

Trinty Lutheran Church

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September 2026

Upcoming Events

Tuesday Sept. 1st

2:00 p.m. TLF Council

Wednesday Sept. 2nd

6:30 p.m. Worship Warriors

Tuesday Sept. 8th

9:00 a.m. Quilting

Wednesday Sept 9th

7:00 p.m. BLDG. & GRNDS.

Sunday Sept. 13th

7:00 p.m. Leadership Council

Monday Sept. 14th

5:30 p.m. TLCD Meeting

Tuesday Sept. 15th

9:00 a.m. Meal Preparation

Wednesday Sept. 16th

9:30 a.m. Friendship Circle

6:30 p.m. Worship Warriors

Sunday Sept. 20th

11:30 a.m. Fellowship Meal

Monday Sept. 21st

5:30 p.m. Rebecca Circle

Tuesday Sept. 22nd

9:00 a.m. Quilting

Thursday Sept. 24th

9:00 a.m. Quilting

Wednesday Sept. 30th

6:00 Generations Unite

Monthly Events

12:10 p.m. Tuesdays

Bible Study in the Library

5:15 p.m. Wednesdays

KICKS

It Takes a Church



As we come off a wonderful Youth Sunday, I keep thinking about the incredible blessing it is to watch the next generation lead, serve, sing, read Scripture, and grow in their faith. But Youth Sunday is also a beautiful reminder that faith does not grow in isolation. It takes a church.

It takes people willing to teach a class, help with a meal, organize a game, listen to a teenager, pray for a child, or simply show up and let our young people know they matter. It takes people who may never stand in front of a classroom but are willing to encourage those who do. It takes grandparents in the faith who share their wisdom, parents who make faith a priority, volunteers who give their time, and a congregation that understands our children and youth belong to all of us.

Scripture reminds us in Deuteronomy 6:6–7: “These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. Impress them on your children.” Passing faith on to the next generation was never meant to be the job of one person. It is something God calls His people to do together.

As we begin another season of youth programming, there will be opportunities to serve, help, encourage, and pray. Maybe God is calling you to step into something new, not because you have all the answers, but simply because you are willing.

Food for Thought: Where might God be calling you to invest in the next generation? Take a moment this month to pray for our children, youth, parents, teachers, and volunteers, and ask God, “How can I be part of what You are doing?”

KITCHEN KREW: FRIENDSHIP MEALS

Join the Kitchen Krew on Tuesday, September 15, at 9:00 a.m. in the kitchen as we prepare Friendship Meals! This fun work morning is a simple and meaningful way to serve others. We will be preparing freezer meals that can be kept on hand and easily delivered whenever someone in our church or community could use a little extra care.

Donuts and coffee will be provided, and we will be finished before noon. Everyone is welcome to join us? The work is simple, the fellowship is fantastic, and the more the merrier!

The Friendship Meal ministry is available for all members of Trinity to participate in. If you know someone who could use a little kindness. A neighbor recovering from an illness or surgery, a family celebrating the arrival of a new baby, someone going through a difficult time, or simply someone who could use an easy, ready-to-cook meal, you can help by delivering a Friendship Meal. You don't have to prepare the meal yourself. That's where our Kitchen Krew comes in! By working together to prepare and stock these freezer meals, we make it possible for anyone in our congregation to reach out when a need arises.

It truly takes all of us to make an impact in our community and do God's work. Each small act of kindness is an opportunity to let someone know they are cared for and that their church family is thinking of them. This is more than just a meal, it is a simple way to show God's love, offer encouragement, and remind someone that they are not alone.

If you are unable to attend this workday, watch for future opportunities to help prepare Friendship Meals.

Questions? Please contact Krista Smith at 620-786-5959.

Women's Circle Resume

Our women's monthly Circle Groups will begin meeting again! These groups are a wonderful opportunity for women of Trinity to gather together for devotion, fellowship, and serving others.

We invite all women of Trinity to join us and become part of one of these meaningful groups. Whether you have attended for years or are joining for the first time, there is always a place for you!

Choose from Friendship Circle or Rebecca Circle, and come enjoy time together as we grow in faith and serve those around us.

Please see the church calendar for upcoming meeting dates and times.

"And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds." – Hebrews 10:24

Council Highlights

- We currently have four Communion volunteers. A couple more would be very helpful. Get in touch with Deanna if you are interested.
- The Annual Fall Congregational meeting has been scheduled for Sunday, October 25th after the 10:30AM service.

Treasurer's Report	
YTD	
<u>as of 07-31-26</u>	
Unified Budget Receipts	
Regular Offerings	172,054.33
Thrivent Choice Dollars	1,846.00
Other Revenue	1,659.26
Total Receipts	<u>175,559.59</u>
Expenditures through 07/31/2026	<u>159,781.77</u>
Over (Short) of Actual Expenses	<u><u>15,777.82</u></u>

What's Happening At Trinity

- ◆ Looking for more information? Please stop by the welcome table in the gathering area to find Trinity calendars, Council Minutes, upcoming events, and other helpful resources related to Trinity Lutheran Church.
- ◆ Join us on Sunday, September 20th for our monthly fellowship meal! Please bring a main dish, side or dessert to share.
- ◆ Worship Warriors kicks back off Wednesday, September 2nd! Join us as we begin a new study, Don't Give the Enemy a Seat at the Table. Come ready to grow in faith, strengthen one another, and discover how we can keep our focus on God in the midst of life's challenges. All are welcome—come join us for this new study and fellowship!
- ◆ We're excited to announce that Children's Church is back! Join us every Sunday during our 10:30 a.m. worship service for a special time designed just for our kids. Each week, children will have the opportunity to reflect on the Gospel lesson of the week and discover what God's Word means for them in their everyday lives.
- ◆ If you ordered portraits when having your picture taken for the church directory, they will be ready for pick-up beginning Monday, August 24th. Please stop by Portraits by Shane to pick up your portraits. Thank you!
- ◆ Generations Unite will be on September 30th! We will be playing card games. The meal will be served at 5:30 p.m. along with KICKS. Please bring a side or dessert to share. Join us for a night of fun, fellowship, and laughter!

Worship Warriors

Worship Warriors is kicking off a new study, Don't Give the Enemy a Seat at the Table by Pastor Louie Giglio. Using Psalm 23 as its foundation, this study explores what it means to let Jesus, our Good Shepherd, lead our hearts and minds. Together, we'll learn how to recognize and overcome the lies that can hold us back. We'll look at breaking free from shame, temptation, insecurity, and destructive patterns of thinking. The study also offers encouragement for finding peace and rest, even in difficult circumstances. Most importantly, we'll discover how to reclaim our thoughts and emotions by allowing Christ to guide us. Come join us as we learn to let the Shepherd lead the battle for our minds and hearts!

◆ ◆ Celebrating Our Wonderful Volunteers ◆ ◆

The Board of Worship warmly
invites everyone to

Volunteer Appreciation Dinner

Wednesday, September 2

5:30 p.m.

Fellowship Hall
Trinity Lutheran Church

It takes everyone to make Trinity Go!

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Sunday **Monday** **Tuesday** **Wednesday** **Thursday** **Friday** **Saturday**

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