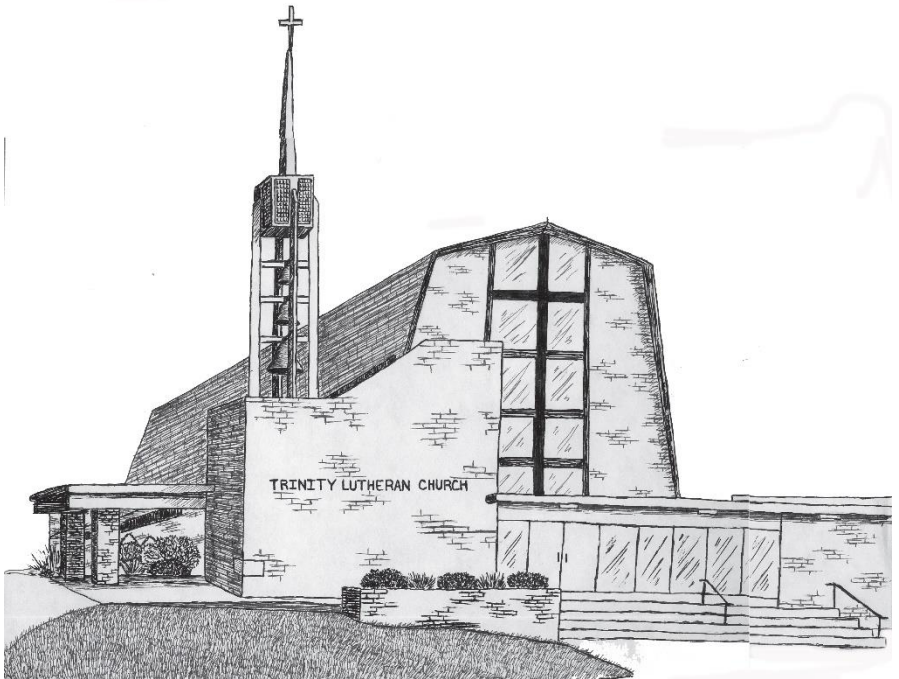


TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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*Seeking a Deeper Knowledge of God's Word
Serving God and Others
Reaching Out with the Gospel and Love of Jesus Christ*

Saturday, May 11, 2019 5:00 pm
Sunday, May 12, 2019 9:30 am

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 11/12, 2019

WELCOME TO TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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DIVINE SERVICES:

Wednesday 7:00 pm Saturday: 5:00 pm Sunday: 9:30 am

Sunday School & Bible Classes: Sunday 8:30 am

Teaching Staff:

Mrs. Dawn Mueller	Pre-K & 4 th Grade
Mrs. Jennifer Harre	Pre-K Aide
Mrs. Janice Lange	Kindergarten & Music
Mrs. Laurie Eubanks	1 st & 2 nd Grade
Mrs. Deb Lange	2 nd & 4 th Grade
Mrs. Diane Backs	3 rd & 4 th Grade & Music
Mrs. Tabatha Wesseln	5 th /6 th Gr. Homeroom, 4 th -8 th Gr. Science
Mrs. Alison Venhaus	7 th Gr Homeroom, 5 th -8 th Language Arts
Mr. Shaun Renth	8 th Gr. Homeroom, 5 th -8 th Soc. Studies & A.D.

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP:

Sat. 5:00 pm – Divine Service Setting #1, LSB p. 151ff

Sun. 9:30 am – Divine Service Setting #3, LSB p. 184ff.

Saturday & Sunday Worship Service: Rev. James Miller

Sermon Text: John 10: 22-30

Sermon Theme: “Hark! (Responding to the Voice)”

HYMNS: Sat. 5:00 pm – 605 – 709 – 637 – 711– 457 – 826

Sun. 9:30 am – 605 – 709 – 711 – 826

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE
USHERS & ELDERS ~ MAY 2019

Saturday ~ 5:00 pm:

Matt Storey ~ Todd Cox (Ushers); Keith Suedmeyer (Elder)

Sunday ~ 9:30 am:

Nick Harre ~ Mike Kurtz ~ Brian Czajkowski ~ Mark Frederking (Ushers);
Terry Dinkelman (Elder)

THE ORGANISTS:

Saturday, May 11th: Karen Droste

Sunday, May 12th: Lois Bartling

THE ACOLYTES:

Sat., May 11th- 5:00 pm: Luke Welte **May 18th:** Sawyer Price

Sun., May 12th 9:30 am: Ireland Rushing **May 19th:** Mackenna Wesseln

COMMITTEES – MAY 2019

Altar Guild: Pat Harre , Deb Meyer

Flower Committee: Jan Endres, Roxanne Brink

Cheer Guild: Leonard and Lorene Haertling

Bulletin Assemblers: Barb Bierman (05/12, 05/19)

Roxanne Brink (05/26)

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR are placed there to the glory of God and in loving memory of George Graf as we remember his entrance in to heaven 25 years ago on May 13, 1994. *“The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want.”* Psalm 23:1 (ESV)

A JOYOUS WELCOME to all who worship here this weekend. May you find forgiveness and strengthening through God's Word and promise. If you are visiting, please honor us by signing the record of fellowship that is located in each pew. If there is any way we can be of service to you, please speak to Pastor Kotila, Pastor James or one of the Elders. If you have no church home, please consider making Trinity your church.

OUR COMMUNION TEACHING – Trinity Lutheran Church is a member of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. We offer communion to members of Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod churches. Visitors who are not members of LCMS churches are invited to commune in their home churches and, in Christian love and understanding, to respect our communion practice. If you have a question about this, please speak to Pastor Kotila or Pastor James.

Saturday, May 12, 2019
Divine Service Setting One

Opening Hymn 605

Father Welcomes

Confession & Absolution – p. 151

Introit – (white bulletin insert)

Kyrie – p. 152

This is the Feast– p.155

Salutation and Collect – p. 156

Readings (white bulletin insert)

Nicene Creed – p. 156

Hymn of the Day 709

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

Sermon –“Hark! (Responding to the Voice)”

Offertory – p. 159

Prayer of the Church

Offering *Please fill out and pass the pew registration pad.*

Sharing of the Peace

Service of the Sacrament - p. 160

Lord’s Prayer – p. 162

Distribution Hymns 637, 711, 457

-Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord

-Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

- Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Collect – p. 166

Benediction – p. 166

Closing Hymn 826

Hark, the Voice of Jesus Crying

Sunday, May 11, 2019
Divine Service Setting Three

Opening Hymn 605

Father Welcomes

Confession & Absolution – p. 184

Introit – (white bulletin insert)

Kyrie – p. 186

Gloria in Excelsis – p.187

Salutation and Collect – p. 189

Readings (white bulletin insert)

Apostles’ Creed – p. 192

Children Message

Hymn of the Day 709

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

Sermon –“Hark! (Responding to the Voice)”

Offertory – p. 192

Offering *Please fill out and pass the pew registration pad.*

Sharing of the Peace

Prayer of the Church

Lord’s Prayer – p. 196

Hymn 711

Savior, Like Shepherd, Lead Us

Collect of the Word

Salutation – p. 201

Benediction – p. 202

Closing Hymn 826

Hark, the Voice of Jesus Crying

Prayers of the Church

We pray for our brothers & sisters in Christ; for their family members & friends:

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✠ *Members with ongoing needs:* Ray Decker, Dorothy Doehring, Fred Endres, Lorna Graf, Minnette Guetersloh, Bernice Harre, Liam Hollowell, Betty May, Judy Morgan, Betty Quirin, Betty Reinkensmeier, Peggy Reinkensmeier, Jim Rushing, Deb Spinner, Lyle Suedmeyer, Larry Roger Thomas, Melba Thompson, Dennis Wernecke

✠ *Extended family and friends with ongoing needs:* Jean Brink, Michael DeMoss, Navy Eickmeyer, Tammy Fleming, Norma Kroener, Ryan Kujawa, Paul Martens, Pastor Tim Mueller, Rev. Herb Mueller, Bob Mueller, Kaity Mueller, Sarah Nattier, Darla Rushing, Pat Suedmeyer, Brad Weathers, Lester Wiese, Nate Zbacnik.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPCOMING EVENTS & DATES

UPCOMING MEETINGS & SERVICES:

BOARD OF TRUSTEES will meet on Tuesday, May 14th at 6:00 pm

CHURCH COUNCIL will meet on Wednesday, May 15th at 7:00 pm

REMINDER TO LWML AND FRIENDS – Don't forget to mark your calendar for the LWML Bring a Friend Potluck on Thursday, May 23 at 6 p.m. at Trinity Fellowship Hall. Hostesses are Joyce Sheridan, Sarah Starks and Dorothy Wagner. Meat will be provided by the officers.

BIBLE STUDY ON BOOK OF GALATIANS will start on Tuesday, May 14th at 7:00 pm in the home of Pastor Kotila, 633 W. Walnut Street.

CARDINAL TICKETS: Cardinal Baseball tickets for the June 23rd game against the Oakland A's will be sold after services this weekend. Look for us outside the East Door, weather permitting. In case of inclement weather, we will be in the foyer. Tickets are \$23.00 each (normally a \$44.00 ticket) and are located in sections 163 and 165, in left field. First 30,000 fans 16 and older will receive a free T-Shirt this evening also. Checks are payable to TSJ Athletics.

2019 FLOWER CHART is in the foyer. Please consider signing up to supply a fresh arrangement for the altar for a weekend in 2019. You may use this opportunity to commemorate a special event in your life or "just because." Please pick up a green card by the flower chart to help you with your floral donation. *Next Open dates are June 2nd, July 14th and July 21st.*

WE HAVE REACHED AND EXCEEDED OUR GOAL!!!!!! To honor the memory of Shelbi McKnight, TSJ collected plastic caps and lids to be used to make/purchase a buddy bench for our school. ***We are not able to accept any more caps at this time. Thank you to everyone who donated.*** If you have caps to donate, you may take them to Cavco Printing in Pinckneyville as they will accept them on behalf of the Perry County Fairgrounds.

ATTENTION PARENTS: Just a reminder that the Children's Messages will be delivered during the services on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month.

LUTHERANS FOR LIFE: May 12 "[I]t does not say that the honoring, serving, and obeying one's parents is conditional or in response to their earning or deserving it. No, one is to love and cherish them as well as honoring, serving, and obeying them as if they were God Himself ... The good news is that where we have obviously failed, Jesus did not. He not only honored His step-father Joseph and his mother Mary, but also His heavenly Father. He offers you His payment for your sin and a place in God's family, now and forever." *Pastor Ricky Jacob, Jesus Our Savior Lutheran Church and preschool, Winnebago – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*



SCRIP CARDS - Help TSJ by ordering your Gift Cards through the PTL. Order forms are in the back of church with the most common retailers listed. Complete retail list is also available in the back of church or the office. You only pay the face value of the cards you order. Make checks payable to TSJ-PTL. Keep in mind that the scrip program is available all year long and orders are sent in on the 15th of each month. Contact Erin Diedrich (618) 314 - 3954 if you have any questions.

SAVERS DRIVE: As you finish with your garage sale, please keep in mind that TSJ will take the donations that you don't want to pack away (again). Gently used clothing, shoes, small appliances, bedding, toys, books, small furniture items, etc., may be brought to the TSJ gym from Tuesday, May 28, 2019 through Friday, July 5th (closed July 4th). For soft items (clothing, bedding, etc.) 13- gallon trash bags are preferred. Boxed items must NOT stick out of the box. Closed boxes are preferred. Last year TSJ received over \$800 for our donations. Please help make this year another successful drive. We will load the items early on Saturday, July 6th. Any and all help is welcomed that day also. Questions? Please call Janice Lange at 327-3115. Summer office hours are 8:30 am – 4:00 pm (lunch break 12-1). Thank you for your generosity!

WANT A HEALTHY MARRIAGE? On **Friday, June 14**, join other couples from 6pm to 9pm for a one-night marriage event at Grace United Methodist Church in Nashville. Laugh and learn with your spouse as you hear from marriage experts and discover how to honor God in your marriage. To register, go to MarriageNight.org and search for this Simulcast event. Individual tickets are \$15, but Grace UMC will provide free child care and dinner for the event, served at 5pm. Please call the church office at (618) 327-8407 if you plan to dine or use their childcare.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE: Gather around God's Word on **Sunday, May 19 at 2pm** in the **NCHS Auditorium** as we send off the class of 2019 with a blessing from our Risen Lord and Savior. This service is put on by the Washington County Ministerial Alliance, but is being led, in accordance with the Lutheran Confessions, by our local LCMS pastors.

BE THE HANDS AND FEET OF CHRIST: The Washington County Ministerial Alliance is hosting another Craft Fair and Concert in Memorial Park on Saturday, June 15, to raise funds for their Community Response: Disaster Relief Team.

SAVE THE DATES:

Vacation Bible School

***June 17th - 21st at Trinity
from 9:00 am – 11:30 am***

***Miraculous Mission -
Jesus Saves the World!***

Volunteers needed.

***If You Can Help, Please Contact
Dana Haertling at (618) 713-3165***

Church in the Park

August 25, 2019

Service at 9:30 am

***Watch the Bulletins and Newsletter
for more details.***

***Organizations start planning your
activity for this day.***

CAKE WALK: Thank you Ladies Aid for volunteering to organize the Cake Walk this year for Church in the Park! If anyone is willing to contribute a cake, please sign the sign-up sheet in the narthex.

TRINITY PRAYER CHAIN MINISTRY: Let us lift you, your family, friends, or our community up in prayer. Psalm 4:1, pray for one another, it's confidential. Please call Teresa Kotila at [314-398-8822](tel:314-398-8822)

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES: *“However each of you must love his wife as he loves himself, and the wife must respect her husband.”*— Eph.5:33 (NIV).

- 05/14 Gary & Karla Engele
Tim & Ellen Fark
05/15 Grant & Stephanie Barton
Ryan & Mae Polczynski



BAPTISMAL ANNIVERSARIES – “He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit.” – Titus 3:5 (NIV)

- 05/12 Julie Clark
Michele Goostree
Tim Fark
05/13 Ben Rathert
Patrick Maschhoff
05/14 Lloyd Meinert
05/15 Richard Finke
Lucille Nagel
Irwin Woker
Elliot Engele
Dillion Roethemeyer
Lucas Welte
Mary Ingram
05/16 Heather McFeron
Angela Wilkey
Parrish Dunbar
Anderson Engele
05/17 John Fark
Brenda Fark
Jordan Fark
Lori Polczynski
Braeden Holzhauser
Janet Dinkelman
Lindsey Spenner
Pacey Fark



Please let the church office know if your records do not match. Thank you.

DIAPERED WITH LOVE MONTHLY SPONSOR: The Board of Mission and Outreach has given away over 200 packages of diapers in our beginning months and we are serving 25 families on a regular basis. The response in the community has been wonderful. Many members have donated diapers and wipes and others have donated funds to help purchase diapers. As a result of your generosity, we are able to supply diapers, wipes, ointments, lotions, shampoo and more. Thank you for your generosity. **Next Distribution: May 25th 11:00 am-12pm**

Attendance

Church:		Sunday School & Bible Class:	
Wednesday, May 1 (7:00)	6	Adult Bible Class	21 \$17.00
Saturday, May 4 (5:00)	78	<u>Sunday School</u>	<u>18 \$ 8.00</u>
<u>Sunday, May 5 (9:30)</u>	<u>110</u>	Totals	39 \$25.00
Totals	194		

GOD LOVES A CHEERFUL GIVER

The Gospel enables us to respond to God's love in thoughtful, decisive, giving back to God in our offerings. St. Paul says, "The point is this: whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver" (2 Corinthians 9:6-7). Have you ever sat down and prayed for God to open up your heart to know His will in your giving? Let us pray that we would not become ho-hum in our attendance on the Lord's Day or give begrudgingly. God graciously includes us in His kingdom and the Spirit enables the kingdom and will of God be done in us. Let us take the time to ask God to instruct us in our giving. Pray about the joyous activity of managing all life's resources for God's purposes. Remember, God loves a cheerful giver. Please consider using our ONLINE Giving to continue to support the operating expenses of Trinity Lutheran Church and Trinity-St. John Lutheran School as well as the many ministries that take place here. It is so easy! Just type in trinity-nashville.org it's just that simple!

Tithes & Offerings	May 4/5
General Fund*	\$20,330.00
Mission	\$ 236.00
Meals on Wheel	\$ 100.00
Endowment Fund	\$ 200.00
TSJ School	<u>\$ 100.00</u>
Totals	\$20,966.00

*General Funds needed per week \$ \$12,029.08

MIRACULOUS MISSION: JESUS SAVES THE WORLD

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Monday, June 17th through Friday, June 21st

Vacation Bible School is Monday, June 17th through Friday, June 21st from 9:00-11:30 am each day at Trinity. VBS is for children entering 3-year-old Pre-Kindergarten through entering the 5th grade.

Child's Name _____

_____ Entering Grade for the 2019-2020 School Year

_____ Emergency Contact Number

Please consider helping with our VBS program this year as we need your help. If you can only make a few of the days that is fine also— every little bit helps. Please call Pastor Kotila (327-3311) or Dana Haertling (713-3165), VBS Director, if you have any questions.

Volunteer Name _____ Phone #: _____

_____ I can help all 5 days or I can help on the following days:

(Circle which ones)

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

_____ I can furnish:

beverages snack food or both (Circle one)

Please return this form to the church office.

VBS is open to everyone -- Bring a friend!

“HEAR THE WORD OF THE LORD”

NOTES ON OUR GOSPEL: *The Good Shepherd Cares for His Sheep.* Jesus Christ, the Son of God, came from the Father and became flesh among us in order to rescue us, His sheep. He laid down His life for us and took it up again in order to give us eternal life. By the preaching of His Gospel, He calls His sheep to Himself and keeps them with Him forever. As they hear His voice and follow Him, “*they will never perish*” (John 10:28), for “*no one is able to snatch them out of the Father’s hand*” (John 10:29). In the same way, faithful pastors (literally, “shepherds”) “*care for the church of God, which he obtained with his own blood*” (Acts 20:28), “*testifying both to Jews and to Greeks of repentance toward God and of faith in our Lord Jesus Christ*” (Acts 20:21). Therefore, with all the company of heaven, the Good Shepherd gathers His flock in worship, as they cry: “*Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!*” (Rev. 7:10).

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS: May 12: Fourth Sunday of Easter. John 10:27 – “My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me.” On their own, sheep are in great danger. They need a shepherd to guide them. The sheep know the Shepherd’s voice, and we delight to go where He leads. Of course, the world, the devil, and our own sinful flesh want to pull us in another direction. Namely, they want to pull us in the direction of death. But following the Shepherd means life. So, no matter how difficult the path is that the Shepherd points out, let us follow Him!

ON THE LUTHERAN HOUR: May 12. "Home" Guest Speaker: Dr. Dean Nadasdy. With Jesus, we have a home. That’s the good news for today. (John 14:1-7) Listen to “The Lutheran Hour” on the radio on Sundays at 9am on WILY (AM 1210) Centralia or at 12:30 pm and 5 pm on KFUE (AM 850) St. Louis or on the web at: www.lutheranhour.org.

K F U O: Listen to Worldwide KFUE AM850, your radio station for practical Lutheran talk, daily Bible and Confession studies, daily worship opportunities, and current issues from a Lutheran worldview. Programs are archived at KFUE.org for 24/7 on-demand listening. You can also find our programming wherever you get your podcasts! Have a question or comment? Find us at @KFUEradio on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

This week on KFUE AM850, we wish all mothers a blessed Mother’s Day, hear the Truth in Genesis 24-26 on Sharper Iron with Rev. Jonathan Fisk and guest pastors (weekdays at 8:00 a.m.), continue in the Gospel of John on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m.), and hear God’s Word in Daily Chapel at 10:00 a.m. Find all your favorite programs on demand at kfue.org or wherever you get your podcasts!

+++++++A LOOK AHEAD+++++++

Sat. 05/11

5:00 pm Divine Service w/Holy Communion
6:00 pm Cardinal Ticket Sales @ East Door

Sun. 05/12

8:00 am Lutheran Hour KSVI (91.5 FM)
8:30 am Bible Class/Sunday School
9:30 am Worship Service
10:30 am Cardinal Ticket Sales @ East Door
10:30 am Worship Anew – Channel TCT: Channel 377 on Direct
TV; Channel 18 on Cable; Channel 27 Local Channel)
12:30 & 5pm Lutheran Hour KFUD (AM 850) St. Louis

Mon. 05/13

10:15 am Service @ FMHC
1:00 pm Quilting

Tues. 05/14

10:15 am Service @ Skilled Care
3:15 pm Bible Study at FMHC
6:00 pm Board of Trustees Meeting

Wed. 05/15

7:00 pm Spoken Divine Service
7:00 pm Church Council

Thurs. 05/16

Fri. 05/17

Sat. 05/18

5:00 pm Worship Service

Sun. 05/19

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Join Trinity–St. John Lutheran &
Immanuel Lutheran Schools at
Busch Stadium on

Wednesday, June 26, 2019

St. Louis Cardinals

vs. Oakland Athletics

Game Time 6:15 pm

Free T-Shirt Night at the Ballpark

Tickets \$23.00 can be ordered from any TSJ Student
or in the TSJ office (Actual ticket price is \$44)

Seats Located Sections. 163-165-167 left field boxes

Payment Collected at Time of Order

Checks payable to: TSJ Athletics

Tickets available for pickup after May 10th

Proceeds will benefit the TSJ-ILS Athletic Dept.

If we sell all our tickets, the Top Ticket Seller
will have a field visit before the game.