



April 26 & 27, 2025 Weekly Bulletin

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✝ This Week at Trinity ✝

Saturday, April 26:

5:00 PM Divine Service

Pastors' Appeal Celebration

Sunday, April 27:

9:00 AM Divine Service

Pastors' Appeal Celebration

10:30 AM Ed Hour/Sunday School

Monday, April 28:

School Resumes

Pastor Billings' Sabbath

9:00 AM Shelter Sewing

5:00 PM Adult Information Class

5:30 PM LWML Spring Rally at Peace Lutheran Church in Neenah

6:00 PM At Home Prayer Time

6:30 PM Women's Bible Study-Menasha Public Lib.

Tuesday, April 29:

6:30 AM Ladies Bible Study

6:30 PM Voters' Meeting

Wednesday, April 30:

5:00 PM Confirmation Class

Thursday, May 1:

6:00 AM Men's Bible Study

5:15 PM Handbell Rehearsal

Friday, May 2:

Saturday, May 3:

5:00 PM Divine Service

Sunday, May 4:

9:00 AM Divine Service

10:30 AM Ed Hour/Sunday School

MUSICAL OFFERING

Handbell Choir - *Allegro Maestoso* from the Water Music Suite - GFHandel

✝ We Pray For...✝

The Sick: Eileen Acker, Jared Bahn, Steve Baldauf, Deb Bartelme, Linda Bartelme, Linda Bayer, Mark & Jean Becker, Ronald Bielefeld, Lucy Brisco, Ken Brusda, Michael Burns, Bill Diesch, Jeff Dionne, Judith Durkey, Dave Edwards, Char Elliott, Russell Elliott, Sara Flater, Robert Flater, Shirley Fleischer, Lorna Forbes, Bruce Gast, Michael Hastings, Mary Howden, William Jahsman, Geri Johnston, Ken Kamprath, Brenda Kempf, Carla Kobs, Sandra (Sam) Kollman, Genevieve Larsen, Fritz Larson, Juniper Lenox, Bob Lephart, Michelle Mahoney, Alan & Deb Manteufel, Amy Martin, Phyllis Moran, Dianne Olsen, Larry Olsen, Chantay Peterson, Joan Reinke, Kathy Rigotti, Dan Schael, Raymond Schroeder, JoAnn Smoody, Mike Stapleton, Scott Steenepoorte, Liz Swaney, Artem Tabakaev, Brian Tobin, Elaine Trimberger, Joyce Tschirgi, Joyce Virchow, Merry Voigt, Ronald Voster, Kurt Wendler, LaVerne Werth, Dorothy Wirth, and Jim Zeinert.

Celebrating Birthdays: Marcus Biagini, Bruce Buksyk, Allison Corrente, Niclaus Dutter, Michael Emery, Kenneth Kamprath, Jozlynn Messenger, Andrew Reichert, Jackie Reuning, Bryce Sokel, Grayson Sokel.

Celebrating Anniversaries: David & Deborah Bartelme, Nicholas & Margaret Corrente.

For Those Grieving: The Family of Norman Wright.

Voters' Meeting:
Tuesday, April 29, 6:30 pm
Church Sanctuary
Topic: Stained Glass Restoration Project

News, Events, Requests, Etc.

Visit us at: www.trinitymenasha.com or
"Like" Us on Facebook.

Altar Flowers

The flowers this weekend are given by Tim Wirth in loving memory of his late wife, Laurel Wirth.

This Weekend's Banners

"Rejoice" & "Alleluia"

Daily Devotions Direct Link!

There is a link on our website that will give you direct access to Pastor Billings' Daily Devotion videos: <https://www.trinitymenasha.com/daily-devotions>.

Gluten-Free Hosts Available

If you prefer a gluten-free host for communion, please talk with one of the pastors before the service.

\$ SCRIP News \$

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

Prayer Chain

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

ADULT INFORMATION CLASS

Monday, April 28, 2025 • 5:00 PM

Holy Communion

Out of faithfulness to our Lord's Word and in love for all those who desire to commune, we practice closed communion. Our altar is open to those baptized Christians who confess oneness with us in doctrine, are communicant members of our congregation or a sister congregation of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and are not under church discipline in another congregation. If you are not a member of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, please speak to one of the pastors before approaching the altar.

BIBLE STUDIES

SUNDAY: "Ruth" with Pastors Billings & Alliet—SFH
10:30 AM

SUNDAY: "*What They Didn't Teach You in Sunday School*" with Pastor GeRue
10:30 AM
Conference Rm

MONDAY: **Women's Bible Study**
6:30 PM
"Sip, Savor, and Drink Deeply" by Deb Burma, Contact: Connie Henkel, Menasha Public Library

TUESDAY: **Ladies Bible Study**
6:30 AM
200 W Packard, Appleton
Contact: Dottie Kraus/All are welcome!

THURSDAY: **Men's Bible Study**
6:00 AM
"Paul's Letters to the Thessalonians"
Contact: Steve Reinke, Conference Room

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

Estate Preservation for the Next Generation

This session is designed for our clients and their adult beneficiaries to help address their concerns about aging parent. We encourage you to invite any or all of your beneficiaries to attend. This is sponsored by the Board of Outreach & Social Ministry and presented by Thrivent.

Tuesday, May 13, Holidays Pub & Grill

300 N Richmond St, Appleton

5:00 PM Doors open, buffet upon arrival

6:00 PM Exclusive webinar viewing

RSVP at: <https://bit.ly/May13EstatePlan>

If you've not had the chance yet,
please take your lilies from the
altar. Thank you!



THE
LUTHERAN CHURCH
MISSOURI SYNOD

✠ Serving Our Lord This Weekend ✠

Saturday, 5:00 PM, April 26:

Elder on Duty: David Little
Usher Team: Jerry Maynard
Communion Assistant: Dan Siebert
Altar Guild: Jean Zeinert
Greeter: Barbara Kester
Acolyte: Richie Sprouse

Sunday, 9:00 AM, April 27:

Elder on Duty: Joshua Fuchs
Usher Team: Jim Wittman
Communion Assistant: Ron Kraus
Altar Guild: Craig & Jill Thomas
Flower Delivery: Craig & Jill Thomas
Greeter: Connie Henkel
Acolyte: Robbie Kohler

Lamb Cake Sales—Many Thanks

Thank You ... to ALL who helped raise \$\$ in the Lamb Cake Fundraiser!! – You ordered Lamb Cakes! Thanks be to God – our TOTAL Lamb Cake Sales \$433.

Food Pantry

This month our Pantry is in need of **Canned Fruit**, Large Soup, Mac & Cheese, Hamburger Helper, Salad Dressing, Laundry Detergent and Dish Soap. If you have questions please call or text Steve Reinke at (920) 540-5090. Thank you for all that you do to support our Food Pantry!

LWML Zone 11 2025 Spring Rally

Remember God's Comfort

When: Monday, April 28, 2025
Registration: 5:30 PM with a lite salad supper. Open to all ladies.

Where: Peace Lutheran Church
1228 S Park Ave, Neenah WI 54956

Voters' Meeting—April 29, 2025

Please plan on attending this important meeting on Tuesday, April 29th, to provide your input and vote on the proposed Stained Glass Window Project. The agenda for the meeting is available in the Narthex.

✠ Serving Our Lord Next Weekend ✠

Saturday, 7:45 PM, May 3:

Elder on Duty: Robert Allen
Usher Team: Gast/Corrente
Communion Assistant: Steve Reinke
Altar Guild: Jean Zeinert
Greeter: Dan & Peggy Dahms
Acolyte: Payton Lenth

Sunday, May 4:

Elder on Duty: Michael Bekx
Usher Team: Dave Collingwood
Communion Assistant: Paul Collingwood
Altar Guild: Gail Burrows
Greeter: Rosemary Collingwood
Acolyte: Richie Sprouse

A Special Thank You



We wish to thank everyone who made our Easter Breakfast a success. There were so many of you that just walked in and asked, "How can we help?" Betsy Meverden made certain that our tables were beautifully reflective of the joy of Easter. Everyone's help made the breakfast such a blessing. Easter morning, we served 90 people. We hope and pray it was a blessing to you and your families also. The funds raised were \$358. Thank you all so very much!

The Stained-Glass Restoration Committee

ASCENSION SERVICE

May 29, 2025 • 7:00 PM

Peace Lutheran Church

1228 South Park Avenue, Neenah

**Guest Speaker: Reverend Al Bramstadt,
Pastor, Divine Savior, North Fond du Lac**

There will be a Mass Choir made up of choirs from Circuit congregations.

Let us come together to celebrate this great event in the life of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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 this book 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 Je-

sus, “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 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.

PRAYER

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.

SCHOOL SCHEDULE

April 28	Classes Resume 9:00 am School Devotion
April 29	9:00 am School Devotion 3:45 pm Running Club
April 30	9:00 am Chapel
May 1	9:00 am School Devotion 12:15 pm FVLHS Fox Meadows 1st-2nd
May 2	Trinity Oshkosh Track Meet 4th-8th Grades PS3-3rd Grade Field Day PS3-3rd Noon Dismissal
May 11-13	7th-8th Grade Chicago Trip

