

**May 11-12, 2024**  
**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
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**WELCOME TO TRINITY!** We are very happy that you are here to worship with us today. Trinity Lutheran Church and Nursery School believes that we are called to be "ALWAYS GROWING IN CHRIST" and we want to do everything possible to help you grow. We pray that the Gospel you hear today will take root in your life and do just that, grow.

**THE LORD'S TABLE:** We believe that the Lord's Supper, Holy Communion, is the real body and blood of Jesus Christ, for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith. If you believe likewise, please join us at the altar when it is time to celebrate this holy meal. Even if you do not believe as we do, we still welcome all adults and children to come forward at Holy Communion to receive a blessing from Pastor. Just decline the wafer at Holy Communion and Pastor will give you a blessing. Please note, the center ring of the tray of individual cups is non-alcoholic wine.

**Treasurer's Update**

Rec'd last week: \$7781.00	Net <b>Deficit</b> (3/31 YTD) \$7289.01
YTD Income (as of 3/31) \$113,666.70	YTD Expense (as of 3/31) \$120,955.71

**Attendance** Saturday 20, communed 20; Sunday 74 communed 63

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

In honor of Ella Sperry on her 21<sup>st</sup> birthday from her grandparents, Cliff & Sperry

**BLESSINGS ON THE BAPTISMS** of River Linn Leija & Lily Rae Leija daughters of Sarah Stahlke & Zackery Leija. Their sponsors are Abigail & Eric Bridenbecker.

**BLESSINGS ON THE MARRIAGE** of Tate Scofield and Hannah Huey who will be wed on Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>.

**NEXT WEEKEND** we celebrate The Day of Pentecost, one of the three great festivals of the church year. The sermon is titled "Filled and Kindled Hearts," and the hymn of the day is "Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord" (LSB 497). The scripture lessons for worship are:

Old Testament	Ezekiel 37:1-14	<i>The Valley of Dry Bones</i>
Epistle	Acts 2:1-21	<i>The Coming of the Holy Spirit</i>
Gospel	John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15	<i>The Work of the Holy Spirit</i>

**WEAR RED** for Pentecost services on May 18-19

**NEAL & LAUREN WEDDING** We would like to invite the whole congregation to attend the wedding of Neal Rogers and Lauren Jennings on May 24th at 2:00pm. Later, after they return from their honeymoon we will have a reception between services where you can meet Lauren if you have not already, and give them your congratulations

**MUSIC FOR MOTHER'S DAY** is featured this weekend. The closing hymn is "Now Thank We All Our God," with the lyrics "Who from our mothers' arms has blest us on our way." The distribution hymn is the Magnificat, the song of joy sung by Jesus' mother Mary. At the 10:30 service, the Sunday School is the featured ensemble, and Brianna Billing and her mother Christy are singing "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands."

**PARENTS' NIGHT OUT** Friday, May 31 @ 7:00

Parents - Pastor Rogers is inviting you to spend a relaxing time getting to know each other and enjoy some heavy appetizers along with beer and wine. If you'd like to attend, please contact the church office to reserve your spot. You're welcome to bring your friends.

**VBS COMING SOON** Join Trinity of Villa Park for an exciting four days exploring the ocean and learning why God is our friend FOREVER! *Ages 3 - 10 Welcome!*  
*Week Details - June 3rd- June 6th 9AM - 11:30AM*

**TRINITY GOLF OUTING** is one of our single biggest fundraisers. We are in need of someone to Chair the Golf Outing Committee. There is a well organized written plan to follow. If you are willing to serve in this way please contact the church office. You would have a great deal of support from people who have worked on this project over the past years.

**LUTHERAN SPECIAL EDUCATION MINISTRIES IS LOOKING FOR A FULL-TIME** resource room teacher position at Trinity Lutheran School in Tinley Park, IL in the fall. Applicants must hold a current Illinois Teaching License and have a special education certification/endorsement. Interested applicants looking for more information or wishing to submit a resume are asked to contact Richard Schumacher at (734) 748-5253 or email him at [rschumacher@luthsped.org](mailto:rschumacher@luthsped.org).

**SPONSOR-A-BILL:** This quarter's bills to sponsor are Fire/Elevator Compliance and Insurance Premiums (approx. \$1,500/mo). **This year's Insurance premiums had a recent rate increase**, and we are trying to work out a new plan. In the meantime, please consider sponsoring one of these bills above & beyond your normal giving. Sponsor-a-Bill contributions help keep our budget on track & reduce the need for end-of-year pleas to meet the budget.

## HOMEBOUND

Aperion, W. Chicago: Deborah Bychowski      Downers Grove Rehab: Tom Saunders  
Beacon Hill: John & Connie Graham, Lowell & Judy Pals  
Brighton Gardens, Whtn: Bill Rothenburger      The Bickford, Aurora: Grace Finke  
Lacey Creek: Judy Sheridan      The Roosevelt at Salt Creek: Eileen Reese

**AT HOME:** Greg Bukowski, Pastor & Carol Drews, Sue Pfannes, Georgianna Ryl,  
Edith Schneider, Marcy Seils.      Strength and patience for all the caregivers.

**IN NEED OF HEALING:** Terry Almada (sister of Geri Diciolla), Jerry Billing (Greg's father), Carol Boettger, Bridget and John Michael (infant) Brust, Sue Bukowski, Sharon Christ (friend), Linda Gibboney (daughter of LaVera Levin), Jeff Glock, Shelby Kampert, Dr. Fran Kania (friend of the Heuser's), Phyllis McCurdy (sister of Donna Heuser), Bill McGing (friend of the Heuser's), Lisa Miller (daughter of Judy Sheridan), Kathy Remus. We pray for peace throughout the world.

## FOR THE CHURCH:

Seminarian: Jackson Scofield      Bishops: Matthew Harrison and Jamison Hardy  
Missionaries to the Dominican Republic—Rev. Dr. Jonathon and Deaconess Cheryl Naumann  
Jay and Julie Dass, Lutheran Confessional Church of Pakistan  
Morren Chelsi Lempas (Youth sponsored child from Indonesia)      Asian Indian Ministry

**SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES:** Commander in Chief – President Joseph Biden  
Adam Biladeau, Matt Boudro, Noah Brockie, Peter Halpin (son of Dan & Rhonda Halpin), Cameron Littleton (Traci Dale Maher's brother-in-law), Matt & Mary Macella (grandchildren of Arlene Johnson), Josh Preisel (grandson of Alice Bezik), Ella Sperry (granddaughter of Cliff & Olinda Sperry), Paul Stahlke, Quentin Stubbs.

**BIRTHDAYS:** 12-Grace Capps, Ella Sperry 13- Kelly Quigley 15- John Heuser, Gloria Marchewka  
16-Bob Behenna 17- Danielle Tomasek, John Wendorf

**ANNIVERSARIES:** 16-Dawn & John Dapkus 18-Kim & Craig Campagna

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF May 12<sup>th</sup>:

**Sunday:**      **Worship 8:00 AM** (FaceBook Live) & **10:30 AM**      **Happy Mother's Day**  
**Monday:**      1:00-Al Anon      7:00 Women's Bible Study  
**Tuesday:**      3:30- The Projects      6:00 Bible Study      7:00-Rest Your Soul      8:00 AA  
**Wednesday:**      10:00-Bible Study      6:00 Big House      6:30 Growing in Prayer  
**Thursday:**  
**Friday:**      7:00 Music Party  
**Saturday:**      **Worship 4:30 PM**      **6:00 Beef and Bourbon Night**

## THOSE WHO SERVE May 12<sup>th</sup>:

**Keyboard / Organ:** 4:30pm – Kurt Linstead      **8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke  
**Vocalist:**      **8:00** Jim Bruschuk      **10:30** Brianna Billing & Christy Crandell  
**Ensemble:**      **8:00** Strings      **10:30** Sunday School, Voices of Praise  
**Lay Assistants:**      **8:00** Darren Taylor      **10:30** Greg Billing & David Sullivan  
**Acolytes:**      **8:00** Jacob Bruschuk      **10:30** Caleb Ilcken  
**Ushers:**      **4:30** Bert Dale  
                         **8:00** Jon Alvarez, Steve Boudro, Joe Peacock  
                         **10:30** Ron Boettger, Bob Rundgren, Chris Gore, Travis Jones  
**Greeters:**      **8:00** Cliff & Olinda Sperry      **10:30** Bob & Diane Devermann  
**Altar Guild**      Donna Heuser & Denise Airdo

## THOSE WHO SERVE May 19<sup>th</sup> :

**Keyboard / Organ:** 4:30pm – Kurt Linstead      **8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke  
**Ensemble:**      **8:00** Bells of Praise, Voices of Praise  
                         **10:30** Big House Bells, Voices of Praise  
**Lay Assistants:**      **8:00** Donna Stubbs      **10:30** Jodie Esposito & Diane Devermann  
**Acolytes:**      **8:00** Cruz Collins      **10:30** Garrett May  
**Ushers:**      **4:30** Rich Kumnick  
                         **8:00** Bert Dale, Derek Bruschuk, Neal Rogers  
                         **10:30** Dave Heuser, Harley DeJong  
**Greeters:**      **8:00** Bonnie Dale      **10:30** Donna Heuser  
**Altar Guild**      Donna Heuser & Denise Airdo

## THOSE WHO SERVE May 26<sup>th</sup> :

**Keyboard / Organ:** 4:30pm – Kurt Linstead      **8am & 10:30am** Mary Stahlke  
**Vocalist:**      **10:30** Jonathan Stahlke  
**Lay Assistants:**      **8:00** Aliyah Brockie      **10:30** Carlo Airdo & Kate Ilcken  
**Acolytes:**      **8:00** Hank Pavlovsky      **10:30** Lorelai May  
**Ushers:**      **4:30** Craig Musa  
                         **8:00** Scott Golz & Neal Rodenbostel  
                         **10:30** Gary Buehre, Rich Kumnick & Frank Ilcken  
**Greeters:**      **8:00** Donna Stubbs      **10:30** Denise Airdo  
**Altar Guild**      Donna Heuser & Denise Airdo

**THOSE WHO SERVE June 2<sup>nd</sup>:**

<b>Keyboard / Organ:</b>	<b>4:30pm</b> – Kurt Linstead	<b>8am &amp; 10:30am</b> Mary Stahlke
<b>Vocalist:</b>	<b>8:00</b> Jim Bruschuk	<b>10:30</b> Jonathan Stahlke
<b>Lay Assistants:</b>	<b>8:00</b> Donna Stubbs	<b>10:30</b> John Dorn & Gloria Marchewka
<b>Acolytes:</b>	<b>8:00</b> Jacob Bruschuk	<b>10:30</b> Caleb Ilcken
<b>Ushers:</b>	<b>4:30</b> Bert Dale	
	<b>8:00</b> Jon Alvarez, Steve Boudro, Joe Peacock	
	<b>10:30</b> Ron Boettger, Bob Rundgren, Chris Gore, Travis Jones	
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Carol Boettger & Jenny Swensen	