

Special Prayers for Today

Lord, give us the power to live lives that make Your world a better place; prayers for those celebrating anniversaries and birthdays; prayers for the health concerns of Colleen Armitage, Pat Baker, Jo Barrington, Marilyn Britton, Adam Bridgeman and Adam’s mother Terri, Ed and Janet Durr (family friends of Faye Garvue), Melanie Ferricks Capps and family (family friend of Holly Henning-Buhr), Al Casolari, Bill Furling, Faye Garvue, Bill Hemenway (father of Pastor Hemenway), Helen Hoffman, Mark Hoffman (son of Helen Hoffman), Michael Kincaid, Joelle Knoles, Tom Kopera, Marilyn Lockwood, Anthony Meredith (father of Kaden Meredith), Joyce Nardulli, Barry Nass, Sheavie Reagan, Aaron Shipman, Rick Wilson (father of LeAnne Woody), and Sandra Yost (sister of Joelle Knoles); prayers for those affected by Hurricane Florence; prayers for all places of education in our community; Amen.

Sunday Altar Flowers

Flowers are placed on the altar today by Bill and Jan Firth in thankfulness for God’s many blessings and in honor of their 53rd wedding anniversary.

At Worship Last Week

Saturday: 109 Sunday: 168, 137..... 414
Adult Studies: 163 Sunday School: 50..... 213
Offerings for the Lord’s Kingdom Work:\$11,629.40
September 2018 Automatic Contributions\$8,470.00

Sunday Bible Study

9:30am-10:15 a.m.

Sunday School

Sunday School and Sunday Bible Study are held at the School Campus Parish Center, 515 S. MacArthur. Directions are as follows: From the Church to get to Trinity Lutheran School and thus our Parish Hall, head south on 2nd Street, then go west on Edwards Street, and turn right (north) on MacArthur Blvd. The school/parish center will be on your left. From the parking lot you’ll see doors to the school. Enter there and the Parish Center is on your right.

**Childcare is available for Adult Bible Study.*

Grades Pre-K-Grade 8: The Sunday School lesson today begins a series of lessons Moses. Today’s lesson is “The Birth of Moses.” The children will learn that God was with Moses, caring for him and protecting him. God saved His people through Moses, who led them out of slavery. Family discussions might include, “How does God show His love and cares for us? How does God deliver us from evil?”

Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class: Ephesians: What does God’s Word say about faith, the challenges of living in a broken world and how believers should live together in the Christian church? Come find out as we study Ephesians! This powerful book of the Bible is packed with numerous tools for Christians as we live out our callings on this earth. Sunday mornings in the Parish Center from 9:30am-10:15am. We hope to see you there!

“Make The World A Better Place!”

Rev. Paul Hemenway

The Book Of James

How do we keep bad spiritual habits in check? Through studying the Word, prayer, and practicing _____ spiritual habits.

How we practice our faith directly affects how we _____.

God spends so much of His time telling us how much He loves us and that through His Son Jesus Christ we are _____. Do we spend the majority of our time communicating _____, _____ and _____ to others?

How can we put the Word into practice? _____ in it!

Pray! Pray for God to change your _____ so that you can live like He wants you to!

Be positive! When interacting with others, the ratio of positive to negative comments should be overwhelmingly _____.

Work to love your family and friends! Strangers shouldn’t receive our kindest and most respectful communication, those _____ to us should!

Be alert! We need to live in a constant state of readiness to stop _____ speech before it even comes out of our mouths.

The world is _____ enough. Let’s not spread the poison.

You are a _____ child of God Almighty! Live in the freedom that Christ has won for you!

You are free to: Use your words to _____ when you have to.

Use your words to _____ others.

Use your words to _____, just as Jesus did.

Use your words to _____ mercy, grace, love and forgiveness to the world, just like our Lord has shown to us.



Worship Services:

Sermon

“Make The World A Better Place!”

Rev. Paul Hemenway

Saturday Service

5:30pm-Parish Center

Liturgy 203

Hymns: 795, 718, 924

Primary Choir:

Jesus Loves Me

Sunday Services

8:00am-Church

Liturgy 203

Hymns: 795, 718, 924

Adult Choir:

LSB 533

Stanzas 1-2, choir

Stanzas 3-4, congregation

Jesus Has Come and Brings

Pleasure Eternal

10:30am-Church

Liturgy 203

Hymns: 795, 718, 924

Trinity Choir

Scriptures for Today

1st Reading: Num. 11:4-6, 10-16, (p. 119)
24-29

Psalm: Psalm 104:27-35 (p. 503)

Epistle: James 5:(1-12) 13-20 (p. 1013)

Gospel: Mark 9:38-50 (p. 845)

Those Serving This Week

Communion Assistants

Saturday

Non-Communion Service

Sunday

Non-Communion Service

Ushers

Saturday

Non-Communion Service

Sunday 8am

Al Casolari, Kevin Cranford, Lynn Friday,
Bill Miller, and Barry Nass

Sunday 10:30am

Paul Hartman, Bryan Knoles,
Alan Krofchick, Cliff Krueger,
Chris Nickols, Adam Strong

Musicians

Saturday

Amy Reed

Sunday

Laura Fliege

Altar Committee

Saturday

Non-Communion Service

Sunday

Non-Communion Service



A Warm Welcome to our Visitors and Members!

- We would like to know who our visitors are, so either before or after the service, please sign the Visitor Register in the Welcome Center at the back of the sanctuary.
- Personal Assistive Listening Devices for persons with hearing problems are available from an usher.
- The offering is an act of worship for members and friends of Trinity, moved by God's love, to support this ministry. Visitors should not feel obligated to participate. We want you to feel welcome and we truly wish to serve you.
- If at any time during the service it becomes difficult for you to stand, by all means take a seat, even if others are standing. God knows our strengths and He understands our weaknesses and frailties, too. God bless you!



Our Practice in Participating in the Lord's Supper

We're glad you are here worshipping with us! Today we will be celebrating Holy Communion. According to Christ and Holy Scripture, in this gift we receive the true body and blood of Jesus for the forgiveness of sins (Matthew 26:26-28, Luke 22:14-20, I Corinthians 10:16-21, I Corinthians 11:23-26). Through this blessing, we are also strengthened to live in faithfulness to Christ, lead more Godly lives and have a deeper love for one another. Those communing are publicly professing that they believe these things to be true and are also giving witness that they are in agreement with the teaching of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod.

St. Paul tells us that those who take Communion without proper instruction take it to their great harm (I Corinthians 11:29). We don't want that for anyone; therefore, we ask that anyone holding a different Christian confession or belief about the Lord's Supper refrain from Communion. If you are not Communing with us today, we encourage you to come forward with those in your aisle to receive a blessing. Simply indicate your presence by crossing your hands on the rail (or in front of your body for Saturday night worshippers). If you have questions about our Communion policy or our beliefs please feel free to speak to one of the pastors after the service or indicate on an attendance card that you would like to be contacted. May God bless us all as we worship Him in His house today!

*Upon request, we offer a gluten free communion wafer. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Christian stewardship is the free and joyous activity of the child of God and God's family, the church, in managing all of life and life's resources for God's purposes. The Truth is... God desires that all people be saved and come to the knowledge of the truth. This is our stewardship that is captive to His Word.

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Saturday, September 29 and Sunday, September 30, 2018



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