

## May Mission Focus: Trinity Scholarship Fund

Our Scholarship Fund is awarded each year to members of Trinity who are attending higher education after graduation from High School. This may be a four-year school, a two-year school, a technical school. It doesn't matter what the degree is in, or even if a major is declared.

This simply is our way as a church community to support our members pursuing their education dreams.

Watch the bulletin insert for more information on coffee hours after worship and remember our May Noisy Offering as a way to grow our Scholarship Fund.

## June Mission Focus: LOMC

It is summer camping time again, and that means lots of campers heading to the Lutheran Outdoor Ministries Center in Oregon, IL. This year's theme is Fingerprints: Our Mark on God's Creation

Supporting LOMC means supporting scholarships for campers and providing all sorts of opportunities for ministry even beyond the summer camp programs. Our June noisy offering will be going to LOMC.

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH Of West Jordan  
20314 Hickory Hills Road  
Sterling, IL 61081  
815-625-5407  
Worship: Sundays 8:30 AM

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH  
717 Stover Ave, PO Box 637  
Milledgeville, IL 61051  
815-225-7410; telcsecretary@mediacombb.net  
www.trinitymville.com  
Worship: Sundays 10:15 AM

## Glad Tidings “Sound the Good News”



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### Romans 1:20, New Living Translation

<sup>20</sup> For ever since the world was created, people have seen the earth and sky. Through everything God made, they can clearly see his invisible qualities—his eternal power and divine nature. So they have no excuse for not knowing God.

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This summer, Lutheran Outdoor Ministries Center in Oregon, welcomes its campers to programs based on the theme: “Fingerprints: Our Mark on God’s Creation.” Several different types of summer camp programs are available. You can learn more at the website: [www.lomc.org](http://www.lomc.org), or by asking me for a copy of the summer camp brochure. Summer camp at LOMC is a great way to grow in faith and get to know people from all over Illinois and Wisconsin.

Take a moment and think about the last time you truly just sat in wonder of God’s fingerprints all around us. We are usually grumbling about the weather being too this or not enough that; the clouds are too ominous or not covering the sun enough. The bugs are too thick to sit out on the back porch, and the squirrels have eaten too much bird seed, so the birds don’t bother coming around. There is always something just not right about the outside.

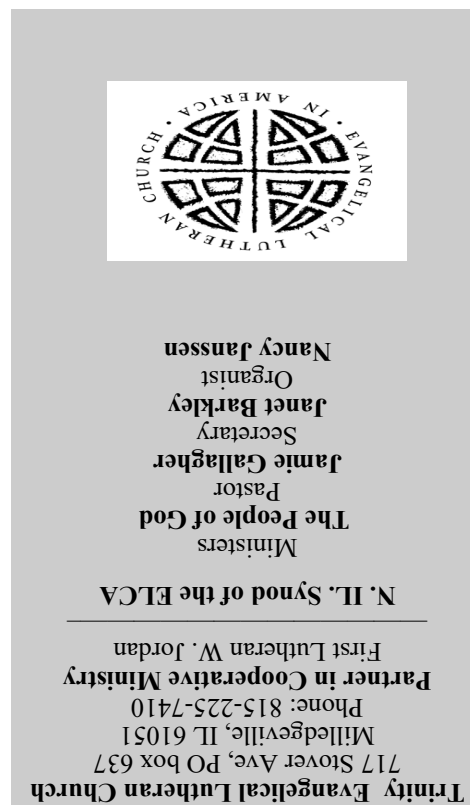
But when was it that you last sat and just marveled at the expression of God going on around you? God’s fingerprints in the weeds, and those pesky bugs; God’s handiwork is in the wildflowers and dancing cloud patterns; the great depth of God in view with infinite night stars above us or a deep river or lake beneath us. Sometimes we need to pause and remember just how amazing it is that our Divine creator really was able to put this much thought into all of creation around us.

God’s fingerprints are not limited to what is around us. God’s very fingerprint is on you as well. You are a unique reflection of God, created in love, created to be loved and created to love. We sometimes muddle that last part up, the part about being loved and loving. But God did not muddle things up when God breathed life into you.

It doesn’t take a summer camp experience to become awake to this great truth of God around us and in us. But sometimes it is a place where that awareness can become more real. Please consider summer camp for your children or grandchildren this year. And take a moment to ponder with them, to marvel at God around us and in us. Remind yourself, remind your children, remind your grandchildren—you and they are a fingerprint of God. Tell them they are loved and they are created to love.

In Christ,

*Pastor Jamie Gallagher*



### New Face Book Pages

Be sure to like our new Facebook pages



Trinity Lutheran  
Church Milledgeville, IL

And



First Lutheran of  
Jordan, Sterling, IL

### EPIC Sunday School

Sunday, May 7th 11:30 AM —1:00 PM

Come and Celebrate with us. This is our last EPIC Sunday school of the academic year.

EVERY PERSON IN CHRIST is welcome to join in the EPIC learning.

### Milledgeville High School Scholarship Night

Will be hosted at Trinity on Wednesday, May 3rd at 7 PM.

Come out to see our graduating seniors and the scholarship support they receive!

### Baccalaureate Service

Wednesday, May 17th at 7 PM at  
Chadwick Evangelical Free Church

Everyone graduating is invited to be blessed as you prepare for your next stage of life.

**Grace meals**  
**Tuesday, May 16**  
**And Tuesday, June 20**  
**11:30 AM at Trinity**

Birthdays and Anniversaries will now be listed on our monthly calendar pages. Please let the office know if your birthday or anniversary information is missing, needs to be corrected, or should be removed. Thank you.

**BENEFIT FOR**  
**Kyla Eastabrooks**

**SATURDAY MAY 6**  
**2017**

**The Other Bar**  
436 N. Main Ave. Milledgeville, IL 61051

**Silent Auction: 4-7 pm**  
**Dinner 4:30-7:00 pm (Donation)**  
**Live Auction 7:15 pm**  
**50/50 Raffle to follow Auction**

For Additional Information contact:  
Leslie Miller at: 815-499-8576 email: Dlmiller2003@gmail.com  
Kelsey Selman at: 815-499-8344 email: Kelsey.Selman@yahoo.com

Donations by check can be mailed to: Sterling Federal Bank  
110 E. Fourth Street  
P.O. Box 617  
Sterling, IL 61081  
Payable to: Kyla Eastabrooks Benefit

August 12th 2016 Kyla Eastabrooks was diagnosed with Stage 2 Invasive Ductal Carcinoma Cancer- HER2 POSITIVE.

HER2-positive breast cancer is a breast cancer that tests positive for a protein called human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2), which PROMOTES the growth of cancer cells. HER2-positive breast cancers tend to be more aggressive than other types of breast cancer. She has undergone very aggressive Chemotherapy treatments followed by a Lumpectomy surgery. She is now scheduled for daily radiation treatments and continued Chemotherapy to complete a one year scheduled targeted program.

**Please join us to help Kyla with her fight!**

*Faith Fight Hope Cure*

### 2017 Joint Worship Sundays for the Summer

**May 28th** (Memorial Day Weekend)  
8:30 AM at First, WJ

**June 11th** (Outdoor service and picnic)  
10:15 AM at Trinity  
With a picnic to follow

**July 2nd** (weekend before July 4th)  
8:30 AM at First, WJ

**Sept 3rd** (Labor Day Weekend)  
10:15 AM at Trinity

Remind your friends of these dates when we share one worship service!

## Celebrating 145 Years of First, West Jordan

### Worship Helpers

May 7 & 14 Dan and Jodi Woessner  
Lector: Dan Woessner

May 21 & 28 Gary and Carol Sibley  
Lector: Carol Sibley

Circle Hostess: Janet Koett

June 4 & 11 LaVerne and Carol Woessner  
Lector: LaVerne Woessner

June 18 & 25 Roger Hinrichs & June Purvis  
Lector: June Purvis

Circle Hostess: Kathy Hinrichs

### Happy Birthday in May and June

**May 4—Al Vickers**

**May 15—Mia Beveroth**

**May 24—Dan Hinrichs**

**June 1—June Purvis**

**June 2—Carole Adolphe**

**June 6—Lee Hinrichs**

**June 9—Frank Ward**

**June 25—Trudy Landheer**



### Southtown Ministry

The Third Tuesday of each month at 4:30 PM

Join Pastor Jamie, Lynn and Roger  
For the best half hour of your month.

We meet over at Southtown Home  
(corner of W. 3rd St. and N. Cochran Ave.)

We read a Bible story, usually have a related craft.

We sing some of their favorite songs.  
And we pray together.

All are welcome!

Thank you for your generous support of our ministry. Your offerings reflect your love for God and your love for this community of God's people.

Your offerings enable our church to have Sunday school, worship, outreach to Southtown, noisy offerings that reach out to many different social causes throughout the year, and so much more.

This summer, prayerfully consider an additional gift above and beyond your regular offering to your church as a further expression of your love for God and for this community of God's people.

The gifts we offer, when blessed by God, make a huge impact in the world! Thank you, thank you, thank you.

### Church Leaders Directory

**Trinity Lutheran Church**  
President Kevin Anderson (625-3403)  
Vice-President Harlan Meinsma  
Secretary Karen Landers  
Treasurer Connie Brockhouse  
At-Large Tammy Miller  
Sharon Woodard  
Kim Stewart  
Custodian Lynn Kaufman  
Musician Nancy Janssen  
Financial Secretary Ken Peterson

**First Lutheran West Jordan**  
President Jan Wetzel (631-9353)  
Secretary Jodi Woessner





June 2017							
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
				1	2	3	
				Birthday: Dan Nye	Birthday: Carole Adolph		
				Birthday: Kristine Faulkner	Pastor's Day Off		
				Birthday: Steven Blake			
				6p-7:15p Girl Scouts - Base- ment			
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Birthday: Cindy Brandt	Anniversary: Charles and Kristine Faulkner		Anniversary: Dan and Heather Schmidt	7p-9p Dorcas Circle at Carol Sibley's home	Birthday: Kurt Landis	Birthday: Maddison Janssen	
Pentecost Sunday	Birthday: Brittany Grenoble		Birthday: Jody Armstrong		Pastor's Day Off		
8:30a-9:30a Worship @ FWJ	11a-3p Sewers Meet						
10:15a-11:15a Worship @ Trinity							
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
Anniversary: Robert and Marlys Carpenter	11a-3p Sewers Meet	Birthday: Ava Schluter	Birthday: Alexis Matteson	Birthday: David Folk	Pastor's Day Off		
Birthday: Craig Dusing		Birthday: Brady Doyle	Birthday: Lisa Hinrichs	Birthday: Justin Janssen	Synod Assembly		
Holy Trinity Sunday		Birthday: Charleese Faulkner	US Flag Day	Birthday: Lyla Anderson			
10:15a-11:15a Worship @ Trinity		Birthday: Cory Brubaker	9a-12p Pastor at Conference Meeting	6p-7:15p Girl Scouts - Base- ment			
11:30a-1p Joint Summer Picnic (Trinity Lutheran Church)		1:30p-3:30p Naomi Circle					
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
Anniversary: David and Lynette Kent	Birthday: Marlys Carpenter	Birthday: Carol Schryver		Birthday: Barry Imel	Anniversary: Kevin and Tanya Janssen		
Father's Day	Trinity Delivers Golden Meals						
Time After Pentecost	11a-3p Sewers Meet	11:30a-12:30p Grace Meals (Trinity Lutheran Church)		Birthday: John Sauer	Birthday: Corey Gabler		
8:30a-9:30a Worship @ FWJ		4:30p-5p Southtown Ministry (Southtown home), Milledgeville)		Birthday: Justin Peterson	Birthday: June Franks		
10:15a-11:15a Worship @ Trinity				Birthday: Spencer McClaine	Birthday: Marsha Gallentine		
				Pastor's Day Off			
25	26	27	28	29	30	Notes:	
Birthday: Caleb VanDyke	Anniverary: Andrew and Janet Barkley	Anniversary: Lyle and Marcia Printz	Anniversary: Mark and Jenn Dettman		Birthday: Erin Dettman		
Birthday: David Kent	Anniversary: Barry and Rhonda Imel		Birthday: Donna Fields		Birthday: Mike Miller		
Birthday: Jerry Hereen	Birthday: Alyssa Von Holten				Pastor's Day Off		
Time After Pentecost	Birthday: Jenn Dettman						
8:30a-9:30a Worship @ FWJ	11a-3p Sewers Meet						
10:15a-11:15a Worship @ Trinity							

May 2017						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Birthday: Robert Woessner		Birthday: Stacey Jacobson	Birthday: Barbara Miller	Anniversary: Mitch and Sharon Woodard	Birthday: Curt Eubanks
	11a-3p Sewers Meet		1p-2:30p Elementary School Tutoring (Milledgeville Elementary School, 100 E 8th St, Milledgeville, I)	Birthday: Madilyn Todd	Birthday: Arden Queckboerner	Birthday: Paige Bauling
			6:30p-8p Milledgeville High School Scholarship Night	6p-7:15p Girl Scouts - Basement	Birthday: Payton Harris	Birthday: Staci Trobaugh
					Pastor's Day Off	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Birthday: Nicole Brokaw	Anniversary: Antoinette and Korey Fossett	Anniversary: Steven and Phyllis Jewell	9a-12p Pastor at Conference Meeting	Birthday: Erica Kaufman	Birthday: Kaitlin Dettman	Birthday: Emma Sinn
Fourth Sunday of Easter	Birthday: James Brubaker	Birthday: Brad Grenoble	1p-2:30p Elementary School Tutoring (Milledgeville Elementary School, 100 E 8th St, Milledgeville, I)	Birthday: Patty Murray	Pastor's Day Off	Birthday: Opal Kleckler
8:30a-9:30a Worship @ FWJ	Birthday: Scott Bryson	Birthday: Craig Bauling		Birthday: Shirley Woessner		
10:15a-11:15a Worship @ Trinity	11a-3p Sewers Meet	Birthday: Jamie Doyle		7p-9p Dorcas Circle (Carol Fredrick's Home)		
		Birthday: Katie Gallagher				
		Birthday: Keagan Livengood				
		Birthday: Pam Eubanks				
		1p-3p Worship Committee Meeting				
		1:30p-3:30p Naomi Circle				
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Birthday: Bryn Bauling	Birthday: Samantha Merlak	Birthday: Amanda Schildgen	7p-8p MHS Baccalaureate Service (Evangelical Free Church of Chadwick)	Birthday: Donna Landis	Pastor's Day Off	Birthday: Ramona Koett
Birthday: Drew Sauer	Trinity Delivers Golden Meals					
Birthday: Le-Anne Nye	11a-3p Sewers Meet	Birthday: Peyton Short		6p-7:15p Girl Scouts - Basement		
Fifth Sunday of Easter		11:30a-12:30p Grace Meals (Trinity Lutheran Church)				
Mother's Day		4:30p-5p Southtown Ministry (Southtown home), Milledgeville)				
8:30a-9:30a Worship @ FWJ						
10:15a-11:15a Worship @ Trinity						
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Birthday: Alayna Beckham	Birthday: Jeremy Hook			Anniversary: Darin and Tonya Frederick	Birthday: Allison Palmer	Birthday: Kennedy Livengood
Birthday: Carmen Luther	Birthday: Todd Brubaker			Ascension Day	Birthday: Ronald Sucher	Birthday: Teresa Wagenknecht
Sixth Sunday of Easter	11a-3p Sewers Meet			Birthday: Andrew McAuliffe	Pastor's Day Off	Birthday: Violet Ohlwine
8:30a-9:30a Worship @ FWJ				Birthday: Heide Gallagher		
10:15a-11:15a Worship @ Trinity				Birthday: Jaidon Doyle		
11:30a-1p EPIC Sunday School						
28	29	30	31	Notes:		
Anniversary: Craig and Kaye Dusing	Birthday: Bryce Palmer		Birthday: Otto Wagenknecht			
Birthday: Cory Folk	Memorial Day					
Seventh Sunday of Easter	11a-3p Sewers Meet					
8:30a-9:30a Worship @ FWJ						

Weekly Prayer Supplement

Each day when you take your quiet time to pray, here are some concerns —local and global— for you to include in your daily prayers

Week of April 30 to May 6

Pray for families who have special needs children; pray for our partnership with Southtown Terrace here in Milledgeville.

Week of May 7 to May 13

Pray for students applying for college, preparing to graduate, looking for a summer job or a new career opportunity. Give thanks for all those who support students through generous scholarships.

Week of May 14 to May 20

Pray for mothers, pray for women who struggle with infertility, pray for mothers of foster and adopted children, pray for mothers who have lost a child

Week of May 21 to May 27

Pray for our partner ministries in Milledgeville—Chadwick: Chadwick Evangelical Free Church, Pastor Terry Komrska; First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Chadwick, Pastor Chris Shoon; Fairhaven UMC/Hope UMC/ Hickory Grove UMC, Pastor Mary Bohall; Milledgeville Brethren Church, Pastor Jim Black; Dutchtown Brethren Church, Pastor Rick Koch; Milledgeville UMC, Pastor Sophia Hyon

Week of May 28 to June 3

For our Partner Congregations in the Faith on Forty Parish, for the Northern Illinois Synod and Bishop Jeff Clements, for the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America and Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton.

In our prayers:

From First:

Ruth Borth, Sandy Bushman, Linda & Myron Deets, Kyla Eastabrooks, Anita Gilbert, Linda Habben, Keith Hinrichs, Roger Hinrichs, Tammy Hinrichs, Janet Koett, Roger Koett, Scotty Powell, Rhonda Ramirez, Jon Ryner,

Family and friends of Leora Beveroth

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Week of June 4 to June 10

Pray for L.O.M.C and its entire summer staff as they prepare to host hundreds of campers this year. Pray for campers at LOMC, and for all who travel on mission trips this summer.

Week of June 11 to June 17

Pray for the Annual Synod Assembly of the Northern Illinois Synod. Pray for our delegates, Jim and Barb Brubaker, all representatives from our synod as they meet and pray and worship and discuss our ongoing ministry together.

Week of June 18 to June 24

Pray for fathers, pray for men who struggle with infertility, pray for fathers of foster and adopted children, pray for fathers who have lost a child

Week of June 25 to July 1

Pray for our partner ministries in Milledgeville—Chadwick: Chadwick Evangelical Free Church, Pastor Terry Komrska; First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Chadwick, Pastor Chris Shoon; Fairhaven UMC/Hope UMC/ Hickory Grove UMC, Pastor Mary Bohall; Milledgeville Brethren Church, Pastor Jim Black; Dutchtown Brethren Church, Pastor Rick Koch; Milledgeville UMC, Pastor Sophia Hyon

For our Partner Congregations in the Faith on Forty Parish, for the Northern Illinois Synod and Bishop Jeff Clements, for the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America and Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton.

In our prayers:

From Trinity:

Lori Anderson, Adlee Barajas, Carl & Peg Bauling, Ruth & Bill Borth, Leland Bryson, Kyla Eastabrooks, Barb Gerdes,Larry Gerdes Terry Gerdes, Keith Hinrichs, Tammy Hinrichs, Janet Koett, Lawrence Maxwell, Barb and Ivan Miller, Dan Nye, Corinne Ohlwine, Gladys Schopp, Ruth Wolf

Amy Hook and her family as she mourns the passing of her mother

Daily Devotion Bible Book Mark

Thy Word is a Lamp unto my feet, and a Light unto my path. Paslm 119:105

Survey: Christ our High Priest

Apr 30

Psalm 100:1-5

May 1

Hebrews 2:9-18

May 2

Hebrews 4:1-13

May 3

Hebrews 6:1-12

May 4

Hebrews 8:1-13

May 5

Hebrews 10:11-25

May 6

Hebrews 13:1-16

Survey: Breakdown of a Dynasty

May 7

1 Kings 1:28-40

May 8

1 Kings 2:1-10

May 9

1 Kings 3:3-14

May 10

1 Kings 5:1-12

May 11

1 Kings 8:12-26

May 12

1 Kings 11:1-13

May 13

1 Kings 11:41-12:11, 17-20

Survey: Troubles in Israel

May 14

1 Kings 16:8-24

May 15

1 Kings 16:29-17:16

May 16

1 Kings 18:17-46

May 17

1 Kings 19:1-16

May 18

1 Kings 21:1-19

May 19

2 Kings 2:1-14

May 20

2 Kings 4:8-17

Survey: War and Peace

May 21

2 Kings 8:1-19

May 22

2 Kings 9:1-3, 17-28

May 23

2 Kings 11:21-12:16

May 24

2 Kings 13:14-25

May 25

2 Kings 17:1-18

May 26

2 Kings 18:1-8, 15-34

May 27

2 Kings 22:1-13

Survey: Loyalty to God

May 28

2 Kings 23:1-25

May 29

2 Kings 24:8-20

May 30

Philippians 2:1-11

May 31

Philippians 4:4-13

June 1

Daniel 2:25-48

June 2

Daniel 3:1-4:37

June 3

Daniel 5:1-6:38

Daily Devotion Bible Book Mark

Thy Word is a Lamp unto my feet, and a Light unto my path. Paslm 119:105

Survey: Who is Jesus

June 4

John 1:1-18

June 5

John 2:1-11

June 6

John 3:1-21

June 7

John 4:5-42

June 8

John 6:22-40

June 9

John 8:8-20

June 10

John 9:1-41

Survey: Jesus, the Source of Life

June 11

John 10:1-18

June 12

John 11:5-44

June 13

John 12:12-36

June 14

John 14:1-15

June 15

John 15:1-17

June 16

John 16:1-24

June 17

John 17:1-21

Survey: Trust in God

June 18

John 19:1-16

June 19

John 19:17-42

June 20

John 20:1-17

June 21

John 20:19-29

June 22

John 21:1-17

June 23

Job 1:1-22

June 24

Job 2:1-10

Survey: Pessimism and Assurance

June 25

Job 14:1-12

June 26

Psalm 8:1-9

June 27

John 5:19-30

June 28

1 Corinthians 15:20-28

June 29

1 Corinthians 15:25-50

June 30

1 Corinthians 15:51-58

July 1

Matthew 18:1-10