

THE WEEKLY CONNECTION

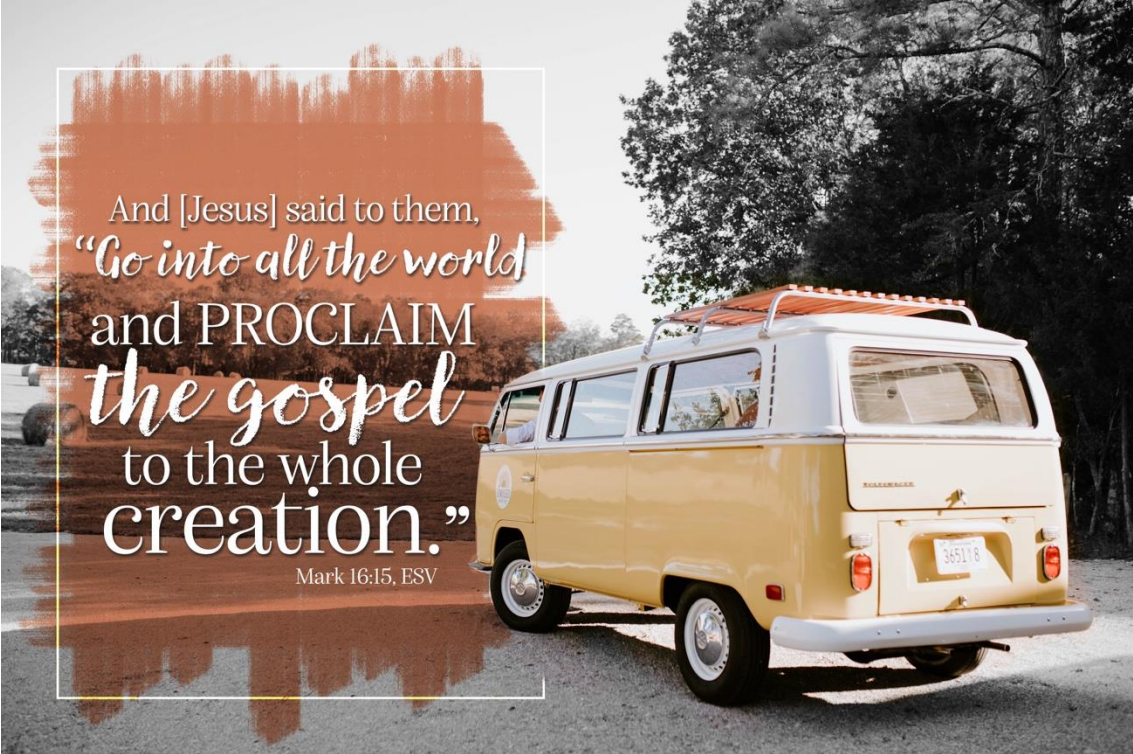
16th Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, September 8, 2024

Welcome to the New “Weekly Connection”! “The Weekly Connection” replaces “Heavenly Happenings” and “Word, Prayer and Care”. Each week in “The Weekly Connection” you will find important information about how to connect with mission, ministry, and fellowship through Trinity Lutheran Church.

Welcome to worship in the name of God — Father, Son and Holy Spirit — who created you, saved you and makes you holy. Amen.

WHO WILL YOU INVITE? – *Did you know* that recent research revealed only 5% of Americans have received a personal invitation to church?! Research also shows that 80% of Americans say that they would be open to attending church if invited by a friend? Next Sunday is **Back to Church Sunday**. Who will you invite?



And [Jesus] said to them,
“Go into all the world
and PROCLAIM
the gospel
to the whole
creation.”

Mark 16:15, ESV

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

WORDS OF WELCOME

HYMN *“Hark, the Voice of Jesus Crying” (LSB 826) sts. 1-3*

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Invocation

Confession & Absolution

Greeting & Prayer of the Day

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 35:4-7a

Gospel Reading

Mark 7:31-37

NICENE CREED

CHILDREN’S SERMON

HYMN *“God, Whose Almighty Word” LSB 979*

MESSAGE *“Is It Still a Secret?” Mark 7:36*

OFFERTORY *“Create in Me” (LSB 956)*

MINISTRY MINUTE

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD’S PRAYER

SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR

Words Of Institution

Agnus Dei *(LSB 198)*

Hymn: *“The Lamb” (LSB 547)*

Hymn: *“Christ the Eternal Lord” (LSB 829)*

Hymn: *“Jesus Has Com and Brings Pleasure” (LSB 533)*

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

POST COMMUNION COLLECT

BENEDICTION

CLOSING HYMN *“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus” (LSB 660) sts. 1-3*

THE LORD’S SUPPER is celebrated every Sunday at Trinity. Concerning Holy Communion, Paul writes, *“Everyone ought to examine themselves before they eat the bread and drink from the cup”* (1 Corinthians 11:28 NIV). Baptized adults (and youth who have attended an early communion course) who agree with the following statements are welcome to the Lord’s Table:

- “I am a sinner and I am sorry for my sins” (Psalm 38:18).
- “I believe in Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior.”
- “I believe that the true body and blood of Jesus are present in, with, and under the bread and wine. The bread and wine do not merely symbolize His body and blood” (1 Corinthians 11:24-25).
- “I intend to live my life as a forgiven sinner; resist the devil; and will strive to live in a God-pleasing way” (Romans 6:11-14).

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

BACK TO CHURCH SUNDAY – Worship! Sunday School for all ages! Picnic! It is all part of Back to Church Sunday on September 15! ***Who will you invite?!***

UPPER ROOM PRAYER GROUP meets on Thursdays, from 12:30p.m. - 2p.m. We pray for our local community, faith communities, our state, our world, our nation and our churches.. Please come and join us for prayer whenever you can. Any questions please call Judy Eick, 810-441-8248. Everyone welcome.

WORKBEES September's schedule will be on **Tuesday, September 17th**. Please contact Craig Hachtel, 810-410-7895 or the office, 810-658-3000, for more information.

DIFFICULT CONVERSATIONS: LGBTQ – Plan to attend an important presentation, worship service, and luncheon on Saturday, October 12 at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Lapeer. Our local LCMS congregations – including Trinity – have arranged for a Bible-based, presentation by a knowledgeable professor from our seminary on the topic of LGBTQ. Thanks to a generous grant from the Church Extension Fund, there is no cost for you to attend this event. Please sign up by phoning the church office before October 3rd.

CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATES – We will be updating our church directory in the coming months. During September, plan to visit the Church Directory table in the narthex to check if your information is correct.



MEN'S BIBLE STUDY -Will begin on **Monday, September 16th, at 5:30p.m.** We will continue to meet on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month. Guests are welcome and expected! ***Who will you invite?!***

WOMENS' BIBLE STUDY – NEW – beginning in **September** we will be offering a 6-week Women's Bible Study on the same Mondays as the Men's study. Our first meeting will be **Monday, September 16th from 6:00.m. – 7:30p.m.** and then the first and third Monday of the month. Invite your friends and enjoy the fellowship and study of God's Word.

SUNDAY SCHOOL/BIBLE CLASS – We look forward to you and your family exploring God’s Word in Bible Study. Classes for all ages begin on ***Back to Church Sunday, September 15, 2024.*** Guests are welcome and expected! *Who will you invite?!*



HELP NEEDED – Sunday, September 15th at 9:00a.m. to set up tables and chairs in the Pavilion for our BACK TO CHURCH picnic – potluck. See Kathy Boyce or call the Church office. Thank you.

FAITH BASICS – Discover basic Biblical teachings of the Christian Faith as part of the 8-session Faith Basics course. The next class begins on Sunday, September 15 at 11:15 a.m. Faith Basics will meet in the Fireside Room in the lower level and be taught by Pastor Frusti. Guests are welcome and expected!

OUTREACH EAST – Mum Sale is being held ***Saturday, September 14th from 10:00a.m. – 4:00p.m.*** at the Oxford Bank on the corner of M-15 and Davison Rd. Plants are \$12.99. Preorders are available at www.outreacheast.shop/shop or Outreach East (425 N. Genesee St., Davison). Thank you for your support.

WE HAVE REACHED OUR GOAL. A big thank you to all who gave to the Building Fund for our Basement Remodeling Project. It is now complete! Future contributions to the Building Fund will be used for future improvement projects.



YTD FINANCIAL UPDATE - Weekly tithes and offerings support the ongoing expenses of ministry through our congregation. Each week, \$5,540.00 is needed to fund planned ministries for 2024. Year-to-date, \$148,671.54 has been received toward our year-to-date goal of \$188,360.00. Year-to-date, our tithes and offerings are \$39,683.46 below our budget needs. *“Each of you has been blessed with one of God’s many wonderful gifts to be used in the service of others. So, use your gift well”* (1 Peter 4:10 CEV).

WORD, PRAYER, AND CARE

MY MEMORY VERSE

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. Romans 1:16



MY DAILY BIBLE READING

<input type="checkbox"/> Sunday	Ezekiel 40-41
<input type="checkbox"/> Monday	Ezekiel 42-43
<input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday	Ezekiel 44-45
<input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday	Ezekiel 46-48
<input type="checkbox"/> Thursday	Joel 1-3
<input type="checkbox"/> Friday	Daniel 1-3
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This reading plan is online!

Join our FAITH LIFE GROUP:

<https://faithlife.com/trinitydavison>

PRAYERS FOR GOD'S WORK

- ✘ Pray for everyone who does not know Jesus that they will not enter eternity without knowing Jesus, especially . . .
- ✘ Family of God , Detroit, MI
- ✘ Grace Lutheran Church, Germfask, MI

PRAYERS OF COMFORT

For the family and friends of Jeannete Henge who passed away, Monday, September 2, 2024

PRAYERS FOR HEALING

- Debbie Abbott, continued healing.
- Les Abbott, continued healing.
- William Abbott, healing of dislocated shoulder and fractured arm.
- Alicia, 14 yr. old granddaughter of Vicki Seymour, diagnosed with cancer.
- Hudson Adamo, nine-year-old cousin of Glann's, cancer.
- Karen Ash, relative of Carol Meinburg, battling cancer and pneumonia.
- Hudson Bennett, friend of Hewitt's, comfort and healing.
- Bev, friend of the Fry's, recovering from cancer surgery.
- Bob, friend of Barb Gordon, for healing.
- Debbie Bostwick, continued healing.
- David Campbell, continued healing.
- Robert Carter, son of Emma Dennis, upcoming surgery.
- Connie Chirich, healing after second back surgery.
- Judy Church, friend of Judy Eick, for healing.

PRAYERS FOR HEALING (CONT.)

Rick Crane, nephew of Carol Meinburg recovering from surgery.
Joy Delbridge, recovering at home.
Elaine, cousin of Bryan Hetherington, hospitalized.
Delphine Flowers, sister of Dave Wygocki for healing.
Jack Fry, prayers for a treatment plan.
Earlynn Frye, friend of Mary Weeden, with heart issues.
Joyce Gadola, friend of the Weeden's, heart issues.
Ken Hachtel, grandson of Yvonne, in Assisted Living.
Larry Harmon, friend of Gay Polley, recovering from stroke.
Jeannette Hence, sister-in-law of Maria Fry in hospice.
Cheryl Hoberg, battling MS and Transverse Myelitis.
Candy Kellogg, niece of Millie Kosbar, continued healing.
Kevin, friend of the Robinson's, diagnosed with cancer.
Vickie Kreis, continued healing.
Linda Lewis, friend of Joan & Jim Ross, breast cancer.
Dan Martin, for strength and healing.
Paul McCrea, for health and healing.
Megan, family of Shari DeLoge, diagnosed with cancer.
Mike, friend of Kathy Boyce, diagnosed with cancer.
Sharon Namenye, continued healing.
Nikki's mother, recovering from surgery.
Beverly Pirtle, continued healing.
Rose, friend of Pam Price, health issues and tests results.

Helen Ross, mother of Jim, prayers for good health.
Vicki Seymour, for testing and healing.
Linda Shepard, healing for heart problems.
Maxine Staiano, aunt of Tami Thurau, for healing.
Bob Thurau, Tami's dad, for comfort and healing.
Pastor Michael Thurau, son of Sonnie Thurau for healing.
Wayne, Ida's brother-in-law with cancer.
Jim Weeden, recovering at home.



PRAYER LIST

Worship and Offerings Last Weekend

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

Sunday *(on site)*
Peak Live Viewers on [Facebook](#)
Live:
Peak Live Viewers on [YouTube](#):

78
6
5

OFFERINGS:

Envelopes/Cash/Checks: \$3,795.00
Online Giving/Text-to-Give: \$775.00
Total Offerings and Tithes: \$4,570.00

Birthdays This Week

Sept. 08 Brett Woome
Sept. 09 Ron Bray
Sept. 09 Leo Deneen
Sept. 09 Zeke Jackson
Sept. 09 Jeff Ridgeway
Sept. 10 Lori Arnold
Sept. 10 Maria Fry
Sept. 10 Kim Robinson

Sept. 10 Char Zudel
Sept. 10 Haley Selvidge
Sept. 12 Al Dawes
Sept. 13 Tim Salter
Sept. 13 Waylon Jackson
Sept. 14 Tim Lobstein
Sept. 14 Riley Duell

Did we miss your birthday? If so, please call or email the church office. Thank you for helping us keep our records accurate.

Anniversaries This Week

Sept. 15 Elwyn & Georganna Brandt

If we failed to mention your anniversary, please notify the church office by phone or email. Thank you for helping us keep our records accurate.

Etcetera

CHURCH OFFICE INFORMATION

The church office is here to assist you and answer your questions about our church's ministry. You are welcome to call the church office during the following hours:

Prayer Requests Submit your prayer requests and updates via email at office@TrinityDavison.org, phone at 810-658-3000, or church website, www.TrinityDavison.org/prayer

OFFICE SCHEDULE

Tuesday - Thursday
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
or by appointment

Our Prayer & Praise Chain is available 24 hours a day by calling the church office at 810-658-3000 or emailing requests to prayers@TrinityDavison.org. We all have life struggles, concerns, and blessings. . . allow us to lift your prayers and praises to God.



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