

# GRACE NOTES

Schedule for June 5, 2016 through June 12, 2016

*Pastor Paul gone through June 18<sup>th</sup>*

## Today Sunday – June 5<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am *Sunday School and Adult Bible Class*  
 10:00 am *Divine Service ~ 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*  
*Pastor Gale Everson*

✿ *Flowers on the altar today are placed by Vi Biberdorf  
 in loving memory of her husband Oren*

## Monday – June 6<sup>th</sup>

6:30 pm Board of Education  
 7:00 pm Scouts

## Tuesday – June 7<sup>th</sup>

10:15 am Sing @ Benefis SNC  
 5:30 pm Board of Trustees

## Wednesday – June 8<sup>th</sup>

9:30 am Ladies Bible Study  
 7:30 pm *Reading Service*

## Thursday – June 9<sup>th</sup>

9:00 am Quilters @ Peace  
 10:00 am Sing @ Park Place  
 7:00 pm Scouts

## Friday – June 10<sup>th</sup>

*Church Office Closed*

## Saturday – June 11<sup>th</sup>

*Nothing scheduled*

## Next Sunday – June 12<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am *Sunday School and Adult Bible Class*  
 10:00 am *Divine Service ~ 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*  
*Reading Service*

**HELP!!** Your help is needed to count the offerings for **June 26<sup>th</sup> and July 17<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>**. No accounting experience needed. If you would be willing to help please contact James Lautenschlager (406-868-2260) or the church office (406-452-2121) or sign up on the Narthex bulletin board outside the church office.

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## Celebrating a Wedding Anniversary This Week

*June 6<sup>th</sup> Richerd ♥ Shantelle Hutchinson*  
*June 7<sup>th</sup> Sean ♥ Rayn Ginnaty*  
*Christian ♥ Suzan Huestis*  
*June 9<sup>th</sup> Robert ♥ Stephanie Larson Jr.*  
*June 11<sup>th</sup> Michael ♥ Marlyn Gersack*

## Celebrating a Birthday This Week

*June 5<sup>th</sup> Ellen Carpenter*  
*Scott Mans*  
*Dwayne McClellan*  
*Dillon Neumann*  
*Laurel Neumann*  
*June 6<sup>th</sup> Serena Meehan*  
*June 7<sup>th</sup> OD Jones*  
*Bob Voegel*  
*June 1<sup>st</sup> Paul Birkholz*  
*Samantha Phillips*  
*Payton Romig*  
*June 8<sup>th</sup> Caleb Eberly*  
*Richard Mauseth*  
*June 9<sup>th</sup> Keith Bicsak*  
*June 10<sup>th</sup> Michella Dusek*  
*Jane Green*  
*Sarah Lautenschlager*  
*Kathie Sybrant*  
*James Wandke*  
*June 12<sup>th</sup> Mikaela Shaw*

## This Week's Baptismal Anniversaries

*June 5<sup>th</sup> Ellen Carpenter*  
*Shantelle Hutchinson*  
*Kristen Mansch*  
*Ryan Neumann*  
*Joyce Stanger*  
*June 6<sup>th</sup> Carl Stanger*  
*June 7<sup>th</sup> Alec Jones*  
*Jody McCurdy*  
*Rose Shelden*  
*June 8<sup>th</sup> Michael McPherson*  
*June 10<sup>th</sup> Dakota Sharrah*  
*June 12<sup>th</sup> Paul Birkholz*  
*Kay Kessel*

**Mark your calendars!**

**Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup> is Trinity's One Day All Day Family VBS – "Bread of Life"!**

Join us beginning at 8:30 am for registration and stay all day for study and fellowship.

The day will end with a barbeque and Evening Prayer.



**"Daniel in the Lions' Den"** is today's Sunday School lesson. Daniel called upon the one true God, who heard Daniel's prayer and protected him in the lions' den. God hears our prayers and protects us from sin, death, and the devil. *Discuss with your children, "When are you tempted to not trust God?" "How does God answer our prayers today?"*



**June 12<sup>th</sup> "Not By Your Works" ~ Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz.**

God's grace is real and it can change everything, even in our world today. (Galatians 2:15-21, 3:10-14). 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).**

**Looking for an alternative web-based LCMS supported radio station?** KFUO is the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod answer. On the web at [www.kfuoam.org](http://www.kfuoam.org) they broadcast seven days a week from 6:00 am to 8:00 pm Mountain Time (times vary by month) with Matins daily at 8:04 am, Issues Etc at 2:04 pm, The Lutheran Hour at 11:30 am and 4:00 pm on Sundays and Saturday and Sunday afternoons filled with sacred music. Check them out on the web at [www.kfuoam.org](http://www.kfuoam.org).



**A Voice in the Wilderness of American Evangelicalism...**Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken and produced Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL. *This week's topics include: Has American Christianity Failed?; Vision Casting Leaders in the Church; Luther's Later Years; The Apostle Barnabas and more.* You can listen to what you want when you want at [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org) and on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

**June 5<sup>th</sup>** "Pro-choice has come to mean the right of a woman to give her unborn child life or not. I am not sure why. American women have the ability to make many other choices that raise us up as women rather than give us something to be ashamed about: We have the right to choose not to become merely a sexual object to men or women. We have the right to choose to develop our intellectual abilities and talents. We have the right to choose to marry or not. We have the right to choose to not engage in sex with every man that we meet. We have the right to choose to be proud that we are the vessels that give life. We have the right to choose that sex be the vehicle that nurtures a relationship between a husband and wife. We have the right to exalt life." *Jan Flanagan – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • [www.lutheransforlife.org](http://www.lutheransforlife.org)*



**Lutherans For Life**

**An Update on Giving and Attendance**  
**Comparison of actual giving through May 29<sup>th</sup>**  
2015 ~ \$73,386                      2016 ~ \$77,143  
**UP \$3,757** from last year's giving 😊

**Comparison of Income to Our Goal**  
Our Goal (\$3,178 x 22) = \$69,916  
Actual Giving = \$77,143  
**\$7,227 ABOVE** what was pledged. 😊

The offerings for May 29<sup>th</sup> was \$1,534 ☺  
Bills paid ~ \$2,101  
TLC has an estimated **\$10,700** after paying bills.  
The next payroll (\$4,700) is scheduled for Tuesday, June 14, 2016

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**Comparison of Attendance**  
**Twenty-first Sunday of the year**

Sunday worship, Wednesday worship, Bible classes & Sunday School  
2015 – 94    2016 - 106



**Yard Work Help** – Trinity Youth are offering to help with spring/summer projects. If you have yard clean-up, lawn mowing, brush trimming or even house cleaning projects, sign up in the Narthex and the Youth will give you a hand. No date has been set as of now, depending on interest.

**Save the date: September 24, 2016!**

All pastors and congregations of the Montana District are invited to learn more about the mission field right on our doorstep! Pastor Steve Schave from the Office of National Mission will lead a presentation on "Mission Field USA" on Saturday September 24, 2016, 9:00 am -3:00 pm at Mt. Olive Lutheran Church in Billings. We have wonderful missionaries serving on the foreign mission field. Now, let us learn more about mission opportunities in our own communities!



**WORSHIP ASSISTANTS**  
**THIS WEEK ~ June 5 – June 11, 2016**

<p><b>6-5-16</b> (C)</p> <p><b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</b> <i>Pastor Gale Everson</i></p> <p><i>Old Testament - 1 Kings 17:17-24</i>  <i>Epistle–Galatians 1:11-24</i>  <i>Holy Gospel– Luke 7:11-17</i></p>	Acolyte.....Elders Altar Guild.....Dayna Vik Audio.....Jon Chapman Video.....John Shaw Duty Elders.....Jerry Grosenick/Roy Arves Organist.....Joy Suek Trustee On-Call.....NOA Counters.....Marty & Cheri Bauer Ushers.....Gary Vik/Alan Wegner
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<p><b>06-08-16</b></p> <p><b>Reading Service</b></p>	Acolyte.....Elders Altar Guild.....Dayna Vik Audio.....Maryanne Chapman Video.....No video Duty Elders.....Bob Nommensen Organist.....NOA Trustee On-Call.....NOA Ushers.....Gary Vik/Alan Wegner
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**NEXT WEEK ~ June 12 – June 18, 2016**

<p><b>6-12-16</b></p> <p><b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</b> (Reading Service)</p> <p><i>Old Testament – 2 Samuel 11:26-12:10, 13-14</i>  <i>Epistle–Galatians 2:15-21; 3:10-14</i>  <i>Holy Gospel– Luke 7:36-8:3</i></p>	Acolyte.....Elders Altar Guild.....Dayna Vik Audio.....Jon Chapman Video.....Cody Stene Duty Elders.....James Neumann/Len Koelbel Organist.....Anita Chapman Trustee On-Call.....NOA Counters.....Marty & Cheri Bauer Ushers.....Gary Vik/Alan Wegner
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(C) - Communion      NOA - No one assigned      TBA - To be announced

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

*We pray for:*

~**Sherrie Blomstrom** who was hospitalized this week with stomach issues and had to have a blood transfusion.

~**Wes Johnson** who has congestive heart failure and many other maladies.

~**Harry**, (Penny Hill's brother) who is having some medical issues and needs prayers for health and healing.

~**Marek Wojak** (son-in-law of Rose & Gary Shelden) whose biopsy results came back non-malignant but who is dealing with a urinary tract infection.

~**Debbe Wojak** (Gary & Rose Shelden's daughter) who is undergoing testing for whooping cough.

~**Jay Schlect**, who she has re-broken her foot and is slowly recovering.

~**Chris Wallace**, LWML district president, who is undergoing chemo therapy for an aggressive form of ovarian cancer.

~**Patsy Clark**, (Justin Lee's mother-in-law) who is having a bone marrow transplant.

~**Ruan Paul** (the son of a friend of Pastor Paul's in South Africa) who is struggling with depression and recovering from self-inflicted wounds.

~**Brian Grosenick** (Jerry & Pam Grosenick's son) who underwent surgery to repair a torn Achille's tendon.

~**Kim Mansch** (sister in law of Scott Mansch) who had a brain tumor removed.

~**Freddy** (Rose & Gary Sheldon's daughter Debbe and son-in law Marek's 3 year old nephew) who had a brain tumor removed.

~**Reverend Erich Kaelberer** who is battling ALS.

~**Kristal Dawson** (Jenny Shaw's sister) who has been diagnosed with CLLQ11 Leukemia. The treatment is to watch and wait.

~**David** (Ellen Carpenter's son) that he may stay true to his faith in God and start coming back to church again.

~**Jennifer** (friend of Judy and Keener Boyce's niece) who has been diagnosed with stage 4 colon and liver cancer at age 34.

~**David & Gloria Polley** (Ellen Carpenter's brother); he has progressive Alzheimer's.

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

**Paul Birkholz,**

**Ilene Leishman**

**Betty Quickenden,**

**Betty Tynes** (Sherri Blomstrom's mother).

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We pray for our shut-ins:

**Gary Adams, Alice Irion, Wes Johnson, Lydia Laubach, Evelyn McNaight, Emma Millet, Alene Morrell, Gladine Nehus, Alvina Presler** (Millie Birkholz's mother), **Audrey Remus, Ruth Schwartzberger, Myrtle Storhaug** and **Ted Young**.

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We pray for those serving in the military:

**Tech Sgt Tanner Tilton**, (Millie Birkholz's grandson) US Air Force

**Senior Airman Brady Toole**, US Air Force

**Tech Sgt Jared Dudden**, US Air Force

**Steffen Meeks** (grandson of Sherrie Blomstrom), US Army

**Michael Somerfeld**, (son of Gary & Mary Somerfeld) US Navy Nuclear Submarine Tech