

# WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

for the week of Sunday, July 14, 2019

## THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

#### Sunday, July 14

8:00am-9:00am: Worship Service – Communion - Church 9:30am-10:15am: Sunday School – Extended Care 10:30am-11:30am: Worship Service - Church

#### Monday, July 15

7:00pm-8:00pm: Board of Elders - Extended Care

#### Tuesday, July 16

10:00am-11:00am: Seniors' Bible Study – Extended Care 7:00pm-8:30pm: Trinity Summer Concert Band Rehearsal

#### Wednesday, July 17

6:30am-7:30am: Sunrise Bible Study – Extended Care

## Thursday, July 18

9:00am: Trinity Quilters - Purple Room

# Friday, June July 19

Saturday, July 20

5:30-6:30pm: Worship Service - Communion - Church

# TRUSTING IN THE LORD CONTRIBUTIONS REPORT - BLDG. FUND

Thru the month of May 2019

Months completed 30

Months to go 6

Pledges made \$746,518

Amount received (86%) \$643,908

UPDATE - With 30 months completed so far on our current building pledge drive, we want to again thank the many faithful members that have financially supported the addition at the church and renovations at the school. As you can see 86% of our pledges have been received so far. We have borrowed \$2.2 million dollars and now have a monthly mortgage payment of \$17,500. Thank you again for your prayers and support.



**JULY DUTCH OVEN:** The July Dutch Oven will benefit the Baptismal Bible Fund. This fund is used to purchase Bibles and faith medallions that are given to infants, toddlers, and children up through 2nd Grade when they are baptized. We look forward to serving you in July!

A SPECIAL MESSAGE FOR SUMMER TRAVELERS: Would you find it helpful to have your offerings debited directly from your bank account as you probably do with other accounts? Trinity Lutheran Church offers electronic giving for those of you who wish to have contributions transferred electronically to the church's account. If you have plans to travel this summer, electronic giving gives you a convenient way to keep up with your intended offerings. Simply select Giving under the Resources menu on our website or go directly to

http://www.trinity-lutheran.com/giving/ to find out how you can give online. Please email

eGiving@trinity-lutheran.com if you need assistance setting up your online giving account. Your contributions help Trinity to continue sharing Christ and meeting needs!

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**LUTHERAN H.S. SUMMER BASKETBALL CAMP:** Lutheran High School would like to invite young athletes of all talent levels to our Annual Summer Basketball Camp for a chance to increase their basketball skills and knowledge. Your young athletes will have a chance to improve on the following: shooting skills, dribbling skills, rebounding and passing, by participating in shooting contests, skill competitions, and full court games. Any camper entering 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> grade, male or female, is welcome to attend. Camp is **July 20, 10:00am to 2:00pm**, with a snack break. Price per camper is \$35.00. Please see flyer in bulletin.

**SATURDAY CHURCH SERVICES MOVED TO CHURCH LOCATION BEGINNING JULY 13:** Saturday 5:30 pm services will be held at the Church Location **July 20, and 27, and August 3.** 

**VOTERS' MEETING:** The July's Voters meeting on **Jul. 22** is our most important meeting as we adopt our annual Mission Commitment – also known as a budget. We will hear various updates as time permits. We hope there will be some information from the Synodical convention. Please join us at 6:30pm at the School in the Extended Care Room (bowling alley for old-timers). Take the elevator or stairs down and walk through the cafeteria.

District LLL Retreat: "St. Paul's Missionary Journeys," Sat., Sept. 7 at Camp CILCA. Registration begins at 8:00am; opening devotion at 9:00am. Closing at 3:30pm. The apostle Paul set out into the Mediterranean world, telling the Good News of Jesus. No setting proved too formidable for him, no place too forbidding. Paul got his resolve from his message and his Master. Facing with the mission challenges of the 21st century, we will study how Paul by God's grace met mission challenges in the first century. Please read Acts 13-20 ahead of time, and bring your Bible to the retreat! Speaker: CID Executive for Missions Rev. Dr. Ken Schurb. Dr. Schurb was a parish pastor for 19 years and for seven years an Assistant to the President of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. He taught theology (including the "Life of Paul" course) at Concordia College, Ann Arbor and is presently an adjunct instructor for Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne.

**THE TRINITY WOOD WORKERS:** Will not meet in **Jul**. or **Aug**. The program will start again on **Sept. 12** at the Midwest Mission Distribution Center.

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CHANGING LOCATIONS FOR PARISH HALL/LOBBY EVENTS: The Church Office will be reviewing events scheduled between Mon., Jul. 8-Wed., Aug. 7 and contacting groups scheduled in the Parish Hall, Lobby, and Parish Library to move those events to the Extended Care Room or, for smaller groups, the Church Lobby. If you have questions, please contact the Church Office (787-2323 ext 2 or <a href="mailto:church@trinity-lutheran.com">church@trinity-lutheran.com</a>.)

## **CLOTHING DROP-OFF FOR ANNUAL CLOTHING GIVEAWAY:**

Donations of clothes for the **Sat., Aug 10**, Clothing Giveaway can be dropped off at the coat closet in the Parish Center hall. Please do not take clothes to the stage area. The school office is now on summer hours, **9:00am - 1:00pm, Monday - Friday**; please call 217-787-2323 to be sure you can get into the building before dropping off clothes. Clothes can also be dropped off on Saturday evenings and Sunday mornings throughout June. For more information, please call Larry or Paula Boehme at 217-626-2179 or Mary Denham at 217-620-.0042.



# **SUNDAY SCHOOL AND WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES**

THIS WEEK IN SUNDAY SCHOOL: The students will probe "The Case of the Old Bed: Jesus Heals at Bethesda." Jesus is the One who brings healing,

not only from sickness but from sin and death. Consider discussing, "How does God heal people today? How can you help someone who needs healing?"

**SUNDAY MORNING HIGH SCHOOL BIBLE CLASS: What's** YOUR Worldview, taught by Youth Director Cindy Good in the Church Library.

## **SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE CLASSES:**

•Women's Bible Study: A New Thing: Join us for Women's bible study on Sunday mornings. Women of all ages are welcome to participate in the discussion! Old is familiar. Old can also be comfortable. Whether you welcome new things or shrink away, change is something everyone encounters at one time or another. A New Thing is a Bible study that will open your eyes to the newness God promises for your life both now and into eternity (Isaiah 43). Discover the uplifting blessing of seeing yourself as God does—a valuable treasure. Spend time reflecting on God's faithfulness in your past, and trust that He'll strengthen you for each moment of the present. Learn to live life by looking forward! Please join us for this short three-week study. Class is led by Amy Holmes and Karen Hemenway and meets in Science

•Conquering the Sins We Love: Giving into temptation isn't inevitable. We don't have to lose the fight. In fact, we can win if we understand the root of the problem and what Christians have done from the beginning to beat them. In this class, we will study the parts of God's Word that reveal the time-tested methods for getting victory over sin. The sins we will discuss are not what most would consider to be the "biggies," like infidelity or theft. Instead, we will focus on the everyday temptations that all of us fall prey to, including pride, desire, anxiety, procrastination, media, and laziness. This class will be led by Pastor Hemenway in the Parish Hall.

TUESDAY MORNING LADIES BIBLE STUDY is recessed for the summer. We will resume in September! For more information, contact Mary Denham at 546.8387.

TUESDAY SENIOR CITIZENS BIBLE CLASS: Class begins at 10:00am in the Parish Center. For more information. please call the church office at 217-787-2323.

SUNRISE BIBLE STUDY (Wednesday): Class begins in the school library at 6:30am. For more information, please contact Bill Rast at 217-585-0571.

# **SYNOD AND DISTRICT ANNOUNCEMENTS**

LCMS LUTHERAN EARLY RESPONSE TEAM (LERT) DEPLOYED

**TO GRAFTON:** The Emergency Management Agency coordinator invited LERT to assist in the Grafton flooding. Volunteers helped the community clear debris, rebuild, and cleanup. This is a great testimony of what LERT has accomplished in disasters. You can volunteer and receive LERT training by contacting the Central IL District at 217-793-1802 or cid@cidlcms.org.

KFUO UPDATE This week on KFUO.org, hear live broadcasts



**KFUO** from the LCMS Synodical Convention during The Coffee Hour (weekdays at 9:15am CT), study the Saga of Salvation in

Exodus 6-8 on Sharper Iron with host Rev. Timothy Appel and guest pastors (weekdays at 8:00am CT), and hear incredible insight into Numbers 31-35 on Thy Strong Word with host Rev. AJ Espinosa and guest pastors (weekdays at 11:00am CT). Find these programs on demand at kfuo.org!

#### WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS CONT'D

SUNDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Join the Circle of Women on Sun., Aug. 4 as we begin a new bible study on "Balance: Christ Filled Living" by Kay Meyer. We will be studying how God provides balance to our lives through the promises and blessings He bestows on us daily. Please consider joining us for this study! There are books available for purchase at \$4 each. If you have questions, please contact Amy Holmes at holmesfam08@icloud.com or 217-836-0624. We welcome all women to join us, even if you haven't participated in previous Circle of Moms events. We look forward to you joining us on Sunday mornings!

# **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:**

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS ARE NEEDED! During June, our Summer Sunday School has been blessed by members of our congregation who have taken a turn as a "guest" teacher. A guest teacher is needed for Sun., Aug. 25. Helpers are always welcome and will be appreciated each Sunday during August. Please prayerfully consider this opportunity to serve. May God bless your service (Contact Sharon Croxton at scroxton@gmail.com or 217-899-4084)

**HELPING HANDS SHELTER**: The meal dates scheduled for the remainder of 2019 are Aug. 30 and Nov. 4. If you or your group are interested in participating with this project, please call Byron Welt at 217-803-0107. A meal will cost in the range of \$160-\$180. If you wish to help with funding, please make your check payable to Trinity Lutheran Church, memo line "Helping Hands."

# SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer Hours for the School Office: 9:00am to 1:00pm Monday -Friday. Please keep praying for Lutheran High School!

## **LUTHERAN HIGH ANNOUNCEMENTS**



**TEACHER CALL UPDATE:** We lift up thanks to God for Mr. Jacob Ennis, a recent Concordia, Ann Arbor graduate, as he has accepted our call to teach at Lutheran High. We thank each of you for your prayers during this process.

**NEW PARENT ORIENTATION:** Attention parents of freshmen and transfer students. We invite you to join us for a New Parent Welcome meeting on Thur., Aug. 15 from 7:00pm-8:30pm in the Lutheran High School Chapel. Several teachers and coaches, the principal, and admissions director will be on-hand to introduce themselves and say a few words about their classes, programs and expectations, and to acquaint you with LuHi and present important information about the upcoming school year. There will be information on policies and procedures, as well as information regarding opportunities for parent involvement at LuHi. This meeting is being held in conjunction with the New Student Round Up hosted by Student Council and the Admissions Office. See you on Aug. 15!

SPORTS RULES MEETING: For athletes and at least one parent on Wed., Aug. 7 at 6pm in the LuHi gym. All student athletes are required to attend a rules meeting with a parent/guardian before permitted to participate in a school sport. Fall athletes MUST attend this meeting. Any athlete participating in a winter and/or spring sport may also attend this meeting to fulfill the requirement; however, there will be meetings later in the school year for these sports seasons. Both players and parents will be given an opportunity to meet the coaches and review the rules and policies for the upcoming season. The sports registration form will be available at the meeting. You may register your athlete and pay fees for all sports seasons using this form. Mark your calendars and we'll see you there.

TEACHER SEEKING IN-HOME DAYCARE: Tyler Zander, LuHi's newest teacher (beginning in August), and his wife are looking for an inhome daycare for their son, Zeke. If you, or someone you know, provides in-home daycare and have openings this fall, please contact the school office (217-546-6363 or admin@spiluhi.org) with your contact information that we may forward to Mr. Zander.

**REGISTRATION STILL OPEN!** Lutheran High School is still registering for the 2019-2020 school year. Please contact Admission Coordinator, Kim Wilson, at 217-546-6363 ext. 138 or k.wilson@spiluhi.org to learn how your family can become part of LuHi's 40th year of leading from generation to generation!!