

# ***The Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost***

October 23, 2016

8:00am



## ***Trinity Lutheran Church***

2163 Mayhew Lake Rd. NE

Sauk Rapids, MN 56379

*Trinity is a member of the Prince of Peace Lutheran School Association  
and the Good Shepherd Community.*



*Those Serving Today*

Officiating Today	8:00am &	10:30am	Pastor Paul Cloeter
Organist	8:00am		Daniel Reineke
Musician		10:30am	Kelly Zwick
Screen Team	8:00am		Chad Ramler
		10:30am	Jeff Zimmer
Lector	8:00am		Jan Sorell
		10:30am	Joanne Walen
Visuals	8:00am &	10:30am	Daniel Reineke
Acolyte	8:00am		Amanda Petersen, Chloe Stockinger
		10:30am	Cameron Ngo
Altar Guild			Barb Mingo, Janice Putman, Linda Clark
Information Desk	8:00am	Zone – 4	Sandy Austin
	10:30am	Zone – 5	Marie Mendel
Greeters	8:00am	Zone – 4	Nancy Cloeter
	10:30am	Zone – 5	Diane Haffner, Marie Mendel, Amy Schaefer
Ushers	8:00am	Zone – 4	John Hiltel, Marvin Neubert, Karen Petron-Broda, Wayne & Sue Kulzer, Janet Renn, Chris Kutzorik
	10:30am	Zone – 5	Bob Behrendt, Luke Wendt, Jim & Kathy Stueve, Trevor Jevne, Andy Behrendt
Lay Minister	8:00am		Jeff Snyder
		10:30am	Delano Schultz, Justin Hackett

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Divine Service Setting 3 (LSB pg 184)

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**AS WE GATHER** What makes for an acceptable sacrifice to God? What is the right kind of offering? From the very beginning of time, God's people, such as Abel, have offered to God the very best of all that they have and are. God looks for a heart of faith in His people and finds that heart of faith expressed in an offering of self as well as of goods. It is through Christ that all offerings find acceptance. As the writer of the Epistle to the Hebrews writes, "Through Him then let us continually offer up a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge His name. Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God" (Hebrews 13:15–16).

## PRESERVICE MUSIC

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**OPENING HYMN:** "By Grace I'm Saved" LSB 566

## INVOCATION, CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

P: When the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, He saved us,

**C: not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to His own mercy,**

P: by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior,

**C: so that being justified by His grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.**

P: For there is no distinction:

**C: for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,**

P: and are justified by His grace as a gift,

**C: through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus.**

P: God loved the world so that He gave His only Son the lost to save, that all who would in Him believe Should everlasting life receive.

**C: O Lord, my God, to Thee I pray: O cast me not in wrath away! Let Thy good Spirit ne'er depart, But let Him draw to Thee my heart that truly penitent I be: O God, be merciful to me!**

P: God would not have the sinner die; His Son with saving grace is nigh;  
His Spirit in the Word declares How we in Christ are heaven's heirs.

**C: O Jesus, let Thy precious blood Be to my soul a cleansing flood.  
Turn not, O Lord, Thy guest away, But grant that justified I may  
Go to my house at peace with Thee: O God, be merciful to me!**

P: Be of good cheer, for God's own Son Forgives all sins which you have done;  
And, justified by Jesus' blood, Your Baptism grants the highest good.

**C: Glory to God the Father, Son, And Holy Spirit, Three in One!  
To You, O blessed Trinity, Be praise now and eternally!**

P: As a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your  
sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

### INTROIT

P: When I am afraid,

**C: I put my trust in You.**

P: In God, whose word I praise,

**C: in the Lord, whose word I praise,**

P: in God I trust; I shall not be afraid.

**C: What can man do to me?**

P: I must perform my vows to You, O God;

**C: I will render thank offerings to You.**

P: For You have delivered my soul from death, yes, my feet from falling,

**C: that I may walk before God in the light of life.**



**ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

P: When I am afraid,

**C: I put my trust in You.**

### GLORIA PATRI



**Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost;**



**as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.**

## KYRIE

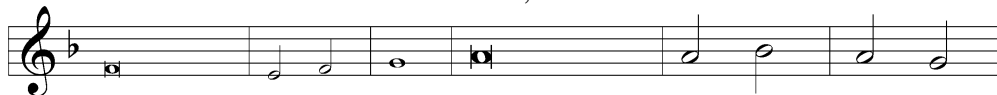


**C** Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

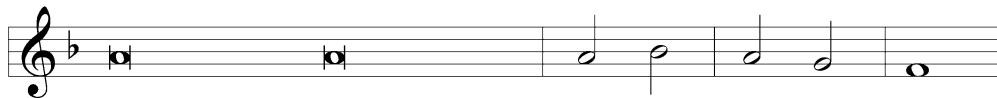
## GLORIA IN EXCELSIS Luke 2:14; John 1:29



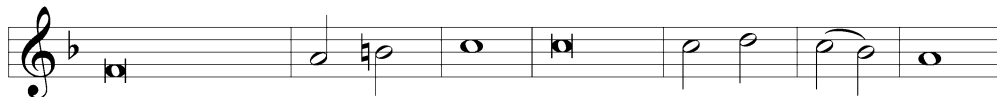
**P** Glory be to God on high: **C** and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



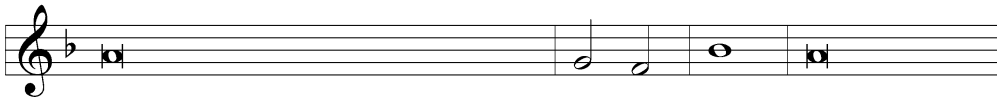
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,



that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up - on us.



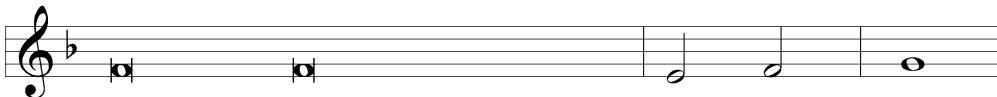
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.



Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-



on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.



Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost,



art most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

### SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And with thy spirit.**

P: Let us pray... Almighty and everlasting God, the sacrifices of our lives are to be given to You as we respond to Your love for us in Jesus Christ.

**C: Grant us hearts made right by the working of the Holy Spirit within us that we may joyfully offer to You the very best of all that we are and all that we possess. This we ask through Jesus, our Lord and our Redeemer. Amen.**

*Sit*

### OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Genesis 4:1-15

Adam made love to his wife Eve, and she became pregnant and gave birth to Cain. She said, "With the help of the LORD I have brought forth a man." Later she gave birth to his brother Abel. Now Abel kept flocks, and Cain worked the soil. In the course of time Cain brought some of the fruits of the soil as an offering to the LORD. And Abel also brought an offering—fat portions from some of the firstborn of his flock. The LORD looked with favor on Abel and his offering, but on Cain and his offering he did not look with favor. So Cain was very angry, and his face was downcast. Then the LORD said to Cain, "Why are you angry? Why is your face downcast? If you do what is right, will you

not be accepted? But if you do not do what is right, sin is crouching at your door; it desires to have you, but you must rule over it.” Now Cain said to his brother Abel, “Let’s go out to the field.” While they were in the field, Cain attacked his brother Abel and killed him. Then the LORD said to Cain, “Where is your brother Abel?” “I don’t know,” he replied. “Am I my brother’s keeper?” The LORD said, “What have you done? Listen! Your brother’s blood cries out to me from the ground. Now you are under a curse and driven from the ground, which opened its mouth to receive your brother’s blood from your hand. When you work the ground, it will no longer yield its crops for you. You will be a restless wanderer on the earth.” Cain said to the LORD, “My punishment is more than I can bear. Today you are driving me from the land, and I will be hidden from your presence; I will be a restless wanderer on the earth, and whoever finds me will kill me.” But the LORD said to him, “Not so; anyone who kills Cain will suffer vengeance seven times over.” Then the LORD put a mark on Cain so that no one who found him would kill him.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**HYMN:** “Glory be to Jesus” LSB 433

**EPISTLE:** 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

For I am already being poured out like a drink offering, and the time for my departure is near. **I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.** Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to me on that day—and not only to me, but also to all who have longed for his appearing. At my first defense, no one came to my support, but everyone deserted me. May it not be held against them. But the Lord stood at my side and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. And I was delivered from the lion’s mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and will bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

*I have fought the good fight,*

*I have finished the race,*

*I have kept the Faith*

2 Timothy 4:7

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

*Stand*

## ALLELUIA



Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

## HOLY GOSPEL: Luke 18:9-17

L: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the eighteenth chapter.



Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

To some who were confident of their own righteousness and looked down on everyone else, Jesus told this parable: “Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee stood by himself and prayed: ‘God, I thank you that I am not like other people—robbers, evildoers, adulterers—or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week and give a tenth of all I get.’ “But the tax collector stood at a distance. He would not even look up to heaven, but beat his breast and said, ‘God, have mercy on me, a sinner.’ “I tell you that this man, rather than the other, went home justified before God. For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.” People were also bringing babies to Jesus for him to place his hands on them. When the disciples saw this, they rebuked them. But Jesus called the children to him and said, “Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it.”

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

## APOSTLE’S CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian



**Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen**

*Sit*

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

**HYMN OF THE DAY:** “Not What These Hands Have Done” LSB 567

**SERMON:** “Through Faith Alone” (Luke 18:9-17)

**OFFERING** *(Please sign and date the Rite of Friendship pad located in the pew. The children are invited to bring their offerings to the front at this time.)*

**OFFERTORY**



**C** Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

## LORD'S PRAYER

**ALL: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

## SALUTATION AND BENEDICAMUS



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.



**A** Bless we the Lord.



**C** Thanks be to God.

## BENEDICTION

**P:** The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor ✕ and give you peace.



**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

**CLOSING HYMN: "Fight the Good Fight" LSB 664**



# Trinity Lutheran Church Announcements October 23, 2016

## ***Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost***

TODAY 8:00am Worship Z4  
 9:15am Sunday School & Bible Classes  
 10:30am Worship Z5 (HC)  
 12:00pm Anyuak Worship  
 2:30 – 5:00pm Anyuak Potluck  
 4:00pm Creative Crafts

MONDAY 9:30am Parish Workers NL  
 6:00pm Bev's CC  
 7:30pm Narcotics Anonymous

TUESDAY 10:30am Bible Class  
 1:00pm AARP Drivers Class  
 7:00pm Friends in Harmony

WEDNESDAY  
 7:00am Men's Bible Study @ GS  
 5:00PM God's Grub  
 6:00pm Conf. Classes  
 6:00pm Youth Night  
 6:30pm Adult Choir Rehearsal  
 7:00pm MSYG Campfire Pumpkins

THURSDAY 6:30pm Worship Team Rehearsal  
 6:30pm Brownie Troop Mtg.  
 7:30pm Benton Co Jail Study

FRIDAY 9:00am Parish Workers

SATURDAY Altar Guild 9:00am  
 Traditional Music Rehearsal 6:45pm

## ***IN OUR WORSHIP SERVICES NEXT WEEK***

### ***Reformation/Confirmation Sunday***

8:00am Worship Z1  
 9:15am Sunday School & Bible Classes  
 9:15am Rite of Confirmation  
 10:30am Worship Z2 (HC)  
 12:00pm Anyuak Worship  
 12:00 – 2:00pm Private Event

### ***Scripture Lessons:***

*Revelation 14:6-7; Romans 3:19-28  
 John 8:31-36*

### **Church Office Hours:**

M-F 8:30am-2:30pm  
 Open during the noon hour.  
*Church Office Phone 252-3670*

WEEK OF	TIME	ATTENDANCE	OFFERINGS	
10/16/16	8:00am	115	General Fund Offerings	\$9,743.41
10/16/16	10:30am	289	Building Debt Offerings	\$673.00
	Total	404	Total	\$10,416.41
<b>MISSIONS</b>				
Missions this Week		\$521.00	Weekly Need:	\$11,938.00
Received to-date		\$19,409.00		
Annual Funds Promised		\$27,500.00		

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**Sharing the Caring Christ with All People** Luke 18:9-17: Children teach adults many helpful things. They are trusting and willing to openly share the Good News of Jesus. **May we become more like Christian children who love and trust in Jesus and openly share our hope with people who are living each day without the sure hope of salvation.**



**October is Pastor Appreciation month!** Remember our pastors in your prayers and find a moment to say “thank you” for all they do!

**Today’s Radio Broadcast** is sponsored by John and Judy Heintze in celebration of John’s birthday. We thank them for sponsoring this broadcast. We have sponsorship openings in January and February. If you would like to sponsor a broadcast please complete a form and turn it in. Forms are available in the church office. The radio transmission enables our shut-ins, as well as others in our community to hear and participate in our worship. The service airs on WVVA 800 on the AM dial, at 8:00am, and live on the internet at [www.800wval.com](http://www.800wval.com).



**Baptized into God’s family of grace in our 10:30am service today is Delilah Ruth Homan**, infant daughter of Cory & Brittany Homan. Sponsors are Kristin Hauptli and Quin Pomplin. We pray God’s blessing upon Delilah and her family as they grow in faith.



**Sunday Morning Fellowship** Our servers for October are David and Amy Petersen. Members who have last names beginning with the letter “S” are asked to bring treats for our fellowship time during the month. If you can help, please sign up on the bulletin board.

***It’s Turkey Time!!!***

*Remember to bring in your turkey stamps (we need the whole receipt) and cards, even if they are only partially filled. We will use this resource to supplement our food shelf during the holidays.*

**Prince of Peace Lutheran School news...**

Our Reformation Fun Festival will take place on Friday, October 28<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in our school gym. Games and Treats and Costumes and Fun for all – a great family event! This is open to all families whether your children attend POP or not – please come and join us!



Now enrolling children ages 16 months to 5 years all day Toddler Program and Preschool School Readiness Program. School Age Program available both before and after school with pick up and drop off at Trinity Lutheran Church for Mississippi Heights Elementary and Pleasantview Elementary. For more information, contact

Jenna at 320-230-9116 or by email [trinity@playhousechildcare.com](mailto:trinity@playhousechildcare.com). **Start by October 28<sup>th</sup> and the \$50 Registration Fee will be waived.** Coupon Cards can be found on the credenza in the Narthex. Pass on to Friends, Family and Coworkers for this limited time discount!

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**All Saints/Mission Sunday November 6<sup>th</sup>** Rev. Dr. Bernhard (Bernie) Lutz, and his wife Elly, will be here Sunday November 6<sup>th</sup>. Pastor Lutz will preach at both services and he will lead the Bible study. His sermon will be based on Isaiah 6:1-9, "God's Universal Gift". Pastor Lutz has served as a missionary in East Africa with the Lutheran Heritage Foundation (LHF). This year he was in South Sudan and Ethiopia in August and September. LHF translates, publishes, distributes and introduces books that are Bible-based, Christ-centered and Reformation-driven. LHF has published the catechism in more than 70 languages, including most recently the Anyuak Small Catechism and many more translations have been requested. In the past decade, LHF has published and distributed

*Jesus set an example in  
Luke 4:16  
"On the Sabbath day  
He went into the  
synagogue, as was His  
custom."*



more than 700 titles/editions and 3 million Lutheran books to pastors, seminary students, missionaries and churches – all at no cost to them. Pastor Lutz will be encouraging us to consider our calling to share the Gospel with all nations, "people groups".

During the 10:30 a.m. service Pastor John Bakou will also be reading scripture and praying the Lord's Prayer in Anyuak and we will have an Anyuak Choir. After the 10:30 a.m. service we will have a potluck. You are asked to bring a dish to share according to the first letter of your last name: **A-M Hot dish, N-Z Salad and Dessert will be provided.** The Anyuak will bring their ethnic foods so be sure and try something different like Injera bread dipped in Lamb & Okra stew with a dollop of Asida. A door offering will be received after both services to support the important translation work of Lutheran Heritage Foundation. Checks can be made payable to: Trinity Lutheran Church, with "LHF" in the memo line.

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**Thank you to all who have participated in the LCEF Shared Blessings** program. If you would like to start a Young Investor account for your child/grandchild; it's \$25 to open up a new account and you're also eligible for a \$25 rebate from the church for each new account. If you have other questions about other investments through LCEF then either talk to Lori Wendt or email her at [loriannwendt@gmail.com](mailto:loriannwendt@gmail.com).

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**DRIVER SAFETY PROGRAM 55+** Here's a great opportunity for you to learn the recent driving updates and save money on your auto insurance. If you take the latest Smart Driving Class, you are entitled to a 10% discount on your car & truck insurance. The class is open to anyone age 55 and over. The date and time is here in the Fellowship Hall this Tues., Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> starting at 1:00. You may sign up on the sheet in the narthex or call the church office to enroll. The class fee is only \$20 for AARP members and \$25 for nonmembers. The Salt and Pepper group is providing refreshments.



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**Calling All Middle School Youth!** This Wed., Oct. 26th from 7 – 8:15pm the 5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> graders will be painting pumpkins and having a campfire with s'mores. Join us for a night of fun and sweets!! Look for the sign-up sheet on the kiosk in the entry!



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**“Are You My Secret Angel?”** A secret angel is anyone from our congregation who volunteers to *secretly* support one of Trinity’s confirmation students as they work through their confirmation classes. The most important duty of a secret angel is to remember the student in their prayers. Only with the “Lord’s Will” will the children hear His words and learn His lessons. To allow the students to know their angel is near, secret angels drop off anonymous forms of encouragement in the church office called ‘angel mail’ at least ONCE a month for the student. Secret angel mail is kept simple: cards, letters, words of wisdom, favorite verses, poems or snacks/treats are just a few ideas. The student has the same secret angel throughout 7th and 8th grade. The ‘secret identity’ of their angel is always a mystery and is not revealed to them until their confirmation day! Trinity’s congregation is blessed to have 10 new 7th grade children enrolled in confirmation class this year! Would you prayerfully consider mentoring one of them? Please contact Kristen Fuchs for more information including the list of class names: [kjfuchs14@gmail.com](mailto:kjfuchs14@gmail.com) or call me at: 320-282-4432. Remember ‘Shhhhhh!!’ Your identity is a secret until the student’s confirmation day!



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**St. John’s Popple Creek - Bouja** Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, from 4:00pm until it’s gone! Dine in: \$5.50. Take out: Quart \$5; Gallon \$15. (Bring your own container.) Bake sale and great bouja!

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**SCRIP Earns \$ for POP** If you haven’t signed up for SCRIP yet, it’s not too late. SCRIP is a way to purchase coupons for stores you already use, and a percentage goes directly to POP. The instructions are below. For questions or assistance with getting started, contact Lucie Schwartzkopf (493-8334) or [sewinclined@hotmail.com](mailto:sewinclined@hotmail.com)

1. Visit [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com) to set up your account.
2. The school’s enrollment code is 3AA11D9439683.
3. POP will place all orders online so you will need to enable the PrestoPay on your account. (Click under the “My Account” tab and then on the “PrestoPay” tab. After entering your account information, you will go through a verification process.)
4. To prevent fraud, there are multiple steps for your account to be activated.
5. Once you have activated your PrestoPay you will be given an approval code. Please email that to [fourthgrade@princeofpeacels.org](mailto:fourthgrade@princeofpeacels.org). You will then be ready to place orders for years to come!

POP will place orders every Monday at 3 pm and orders will be ready for pick up on Friday. Each individual or family will need to fill out a sheet designating rebate funds. You have the option of designating all your rebates to the school OR half of the rebates to the school and half to a family. If a family fails to fill out a form, all rebates will automatically go to the school.

**The LWML is ordering RADA knives and peelers!** *One more week!*  
*So many people have asked about these great products, that the ladies have decided to place a ONE- time order. Sundays in the Narthex until October 30<sup>th</sup>.*

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**A big, heart-felt thank you** to the people of Trinity for making me feel so loved and appreciated at my 25-Year Recognition reception. Thank you for all of the greetings, cards, and gifts. All I can say is "Wow!" My friends from work were so impressed with how friendly our church is. They commented repeatedly on how welcomed they were by so many friendly people. Thank you to those that put this together and organized all the coffee hour refreshments. Everything was delicious! And thank you to the staff, as it is a privilege and honor to prepare for and worship with you in our Lord's House! God's blessings to you all. In His Service, Daniel Reineke

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**SPECIAL EVENT! Youth Night – Wed., November 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm:** Former NFL football player, Matt Veldman, will be speaking to the HSYG (Adults Welcome also). Normally, God's Grub is for confirmation students, choir and youth. *If you plan to eat with us, please let Terry or Jennifer Kurash know.*

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**Do You Like to Crochet or Knit? Do you have extra yarn to donate to a project?** A small group of members are meeting on Tuesday after Bible Study, approximately 11:30-1:30, to make simple prayer shawls. If you would like donate yarn, it needs to be at least 600 yards of the same color or complimentary colors to begin this project. Monetary donations are also welcome. If you have questions or interest in participating, contact Judy in the church office, 252-3670. Prayer shawls are to be given to members of any age, after surgery or during illness.



**Christmas Stockings for Kids-the 25th year.** I am now beginning to seek items to collect for my Christmas stocking mission. Any items you are able to donate can be placed in the box in the back of the church. Items needed are as follows: School supplies, Children's small toys (no guns or other violent ones), Books (adult & children), Hats, gloves, scarves, Candy & candy canes, Fruit Snacks, Combs, brushes, toothbrushes & toothpaste, Hair barrettes, headbands, Bars of soap, shampoo, deodorant, Decks of cards, Stickers, Small stuffed animals, Anything else that will fit in a 17" stocking. Backpacks for the homeless, Men's socks, Men's gloves, hats & scarves, Hand warmers, Small, rolled up blankets, Any nonperishable, nonfreezing food item. Thank you for your response. Please have any donations in by November 20. We will be filling the stockings, the Saturday after Thanksgiving. You have been so generous over the years. I really appreciate all you've done. May God bless you for all your help!

Kathy Schlueter

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**The Sewing Guild** will be selling gifts items on Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup> between services and during the potluck. Please take a look and get a jump on your Christmas list!

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GIVE THANKS  
TO THE LORD  
FOR HE IS GOOD  
*His LOVE endures FOREVER!!!*

# Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church

Church Office	252-3670
E-mail & Website: <a href="mailto:office@trinitysr.org">office@trinitysr.org</a>	www.trinitysr.org
Pastor Paul Cloeter:	333-6319
Pastor Dave Strohschein	253-3255
Pastor Harvey Ehlers, Emeritus:	282-1931
Director of Christian Outreach – Craig Cooper:	237-5507
Pastor John Bakou:	249-1691
Administrative Assistants: Judy Rehwaldt & Katie Stangl	252-3670
Traditional Music Director – Daniel Reineke:	656-0963
Contemporary Music Director – Ruth Immerfall:	291-9293
Prince of Peace Preschool:	230-3047
Playhouse ChildCare:	230-9116
Youth Ministry - Terry Kurash:	251-4071
Parish Nurse - Jennifer Machula:	267-1587

## WE WELCOME FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

We are glad you are here! If there is a time during the Worship Service that you feel your child (or you) needs a “time out,” please feel free to leave the service. If you leave the service, you can go to the **lobby** or use the **large conference room** across from the church office. The conference room has speakers and one-way glass so you can still participate in Worship. During the Sunday school hour, (9:15am – 10:15am) and during the 10:30am worship service the **nursery** is staffed for children 0-3 years old. The nursery is in the preschool on the north end of the building. It is the first classroom on the left as you enter the preschool parent lounge area. There are also speakers in the nursery so you can listen to the service.



**Activity bags** for young children to use are in the plastic tub outside the church office.

## FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE, WE OFFER THESE AND OTHER SERVICES:

**Large Print Editions** of our bulletins are available from our ushers by request. **If you need further information**, ask any usher or church member. Also be sure to stop by the Information Desk in the lobby. Your needs are important to us!

**Bible Study for Adults on Sundays:** we start at 9:15am in the fellowship hall.

**Coffee & Fellowship** – after the 8:00am service, come by the kitchen, have a cookie, coffee and time for fellowship. Come and meet old friends and make new friends!