

Trinity Weekly News

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Trinity Lutheran Church — Columbia, MO

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October 29 & 30, 2023

The chancel flowers this week are
sponsored by Richard & Tammy Mangold in
honor of their 21st Wedding Anniversary

This Week at Trinity:

Sunday 10/29

Reformation Sunday

8:00 a.m.—Divine Service w/ Comm.
9:00 a.m.—Fellowship
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School
10:30 a.m.—Divine Service w/ Comm.
3:00 p.m.—Trunk or Treat
6:00 p.m.—JCC

Monday 10/30

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

Tuesday 10/31

5:30 p.m.—Pickleball
5:30 p.m.—Sound Words/Adult
Catechism

Wednesday 11/1

9:00 a.m.—TLCLC Chapel

Thursday 11/2

7:00 a.m.—Men's Bible Study
9:00 a.m.—TLCLC Chapel
11:00 a.m.—Communion @ Lenoir
5:30 p.m.—Pickleball
7:00 p.m.—Grief Share

Friday 11/3

Pastors' day off

Sunday 11/5

All Saints Day

9:00 a.m.—Divine Service w/ Comm.
10:00 a.m.—Bible Study & Sunday
School
11:00 a.m.—Lutherfest Lunch
5:00 p.m.—Handbell Practice
5:30 p.m.—Men's Chorus
6:00 p.m.—Choir
6:00 p.m.—JCC
6:00 p.m.—LLL Fellowship

TRUNK OR TREAT

Sunday, October 29, 2023

3:00—5:00 p.m.

Trinity Lutheran Church

2201 W. Rollins Rd.—West Parking Lot*

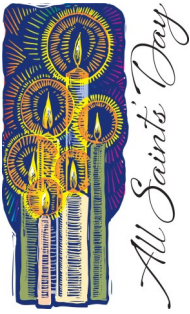
Cookie walk, bounce house, and so much more!

If you would like to volunteer, donate candy, or reserve a spot for your car or game, please sign up on the bulletin board across from the church office.

For those who want to donate, there is a large box for candy and a small box for non-edible items in the Narthex.

* If inclement weather, activities will be in the gymnasium.





Join us for All Saints' Day, November 5, 2023!

- ✝ One service at 9 am
- ✝ Short Bible Study after the service
- ✝ Lutherfest Lunch at 11 a.m.

A free will offering will be collected to benefit the Member Emergency & Member Assistance funds



Lutherfest
November 5, 2023

Pattern of Sound Words: Adult Catechism Classes

Pastor McCalley will be offering the Pattern of Sound Words class beginning later this month. Pattern of Sound Words is the class for those interested in learning about more or reviewing Christian doctrine. If you are interested in membership at Trinity or want to review the Small Catechism, you are most welcome to attend this class. The class will begin meeting on Tuesdays at 5:30pm. The first class will be on October 24 in the middle school Sunday School classroom (bottom of the stairs, turn right). Please contact the Church Office to register.



Catechism



Nut Sales—Orders Ready for Pick Up!

The Mary Martha Guild has received and sorted the shipment of nut orders. Please stop by the Family Room off the Narthex before or after Sunday and Monday services to pick up your order. If you would prefer to pick up your order during the week, please call the Church Office to make arrangements.

We ordered a few extra items in case you forgot to order or need extras. Check with the Mary Martha member in the Family Room to see what extras are available.



Mark your calendars, coming soon!

Vesper Guild will host the annual Craft Fair & Bake Sale on **Sundays, November 5 & 12 and on Monday November 6.**

Orders will also be taken for honey from the Dakota Boys & Girls Ranch. We support this Lutheran

mission by giving 100% of the sales for the honey sold.

There is a change in location! The fair will be located in the Fellowship Hall with a small display in the hallway near the pastor's offices and will be open between and after services.

If you are a crafter or baker, we welcome donations to sell at the fair!

You will find a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board located left of the church office. All proceeds will go toward funding various mission projects. Contact Betty Buchheit 573-823-2664 for information or questions.

THANK YOU!

Report of Vesper Guild Mission Projects for 2022

Thank you to everyone who financially supported Vesper Guild in 2022 !

Your contributions of placing coins in the Mite box and purchasing items from the Craft Fair & Bake Sale are sincerely and gratefully appreciated. Because of your generosity, we gave to the following 3 organizations:

- Cora Community Outreach
- Columbia Women's Ministry
- Lutheran School Association

Each organization received \$225.00.

Thank you and blessings to you as we look forward for your continued support!



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.

Y GROUP U T H

Oh, magnify the Lord with me,
and let us exalt his name together!

I sought the Lord, and he
answered me and delivered me
from all my fears.

-Psalm 34:3-4

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, October 29:
Trunk or Treat

Sunday, November 12:
Service & Friendsgiving

Sunday, December 17:
Cookie Decorating &
Christmas Party

LUTHERAN COLLEGE FAIR

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4
OPEN HOUSE 10AM-2PM

Come and meet representatives from
the Concordia Universities!



November 4, 2023

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Sieck Hall on the beautiful campus of
Concordia Seminary, St. Louis.

Come and meet with reps from the Concordia Universities and
both seminaries, learn the latest info on topics like financial aid,
and enter to win gift cards and prizes throughout the day!

**OPEN HOUSE STYLE AND FREE TO ATTEND
CHICK-FIL-A LUNCH PROVIDED**

**REGISTER ONLINE:
[MO.LCMS.ORG/COLLEGE-FAIR](https://mo.lcms.org/college-fair)**

YOUTH SERVICE & FRIENDSGIVING Sunday, November 12, 2023

PLACE: Fellowship Hall & Youth Room

TIME: 3:00-5:30PM

COMMITMENT: Please bring a snack/appetizer to share.

Come for a fun afternoon of food, fellowship and service. Drinks
provided, but don't forget to bring your snack to share. Contact
Jacque Eckhoff at 573-289-0273 if you have any questions.



Infant/Toddler Opening

We currently have an opening for our infant/toddler room. Ideally the student would be between the ages of 3 months to 16 months. For more information about the opening you can email Dana Luetkemeier at TLCLCKids@gmail.com or call us at 573-445-1014. You can also visit our website www.TLCLCKids.com for more information about our school.



Choir practices have resumed! The men's chorus practices on Sundays at 5:30 p.m. and the full choir joins in at 6 pm in the church overflow area. Join us!

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 5 pm. If interested, please call or text Kimberly Walker at (708) 532-3358.



Stewardship & Scripture

October 29 – Reformation Day (Observed)

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 by being set free by the Gospel can we do good works. Jesus has set us free: His blood covers over our sins, and now we stand before God as His beloved children, invited to live our lives to His glory for the good of His kingdom.

Brought to you by LCMS Stewardship Ministry and Trinity's Board of Stewardship & Finance

Trinity LLL Fellowship Club

Trinity LLL Fellowship Club has been re-scheduled for Sunday, November 5th at 6 pm 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.

MEMORY VERSE

**FOR BY GRACE YOU HAVE
BEEN SAVED THROUGH
FAITH. AND THIS IS
NOT YOUR OWN DOING;
IT IS THE GIFT OF GOD, NOT
A RESULT OF WORKS, SO
THAT NO ONE MAY BOAST.**

EPHESIANS 2:8-9



Life Thoughts

October 29 – Pentecost XXII (Proper 25A)/Reformation Day – Our Reformation heritage includes boldly and gladly confessing God's Word. The Scriptures speak frequently and forcefully of taking care of children (1 Thessalonians 2:7) and standing up for a neighbor's life (Leviticus 19:16). Christians cannot promote or even permit putting people to death by abortion, assisted suicide, and embryo experimentation. Love for our Father means love for each other!

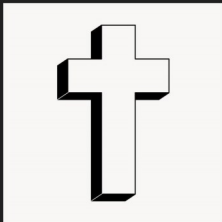


The Life Team will be participating in Trunk or Treat again this year and will be handing out candy, coloring books and information about Martin Luther's stance on life issues. Be sure to stop at our Trunk!

We will also be delivering Reformation Day goody bags to our Home Bound members in the coming weeks. These bags have goodies and information about the history of Reformation Day. Many thanks to Pastor McCalley for the letter/pamphlet he wrote for us.

PRAYERS NEEDED!

Please pray for the people of Ohio that they would defeat a proposed amendment to their constitution that would make abortions legal for any reason throughout all nine months of pregnancy. May they recognize and uphold the sanctity of every human life from beginning to end.



Thank you for coming to support our church and youth group at our yearly trivia night! We had a good turn out this year and hope to continue with high spirits next year! This year our proceeds went to being able to adopt from coyote hill! We were able to reach our goal thanks to amazing youth and you guys!

Lectionary Preview Study

Prepare for next week: The Feast of All Saints (observed), November 5, 2023

First Reading: Revelation 7:2-17

1. John sure is seeing quite a number of angels in his vision. How many does he see in verse one of this chapter? What is the duty of the angel in verse 2? In general, what does a seal signify?
2. There are different types of angels in the Scripture. What is the job of the angel in Malachi verse 3:1? He is a messenger of the ____? How is this similar to a seal?
3. Chapter 6 describes the wrath of God against unbelief. Chapter 7 is encouraging for believers. What is the good news in verse 3?
4. The listing of 12,000 from each tribe of Israel would have resonated powerfully with the saints of the early church because they saw themselves as the **NEW** Israel. What makes a person a believer of the new Israel? Romans 9:8.

Psalm 149

Epistle: 1 John 3:1-3

5. What part of the Small Catechisms' teaching on the Lord's Prayer instructs Christians on how to address God?
6. According to verse 1, what is the only way to the Father?
7. In verse 3, Christians are pure for Christ's sake. In the Greek, the word purify is in the present tense, indicating *ongoing* purification. How is the Christian continually purified throughout life? This is to ask, how are we kept holy? See the Explanation to the Third Article of the Creed.

Holy Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12

8. The debate about who Jesus is talking about in the beatitudes (the *blessed are...*) in some form or another usually ends up at this point: "is Jesus talking about himself or us?" Certainly, Jesus Himself is indeed everything He lists in vv.5-12, and perfectly so! Yet, He is also talking to a crowd who has gathered to hear Him preach. It seems odd He would be talking about Himself. Usually, He refers to Himself in this way when addressing His opponents. How can we be sure the blessings Jesus describes are indeed ours, especially in light of his resurrection and glorified body. Look back to 1 John 3:2; Romans 8:29, 12:1; Colossians 3:10; Ephesians 4:24; Philipians 3:21; 1 John 4:4, Titus 3:5.

Hymns for Next Sunday

822 Alleluia! Let Praises Ring

676 Behold a Host, Arrayed in White

677 For All the Saints

629 What Is This Bread

680 Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise

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: Blessed Reformation (observed)! Hear about Church Discipline on Free-Text First Friday on Thy Strong Word (11/3 at 11:00 a.m. CT), study Hebrews 10-11 on Sharper Iron's "The New Covenant in Christ" (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), and have some fun with our first Pie Social on The Coffee Hour (11/2 at 9:00 a.m. CT). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org and the KFUE Radio app!



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