

Tríníty Lutheran Church

June 22, 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, and Jeanette Wulf

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

DISCIPLESHIP THOUGHTS

Luke 8:37 – "Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Him to depart from them, for they were seized with great fear. So, He got into the boat and returned." The Gerasenes are upset with Jesus because His ministry led to the loss of their pig herd — their wealth. They want Jesus to go away before He does any more damage to their bottom line. Their priorities are clear. What about our priorities? Is the work and ministry of Jesus worthy of our support and the sacrifice of some of our wealth?

Life Thoughts from Lutherans for Life

June 22 – Pentecost II (Proper 7C) – Death is the devil's lair and destruction is his labor. Demonic forces lurk around the grave and lead to nowhere else (Luke 8:27). Feeble mortals do well not to dabble with such sinister powers, even if technology like abortion and assisted suicide make it accessible. Better to beg the Lord Jesus to rescue and safeguard human life even when it appears less than to us.

June 29 airing

This is the Life – "Little Big Lie" – Curiosity and a little "white lie" result in very serious unintended developments for the Fisher family.

Worship Service – Rev. Jared Hartman of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Wisner, NE, delivers the message, "The Cost of Following Jesus" based on Luke 9:51-62. Additional information is available on the web site: <u>www.mainstreetliving.com</u>.

Today's Readings:

Isaiah 65:1-9, Galatians 3:23-4:7, Luke 8:26-39

Readings for next Sunday:

1 Kings 19:9b-21, Galatians 5:1, 13-25, Luke 9:51-62

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS: Michael Grote (6/22), Angie Horsley (6/23), Michael Spetman (6/26), Colt Grote (6/28)

ANNIVERSARIES: Brian and Janet Down (40 years on 6/29)

As of June 15, 2025

Attendance at the Lord's House last Sunday: 65

Our Gifts for the Lord's Work - 6/9/2025-6/15/2025

Needed each week to meet budget:\$3,774.00General Fund\$2,231.45Total for home use:\$2,231.45General Fund Budget Difference:(\$1,542.55)Building Fund:\$35.00Caring Fund:\$10.00Seminary Student:\$10.00

Envelopes Electronic Total Total Offerings for the Week: \$1,940.00 \$646.45 \$2,586.45

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

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



Looking Forward:

26-29 June-LWML National Convention-Omaha2 July-Lydia Circle-7:00pm13 July-Installation of Pastor David Clark-2:00pm

Trinity News:

All members of the Voter's Assembly are asked to stay for a special voter's meeting immediately following the worship service today.

🕉 You're Invited to a Special Watch Party! 🗩

Join us as we come together in love, support, and celebration for Pastor-Elect Clark's Ordination Service!

Watch Party Details:

🗓 Date: Sunday, June 29

⑦ Time: 2:00 lowa time

P Location: Sanctuary at Trinity Lutheran Church Odebolt

We'll be watching the ordination service together and lifting up Pastor-Elect Clark as he steps into this next chapter of his calling.

Let's fill the room with joy, fellowship, and praise as we honor this incredible moment!



Be sure to pick up a copy of Portals of Prayer to enhance your daily devotions. (Now in the entryway)

Thank you to all members who helped make our 10th Annual 5-K run/walk a success. Whether you ran, walked, or manned a corner to direct and encourage the runners, you are an important part of the success. We look forward to hosting this event next year.

Pastor elect, David Clark sent a letter to the congregation to share their excitement as they prepare for their move to Odebolt. Please see the letter and pictures posted on the bulletin board in the entryway.

Linda V. Left the parsonage spotless, but we have been doing some work that has created some dust. If you are able and willing to do some cleaning, your help would be appreciated on Wednesday, June 25 at 9:00 a.m. Bring the supplies you would use for light cleaning (we will have some vacuums available). Many hands make light work!"



Building Healthy Families: We're Growing with You! If you haven't done so yet, it's not too late to make your spring, "Grow with Us, Go with Us" gift to support the growing, going work of Lutheran Family Service in your area! New partners are needed to build new LFS resources to serve more people in need than ever before. Be one of 10 new partners from your congregation to make a gift of at least \$10 before the end of June and you will grow the ministry of love, mercy, and care that we are called to accomplish together for our neighbors in need — and your pastor will receive a gift card for a nice evening out with his spouse or a friend! Make your gift today at https://lutheranfamilyservice.networkforgood.com/! Lutheran Family Service

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