

Trinity News and Notes

Pentecost
May 19th, 2024

SUNDAY 19th

Pentecost – Confirmation Sunday

9:00 a.m. Divine Service
10:30 a.m. Bible Study

MONDAY, 20th

8:30 a.m. Matins

TUESDAY 21st

Commemoration of Emperor Constantine, Christian Ruler and Helena, Mother of Constantine

8:30 a.m. Matins
9:15 a.m. OMT
7:00 p.m. Security Committee meeting

WEDNESDAY, 22nd

8:30 a.m. Matins
9:30 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Divine Service
7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer

THURSDAY 23rd

8:30 a.m. Matins
4:30 p.m. Private Confession & Absolution

FRIDAY 24th

Commemoration of Esther

8:30 a.m. Matins

SATURDAY 25th

Commemoration of Bede the Venerable, Theologian

SUNDAY 26th

9:00 a.m. Divine Service
10:30 a.m. Bible Study
1:30 p.m. *Misa en Español*

Looking Ahead...

- June 1-2 Lutheran Confession Series
- June 2, Baby Shower 3 p.m.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Our Sister Church: Lutheran Church of Uganda

Missionaries: Rev. Daniel & Kathryn Conrad and Rev. Dr. Quintin & Lindsay Cundiff

Pastors: Rev. Aaron Filipek and Rev. Daniel Metzger

Circuit Visitor: Rev. Mark Lovett

District President: Rev. Justin Panzer

Synod President: Rev. Matthew Harrison

Baptismal Anniversaries: Diana Mefford, Les Howard, Gil Holstein, Debbie Wellner, Louise Smith, and Mason Biehler

Training/Deployed in Our Armed Forces: Caleb Bartel, Dawson Bromlow, Keaton Wellner, Tori Myers, Jessica Myers

Our Schools: Concordia Academy, Euraquilo Christian Academy (VanSant Homeschool), St. Martin Chemnitz Classical Lutheran Academy (Filipek Homeschool), Luther Classical College, Concordia University St. Paul, CSL and CTSFW (LCMS seminaries)

Prayer Petitions: Dave Gird, (*Roxann's husband*), Rachel Lewis, (*Godchild of the Wortz's*), Forrest Combes, (*father of Bridget Schneider*), Andrea Springer, (*Christie Lewallen's sister-in-law*), Calvin Applegate, (*cousin of Kendall Patterson*), Linda Horn, (*friend of Linda Claypool*), Adam Froetschner, (*Jared's brother*), Stephanie Gilmore, (*Kirsten Bartel's mother*), Vicki Lessman, Kyle Menke, (*Pr. Metzger's relative*), Gayla Taylor, (*Wife of Joel Taylor*), Evie Meyers, (*Miriam Nickel's Daughter*), Matthew Hastings, Julia Lessman, (*granddaughter of the Lessmans*), Gary, (*brother of Angie Patterson*)

Mothers with Child: Hannah Magill

Birthdays: Eliza Herbert and David Ketteman

Wedding Anniversaries: Terry & Tina Fortine

Shut-ins: Amy Fox, Gil & Judy Holstein, Florence Lavery, Judy Rollins, Louise Smith, Mary Tomlinson

READINGS for next Sunday

~Holy Trinity ~

OLD TESTAMENT: Isaiah 6:1-7

EPISTLE: Romans 11:33-36

GOSPEL: John 3:1-15

ORATIO MEDITATIO TENTATIO: Our theological reading group meets next on **May 21, as follows: 8:30a.m. Matins; 9:15a.m. Reading Discussion; 11:15a.m. Prayer; 11:30a.m. lunch.** We will discuss selections of Luther’s political writings. Please see Pastor Filipek for the complete list.

HALL OF MEN meets the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month at 7:30pm at the Ladder (next to Eighth Day Books).

SISTERS OF SOPHIA meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm at the Ladder.

TRINITY PHOTO DIRECTORY Allen Herbert has secured camera equipment to take pictures of Trinity members for a church photo directory. Photography will begin at 8:00 a.m. on the stage in the Fellowship Hall. A sign-up sheet will be available in the narthex. Ten-minute time slots for families will be available before Divine Service and after Bible Study each week until May 26. Questions? Call Allen Herbert at (316) 737-5101. Please call the church office at (316) 685-1571 to sign up over the phone.

LUTHERAN CONFESSION SERIES JUNE 1-2: It has become commonplace upon death to have a funeral home director recommend both embalming and cremation. Almost all the dead are embalmed and over fifty percent of bodies are now cremated. What does scripture teach? Come to the 28th installment of Lutheran Confession Series and learn about these timely topics. Presenter will be Pastor Michael Brockman of Immanuel, Wichita.

BABY SHOWER! There will be a baby shower June 2 at 3 p.m. in Trinity Lutheran Church basement. Mom and baby are registered at Walmart.

KFL BABY BOTTLE PROJECT runs from **Mother’s Day to Father’s Day**. Each participating household receives a baby bottle on or before Mother’s Day, along with suggested prayers for life. Participants pray at home and place spare change, bills or checks inside the baby bottle. On or after Father’s Day, return baby bottles to Trinity. **Proceeds support pro-life educational efforts** of Kansans for Life **and selected pregnancy resource centers** in our state. Bottles are located in the narthex.

PSALMS BIBLE STUDY... LCMS Pastor Will Weedon will begin study this week on the Book of Psalms. The Word of the Lord Endures Forever is a daily 15-minute verse-by-verse Bible study produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL. You can listen at your convenience at thewordendures.org, Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, TuneIn, the LPR mobile app or a podcast provider.

LIMITED SPACE FOR “MAKING THE CASE” CONFERENCE... The 2024 Issues, Etc. “Making the Case” Conference begins in two months, and we only have room for 50 more attendees. The premier conference

<u>Trinity Financial Status</u> <i>Through March 2024</i>			
	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Contributions	\$ 69,106	\$ 68,917	\$ 188
Expenditures	\$ 59,450	\$ 68,917	\$ 9,467
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$ 9,655	\$ 0	\$ 9,655

for Christian laity is Friday, July 12 and Saturday, July 13 at Concordia University Chicago.

You can meet and hear the guests and speakers listed below.

Pastor Hans Fiene of *Lutheran Satire*

Pastor David Petersen of *Gottesdienst*

Dr. Jordan Cooper of *Just & Sinner*

12 Time All-American Swimmer **Riley Gaines**

Mark Hemingway of *RealClear Investigations*

Mollie Hemingway of *The Federalist*

Aaron Renn of *The American Conservative*

Pastor Bryan Wolfmueller of *Has American Christianity Failed?*

Pastor Chris Rosebrough of *Fighting for the Faith*

Pastor Will Weedon of *The Word of the Lord Endures Forever*

Registration is \$160 and includes three meals. [CLICK HERE](#) for more information.

SAFETY NOTE: For your safety and the safety of your belongings, please lock your vehicle before entering the Church. Don’t leave valuables (cell phones, purses) in car.

TRINITY POSITIONS OPEN: Please prayerfully consider offering a bit of your time to volunteer for one of the following positions: **Board of Trustees, Board of Evangelism, Hospitality Committee, Usher, Altar Guild, and Offering Counter.** Call the church office to volunteer, 316-685-1571

DONATE ONLINE! PayPal is set up for donations on our website. Questions? See Sheryl or Dick.

Those Serving at Trinity in May ...

Greeters: *The Lewallens*

Usher: *Sheryl A. & Keith B.*

Counters: *The Wortzes*

Acolyte: *Caleb Filipek*

Crucifer: *Caleb Filipek*

Altar Guild: *Marge Wortz*

Organist: *Hannah Magill*

Elder: *Allen Herbert*

Flowers: *The Unruhs*