

## GRACE NOTES

### Scripture readings for next week (01/14/18)

*Old Testament Reading – 1 Samuel 3:1-20*

*Psalm – Psalm 139:1-10*

*Epistle Reading – 1 Corinthians 6:12-20*

*Holy Gospel Reading – John 1:43-51*

### Worship Assistants

	<b>01/07/18</b> <b>Baptism of Our Lord</b>	<b>01/10/18</b> <b>Divine Service</b>	<b>01/14/18</b> <b>Second Sunday after the Epiphany</b>
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Dayna VanVleet Denise Wegner	Dayna VanVleet Denise Wegner	Dayna VanVleet Denise Wegner
<b>Audio/Video</b>	John Shaw		Jon Chapman
<b>Duty Elders</b>	Jerry Grosenick Roy Arves	James Neumann	Len Koelbel Marty Bauer
<b>Organist</b>	Joy Suek	Anita Chapman	Anita Chapman
<b>Counters</b>	Marty & Cheri Bauer		Marty & Cheri Bauer

### Next Sunday – January 7<sup>th</sup> ~ *Baptism of Our Lord*

8:30 am Sunday school & Adult Bible study

**10:00 am** *Divine Service*

### Monday – January 8<sup>th</sup>

**6:00 pm** Board of Elders

### Tuesday – January 9<sup>th</sup>

10:15 am Sing @ Benefis SNC

11:00 am Sing @ Bee Hive #2 (Clover)

**2:00 pm** Golden Agers

6:00 pm Handbell Choir

### Wednesday – January 10<sup>th</sup>

9:00 am Wee Disciples Chapel

9:30 am Ladies Bible study

5:30 pm Middle & High school Youth

**Wednesday – January 10<sup>th</sup> - continued**

5:30 pm Adult Choir

7:00 pm *Divine Service*

**Thursday – January 11<sup>th</sup>**

**6:30 am Men's Bible study**

9:00 am Quilters @ Peace

10:00 am Sing @ Park Place

**10:00 am Missions & Evangelism**

**11:00 am Hymn Planning**

**Friday – January 12<sup>th</sup>**

*Church Office Closed*

9:30 am LWML Sewing Project

1:00 pm Friday Ladies Bible study

@ Marge Johnsten's, 3000 8<sup>th</sup> Ave S

**Saturday – January 13<sup>th</sup>**

**9:30 am LWML Gathering**

**Next Sunday – January 14<sup>th</sup> ~ *Second Sunday after the Epiphany***

8:30 am Sunday school & Adult Bible study

**10:00 am *Divine Service***

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**Calendar and Card Sales** - The Youth Group is selling 2018 wall and pocket calendars along with Christmas and Every Occasion cards. Prices are:

\$7 for wall calendars and cards

\$6 for pocket calendars

They will set up in the Narthex the next few Sundays or you can purchase them in the church office.

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**Offering Counters are needed** to assist the Treasurer and Assistant Treasure count and record the offerings following each Sunday service. No experience is needed. Please call the church office (452-2121) or sign-up on the Chapel doors in the Narthex if you are willing to assist.

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**Looking for an alternative web-based LCMS supported radio station?** KFUO is the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod answer. On the web at [www.kfuoaam.org](http://www.kfuoaam.org) they broadcast seven days a week from 6:00 am to 8:00 pm Mountain Time (times vary by month). Check them out on the web at [www.kfuoaam.org](http://www.kfuoaam.org).

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**Lutherans for Life - January 7<sup>th</sup>** - “Our happiness, therefore, does not depend on a new year or a changed situation, but upon the Lord and our changed relationship, our deepened growth, in Him and in terms of His will for us ... ‘*Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you*’ (Matthew 6:33 KJV).” *R. J. Rushdoony, philosopher, historian, and theologian – A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life • [www.lutheransforlife.org](http://www.lutheransforlife.org)*

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**Issues Etc. – Talk Radio for the Christmas Season...**Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. Listen at [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org) or on our free mobile app. Just search for “Lutheran Public Radio” in iTunes or GooglePlay.

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**Lutheran Hour - January 14<sup>th</sup> - "How Well Does Jesus Know Me?"** - Speaker Emeritus of The Lutheran Hour: Rev. Dr. Ken Klaus. It's nice to have someone know and understand you. Today the Lutheran Hour asks, "How do you feel about Jesus knowing you?" (*John 1: 48-51*).

Tune in on the radio or at [www.lutheranhour.org](http://www.lutheranhour.org). *The Lutheran Hour* can be heard on **KMON, 560 AM Sundays at 7:00 am; or XM Radio 170 at 10:00 am-(EST)**.

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***Celebrating a Wedding Anniversary This Week***

**Russ ♥ Ruth Waetzig (67)**

**January 14<sup>th</sup>**

***Celebrating a Birthday This Week***

**January 9<sup>th</sup>**

**Marlyn Gersack**

**January 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Anita Erickson**

**January 12<sup>th</sup>**

**Kathleen Redenbaugh**

**January 13<sup>th</sup>**

**Joseph Nommensen**

### *This Week's Baptismal Anniversaries*

<i>January 7<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Juanita Winter (80+)</i>
<i>January 8<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Sean Ginnaty</i>
<i>January 10<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Piper McCurdy</i> <i>Russ Waetzig</i>
<i>January 13<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Harper Lautenschlager</i>
<i>January 14<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Ed VanVleet</i>

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### **An Update on Giving**

**The offering for December 31<sup>st</sup> ~ \$11,590 ☺ ☺**

#### **Comparison of Income to our Monthly budget needs ~ December**

Our Monthly budget need is \$16,070

Actual Giving to date ~ \$31,751

**December's surplus – \$15,681 ☺ ☺**

Trinity's next payroll is scheduled for Tuesday, January 16<sup>th</sup>

#### **Monthly Giving January-December 2017**

Minimum Needed - \$192,840

**Received - \$210,356**

Thank you Lord! Praise Your holy name! Thank you Lord for providing for Trinity Lutheran Church in 2017. The Lord's blessing be on all who so faithfully supported God's church.

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### **PLEASE DESTROY ANY REMAINING 2017 PINK OFFERING ENVELOPES.**

**Begin using the YELLOW offering envelopes NOW.**

You are encouraged to use your offering envelopes for each church offering. Using your envelopes speeds the money counting process and ensures that you will receive credit for your contribution. If you do not place your check in an offering envelope, the person posting your contribution must look up your envelope number so proper credit can be given. **Also, please remember to write the amount of your contribution on the line provided on the front of the envelope.** This is very helpful to those counting the offering. If you are not using your envelopes at this time, please do so in the future.

## ***PRAYER REQUESTS***

*For prayer requests, please call the church office 452-2121  
or you can email us at [trinity@trinity-mt.org](mailto:trinity@trinity-mt.org)*

*We pray for:*

~**Landon Grosenick**

~**Jay Schlecht**

~**Rayne Ginnaty**

~**James Neumann**

~**Alice Irion**

~**Gary Shelden**

~**Ruth Waetzig**

~**Kay Kessel**

~**Emil Neumann**

~**Sammy Phillips and baby Ezra**

~**Vanessa** (friend of Alan & Denise Wegner)

~**Peggy** (friend of Pam Grosenick)

~**Nellene Hickel** (Rachel Keeley's daughter)

~**Andrea Peters Tomjenovich** (friend of Rose & Gary Shelden)

~**Taylor Wojak** (Rose & Gary Shelden's grandson)

~**Marek & DebbeWojak** (Shelden's son-in-law and daughter)

~**Herman Trautner** (Len Koelbel's cousin's husband)

~**Terrie Craven Green Jones**

~**Chris Wallace** (past LWML District President)

~**Jereme** (Sarah Lautenschlager's cousin)

~**Jessica Heiser**, (daughter-in-law of Ardyth Jeszenka)

~**Derek Boyce** (son of Judy & Keener Boyce)

~**Jennifer** (friend of Judy and Keener Boyce's niece)

~**Betty Adelmeyer** (Mike Adelmeyer's mother)

~**Harry & Jerry Schlehr**, (Penny Hill's brothers)

~**Kim Mansch** (Scott Mansch's sister in law)

~**Reverend Erich Kaelberer**

~**Kristal Dawson** (Jenny Shaw's sister)

*We pray God's peace and comfort for our members who continue to battle health issues and for our shut-ins:*

**Gary Adams**

**Paul Birkholz**

**Rachel Keely**

**Lydia Laubach**

**Ilene Leishman**

**Richard Mauseth**

**Evelyn McNaight**

**Emma Millet**

**Alene Morrell**

**Gladine Nehus**

**Alvina Presler** (Millie Birkholz's mother)

**Bud Quickenden**

**Ruth Schwartzenberger**

**Gordon Stach**

**Myrtle Storhaug**

**Juanita Winter**

**Ted Young**

*We pray for those serving in the military:*

**Jaymes Crumley USAF**

**Tech Sgt Jared Dudden USAF**

**Joshua Graham USA** (Sherrie Blomstrom's grandson-in-law)

**Clifton Grilley USN** (Gary & Janet Headington's son)

**Jared Grina USN** (Janet & Gary Headington's son-in-law)

**Tyler Jones USN** (grandson of Roy & Carolyn Arves)

**Steffen Meeks USA** (Sherrie Blomstrom's grandson)

**Private Brendan Murphy, USMC** (Gary & Sylvia Adams grandson)

**Michael Somerfeld USN** (Gary & Mary Somerfeld's son)

**Tech Sgt Tanner Tilton USAF** (Millie Birkholz's grandson)

**Senior Airman Brady Toole USAF**