

GRACE NOTES

Scripture readings for next week (12/03/17)

Old Testament Reading – Isaiah 64:1-9

Psalm – Psalm 80:1-7

Epistle Reading – 1 Corinthians 1:3-9

Holy Gospel Reading – Mark 11:1-10 or Mark 13:24-37

Worship Assistants

	11/26/17 Last Sunday of the Church Year	11/29/17 Divine Service	12/03/17 First Sunday in Advent
Altar Guild	Dayna VanVleet Denise Wegner	Dayna VanVleet Denise Wegner	Dayna VanVleet Denise Wegner
Audio/Video	Gary Somerfeld	NOA	John Shaw
Duty Elders	Len Koelbel Jerry Grosenick	Bob Nommensen	Bill Sybrant Dennis Philipp
Organist	Anita Chapman	NOA	Joy Suek
Counters	Denise & Alan Wegner		Marty & Cheri Bauer

Today Sunday – November 26th ~ *Last Sunday of the Church Year*

8:30 am Sunday school & Adult Bible class

10:00 am *Divine Service*

Monday – November 27th

Nothing scheduled

Tuesday – November 28th

10:15 am Sing @ Benefis SNC

6:30 pm Hand Bell Choir practice

Wednesday – November 29th

9:00 am Wee Disciples Chapel

9:30 am Ladies Bible study

11:15 am **LWML Board meeting**

5:30 pm Middle & High school Youth w/Pastor

7:00 pm *Divine Service*

Thursday – November 30th

6:30 am Men's Bible study

9:00 am Quilters @ Peace

10:00 am Sing @ Park Place

Friday – December 1st

Church Office Closed

1:00 pm Friday Ladies Bible study

@ Marge Johnsten's, 3000 8th Ave N

Saturday – December 2nd

1:00 pm Youth & Congregation set up trees

Next Sunday – December 3rd ~ *First Sunday in Advent*

8:30 am Sunday school & Adult Bible class

10:00 am *Divine Service*

2:00 pm Pastor Paul & Heidi's Annual Open House

Pastor Salinas' installation – Pastor Adam Salinas will be installed as the Pastor for Power/Fairfield and the Associate Pastor for Trinity in a special service on **Sunday, December 10, 2017 at 4:00 pm in Power**. Members of Trinity are invited to attend and welcome our new Associate Pastor and his family.

The installation service will be followed with a sit down/family style dinner. Everyone is invited to attend and welcome Pastor Adam and BethAnn Salinas.

The ladies from Zion will take care of the dinner preparations but are asking for the following items to be donated:

10 - 9 x 13 pans of cheesy baked potatoes (Carla Pfeifle has the recipe). They must come to the church **baked and ready to serve**.

20 dozen Christmas bars or cookies. They will be putting together 10 cookie plates so they would appreciate having them at the church early in the afternoon

Spiral cut ham (approximately 50 pounds total) - they will need them in advance so they can cook them in electric roasters and Carla Pfeifle will need to know the size.

Please contact Carla Pfeifle - cjpfeifle@gmail.com about what you would like to contribute, so they can make sure they have the right amount. Thank you so much!

ADVENT BRUNCH



All ladies of the congregation are invited to attend the **Advent Potluck Brunch**, sponsored by LWML, on **Saturday, December 9th at 10:00 am**. Bring a friend and come join us for a morning of fun, food, and fellowship. Please bring a breakfast food item to share. This year's theme is *Candy Cane Christmas*. We will also be doing an ingathering of new toys and games to be given to the Great Falls Rescue Mission for Christmas gifts for the children who will be at their facility during the holidays. If you are unable to attend the brunch but would like to donate a toy or game, please bring it to the church office before December 9th.

Pastor Paul and Heidi invite you to join them Sunday, **December 3rd** starting at **2:00 pm** for their *Annual Christmas Open House*. Come and share in the fellowship with other members. You are welcome to a goodie or favorite Christmas treat to share.

Looking for an alternative web-based LCMS supported radio station? KFUE is the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod answer. On the web at www.kfuoam.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.kfuoam.org.

Lutherans for Life - November 26th - “All that we call human history—money, poverty, ambition, war, prostitution, classes, empires, slavery—is the long terrible story of man trying to find something other than God which will make him happy.” C.S. Lewis in *Mere Christianity – A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life*
• www.lutheransforlife.org

Issues Etc. – **Where Doctrine is Life**...Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken.
This week's teachings include: The Advent Season; The Christian Life; God Sends the Holy Spirit; The Patriarch Noah and more.
You can listen to what you want when you want at www.issuesetc.org and on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

Lutheran Hour - December 3rd - *Advent Adventure* -Guest Speaker: Dr. Dale A. Meyer. Sometimes our faith gets weaker, sometimes it grows stronger. Let's take this Advent to heart, and "live by faith, and not by sight." (Mark 13:24-37) .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).**

If you brought a raised cake plate to the anniversary celebration and took one home...please check the bottom of the pedestal for the initials MB. Millie Birkholz is missing hers and there is an orphan one in the church office.

Now available! Luther's Small Catechism

We now have a supply of *Luther's Small Catechism* available for you to own. Cost is \$15.00 each. Please see the display in the Narthex on Sunday mornings or the church office for your copy.

An Update on Giving

The offering for November 19th ~ \$2,447

Comparison of Income to our Monthly budget needs ~ November

Our Monthly budget need is \$16,070

Actual Giving to date ~ \$9,015

Needed to meet November's obligations – \$7,055

Trinity's next payroll is scheduled for Thursday, November 30th

Please continue to include Trinity's cash flow problem in your prayers each day. Hopefully, the Lord will bless TLC again with the \$16,070+ needed each month. Thank you to all who are so faithfully supporting God's church.

NOW THROUGH DEC. 1



TRINITY YOUTH GROUP
presents:

Hat & Glove Drive

We are collecting new or gently used hats & gloves to be delivered to the homeless on Dec. 2.

On Dec. 2 after decorating the Sanctuary trees, Trinity Youth Group will shop for additional winter clothing items with a \$250 Thrivent Action Team grant and deliver all donated goods to the Rescue Mission and Childrens Receiving Home.

A donation box is in the narthex. Thank you!!



THRIVENT
FINANCIAL

Celebrating a Wedding Anniversary This Week

Paul ♥ Millie Birkholz (29)

November 26th

Chuck ♥ Judy Lively (12)

November 26th

Chuck ♥ Elsie Lorenz (64)

November 28th

Gene ♥ Joy Suek (60)

November 30th

Celebrating a Birthday This Week

November 28th

Heidi Paul

November 29th

Leslie Lee

November 30th

Ashlee Graves

December 2nd

Jean Ann Craven (80+)

December 3rd

Brielyn Ginnaty

Nickolas Kessel

This Week's Baptismal Anniversaries

November 26th

Neil Burkstrand

Rochelle Sand

Aaron Sybrant

November 29th

Kenny Chapman

December 1st

Ashlee Graves

Channing Hartelius

December 2nd

Gary Headington

December 3rd

Heidi Paul

Alexandria Young

Jason Young

PRAYER REQUESTS

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

We pray for:

~**Gary Shelden**

~**Len Koelbel**

~**Ruth Waetzig**

~**Kay Kessel**

~**Emil Neumann**

~**Sammy Phillips**

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

~**Don Seffert** (Grosenick's daughter-in-law's father)

~**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)

~**Judy** (Carol Peters' sister-in-law)

~**Angie Peters**, (friend of Rose & Gary Shelden)

~**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)

~**Freddy** (Shelden's son-in-law's nephew)

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

~**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

Alice Irion

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

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)

Steffen Meeks USA (Sherrie Blomstrom's grandson)

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

Advent and Christmas Schedule ~ 2017



First Sunday in Advent ~ December 3

Divine Service ~ 10:00 am

First Advent Mid-week ~ December 6

Soup Supper 6:00 pm

Worship 7:00 pm

Second Sunday in Advent ~ December 10

Divine Service ~ 10:00 am

Annual Christmas Concert with Peace Lutheran @ Trinity

7:00 pm

Second Advent Mid-week ~ December 13

Soup Supper 6:00 pm

Worship 7:00 pm

Third Sunday in Advent ~ December 17

Reading Service ~ 10:00 am

Third Advent Mid-week ~ December 20

Soup Supper 6:00 pm

Worship 7:00 pm

Fourth Sunday in Advent ~ December 24

Divine Service ~ 10:00 am

Christmas Eve Family Worship ~ 7:00 pm

Christmas Day Divine Service ~ 10:00 am

*First Sunday after Christmas ~
December 31*

Divine Service ~ 10:00 am

New Year's Eve Divine Service

7:00 pm



FILL the PANTRY

Thank you so much for offering this service for me and my family. I really appreciate it. By no means do you have to get everything on this list. **Off brands are okay unless otherwise stated.**

FREEZER

Frozen chicken nuggets	Hamburger
Hot dogs (not all beef)	Chicken breasts
Bacon	Jimmie dean maple sausage links
Pork Roast	French fries
Frozen pizzas: 1 w/Hamburger only and 1 w/Sausage only	

FRIDGE

2% milk	Apple juice
Grape juice	Orange juice
Mild cheddar shredded cheese	any type cheese slices
Butter (stick)	Eggs
Turkey lunch meat	Ketchup
Mayonnaise	Mustard
Chocolate Syrup	Apples

PANTRY

Creamy peanut butter	Grape jelly
Pancake mix & syrup	Honey
Chocolate chip muffin mix	Flour
Sugar	Brown sugar
Mac & cheese – dye free	Pork and beans
Manwich Sandwich	Campbell's Chicken noodle soup
McCormick Mild taco seasoning	Canned chicken
Soft taco shells	Bread (white or wheat)
Unsweetened applesauce	Lunch size diced peaches
Lunch size diced pears	Alfredo sauce
Fettuccine noodles	Town house crackers
Bananas	Raisins
Mini marshmallows	Sweet Baby Ray's Honey BBQ sauce
Vegetable Oil	Ketchup

Thank you so much.
God's love and my smiles,
BethAnn Salinas



Please open this
FREE GIFT
from Trinity's choir & bell choir
along with Peace's choir...

A Christmas Cantata **God's Promise**

Sunday, Dec. 10
7pm at Trinity

Enjoy music, carols, Scripture readings, solos and the accompanying bell choir.
After *celebrating* Pastor Salinas' installation at 4pm in Power, relax and enjoy the music in our sanctuary at 7pm *celebrating* God's fulfilled promise of a Savior, **His Ultimate Free Gift.**
(Cookies and hot cider to follow in the Narthex)

