

Trinity Weekly News

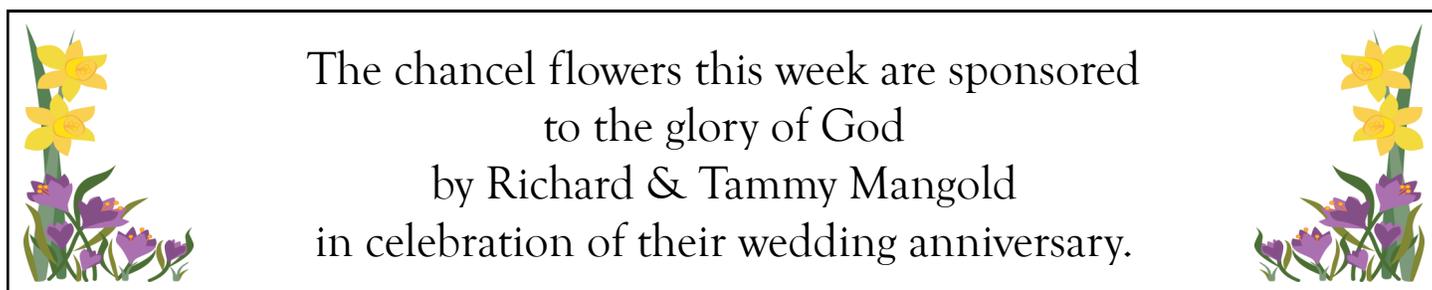
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This Week at Trinity:

All worship services and activities are held in-person at Trinity except as noted.

Sunday 10/25:

REFORMATION SUNDAY

8:00 a.m.—Worship Service w/Communion
(in-person and online)

9:10-9:30 a.m.—Communion in Sanctuary

9:30 a.m.—Children's Sunday School

9:30 a.m.—Adult Bible Study
(in-person and online)

10:30 a.m.—Worship Service w/Communion

3:00 p.m.—Youth Group

3:30 p.m.—Pickleball

6:00 p.m.—JCC

Monday 10/26:

9:00 a.m.—Bible Study

6:00 p.m.—Worship Service w/Communion

Wednesday 10/28:

8:45 a.m.—TLCLC Chapel

9:00 a.m.—Kitchen Cleaning

5:00 p.m.—Pickleball

Thursday 10/29:

6:30 a.m.—Men's Bible Study

8:45 a.m.—TLCLC Chapel

Sunday 11/1:

ALL SAINTS' DAY

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS

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READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

November 1, 2020: All Saints' Day

First Reading: Revelation 7:2-17

Epistle: 1 John 3:1-3

Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12



A LIFE QUOTE FROM LUTHERANS FOR LIFE



"I pray that the love of Christ emboldens you to rejoice in the Word and to speak it without fear of consequence...may future generations speak of us like we do of David, Josiah, Luther, and our forefathers. May our children say of you and me, 'Our forefathers stood their ground on Christ alone, on His Word of truth alone.' The truth has set you free. Enjoy your own personal reformation. Let your freedom in Christ be contagious! Let your life continue to shout: Thank Jesus Christ my Savior! I'm free at last...and so are you! Amen." *Rev. Peter Sulzle, St. John Lutheran Church, Redwood Falls, Minnesota*



BIBLE QUIZ QUESTION

How much time passed between the end of the Old Testament and the birth of Christ?

Browse the Trinity Weekly News to find the answer.

TRINITY GARDEN CLUB MEETING

The Trinity Garden Club will meet on Saturday, November 7 at 10:00 a.m. Weather permitting, we will meet in the main parking lot. New members are welcome to join us! For more information, please call Chris Cott at (573) 864-6315.



ALL SAINTS' DAY DIVINE WORSHIP



Trinity will hold divine worship services at 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, November 1. As some people may recall, our annual worship schedule for 2020 included a special combined service at 9:00 a.m. on November 1, All Saints' Day. Because we are currently limited to 100 worshipers per service and do not want to turn anyone away, the Board of Elders has decided to hold two services at their regular times, rather than one combined service.

Please remember that November 1 is also the day that Daylight Saving Time ends this year, so be sure to "fall back" before you come to church or pull up the livestream that morning.



IN-PERSON WORSHIP SERVICES AND EVENTS

Trinity is holding in-person worship services and on-site events. However, the COVID-19 pandemic requires several modifications to the way we meet for worship. Based on the most recent orders from the City of Columbia, we are observing the following practices:

- ✝ If you are in the high-risk group as defined by the City of Columbia (65 or older or have an underlying medical condition), you are encouraged not to attend services or events.
- ✝ If you have a cough, fever, shortness of breath, loss of taste or smell, or other COVID-19 symptoms, please do not attend.
- ✝ The most recent guidelines limit our occupancy to 100 people.
- ✝ We are following strict social distancing guidelines. Households are encouraged to sit together, but groups must sit at least six feet from the nearest group, with vacant pews both in front of and behind each occupied pew. Please follow all written and verbal instructions given at the service.



✝ Worshipers must wear face masks when attending worship services. Worshipers may, at their discretion, remove their face mask once in their seats and at least six feet from the nearest group. Face masks must be worn when arriving, leaving, or otherwise moving about the church. If you do not own a face mask or forget to bring one, we will provide a mask for you.

- ✝ If you need to visit one of the pastors or the Church Office, you must wear a face mask. If you have a meeting or other business at the church, the only time you may remove your mask is if you are alone in a room. Masks should be removed if you are playing a sport or other athletic activity.
- ✝ Worship services are held at regular times: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. on Sunday and 6:00 p.m. on Monday.
- ✝ The 8:00 a.m. worship service will be livestreamed at www.facebook.com/trinitylutherancomo.
- ✝ A special worship service will be held at 4:30 p.m. Monday, October 19 with extra safety measures. At this service, there will be no singing and masks must be worn at all times.
- ✝ Communion will be offered at worship services as scheduled. Communion will also be available at other advertised times and by appointment.
- ✝ Children's Sunday School and Adult Sunday Bible Class meet in-person at 9:30 a.m. An adult Bible study is also available online at www.facebook.com/trinitylutherancomo. Fellowship Hour has been canceled through the end of the year.

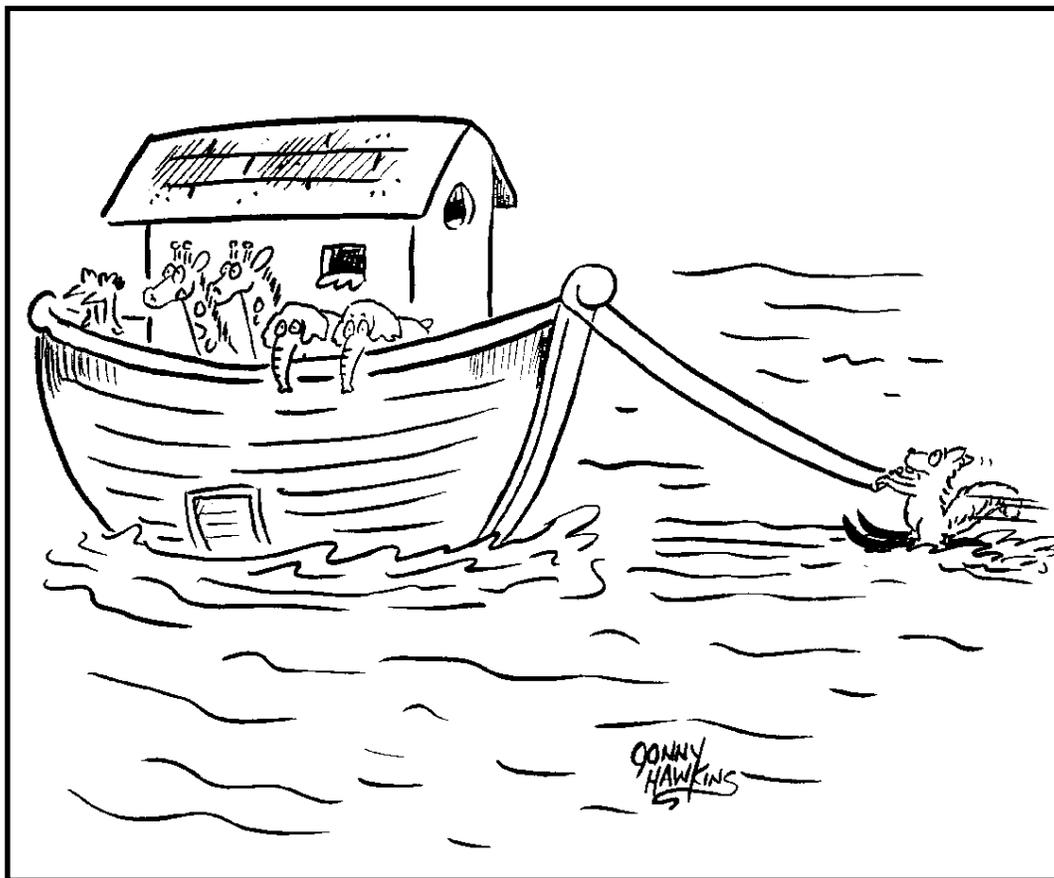


✝ Meetings and events may be held on site. Social distancing guidelines and all City of Columbia orders must be followed including rules for wearing face masks and for food preparation and service. As with worship services, high-risk and symptomatic persons are encouraged not to attend events and meetings.

STEWARDSHIP & SCRIPTURE

John 8:36 - "So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed." Today we celebrate Reformation Day! Luther is rightly remembered as a champion of the Gospel, but he also called himself "the apostle of good works." For only in being set free by the Gospel can we do good works. Jesus has set us free, and His blood covers over our sins. We stand before God as His beloved children, and we are invited to live our lives to His glory for the good of His kingdom.

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BIBLE QUIZ ANSWER

Malachi, the last and latest book of the Old Testament, was written around 430 BC, so about 400 years passed between the end of the Old Testament and the birth of Jesus. See "When the Prophets Ceased to Speak," *Lutheran Study Bible*, p. 1553.

FELLOWSHIP HALL KITCHEN CLEANING OCTOBER 28

Please join us to help with our seasonal cleaning of the Fellowship Hall Kitchen this Wednesday, October 28 from 9:00-11:00 a.m. Please follow the health guidelines for meetings listed in this publication. **Facemasks will be REQUIRED** during cleaning since we will not be able to stay 6 feet apart in the small kitchen space. All cleaning supplies will be provided except facemasks and gloves; please bring your own. Please call, text, or email if you can help. Thank you! Marilyn Wise: (573) 777-2678, mjwise@centurylink.net



HONEY SALES

Honey from Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch is still available! Visit our table in the Narthex and pick up a bottle. A suggested donation of \$10 per bottle will support the services for the Ranch. The honey is gathered and packaged by members at their Ranch. 100% of sales will be donated to the Lutheran-supported Dakota Ranch. Checks should be made to Trinity Vesper Guild. Thank you for your support! If you have any questions, contact Betty Buchheit at (573) 823-2664.



ONLINE RESOURCES AND GIVING

As we continue our social distancing measures during this pandemic, please note that Trinity has many resources available for you online:

- + If you have an email address but have not been receiving emails from Trinity, please contact the Church Office at church@trinity-lcms.org so that we can send you important updates.
- + Church services are livestreamed on our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/trinitylutherancomo. Audio and video recordings of services are also available within 48 hours at www.trinity-lcms.org/worship-recordings.
- + Bulletins are available at www.trinity-lcms.org/weekly-bulletin.
- + The *Trinity Weekly News* is at www.trinity-lcms.org/news.
- + The weekly prayer list is at www.trinity-lcms.org/weekly-prayer-list. For privacy, a valid login to our website is required.
- + You can contribute to Trinity online by clicking the red "Give Online" button at www.trinity-lcms.org. You can donate directly from your bank account using your routing number and account number.



COLLECTIONS FOR COMMUNITY MISSIONS

Thank you for your generous donations to our community missions. Please continue to collect and donate the items listed below. You can place them in the labeled bins inside the Christian Resource Center (brown unit in the hallway). If you need assistance getting the items to Trinity or have other suggestions for collections, please contact the Church Office.



Community Collection Items:

- Bibles • Best Choice UPCs • Tyson 1-2-3 Labels • Box Tops for Education •
- Soda & Soup Can Pop Tops • Eyeglasses & Hearing Aids you no longer use •
- Coupons with no expiration date • Food (nonperishable, no glass containers) •
- Canceled postage stamps including Forever stamps (No Love or Christmas) •

AMAZON SMILE

Do you like to shop on amazon.com? Did you know that they will donate a portion of your purchase to the charity of your choice? If you go to smile.amazon.com rather than amazon.com, you can choose a charity for donations. There are thousands of charities you can choose from including local nonprofits like Trinity, Voluntary Action Center, Love INC, Mobility Worldwide, Boone County Animal Care, or the Food Bank of Central and Northeast



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RADIO RESOURCES

The Lutheran Hour

The Lutheran Hour with Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler proclaims the salvation story of Jesus every week to hundreds of thousands of listeners. The Lutheran Hour weekly half-hour program can be heard on www.lhm.org, on their mobile app, or Sundays on several area radio stations:

8:00 a.m. on **KMCV 89.9FM** 8:00 a.m. on **KLTE 107.9FM**

9:00 a.m. on **KMCR 103.9FM** 10:00 a.m. on **KMMO 1300AM**

KFUO Lutheran Radio

Listen to Worldwide KFUO.org, your station for practical Lutheran talk, daily Bible and Confession studies, daily worship, and current issues from a Lutheran worldview. Programs are archived at KFUO.org for on-demand listening. You can also find our programming wherever you get your podcasts!

Issues, Etc.: Christ-Centered, Cross-Focused

Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken and produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL. You can listen on-demand at www.issuesetc.org and on the LPR mobile app.

