given to Trinity in memory of Kent Schwerbel.

News, Events, Requests, Etc.

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Altar Flowers

Altar flowers are given to the glory of God by the Altar Guild.

This Weekend's Banners

"Rejoice" & "Alleluia"

\$ Current Finances \$

Monthly Income Needed: **\$75,637**

Income as of April 17: **\$43,447**

Trinity's Food Pantry

Trinity's Food Pantry serves those in need in the Fox Cities.

You can continue to provide for our Pantry distribution. Currently, the following non-perishables are needed—Paper Products, Pudding/Jell-O, Toothpaste, Yellow Mustard, Tuna, and Soup Crackers. If you or someone you know would benefit from the Food Pantry, please call Steve Reinke at (920) 540-5090.

Bible Study Opportunities At Trinity Lutheran Church:

10:30 AM Sunday School – Pre K-6th Grade begins in the Second Floor Choir Room

10:30 AM Sunday – "Community. We are not alone." with Rev. Alliet & Rev. Billings (In Person & Online) - Large Fellowship Hall

10:30 AM Sunday – Young Adult Bible Study (7-8th Grades, High School & College Students) "Isaiah 40-55" with Rev. GeRue - Conference Room

10:45 AM Sunday – Book of Isaiah with Blaine Henkel—Narthex Conf. Room

6:30 PM Monday – Women's Bible Study, "Joy: A Study of Philippians" by Deb Burma, with Connie Henkel, Large Conference Room

6:30 AM Tuesday – Ladies Bible Study, 12 Ordinary Men: How the Master Shaped His Disciples for Greatness, and What He Wants to Do with You with Dottie Kraus

6:00 AM Thursday – Men's Bible Study, Book of Romans with Steve Reinke, Large Conference Room

For more information, please get in touch with the contact person listed above, or contact the church office.

✠ Stewardship Lesson ✠

John 20:19 – "On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.'" Fear is the opposite of faith. That is, the kind of cringing fear we have in the face of something that is hostile to us and more powerful than we are. Jesus spends a lot of His time telling the disciples to not be afraid. Our fears constantly hem us in and prevent us from following the Lord's will. But there is no need to fear. Jesus has conquered. No fear can keep us locked up. We have been set free by Jesus for lives that declare His marvelous deeds.

Prayer Chain

Barbara Kester is head of the Prayer Chain. If you desire prayers for yourself or someone else, please call Barbara at (920) 722-3228.

Lost & Found

Our lost and found basket is in the narthex by the coat racks. Please check here if you left something at church.



Circuit-Wide Ascension Day Service

On **Thursday, May 26th** the congregations of our Circuit will gather to celebrate the Ascension of Our Lord. The service will take place at **7:00 P.M. Trinity Lutheran Church, 370 Bowen Street, Oshkosh, WI**, will serve as host. Pastor Steve Billings, Pastor at Trinity, Menasha, WI will be our guest preacher. There will be a Mass Choir made up of choirs from congregations of the Circuit. Pastors of our Circuit congregations will be participating in the service.

The offering, to be gathered as you enter the sanctuary and to be presented to the Lord as a part of the service, will be divided in half – half to provide Bibles to a congregation in Vietnam and half to Ukraine Relief.

Come and join fellow brothers and sisters in Christ of our Circuit in celebrating this great event of our Lord Jesus Christ and of His Church.

Ascension Service Choir

Trinity Lutheran Church in Oshkosh is looking for people who would like to be in the Ascension Service Choir on May 26 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Oshkosh. Contact our choir director, Tim Reuning, if you are interested (920) 507-0062 in participating.

\$ SCRIP News \$

SCRIP is sold in the Church/School Office Mon.-Fri. from 8:00AM-3:45PM, and in the narthex before and after worship services.

How to order Scrip? Call the office Mon.- Fri., or email your order to: ChurchAdmin@trinitymenasha.com. They will put it together.

Fleet Farm Scrip—get yours now at a special 10 percent discount!

Kwik Trip Scrip— 10 percent rebate!

LOCK-IN

for 5th – 8th Graders

On

Friday, April 29 at 7:00 PM until Saturday, April 30 at 7:00 AM

At

**Trinity Lutheran School
300 Broad Street
Menasha, WI 54952**

Call Pastor GeRue by Monday April 25th at 920-886-1077 to reserve a spot

Bible Study, Fun, Games, Pizza, Snacks, and Drinks will all be provided.

There is NO Cost to those who attend.

✠ Serving Our Lord Next Weekend ✠

Saturday, April 30:

Elder on Duty: *Tom Harrmann*

Usher Team: *Jerry Maynard*

Communion Assistant: *Dan Siebert*

Altar Guild: *Paula Reichert*

Sunday, May 1:

Elder on Duty: *Bruce Gast*

Usher Team: *Steve Sexmith*

Communion Assistant: *Steve Sexmith*

Altar Guild: *Gail Burrows*

Wednesday, May 4:

Elder on Duty: *Tom Harrmann*

Usher Team: *Steve Reinke/Bill Diesch*

Communion Assistant:

Altar Guild:

*A Very Special Thank You
to all for helping make the
Easter Breakfast a success.*



✠ SCHOOL NEWS ✠

“In All Things” **ALL We Need to Know** John 20:19-31

“Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name” (JOHN 20:30–31).

Does the Bible tell me everything that Jesus did during His earthly ministry? No. Our Bible reading shares, “Jesus did many other signs ... which are not written in this book.” There would not be enough books to cover all the details of who Jesus is and what He did. The Bible was not written to tell us everything that happened in the history of the world since God created the world. The Bible was not written to tell us every little detail about the life of Jesus. For example, the Bible doesn’t tell us the details of Jesus’ childhood or teenage years growing up in Nazareth. Except for a few incidents after Jesus’ birth, we don’t hear anything about Jesus’ life until He is 30 years old.

Does the Bible tell us everything we need to know to be saved? YES! Our passage tells us, “These are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.”

The Bible tells us about the fall into sin and our need for a Savior. The Bible tells us that we are lost without knowing Jesus. The Bible tells us about Jesus’ perfect fulfillment of God’s promises. The Bible tells us that Jesus came as the perfect sacrifice for our sins. It tells us about His crucifixion and resurrection.

The Bible tells us that we don’t deserve and can’t earn our salvation. But God works faith in our hearts to believe in Jesus, “that by believing you may have life in his name.” Even if we were to read the Bible all day every day, we can never know or remember every detail of the story of

story of our salvation. Through God’s Spirit, we believe that Jesus died for us and rose again and that we have life eternal in His name. In the meantime, we keep reading and believing what God has written for us in the Bible.

All Things in Jesus’ Name

Heavenly Father, thank You for the truth of the Bible. We confess there are many details we don’t know and there are many things we forget. However, through the Spirit, You have given us the truth that Jesus is the crucified and risen Lord, and that by believing in Him we have life eternal. Use us to bring Your Words to others so that they, too, may have life. In Jesus’ name, Amen.



THANK YOU

Trinity’s Easter Breakfast

Thank You to everyone who assisted and attended Easter Breakfast. Together we raised about \$500 for Tuition Assistance.

