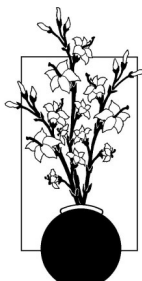


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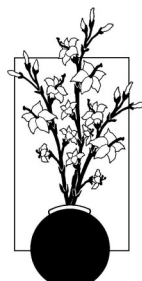
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August 27 & 28, 2023

The chancel flowers this week are sponsored
by Larry & Janice Kuehner in honor of their
59th wedding anniversary



This Week at Trinity:

Sunday 8/27

Rally Sunday

8:00 a.m.—Divine Service
9:30 a.m.—Sun. School
10:30 a.m.—Divine Service
12:00 p.m.—JCC & Parent Meeting
5:00 p.m.—Handbell Practice
6:00 p.m.—Choir Practice

Monday 8/28

9:00 a.m.—Bible Study
1:15 p.m.—GLAT
6:00 p.m.—Divine Service

Tuesday 8/29

**30th anniversary of Pastor Thieme's
ordination and installation**

5:30 p.m.—Pickleball

Wednesday 8/30

9:00 a.m.—TLCLC Chapel
1:30 p.m.—Death & Dying

6:00 p.m.—Choir Practice

Thursday 8/31

7:00 a.m.—Men's Bible Study
9:00 a.m.—TLCLC Chapel
5:30 p.m.—Pickleball
6:30 p.m.—Women's Bible Study

Friday 9/1

Pastors' day off

Sunday 9/3

8:00 a.m.—Divine Service w/ Comm.
9:30 a.m.—Sun. School
10:30 a.m.—Divine Service w/ Comm.
6:00 p.m.—LLL Fellowship



In praise and thanksgiving to the Lord of the Church for sending faithful laborers into His harvest, please join us for the 30th Anniversary of Ordination and Installation into the Office of the Holy Ministry of Rev. Brian K. Thieme

Divine Service
Sunday, September 10, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

RSVP'd dinner and program of celebration to follow worship.



TOMORROW'S Teachers & Preachers

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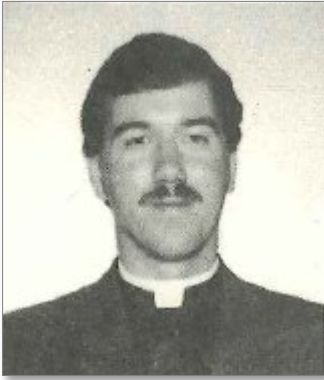
Check out District social media platforms to learn more about church work vocations and join in the celebration. Our sincerest thanks to all churches partaking in this campaign!

JOIN US SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

for a special offering that aids Missouri students preparing to be church workers.

GOD'S BLESSINGS!





Fun Fact: Pastor Thieme was ordained and installed on August 29, 1993!

We will give thanks and celebrate that occasion at a special service at 10:00 a.m. on September 10.



Hosts Needed!

We would like to start up Sunday fellowship time again, beginning on Sunday, September 17th. This is a wonderful time to share conversation and enjoy coffee, tea, and donuts with your fellow congregants. Both 8:00 am and 10:30 am service attendees are encouraged to come.

We need volunteers to host. It's easy, it's fun, and though couples often host, it's easy enough for a single person to tackle it alone. Please sign up on the office hallway bulletin board. We will contact you and, if necessary, walk you through the process to get you started. Please consider pitching in and being an occasional host. Your available time commitment is flexible.

We need you! Without hosts, we can't have donuts and coffee. Thank you.

Trinity LLL Fellowship Club

Trinity LLL Fellowship Club will start meeting again on Sunday, September 3rd at 6pm in the church basement.

Monthly meetings are scheduled for the 1st Sunday of each month (September through May) at 6pm in the church basement. Activities include a very short business meeting, bible study, and fellowship time with snacks. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.



The handbell choir is looking for new ringers to join us. Ages 4th grade and up are welcome, no experience required. Rehearsals are held most Sundays at 5pm. If interested, please call or text Kimberly Walker at (708) 532-3358.

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Greek for the Lutheran Armchair Theologian (GLAT) is switching

back to Mondays at 1:15 pm. If you were hesitant to come or feel the class is too far along to catch up, don't let that stop you! Everyone is welcome to poke their heads in for a day, or give it a longer try. Come for one session to see and hear the New Testament in its original language. While we are studying grammar, we're also reading one or two verses from the Sunday gospel and epistle lessons and discussing these more like a Bible study. Even you don't like diagramming sentences, your sure to enjoy a deeper study of the Biblical texts.

Are you struggling with the loss of a loved one or know someone who is?

Please consider joining our Grief Share group.



We will watch a video from GS each week & then have discussion (optional) after. The GS classes will be Thursday Sept 7th & each Thursday until Dec 7th, from 7pm-9pm.

To sign up, visit the GS website www.griefshare.org/findagroup.

Any questions, please call/text Kevin Burns (Facilitator) at (573) 424-7514.



Ladies' Bible Study & Story Telling

Through story telling the Holy Spirit inspired Moses to write the first books of the Bible. Jesus used parables to teach us how to live and understand our lives as His followers. In this Bible study we will get to know some of the women of the

Bible, their stories and experiences. We will explore how we can share their story with others. Whether it be encouragement, endurance, grief, or love their stories are a gift; a gift that is meant to be shared. Join us at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday evenings.

Questions? Contact Chris Bailey at 573-639-0727 or email at vanity411@yahoo.com.

Men's Thursday Bible Study

The Thursday morning Men's Bible Study began new study in May. This new study will use the new *Concordia: The Lutheran Confessions – A Reader's Edition of The Book of Concord (second edition)*. Specifically, we will start with Luther's Large Catechism. If you have an individual copy of *Concordia*, bring it along but there should be enough copies for each attendee (church copies). We will use the same format as with The Lutheran Study Bible; i.e., we will read each section together and discuss the doctrine using the *Concordia* notes. Please plan on joining us and remember, we start at 7:00 am each Thursday.



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Be still, and know
that I am God.
I will be exalted
among the nations,
I will be exalted
in the earth!

Psalms 46:10

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, September 17:
Chinese BBQ

Saturday, October 14:
Trivia Night

Saturday, October 21:
Nativity Project

Sunday, October 29:
Trunk or Treat

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CHINESE BBQ

Sunday, September 17, 2023

PLACE: Meet in the Fellowship Hall

TIME: 3:00-6:00pm

COMMITMENT: 3 hours, \$6. RSVP required by 9/10.

CONTACT: Pastor McCalley

Come make traditional Chinese street barbecue, called chuan or chua'r (as we say in Beijing). We'll roast seasoned lamb, vegetables, and mantou (bread).



**SATURDAY,
OCTOBER 14, 2023
5:00-7:00 PM**

**Your TLC Youth
will be hosting**





Save the Date! Life Network of Central Missouri is holding their annual banquet on Friday, September 15th at the Crossing Church. The speaker this year is Kelly Lester who shares her story about desperate situations and that they are not beyond God. She shares her story of God making beauty from the ashes of her life. The Trinity Life Team is sponsoring a table this year and 6 seats are available. If you are interested in attending, please contact Sylvia

Glenn or Phyllis White.

And one more item: the Life Team, in an effort to educate and equip our congregation to be Gospel motivated voices for life, is working to bring a speaker from Missouri Right to Life to talk about the proposed initiative petitions for the election in 2024 and how, if passed, they would affect the protections for women and unborn children in our state. Be on the lookout for the announcement in the weeks to come!

MEMORY VERSE

When the goodness and loving
kindness of God our Savior
appeared, he saved us,
not because of works
done by us in righteousness,
but according to
his own mercy,
by the washing of regeneration
and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom
he poured out on us richly
through Jesus Christ our Savior.

TITUS 3:4-6



Life Thoughts

August 27 – Pentecost XIII (Proper 16A) –

Confessing the Christ means advocating the sanctity of every human life. If Jesus is indeed the Son of the Living God (Matthew 16:16), then He also serves as Lord of life-and-death situations and decisions. May He whose Word has plundered us out of hell's gates grant our testimony to extend this same courage and compassion to everyone considering abortion or physician-assisted suicide.

Stewardship & Scripture

August 27 – Proper 16

Matthew 16:27 – “For the Son of Man is going to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay each person according to what he has done.” St Paul talks about rewards on

the Last Day in 1 Corinthians 3, and Jesus says more about this “repaying” in Matthew 19:27–30. Bottom line: your good works can't buy you heaven, but in Christ your good works do matter. They are pleasing to your Heavenly Father, and they will be rewarded. In other words, your sacrifices for the Lord's kingdom are not in vain and do not go unnoticed by your Father. This should encourage you in your faithfulness.

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Radio & Podcast 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**

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CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUO.org: Begin studying Leviticus on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), study Acts 22-26 and a special Free Text Friday on Baptism on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT), and study Church Ceremonies and Governance on Concord Matters (9/2 at 11:00 a.m. CT). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or the KFUO Radio app!



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