

For with You is the fountain of life; in Your Light we see light. Psalm 36:9

Trinity Torch



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Psalm 122:1 says,

**I was glad when they said to me,
“Let us go to the house of the LORD!”**

I am glad that we can now say, “Let us go to the house of the Lord!” Church is open and we thank God that we have been brought through the most difficult part of the pandemic and are now seeing the light at the end of the tunnel. The difficulty now for some will be to transition back to a more regular way of life and this, of course, includes church worship as well.

So far, the elders have responded to our civic regulations as well as our insurance requirements with appropriate changes to our worship schedule and practice. Everything continues to improve in Illinois, and we are thankful that worship attendance has increased significantly.

Social distancing continues, however, even though there are no longer any requirements on seating for our church. As attendance increases, we will remove the signs on every other pew, on one side of the church first, providing for more seating. This may happen as early as August.

If you have not been back to church yet and feel a little hesitant about venturing out, I encourage you to come on a Monday evening service at 6:30. Not only are there less people, but we also always serve the Lord’s Supper, and you can receive the rich blessing of Christ, given for you, for the forgiveness of your sin.

**I was glad when they said to me,
“Let us go to the house of the LORD!”**

In Christ,

Pastor Bob

Behind-the-scenes heroes upholding life - Caring Network's Baby Bank at Christian Fellowship Church in Itasca

by Deaconess Lori Trinche

Today, I'd like to commend two women who serve faithfully and consistently behind-the-scenes to help moms and babies in need. First, is Teena Bottger - our primary, resident baby blanket-maker.

Last year, Teena made 22 blankets for the new babies we love and welcome. Each blanket is an act of love - with colors she and the moms choose and yarn she donates on their behalf.

Last year during the pandemic, Teena very quietly gave over 704 hours of her time (or as I calculated, 17.6 forty hour work-weeks) as a gift to these moms. I learned that each blanket is 120 stitches wide and 240 rows, carefully counted with each row taking about 8-9 minutes. Teena prays for the babies by name faithfully, and always looks forward to pictures that I bring from the moms of the babies as they grow.

“What does love look like? It has the hands to help others. It has the feet to hasten to the poor and needy. It has eyes to see misery and want. It has the ears to hear the sighs and sorrows of men. That is what love looks like.” St. Augustine



I'd also like to commend Sandy Kozlowski who faithfully serves each month on Thursdays and Saturdays at the new baby bank location in Itasca. Sandy helps transport donations that our members and friends bring. She also regularly sorts and occasionally washes clothing donations, stocks the shelves of the baby bank with supplies, and helps moms with the shopping experience.



The new baby bank location at 152 E Devon in Itasca is doing well! The moms and babies are SO thankful for the love and support. **Thursday helpers are particularly needed there from 10 a.m. to noon. If you are interested in serving, please contact Tina O'Neill at 847-630-0361 or let Sandy know you are able to join her!**

We are currently also in need of size newborn or preemie boys and girls; size 12-18 month girls, and size 18-24 month boys new or gently used summer clothing. We have an overflowing supply of other sizes, so are very specific in those needs only please. **You may bring any donations to the church narthex and mark them "Baby Bank".** Thank you to all the other behind-the-scenes heroes who support our life ministry partners such as Caring Network and Redeeming Life Outreach Ministries! You are a blessing!

Caring Network's mission is to provide practical help to families experiencing unplanned pregnancy, not only empowering them to choose life, but also improving the quality of their lives and providing enduring hope.

Lori

Parish Education – Bible Study Schedule

August 2021

September will be the start date for many of our Bible Classes. Here is a preview of what to look for.



If you have questions or desire more information, you may contact the class leader or DCE Rob Grady – 708-839-1200 ext. 4. All studies are weekly unless otherwise noted.

Sunday Morning

Youth Bible Studies – 9:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Youth Bible Class meets in the school art room.
Sunday School for Three-Year-Old through Grade 8 will meet in the church basement from 9:45 -10:45 a.m.

Tuesday Evening

Join us as we begin the study “LifeLight: Wilderness Wanderings” in the School Conference Room at 6:30 p.m. This class is facilitated by Rob Grady. We will be finishing up study of the books Leviticus, Numbers and Deuteronomy.

Wednesday Morning

Men’s Bible Class will meet weekly at 6:30 a.m. in the Church Library. Facilitated by Tom Bruns we will finish up studying the book “Forgotten God” by Francis Chan. Our next study will be the book “Irresistible” by Andy Stanley

Wednesday Morning TLC

We will continue our study on Timothy, Titus, and Philemon on September 8, 22, and 29. We usually meet the second and fourth Wednesday and any fifth Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. We will meet in the church library.

Thursday Afternoon TLC

TLC Bible Study Group will meet on September 9 and 23 at 4:30 p.m. in the School Conference Room. The class is led by Sharon Wendte (630-455-1775).

YOUTH NEWS

MISSION TRIP:

Our Mission Trip is right around the corner. Hotel reservations have been made, rental vehicles have been reserved, t-shirts designed and ordered, background checks finished, and some food preparations are in the works.

We will have one more meeting on Sunday, July 18, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Please bring your tools on that day in a bucket with your name on it. If you lost your tool supply list, you can contact me or go to the groupmissiontrips.com website.

One last thing. We will need to bring a few air mattresses. If you have one, would you please let me know. A final mailing will come out in July with final information.

FMSC:

We are scheduled to volunteer at Feed My Starving Children on Wednesday, July 7. We will meet at Trinity at 10:30 a.m. and should return by 2:45 p.m. We will pack meals from 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Following the packing, we will go out to lunch and then return to Trinity. Lunch will be paid for by the Youth Group. If you would like to make an offering to FMSC it would be appreciated. There is room for 12 youth and 2 adults to attend. You can sign up by contacting Mr. Grady. Friends are welcome to attend.

PARENT MEETING:

A parent meeting is scheduled for Sunday, August 29, at 7:00 p.m. in the church library to go over the upcoming year. We will go over upcoming events, with an emphasis on the 2022 National Youth Gathering in Houston. All students in Grades 8-12 are eligible for this trip.

Why in-person worship is preferable to online?

#MeyerMinute

Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer

I was asked to review a sermon preached in chapel at Concordia Seminary, and it was a fine sermon. Due to COVID restrictions, I watched online. As I reviewed the written manuscript, I was struck by how much I missed because I experienced it online.

The ancient teacher of rhetoric, Quintilian, said about the hearer: "He will have many other thoughts to distract him unless what we say is so clear that our words will thrust themselves into his mind even when he is not giving us his attention, just as the sunlight forces itself upon the eyes. Therefore, our aim must be not to put him in a position to understand our argument, but to force him to understand it." (Institutes, VIII, II, 23) True enough, my mind wandered watching the stream. I wasn't part of a captive audience in the sanctuary. My eyes could flit and my mind wander to other things in the room. I could talk with Diane, not whisper to her as you might in church. I could get up and go get something to drink if I wanted.

A pressing question as we come out of COVID is why in-person worship is preferable to online. Before the internet, we would say you go to church to hear the Word of God, but now a parishioner can do that without getting out of pajamas. There are many good reasons why in-person worship is most desirable, but I just highlight that hearing a sermon in person is a more immersed experience.

Watching online is a spectator activity, helpful but not as engaging as being there. The sounds that stir the air, the churchly surrounding, the interaction between the speaker preaching and the listener thinking... these are incomparably heightened by in-person worship. I was blessed watching that sermon online, and how wonderful that technology gives us this capability, but would that I had been there!

Dr. Dale A. Meyer
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Help Wanted

Trinity Endowment Oversight Committee

Trinity Lutheran Church has an immediate need for a few more members to serve on our Endowment Oversight Committee. This committee makes recommendations and decisions on investments that are designed to benefit the mission and ministry of the church and school. Financial and Investment experience is helpful.

If you are interested in learning more, please see Pastor Bob Geaschel, Congregational Chairman Mike Giliano or Church Treasurer Bob Bordak.



Human Care

I have started helping assemble the hot meal to go containers for St. Matthews soup kitchen. Pastor Sifuentes and Deaconess Elly then hand them out outside the entrance to the fellowship hall. Thanks to all for the continued donations.

Greeting cards will be sent to the homebound members this month.

Wishing all a safe and happy summer.

Blessings to All,
Deb Hardtke

Remember God's Promises

Read Psalm 89

*I will sing of the LORD's
great love forever. — Psalm 89:1*

Much of our life of faith is spent living in between God's promise and its future fulfillment. All through the Bible, God makes big promises and then asks His people to live in faith. God promised Abraham he would be the father of a great nation when he had not even had a child yet and was already 75 years old (Gen. 12:1-4). It would be over 20 years before this promise was fulfilled.

In today's reading, Ethan the Ezrahite begins with a resounding word of praise. For the first 37 verses Ethan recounts the steadfast love of the Lord. He praises God for creation, His justice and righteousness, and for choosing David as Israel's king (vv. 1-20). God had anointed David, and gave him victory over his enemies (vv. 20-23). The poet celebrates God's covenant with David whom he had appointed "to be my firstborn, the most exalted of the kings of the earth" (v. 27). God had even promised that if David's descendants were unfaithful,

God would punish, but never abandon them (vv. 30-37).

The psalm takes an abrupt shift in verse 38. After celebrating God's promises to David, he wonders where God is now: "But you have rejected, you have spurned, you have been very angry with your anointed one" (v. 38). Reflecting the crisis of the Babylonian exile, Ethan describes how Israel has been defeated. From his perspective, it seemed like God had renounced the covenant He made with David (v. 39). We know (of course) that in the New Testament a future descendant of David would fulfill all of these promises and so much more (Luke 1:32; Acts 13:22-23)!

▶ Notice that even though God's promises to David seemed broken, the Psalmist did not reject God. Instead, he turned to God in prayer (Ps. 89:46-51). Bring your worries about the future to God. We may not be able to see His plan right now, but we can trust Him.

Pray with Us

You have assured us that we will suffer in this life, yet calamity still takes us by surprise. Father, hold us close when we doubt Your presence, and fortify our faith when we question Your kindness.

Sunday School



Our last Sunday School class until we meet again in September. Hope to see everyone back—Julia, Nolan, Liliana, Malachi - and some new faces too. Teachers Mrs. O'Shea and Mrs. Voelz

THE LORD'S PRAYER - The Fourth Petition

Give us this day our daily bread.

What does this mean?

God certainly gives daily bread to everyone without our prayers, even to all evil people, but we pray in this petition that God would lead us to realize this and to receive our daily bread with thanksgiving.

What is meant by daily bread?

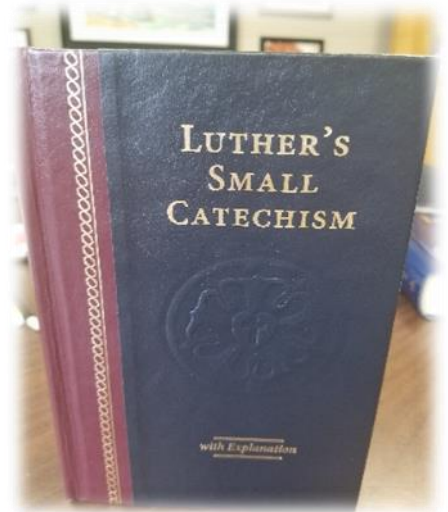
Daily bread includes everything that has to do with the support and needs of the body, such as food, drink, clothing, shoes, house, home, land, animals, money, goods, a devout husband or wife, devout children, devout workers, devout and faithful rulers, good government, good weather, peace, health, self-control, good reputation, good friends, faithful neighbors, and the like.

The Central Thought

Take away our "daily bread" – namely, the air we breathe, the water we drink, the food we eat, the homes that shelter us, the government that protects us – and we die. Since these things are so important, why do we take them for granted and not express gratitude for them? As Christians, we pray that we might be grateful for everything (however ordinary) that God provides each day for our bodily life.

Psalm 145: 15-16

"The eyes of all look to You, and You give them their food in due season. You open Your hand; You satisfy the desire of every living thing."



Christian Worldview Commentary:

Responding to a church's tweet that celebrated all "sexual orientations and gender identities," a self-described atheist retorted, "[I]f your church is just preaching the exact same thing as the broader culture, what's the point of going to church? Just imbibe the party line somewhere with more comfortable seats."

CS Lewis once said something similar: "I didn't go to religion to make me happy. I always knew a bottle of Port would do that. If you want a religion to make you feel really comfortable, I certainly don't recommend Christianity."

One of the biggest mistakes the Church can make is the vain and relentless pursuit of relevance. All indications consistently show it's a losing proposition.

What makes the Church meaningful to a watching world is what historian Tom Holland has called Christianity's "weird stuff." You know, those moral standards and ideas that don't jibe with modern sensibilities. Otherwise we might as well, as St. Paul put it, "eat and drink, for tomorrow we die."

-By John Stonestreet

Christian worldview commentary from the Colson Center, featuring radio host John Stonestreet. | Follow us on Twitter: @BreakPointCC.



Living Letters

2 Corinthians 3



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Dear friends and family,

Just the other day we enjoyed the first rain of the season! What a JOY it is to hear the rain hit the zinc roof, to see the clearing of the dusty air, feeling the cool breeze, and the excitement of the coming of the new season. The beginning of rain marks the beginning of planting season in this farming community. As we start this new season, we also reflect on the last two months here in Gbintiri.

We arrived in Gbintiri the end of February. It was a full first few weeks of reunions for Michael and new introductions for Naomi. I, Naomi, was introduced to the local chief. I met the Bible translation team that Michael works very closely with. I also met many neighbors, church pastors, and church members. We worked at starting the process of settling into our home. We did a lot of cleaning, unpacking, figuring out meals we can eat with what is available, learning how to shop for 4-6 weeks at a time, and realizing the change in the structure of time, routine, and flexibility while adjusting to a dusty, hot, dry climate.

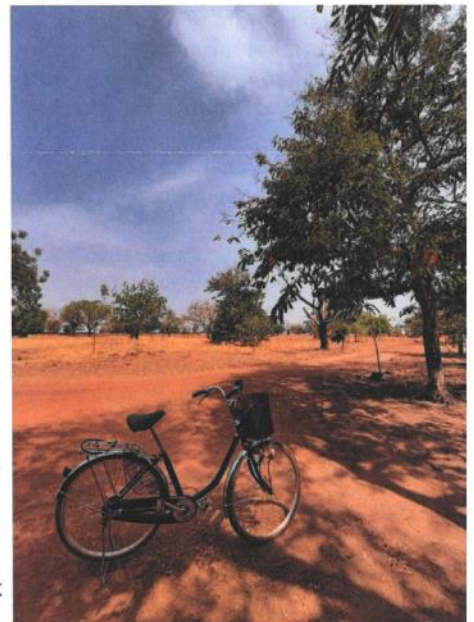
After our initial weeks, Michael started to go into the translation office a couple times a week, meeting with the translation team. During this time, I started spending more time in the community. I would get on my bike and peddle down the dirt road to a new adventure.

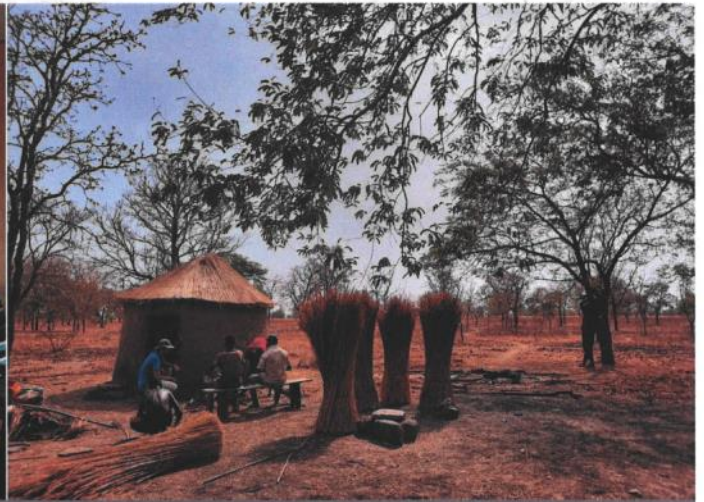
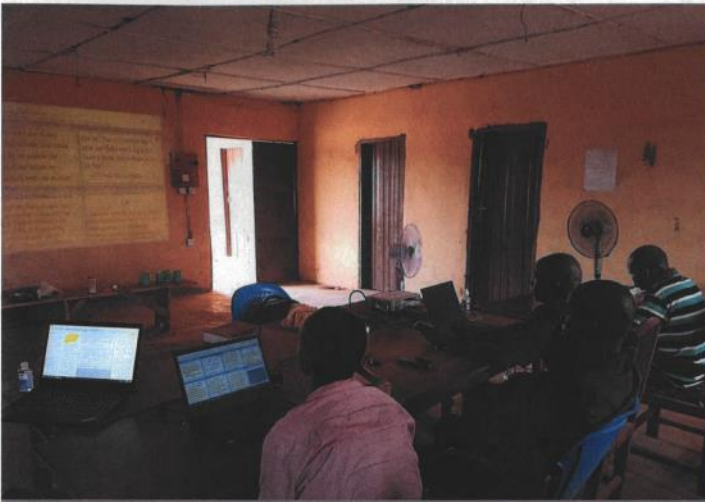
I have enjoyed watching women cook. I ask “Ba sɔɔ?” “What is this?” This helps me slowly learn new vocabulary. The community has adopted us, all looking out for us and becoming my teacher in both culture and language. I have learned basic greetings, how to say “thank you,” “pardon,” “water,” “I am riding my bicycle.” “He is at home.” “dog,” “sit,” “come,” “peanuts,” “What’s this?” “cassava,” “good/strong,” and “no.” I can understand a bit more but cannot yet speak it, for example: “Where are you going?” “husband,” more greetings, “You understand.” “You do not understand.” “name,” “corn,” and “okra.” It is a start to language learning.

I am also learning about the culture here. For example, I am learning how to appropriately dress for different situations, how to greet people from different social levels, and how to eat local food. I have been able to participate in many new activities. I enjoy going with Michael to the weekly market. One activity I enjoyed participating in was pounding a new dirt floor to make it a firmer surface. It is a woman’s task and I was excited to get to participate and learn alongside about 25 other women. We went from one side of a neighbor’s courtyard to the other, pounding. Water and cement were added, and the floor became firmer and firmer as we pounded.



Naomi enjoyed getting to join some women as they pounded a neighbor’s floor (above). She has been on many adventures around Gbintiri with her bicycle (below).





The translation team met for five full days to finish team proof-reading the draft of the minor prophets (above left). Michael was able to observe and learn as a new roof was put on a storage room on the mission grounds (above right).

Michael and the rest of the Komba translation team worked on proofreading the Komba text of Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi, and the beginning of Job. These books have been sent to people in the community to proofread and provide feedback concerning the translation. After their comments are reviewed by the translation team, these books will then be ready for consultant checking. We are currently waiting to consultant check the books of Kings, Chronicles, Hosea, Joel, Amos, and Obadiah. It has been a joy for Michael to introduce Naomi to the translation team, as well as many other friends and family in Komba land. We give thanks to God for the progress in the translation work.

Michael has also been busy overseeing some small to medium scale projects around the mission grounds. He needed to rig up some solutions to provide quick fixes for the water filter and a pipe in a bathroom sink. Some people came to replace a storage room's roof and to replace termite infested wood in a couple places in the mission house ceiling. A friend also came to removed bees from the ceiling of another building on the mission grounds. There is always something to do on the mission grounds!

Now, we look with excited eyes toward the farming season. We hope that we will be able to join friends and family in their fields as we plant, hoe, and harvest throughout the next six months. There is always much to learn, and life to live here: whether that is in the translation office, on the bicycle, in the house, or in the fields. We are so thankful God is always with us. He is also with you. May you rest in that comfort today.

Confident in Christ,
Michael and Naomi Ersland

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Prayer Requests

- Praise God for being able to start settling in to Gbintiri and for reconnecting/meeting with friends and family here
- Praise God for being able to finish team checking the minor prophets.
- Pray for us as we keep team checking.
- Pray for everyone here as the farming season begins. May God provide favorable weather for the fields.
- How may we pray for you? Please let us know so that we may be praying for you!



The Church Trustees are busy this summer...

- New furnaces in the lower level
- The Bell Tower renovation is complete
- New lights in the church sanctuary
- Parking Lot Light Poles painted at school
- Trees trimmed at church are among the many works being accomplished by just a few volunteers

If you have time to help around our church and school, usually on the weekends, but sometimes during the week, please see the Chairman of the Trustees, Randy Ball or Pastor Bob Geaschel for more information.

Thanks to the Board of Trustees for all that you are doing.



NID Life Task Force Life and Liberty Lecture

Save the Date - "Life, Family & The Real Meaning of Liberty [It's Not What You Might Think]"

DATE: Saturday, October 30, 2021, 8:30 a.m. registration program; 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. presentation, includes lunch

LOCATION: Bethany Lutheran Church, 1550 Modaff Rd, Naperville, IL 60565

Featured Speakers: Allan Carson and Katie Faust

Cost is \$25. Send registration to Kris Blackwell, 2917 Brentwood Ct., Woodridge IL, 60517.

For more information, contact Kris Blackwell at kbwrk123@gmail.com or 630-234-1491.

Registration deadline is Monday, October 25, 2021.



COVID Worship Update For Trinity Members

On June 11, all COVID Restrictions in Illinois are lifted, and that is a blessing for us. The Board of Elders met this week and the following new schedule will begin this month:

COMMON CUP - Beginning June 13 and every Sunday following, the Common Cup (Chalice) will be offered for those who desire to use it. Individual cups will always be available. The plastic communion cups that contain both bread and wine will be used at the afternoon services as well as the Monday evening service until our supplies are used.

AFTERNOON COMMUNION - afternoon communion will continue on most 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month: July 25 Holy Communion from 1:00 to 1:30 p.m. Please see weekly announcements for updates.

MASK RECOMMENDATIONS - Mask wear will be optional at all services, feel free to continue to wear a mask if you want. The Pastor and Elder will continue to wear a mask during Holy Communion distribution. The air system and ceiling fans will remain on during worship, and the UV air-cleaners under the balcony will remain.

SEATING - every other pew will continue to be restricted from use. We will continue social distancing through August and at the August Elders meeting this will be re-evaluated.

HYMNALS - Hymnals will return to the pews but the bulleting will print each hymn. Hymnal use is optional at this time.



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SUMMER OFFICE HOURS
Church Office Hours
Tues–Thurs 9am–3pm
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Tues–Thurs 9am–Noon

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July Birthdays

- 1 Embry Rediehs
Jacob Zoller
- 2 Lisa Cohen
Jill Deck
Bessie Kuske
Carolyn Wott
- 3 Shelley Metz
- 4 Mary Gannon
Emily Knutte
Terry Pauly
- 5 Scott Gasparas
Allyson Jimenez
Sydney Kibbon
Elaine Rall
- 6 Mark Kling
- 8 Aiden Hodor
Alyssa Keltz
John Kneller
Cyrus Young
- 9 Sheena Magnesen
Anthony Tiedt
- 10 Shayla Davis
Jonathan Kania
Lillian Whited
- 12 Jay Bulhuis
Tony Hruska Sr.
- 13 Jack Breuer
Jean Harris
- 13 Christian Merkouris
Kristin Orrick
Devinne Young
Mark Zoller
- 14 Nicholas Rossi
Nathan Winterroth
- 15 Michael Barrett
Mary Kania
- 16 Youyin Hung
Christian Lucas
David Sakoulos
- 17 Lawton Knappen-
burger
Kyle LaFlame
Emily Miller
Lukas Pallisard
Jennifer Sunnquist
- 19 Rick Joiner
Peter Sakoulos
- 20 David Gasparas
Ernest Howard
Ruth Kutz
- 21 Erik Joiner
Lukas Knutte
Bradley Reinhart

- 21 Katelyn Sojka
- 22 Rosemary Edwards
Judith Kurzeja
Matt Ulrich
- 23 Chris Azzarello
- 23 David Gartman
Cheryl LaFlame
Declan Sojka
- 24 Christine LaPorte
Keeley Mahoney
John Socha Jr.
- 25 Rosalyn Bond
- 26 Zachary Rothfahn
- 27 Bud Villarreal
- 28 Allen Gasparas
Jason Owen
Irma Stroede
Alex Vasquez
- 29 John Abernathy
Tyler Cindel
Carolynn Day
Joseph Kluge
Jessica Rodzen
Melanie Vasu-Nuñez
- 30 Lauren Brazel
Beverly Gehrt
Mason Kocek
Dan Lehenbauer
- 31 Adalynn DeWitt

August Birthdays

- 1 Mitchell Barnacle
Riley Barnacle
William Ramos
- 2 Michael Moreno
Marilyn Todd
- 3 Tatiana Murphy
- 4 Leann DeWitt
Howard Eggert
Lynn Hughes
- 5 Michael Fischer
Danielle LaPorte
Alice Messinger
- 6 Stephanie Gogolewski
Cindy McSweeney
- 8 Dani Eggert
Sabrina Garren
Christopher Gartman
Sheryl Gogolewski
Jaynia Schiller
Mark Schwoebel
- 9 Jute Camper
Isabella Stillo
- 10 Ryan Conoboy



- 10 Trisha Kulis
Tomas Malina
Natalie McCormick
- 12 Donna Halla
Scott Reinhart
Melanie Siler
- 13 Justin Gouty
Diane Lyall
- 14 Joseph DeWitt
- 15 Sean Martin
- 16 Jamie Collings
Trisha Stremski
- 17 Cassandra Lantz
Wendy Ulrich
- 18 Piper Lakics
- 19 Ruby Radosevic
- 20 Cayden Cook
Savannah Hawbaker
Shirley Kaminski
- 21 Janet Grimes
Rick Thorburn
- 22 Madison Fritschel
Dina Gnat
- 23 Jaden Rochkind
Amy Sojka
Pamela Winterroth
Karri Wunglueck
- 24 Kati Marwitz
Ryan Miller
Gene Weisbecker
- 25 Jim Wielebnicki
- 26 Nancy Beaudry
Damian Fritschel
Shawn Gartman
Steven Radtke
Eric Zoller
- 27 Dorothy Anderson
Laurie Kunst
Catherine Peters
- 28 John Wielebnicki
- 29 Suzanne Ackerman
Amy Hutcheson
Cliff Joiner
Mack Rediehs
Paul Satek
- 30 Chris Guerin
Phil Strieter
- 31 Donna Rekau



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Meeting areas: <i>(shown in parenthesis)</i> Ch = Church CR = School Conf. Room CL = Church Library TFH = Trinity Fellowship Hall	G = School Gym SA = School Art Room SK = School Kitchen CK = TFH Kitchen SL = School Library N = Narthex YR = Youth Room OP = Off Premises	Altar Guild: Lisa Haak Dorothy Supeter Nancy Alex Betty Rediehs	Ushers: 8:30 am – Group 10:45am – Group	1 6:30pm Praise Band (Ch)	2	3 8:30am Trustees
4 Independence Day 8:30am Worship HC 9:45am BC 11:00am Cont. Worship	5 6:30pm Worship HC	6 10:30am China Study (CL)	7	8 6:30pm Praise Band (Ch)	9	10 8:30am Trustees 10:00am Lee Marwitz Memorial Luncheon to follow (TFH)
11 St. Barnabas, Apostle 8:30am Worship 9:45am BC 11:00am Contemp. HC 12:30pm Irene Kutz Memorial 5:00pm Baptism	12 6:30pm Worship HC	13 10:30am China Study (CL)	14	15 12:00pm TORCH DEADLINE 6:30pm Praise Band (Ch) 6:30pm Stewardship (CL)	16	17 8:30am Trustees 3:00pm Feiler Wedding
18 St. Mark, Evangelist 8:30am Worship HC 9:45am BC 11:00am Cont. Worship 6:30pm Youth/Parent Mission Trip Mtg (CL)	19 6:30pm Worship HC	20 10:30am China Study (CL) 1:00pm Contemporary Worship Mtg(CR)	21	22 6:30 Praise Band (Ch)	23	24 The Nativity of St. John the Baptist 8:30am Trustees MISSION TRIP
25 8:30am Worship 9:45am BC 11:15am Contemp. HC 12:30am Baptism - <i>Cislo</i> 1-1:30pm Holy Communion	26 6:30pm Worship HC	27 10:30am China Study (CL)	28	29 St. Peter and St. Paul, Apostles	30	31
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8 St. Barnabas, Apostle 8:30am Worship 9:45am SS 11:00am Contemp HC 12:30-1pm Holy Communion	9 6:30pm Worship HC	10 10:30am China Study (CL)	11	12 6:30 Praise Band (Ch)	13	14 8:30am Trustees
15 St. Mary, Mother of our Lord 8:30am Worship HC 9:45am SS 11:00am Cont. Worship	16 6:30pm Worship HC	17 10:30am China Study (CL)	18	19 12:00pm TORCH DEADLINE 6:30 Praise Band (Ch) 6:30pm Stewardship (CL)	20	21 8:30am Trustees
Camp Luther Confirmation Trip						
22 Teacher Installation 8:30am Worship 11:00am Contemp. HC 12:30-1pm Holy Communion	23 6:30pm Worship HC	24 St. Bartholomew Apostle	25 First Day of School 8:15am Chapel (Ch) 11:30am <i>Dismissal</i>	26	27	28 8:30am Trustees
29 The Martyrdom of St. John the Baptist R. Geaschel 25 year Recognition 8:30am Worship 9:45am SS 11:00am Cont. Worship 7:00pm Youth/Parent Meeting	30 6:30pm Worship HC	31	Altar Guild: Lisa Haak Dorothy Supeter Nancy Alex Betty Rediehs	Ushers: 8:30 am – Group 10:45am – Group	Meeting areas: (shown in parenthesis) Ch = Church CR = School Conf. Room CL = Church Library TFH = Trinity Fellowship Hall	G = School Gym SK= School Kitchen CK = TFH Kitchen SL = School Library N = Narthex YR = Youth Room OP = Off Premises