

GRACE NOTES

Today Sunday – November 20th ~ *Last Sunday of the Church Year*

125th Anniversary Kick-off ~ Salute to Veterans

8:30 am Sunday school & Bible class
10:00 am *Divine Service*
11:30 am *Quarterly Voter's Meeting*

Monday – November 21st

10:00 am Pastor's Winkel @ TLC

Tuesday – November 22nd

10:15 am Sing @ Benefis SNC
11:00 am *Wee Disciples' Thanksgiving Celebration*

Wednesday – November 23rd

Lamplighter deadline
The Church office will close at noon

Thursday – November 24th - *Thanksgiving Day*

10:00 am *Worship Service*

Friday – November 25th

Church Office Closed

Saturday – November 26th

Nothing Scheduled

Next Sunday – November 27th ~ *First Sunday in Advent*

8:30 am Sunday school & Bible class
10:00 am *Divine Service*

Celebrating a Wedding Anniversary this week

November 23rd Channing ♥ Donna Hartelius (9)

Celebrating a Birthday This Week

November 20th Johnathan Larsen
November 21st Rochelle Kimmerle
November 23rd Michael Adelmeyer, Michael Grams, Gary Somerfeld
November 24th Scott Mansch
November 25th Roy Arves, Maryanne Chapman
Adrian Frederick (80+)

This Week's Baptismal Anniversaries

November 21st Marty Eberly
November 23rd Addison Teel
November 24th Michael Adelmeyer, Chrissy (Burkstrand)Gollahon
November 26th Neil Burkstrand, Rochelle Sand, Aaron Sybrant

wouldn't have needed a Savior. (Galatians 4:4-5) Tune in on the radio or at 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).**

ISSUES ETC. –Sacramental, Historical, Liturgical...Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's topics include: The Liturgy of Thanksgiving Day, The Advent Season, God Forgives David, Jesus' Triumphant Entry into Jerusalem and more. You can listen on-demand at www.issuesetc.org and on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

LUTHERANS for LIFE - November 20th “The Apostle Paul seemed to have thought that giving thanks was front and center in the life of the Christian: ‘Give thanks in all things’ (1 Thessalonians 5:18), ‘Always and for everything giving thanks’ (Ephesians 5:20), ‘In everything by prayer ... with thanksgiving’ (Philippians 4:6), ‘And be thankful ... with thankfulness in your heart toward God ... do everything ... giving thanks to God the Father’ (Colossians 3:13-17), ‘Continue steadfastly in prayer, with thanksgiving’ (Colossians 4:2).” James M. Kushiner, The Fellowship of St. James – A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life
 • www.lutheransforlife.org

Looking for an alternative web-based LCMS supported radio station?

KFUO is the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod answer. On the web at www.kfuam.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.kfuam.org.

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

First Reading – Malachi 3:13-18

Psalm – Psalm 46

Epistle – Colossians 1:13-20

Holy Gospel – Luke 23:27-43

THIS WEEK	11/20/16 Last Sunday of the Church Year	11/24/16 Thanksgiving Day	11/27/16 First Sunday in Advent
Acolyte	Elders	Elders	Elders
Altar Guild	Denise Wegner Dayna Vik	Denise Wegner Dayna Vik	Denise Wegner Dayna Vik
Audio	Jon Chapman	Maryanne Chapman	Jon Chapman
Video	John Shaw	NOA	John Shaw
Duty Elders	Don Lee Len Koelbel	James Neumann	Bill Sybrant Dennis Philipp
Organist	Jeannine Eastley	Anita Chapman	Anita Chapman
Trustee On-Call	NOA	NOA	NOA
Counters	Marty & Cheryl Bauer		Marty & Cheryl Bauer
Ushers	Alan Wegner		Alan Wegner

PRAYER REQUESTS

*For prayer requests, please call the church office 452-2121 or email us at
trinity@trinity-mt.org*

We pray for:

- ~**Lisa Bauer** (Martin & Cheryl Bauer's sister-in-law) - reconstructive surgery
- ~**Jenny Eberly** – scan results were clear. Praise God!
- ~**Dorothy Krueger** (Pam Grosenick's mother) - heart related concerns
- ~**Dawn Krueger** (Pam Grosenick's sister) - dental issues
- ~**Roger Lienau** (Cheryl Bauer's father) – shoulder surgery in Missoula
- ~**Chuck Lively** – recovering from ankle surgery
- ~**Gertie Rayment** (Anita Erickson's cousin) – who suffered a stroke
- ~**Gary Shelden** - cancer treatments
- ~**Janet Hussli** (Jerry Grosenick's sister) – reconstructive surgery
- ~**Joann Spiker** (Jerry Grosenick's sister) – double mastectomy recently, doing OK
- ~**Harry**, (Penny Hill's brother) – medical/health issues
- ~**Marek & Debbe Wojak** (son-in-law and daughter Rose & Gary Shelden) - health issues
- ~**Kim Mansch** (sister in law of Scott Mansch) - brain tumor removed
- ~**Freddy** (Rose & Gary Sheldon's daughter Debbe and son-in law Marek's nephew) - brain tumor removed
- ~**Reverend Erich Kaelberer** - battling ALS
- ~**Kristal Dawson** (Jenny Shaw's sister) - diagnosed with Leukemia
- ~**Jennifer** (friend of Judy and Keener Boyce's niece) - diagnosed with stage 4 colon and liver cancer
- ~**David & Gloria Polley** (Ellen Carpenter's brother) - David has progressive Alzheimer's

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

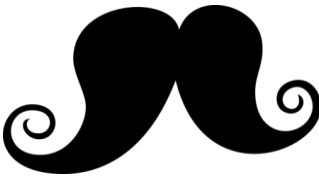
Paul Birkholz, Ilene Leishman, Betty Quickenden, Betty Tynes (Sherri Blomstrom's mother),

and for our shut-ins:

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

We pray for those serving in the military:

Tech Sgt Tanner Tilton (Millie Birkholz's grandson); **Senior Airman Brady Toole; Tech Sgt Jared Dudden; Steffen Meeks** (Sherrie Blomstrom's grandson);
Michael Somerfeld (Gary & Mary Somerfeld's son) **Clifton Grilley** (Gary & Janet Headington's son and grandson of the late Adolf Neumann)



“10 Reasons President Harrison Should Shave”

1. Everyone could stand to lose a little weight.
2. Montana is Cowboy country where they take their mustaches very seriously.
3. Lutherans should loosen up and have a little fun.
4. President Forke’s children have never seen him without a mustache.
5. President Harrison would demonstrate true love for his neighbor (President Forke), by shaving.
6. Leadership requires true sacrifice for the cause.
7. We want our President to give more than lip service to fund raising.
8. Without a mustache, President Harrison would look a lot like Martin Luther.
9. President Forke *does* have the better mustache.
10. Raising money for future Church workers is good!

Donations can be made over the phone Monday through Friday, 7:45am to 4:10pm, by calling: the LCMS Church Information Center 888-THE- LCMS (888-843-5267) or by email at: infocenter@lcms.org.

Or Mailing the donation form (on back) to:
Marie Muhlke

Executive Office of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod
1333 South Kirkwood Road
St. Louis, MO 63122-7295

“Mustache Campaign” Donation Form

Deadline: December 31st, 2016

Minimum contribution of \$15 is encouraged. (*) REQUIRED

Contributor Name* _____

Billing Address of Credit/Debit Card* _____

City* _____ State* _____ Zip* _____

Mailing Address (if different than above)* _____

City* _____ State* _____ Zip* _____

Telephone Number* _____

E-mail Address _____

Donation Amount \$ _____ .00 **Check number** _____

Card is:* Credit Card Debit Card
MasterCard, VISA, Discover and American Express cards only.

Card Type* MasterCard Visa Discover

American Express

Card Number* _____

Card Expiration Date* ____/____/____ (CVS code on back of the card is

not required) Name as Shown on Card* _____

Vote is for: **Rev. Matthew C. Harrison**
 Rev. Terry Forke(select ONE):
 Joint Seminary Fund

Church-worker scholarships/financial aid, and

Divide between ALL CUS schools, or

Direct to _____

Print specific CUS school
name

Other notes/comments:

Highlighted District Ministries

Montana District has four highlighted missions for the 2016 year.

Our Native American ministries

- Circle of Life Lutheran Ministries, Lame Deer, MT, served by Pastor Bauer and Pastor Timber

- Crow Lutheran Ministry, Crow Agency, MT, served by Pastor Jacobs

Our newest congregation, previously a “mission start,” Emmaus Lutheran Mission, Big Timber/Livingston, MT, served by Pastor Schopp

The Montana District Mercy Fund

- The Mercy Fund is a program to provide relief for catastrophic healthcare expenses for Montana District LCMS church workers and their immediate family members. The Montana District Board of Directors is vested with the sole granting authority, and grant applications are considered on a case by case basis.

- In order to be tax deductible donations for the donor and non-taxable gifts to the donor or recipient, IRS regulations state that no individual recipient can be required by the donor. (see IRS Publication 526, page 6, and IRS Publication 559, page 25)

- Current recipients of Mercy Fund grants:

- The Rev. Erich Kaelberer family

Rev. Erich Kaelberer is suffering from ALS. He has grown weaker but continues to live the life of faith with a bold witness that the present sufferings are not worth being compared to the glory of salvation in Christ. He lives with wife, Jennifer and two daughters, Daelyn and Devyn in Cody, Wyoming.

If you wish to support one or more of the highlighted ministries, your tax deductible donation may be made out to “**Montana District LCMS**” and mailed to

Montana District LCMS
30 Broadwater Avenue
Billings, MT 59101

Please include this informational page with your donation.

Name:

Date:

Ministry Supported:

Circle of Life Lutheran Ministries \$

Crow Lutheran Ministry \$

Emmaus Lutheran Mission \$

Mercy Fund \$

■ As required by the IRS guidelines, no Mercy Fund recipient is designated.

Total Donation: \$