

Trinity News and Notes  
Seventh Sunday of Easter ~ Exaudi  
June 1, 2025

**SUNDAY, JUNE 1<sup>st</sup>**

*Commemoration of Justin, Martyr*

8:25 a.m. Choir practice in Fellowship Hall  
9:00 a.m. Divine Service  
10:30 a.m. Bible Study  
3:30 p.m. Liturgical Living

**MONDAY, 2<sup>nd</sup>**

8:30 a.m. Matins

**TUESDAY, 3<sup>rd</sup>**

8:30 a.m. Matins

**WEDNESDAY, 4<sup>th</sup>**

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

**THURSDAY, 5<sup>th</sup>**

*Commemoration of Boniface of Mainz,*

*Missionary to the Germans*

No Matins or Private Confession ~ KS LCMS District  
Convention in Salina KS

**FRIDAY, 6<sup>th</sup>**

No Matins ~ KS LCMS District Convention in Salina KS

**SATURDAY, 7<sup>th</sup>**

12:30 p.m. Lutheran Confession Series XXIX  
Pastor Wingfield, presenting

**SUNDAY, 8<sup>th</sup>**

*Pentecost*

8:25 a.m. Choir practice in Fellowship Hall  
9:00 a.m. Divine Service  
10:30 a.m. Bible Study

***Looking Ahead...***

- June 10, Council meeting, 6 p.m.
- June 15, Elders' book study, 3:30 p.m.
- June 16, Prairie's Craft Club, 7 p.m.
- June 17, OMT, 9:15 a.m.
- June 17, Security Committee, 7 p.m.
- June 19, Elders' meeting, 7 p.m.

**PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

**Our Sister Church:** Evangelical Lutheran Free Church in  
Denmark (ELFD)

**Missionaries:** Rev. Daniel & Kathryn Conrad

**Pastors:** Rev. Aaron Filipek and Rev. Daniel Metzger

**Circuit Visitor:** Rev. Mark Lovett

**Circuit Visitor-Elect:** Rev. Michael Brockman

**District President:** Rev. Justin Panzer

**Synod President:** Rev. Matthew Harrison

**Baptismal Anniversaries:** Cliff Winter, Ken Lessman, Joel  
Reyes, and Madison Reyes

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

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

**Prayer Petitions:** Stan Magill, (*Hannah's father-in-law*),  
Scott Rachel, (*David VanSant's co-worker*), D.P.  
Fahrenthold, (*health & recovery*), Sharon Hastings, (*health*),  
Gregg Goscha, (*health*), Gayla Taylor, (*Wife of Joel Taylor*),  
Matthew Hastings, Julia Lessman, (*granddaughter of the  
Lessmans*), Gary, (*brother of Angie Patterson*)

**Birthdays:** Sharon Bacon

**Anniversaries:** David Kettelman & Mary Mattivi, Justin &  
Hannah Bostian, Ken & Vicki Lessman, Erin & Doug Stone,  
Aaron & Sharon Hastings, Joseph & Audrey Wohler, and  
Curt & Debra Engelbrecht

**Shut-ins:** Amy Fox, Karla Atkinson, Florence Lavery,  
Louise Smith, Mary Tomlinson

**READINGS for next Sunday**

*~Pentecost ~*

**OLD TESTAMENT READING:** Genesis 11:1-9

**EPISTLE:** Acts 2:1-21

**GOSPEL:** John 14:23-31

**ORATIO MEDITATIO TENTATIO:** Our theological reading group meets next on **June 17, as follows: 8:30 a.m. Matins; 9:15 a.m. Reading Discussion; 11:15 a.m. Prayer; 11:30 a.m. lunch.** We will discuss *The Christians as the Romans Saw Them*. New Haven and London, Yale University Press, 2003.

**CONTENDING FOR TRUTH IN AN AGE OF ANTI-TRUTH...** Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. Recent subjects include: Christian Silence, Scripture Alone, Christians in the Public Square, The Lutheran Worldview, Christian Peace, The Progressive Assault on the U.S. Constitution and more. You can listen at your convenience at [issuesetc.org](http://issuesetc.org), Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, TuneIn, the LPR mobile app and a podcast provider.

**LUTHERAN CONFESSION SERIES** Mark your calendars for June 7, 2025, as Pastor William Wingfield leads the 29th annual Lutheran Confession Series on hymnody. Divine Service starts at 12:30 p.m. followed by sessions by our speaker, Vespers, and a beer and brat supper.

**CHANGE FOR LIFE** Give hope to women in Derby and Wichita facing unexpected pregnancies. Pick up a baby bottle in the narthex. Fill it with change, cash, or checks, and return it to Trinity on Father's Day, June 15.

**CRAFT CLUB** On June 16, bring your own craft to work on and join us for an hour of fellowship and crafting fun in Trinity's fellowship hall at 7 p.m. Cookies and tea will be served; all ages welcome. Feel free to bring a friend. For more information, please contact Patricia or Prairie VanSant.

**CHOIR CONCERT** Immanuel Lutheran Church, 909 S Market, Wichita, is hosting the North Star Boys' Choir for a free sacred music concert on Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. The choir was founded in 2011 in Maple Grove, Minnesota and does a tour every summer. They are devoted to the traditional boy choir repertoire rooted in the European tradition, including sacred music of all periods, dating back to the 5th century, classical works, spirituals, and folk music from around the world. All are welcome!

**LUTHERANS FOR LIFE OF KANSAS ANNUAL MEETING** The Annual Meeting for Lutherans for Life of Kansas will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 26, 2025, at Immanuel Lutheran Church. The new Executive Director of Lutherans For Life, Rev. Dr. Aric Fenske, will be the featured speaker. Please mark your calendar and encourage church members, LFL chapter and team members, and friends and family to attend this special event. This is a great opportunity for us to meet other Lutherans for Life in Kansas and hear what our chapters, teams, our board, and the National LFL have been doing for LIFE at all ages and stages.

**Trinity Financial Status**  
**Through April 2025**

	<b><u>Actual</u></b>	<b><u>Budgeted</u></b>	<b><u>Variance</u></b>
Contributions	\$ 92,979	\$ 99,184	\$ (6,205)
Expenditures	\$ 93,463	\$ 99,184	\$ 5,721
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$ (484)	\$ 0	\$ (484)

**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.



**DONATE ONLINE!** Zeffy is set up for your donations to Trinity. Either scan the QR code or find a link on our website. Questions? See Amanda or Dick. You can choose your offering amount, or enter your own amount. You can even set it up to donate monthly! If you would like to add a small donation to Zeffy, you may, but it is not required. Enter your name and email address and that's it!

**FAIRMOUNT MINISTRIES**

- **6:47 Tuesdays @Fairmount!** continues weekly throughout the summer! Topics we are exploring: 'Adulting' -*what now?! - the spiritual practices of building a lifestyle.*
- **Save the Date!** The Gathering a benefit for Fairmount Ministries will be Oct. 16, 2025.
- **Follow Fairmount on Facebook & Instagram:** @FairmountMinistries and @FairmountCoffee

**Those Serving at Trinity in June ...**

**Greeters:** The Pattersons     **Altar Guild:** The Pattersons  
**Usher:** Ron & Induwara     **Organist:** Amanda Carter  
**Counter:** David Kettelman     **Elder:** Scott Smith  
**Acolyte:** Lennyn Janney     **Crucifer:** Kingston Araiza  
**Flowers:** Donna Lehane (from her garden)