

1 Thessalonians 5:17

PRAY WITHOUT CEASING



Trinity Lutheran Church

June 1, 2025

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REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: BJ Baker, Janet Bobzien, Deb Einspahr, Lucille Fiebelkorn, Linda Foy, Lloyd Franz (*Linda Hedden's father*), Elvin Flores-Galvez (Student at OABCIG Middle School), Shirley Gonnerman, Barb Gronau, Delanie Koenen (*Linda Foy's great granddaughter*), Eugene Mau, Charlotte Nichols, Audrey Poppen, Lester Stehr, Dorothy Sweeden, Drew Ullrich (*Barb Gronau's grandson*) Carol Wendel, Jeanette Wulf and the family and friends of Stan Mortensen (*Gloria Huisenga's brother*),

Please let Pastor Lyons know if you or a family member enter the hospital or have health concerns.

DISCIPLESHIP THOUGHTS

Acts 1:16 – “Brothers, the Scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit spoke beforehand by the mouth of David concerning Judas, who became a guide to those who arrested Jesus.” Judas sold out our Lord for 30 pieces of silver. That is, he sold out his friend, master and teacher for the sake of greed. That is a sharp reminder for us to search our own hearts for greed and to pray that the Lord would help us to turn from it before it consumes us.

Life Thoughts from Lutherans for Life

June 1 – Easter VII – The sanctity of human life means more than implementing regulations or controlling behaviors. Jesus longs “that they may be one” (John 17:22) and “that the love with which you have loved me may be in them” (John 17:26). This represents invitation and instruction to receive every neighbor as gift and privilege, treat all bodies and needs as such, and speak courageously and compassionately about it.

June 8 airing

This is the Life – “Boy on the Fence” – Young Tom is faced with the dilemma of choosing new friends when his family moves to the city.

Worship Service – Rev. Steve Schulz from Mission Central in Mapleton, IA, delivers the message for Pentecost Sunday based on Acts 2:1-21. This program is interpreted and closed-captioned for the deaf and hard of hearing. Additional information is available on the web site: www.mainstreetliving.com.

Today's Readings:

Acts 1:12-26, Revelation 22:1-6 (7-11) 12-20, John 20-26

Readings for next Sunday:

Genesis 11:1-9, Acts 2:1-21, John 14:23-31

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS: Gloria Huisenga (6/1), Mckenzie Horsley (6/1), Melanie Auen (6/1), Donarae Cleveland (6/2), Marj Mohr (101 on 6/3), Kendra Grote (6/8)

ANNIVERSARIES: Ray and Waneta Leege (50th on 6/7)

As of May 25, 2025

Attendance at the Lord’s House last Sunday: 73

Our Gifts for the Lord's Work – 5/19/2025-5/25/2025

Needed each week to meet budget:	\$3,774.00
General Fund	\$2,637.45
Donation Moving Expenses Pastor	<u>\$5,000.00</u>
Total for home use:	\$7,637.45
General Fund Budget Difference:	\$3,863.45
Building Fund:	180.00
Caring Fund:	\$10.00
Seminary Student:	\$5.00
	Envelopes Electronic Total
Total Offerings for the Week:	\$7,241.00 \$591.45 \$7,832.45

Special offerings, Donations, or Weekly Giving.....for your convenience these options are available:

Text Giving: **833-939-4398** (use only the 10-digits), or use this QR code:



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Looking Forward:

4 June-Lydia Circle-6:30pm

8 June-Rite of Confirmation

14 June-Trinity 5K

19 June-Community Mobile Food Pantry-Holstein UMC-4:30pm

26-29 June-LWML National Convention-Omaha

Trinity News:

From the May edition of The Lutheran Witness:

Ways to welcome a Church Worker:

Talk to them, not about them.

When the pastor does or says something that seems at odds, before one speaks poorly about them (like the lady condemning the pastor over his use of sawhorses) take time to visit with him about the issue and share your concerns.

We should fear and love God so that we do not tell lies about our neighbor, betray him, slander him, or hurt his reputation, but defend him, speak well of him, and explain everything in the kindest way.

When something good is happening in the church, share your joy with the pastor. If the pastor or their family experiences a blessing (like their oldest child scoring the winning touchdown), take the time to congratulate them. If you like the sermon, tell the pastor. Church workers need encouragement just like everyone else.

Notice: The deadline is June 15th for bringing fabric for the stole being made as a gift to welcome and honor Pastor elect, David Clark on his installation as our new pastor.



Reminder: The children will collect our Mite boxes next Sunday. If you haven't picked up a box, you will find them in the entryway. (See below how the mites are put to good use)

Expanding Gospel Proclamation Worldwide Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, MO — \$100,000

About This Mission Grant

The LCMS receives frequent requests from other Lutheran church bodies around the world to share theological knowledge and doctrinally sound practices. Supporting and expanding theological education is one of LCMS's key mission priorities to ensure there will be well-educated pastors to lead these congregations. Very few of these church bodies have the resources to send students to the United States for advanced studies and there is a need for seminary professors who have advanced theological degrees to instruct and mentor pastoral students in their home countries. God has equipped our seminary professors to fill this gap. International students will come to Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, to complete advanced degrees, and they will return to their country to train pastors who will then shepherd their local churches. This grant will provide aid to international students completing their advanced degrees.



Lutheran
Family Service

Building Healthy Families: Sum, sum, summertime – it’s coming! What’s your plan for summer free time for you and your family? Wait - what, no plan?? Without a plan, we’re more likely to migrate to our favorite individual activities or spot in front of the television or computer screen. Consider challenging your family this week to make a “summer bucket list,” brainstorming a list of interesting things to do, perhaps with a set of parameters like, “it can’t include screen time, and it must be within a 2-hour drive of our home.” Make up your own rules and let the brainstorming ideas begin! Be sure to add a Bible story or Scripture reading plan for the summer to your list. Reading the Bible with mom and dad instead of endless days of playing computer games alone or with friends will create powerful memories for your children, and what an impact it will have on their lives! **Lutheran Family Service**
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