



WEEKLY NEWS



NOTES

JULY 20, 2025

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WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

Homebound: Anne Cook, Greg Schroeder, Lynn & Karen Stuhlman

Military: Eric Bauer, John Becker, Evan Brenner, Julie Cluver, Jonathan Couture, Cole Going, Grant Going, Reece Going, Aaron Green, Justin Grell, Jesse Harrison, Cody Kollmeyer, Kori Lehenbauer, Kendrick Logan, Evangeline McKay, Cameron Sanford, Josh Suthoff, Colby Thomas, Tyler Thomas

College & church work students

Your prayer requests are welcomed and encouraged! Call the church office or email Denise at keithdenisez@gmail.com



Sunday, August 3

**after 9:30am service
in the Old Gym**

**Potluck meal with
fried chicken.**

Bring a Dish to Share!

A table will be available for gifts and cards.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

MAY 25 – AUG 17

SATURDAY – 6:00PM SUNDAY – 9:30AM

BIBLE STUDY/SUNDAY SCHOOL – SUNDAY – 8:30AM

ATTENDANCE & GIVING

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

6:00 pm: 103 9:30 am 259

Total: 362

*Please be sure
to fill out the
attendance pad.*

GENERAL OFFERING

Fiscal Year Jan-Dec 2025

Last Week FY Total

Actual \$13,291.90 \$481,699.76

Bal Budget \$18,407.28 \$515,403.76

Difference (\$5,115.38) (\$33,704.00)

*Online giving:
trinityjc.org/give*

2025 Budgeted Offering: \$925,000

Needed for a Balanced Budget:

\$957,178.41 (\$18,407.28/wk)

SERVANT SCHEDULE

	THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
6:00 PM	Deacon Jared Kesel Scott Homfeldt Nick LaBoube	Kyle Gretlein Ryan Brunner Rick Hardin
	Usher Team Carol Fischer	Tom Procter
	Acolyte Clare Skaggs Corbyn Bess	Elijah Helmig Corbyn Bess
9:30 AM	Deacon Joe Kollmeyer Randy Seidel	Matt Fife Ross Walquist
	Usher Team Todd Feters	David Knerschield
	Acolytes Naomee Doelling Ema Berger	Jesse Volmert Ethan Farris



WELCOME BACK

We look forward to keeping you posted while we are away and sharing our experiences with you on **Sunday, July 27th** during the 8:30 Bible Study hour in the Fellowship Hall.

WEEKLY EMAILS

If you are not receiving Pastor Powell's weekly emails, it is likely that your email provider is filtering the emails. There are a couple things you can do.

1. **Check your spam folder** to make sure it is not going there.
2. **Download the new church app.** All weekend updates are also posted in the app! <https://tithely.app.link/trinity-jc>

Trinity Lutheran Church App

- ✓ Access weekly updates
- ✓ Live streaming link
- ✓ Stay in-the-know!

download the app
Church App - Tithely

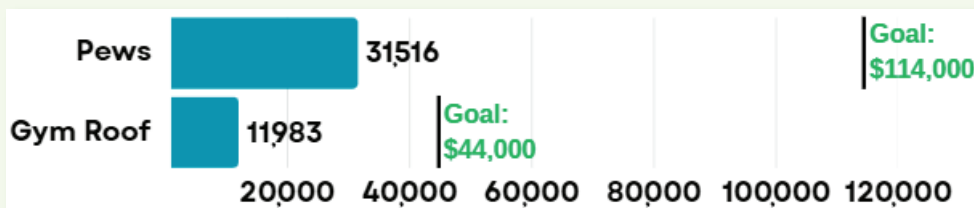
Available on the
Apple App Store
& Google Play

SUMMER 2025 CAPITAL GIVING

JUNE - AUGUST 2025

Thank you to everyone who has generously given to the summer capital giving campaign in June. As of June 30, we have raised nearly 25% of our goals. The fundraising efforts will continue into July and August. By designating gifts as "Building Fund" or "School Capital Improvements," you can help to maintain and improve the space God has richly blessed us with.

See the handout in the back of the sanctuary or trinityjc.org/capitalgiving for more information.



HAPPY DRIFTERS

Our July event will be at the Prairie Garden Trust on **Thursday, July 24**, 1:30-3:00 pm. Founders Henry and Lorna Domke started the Prairie Garden more than 30 years ago. We will meet at the upper parking lot at 11:45 am. A guide will give a presentation about the history of the Prairie Garden Trust and provide commentary on natural features along the way.

Please sign up on the church bulletin board. This is a free event. Before the Prairie Garden Trust visit we will eat lunch at Meadow Lake Acres Country Club from 12:00 -1:30.

Date: Thursday, July 24

Restaurant: 2600 Meadowlake Dr., New Bloomfield, MO

Tour: 8945 County Rd 431, New Bloomfield, MO

WORK DAYS

The Board of Trustees will be hosting a work day on **Saturday, August 2**. Work days are a great

opportunity to help with projects and small improvements needed in the church and school!

Sign up to help at signup.com/go/TLCTrustees.



POSITIONS AVAILABLE

As we look forward to the 2025-2026 school year, Trinity is seeking Christ-centered individuals to assist with the **Trinity After School Care Program**. After School Care is from 3:15-5:30 Monday through Friday. Scheduling is flexible in regards to the length of time per day and the number of days per week depending on the individual's schedule.

Resumes will be accepted until the positions are filled and may be submitted to Trinity Lutheran School at 812 Stadium Blvd., Jefferson City, MO 65109. For more information, please contact Jonathan Sprengel, Principal, at 573-636-7807 or jsprengel@trinityjc.org or Rachel Olivander, After School Care Director, at rachelelyse89@msn.com.

(Sign up is not required but helpful for planning projects.)

2025-2026 ENROLLMENT

If you or anyone you know are interested in Trinity Lutheran School, contact the school office at 636-7807. We would be happy to schedule a time for you to tour our school and learn more about what we have to offer! We are accepting enrollment applications for PK-8th grade.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

The school office will be open 8:00-1:00 Monday through Thursday this summer. If you need immediate assistance while the office is closed, please call the church office at 573-636-6750.

IMPORTANT DATES

- 7/28 TLS Golf Tournament
- 7/29 Back to School Registration 7:00-1:00
- 7/30 Back to School Registration 7:00-5:00
- 7/31 Back to School Registration 7:00-1:00
- 8/13 First Day of School | Dismissal @ 11:30am



RETREAT DONATIONS

Calvary's Summer Retreat is held at Heit's Point Lutheran Camp in July. It is a favorite for our students and staff. This event would not be possible without the generosity of MANY! One way to help is by donating necessary food items used to prepare meals. If you are interested in what items are needed, please contact Sam Ziegelbein at (573) 638-0228 or ziegelbeins@calvarylhs.org.

You may also go directly to the online sign-up at linktr.ee/calvarylhs.

OPEN TO ALL: *FREE* FAMILY GAME SHOW EVENT AT CALVARY

Come on out Monday, August 4, at 7 p.m. for an evening of entertainment and training for the whole family hosted by best-selling author, comedian and resilience expert, Chris "Shoof" Scheufele. Chris will teach simple, fun, laugh-out-loud, faith-based methods to help unite youth and parents, and help students achieve unbelievable growth in social skills, emotional regulation, and resilience! See how youth, parents & schools can work together to help build resilient students. Discover the various facets of student aggression and learn how to help youth squash conflicts instantly. Spread the word! <https://www.chrisintheclassroom.com/>

SAVE LIVES... GIVE BLOOD

Join us Tuesday, August 12 from 1:00-6:00 p.m. for the first blood drive of the school year! Appointments can be made online at redcross.org/give or call Calvary, (573) 638-0228.

JOIN THE CALVARY TEAM

Calvary is seeking mission-minded individuals to complete the team:

- Part-time Outreach Coordinator
- Teacher for one period of Algebra I for the 2025-2026 school year

Applications can be submitted to John Christman at administrator@calvarylhs.org

THRIVENT ACTION TEAM PROJECTS

If you are a Thrivent member and have 2025 Action Team Grants available, consider Calvary! We have MANY projects happening before school as well as some exciting events that happen in early fall that could benefit from your involvement and a \$250 seed money grant! Please contact John Christman at 573-638-0228 or administrator@calvarylhs.org if you would love to help Calvary in this way.

SAVE THE DATE

Aug. 4 Family Game Show Event, 7PM
Aug. 12 Calvary Blood Drive, 1-6PM
Aug. 13 First Day of School

CALVARY COMMITMENT

Trinity is one of 6 association churches that own Calvary Lutheran High School. Together with Trinity, Calvary provides the opportunity for a PreK-12 Lutheran school experience in mid-Missouri. Along with the other co-owner congregations, Trinity has committed to supporting Calvary financially with \$15 per communicant member per year. Please prayerfully consider contributing to this support with your offering envelope designated to Calvary or through online giving. Thank you for your support of Lutheran education!

LWML

Jefferson City Zone Retreat

Saturday, August 23, 2025, Starting at 9am
Faith Lutheran Church, Fellowship Hall
2027 Industrial Dr, Jefferson City, MO
Registration forms available in church office.



Colossians 3:15 And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful.

Summer is here and that means SOFTBALL!

The Trinity Lutheran men's softball team plays most Monday nights on Scott Field at the Binder Sports Complex. They compete against other churches in town in a fun and Christ-like environment. Come out to cheer them on! Contact Will Fife for rain out information or questions (573) 418-7622.

Trinity Lutheran Softball Team Game Schedule

Date	Time	vs
07/21	6:15pm	First Baptist
07/28	6:15pm	Hope City Church
08/04	7:15pm	Capital West
08/18	7:15pm	Bible Baptist



DAY OF GRACE

This year Day of Grace will be hosted here at Trinity on **Saturday, August 9, 2025**! Day of Grace is a service event that provides free backpacks and school supplies to students in our community who are struggling with financial hardship. Last year, we were able by God's grace to provide 200 backpacks. **This year, our goal is to provide 250+ backpacks.** Each backpack costs approximately \$45. We ask for your help to make this year's event a success. **There are a few ways that you may contribute.**

1. We ask for your **prayerful support** of our event's success.
2. You may choose to offer **your time** in support of the event. Volunteers for organizing supplies and packing backpacks on Friday evening, August 8, as well as assisting in set up, distributing backpacks, and take down the day of the event would be much appreciated. For interest in volunteering, please contact Emma Homfeldt via phone, text, or email at (573) 821-6776 or elhomfeldt@gmail.com.
3. **Monetary donations** would also be greatly appreciated. A collection box can be found on the table in the narthex, and checks can be made out to Trinity Lutheran Church with the memo line reading "Day of Grace." You can also give online by visiting trinityjc.org/give and selecting "Day of Grace" from the list of funds.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
DAY OF GRACE
SERVICE EVENT
Saturday, August 9

How can YOU help?

Cost of supplies for one backpack:
\$45

Backpack Goal:
250+

Scan to Give!

If you have need of backpacks and/or school supplies, we would love to help! For backpacks/school supplies requests, please contact Emma Homfeldt via phone, text, or email at (573) 821-6776 or elhomfeldt@gmail.com.

Thank you for your support in making this year's Day of Grace a success! By God's grace may we be of service to those in our community and in doing so point others to Jesus. To God be the glory!

PENTECOST VI

Affirming the sanctity of every life means more than just ending abortion or opposing physician-assisted suicide. Sometimes it includes Gospel hospitality that sits and listens to neighbors about the crosses they carry (Luke 10:39). Bringing about death to dismiss and silence suffering may feel like a human right, but sharing one another's sorrows represents the better portion (Luke 10:42).

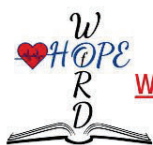
LIFE QUOTE

JULY 20

Sometimes the answer to a problem is as simple as asking for help. Let's not hesitate to bring all our questions, troubles, and needs to the Lord. Thank Him for the people He provides for our help. Pray that He will give you the opportunity today to be His help to others.

Daily Devotion, Redeemer Lutheran Church, Sister Lakes, Michigan

from Lutherans for Life
www.LutheransForLife.org



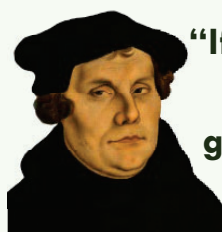
Hurting from Abortion?

Word of Hope can help!

word-of-hope.org; 888-217-8679.

Word of Hope brings the healing of God's grace and Christ's forgiveness to those who suffer guilt and grief over the abortion of their own children.

Reach out at word-of-hope.org or call deaconesses Chrissie Gillet and Janet Nicol (distinctively Lutheran, completely confidential, free-of-charge, and 24/7 - you can even text!) at 888-217-8679.



"If I should neglect prayer but a single day, I should lose a great deal of the fire of faith."

-Martin Luther

DAILY DEVOTIONS:

www.lhm.org/dailydevotions

www.lwml.org/todays-mustard-seed-devotion

www.higherthings.org/content/content-reflections

WEEKLY DEVOTIONS:

mo.lcms.org/tag/encourage

FAMILY DEVOTIONS:

lcms.org/family-devotions-calendar

OTHER RESOURCES:

www.lcms.org/prayforus

www.lutheransforlife.org/resources/life-thoughts

Lutheran Service Book pgs. 299-304 (Daily Lectionary)

MEMORY VERSE

THEREFORE, MY BELOVED
BROTHERS, BE STEADFAST,
IMMOVABLE, ALWAYS
ABOUNDING IN THE
WORK OF THE LORD,
KNOWING THAT IN THE LORD
YOUR LABOR IS NOT IN VAIN.

1 CORINTHIANS 15:58





Partnering in Prayer

*Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever.
To him who authors and perfects our faith, for His steadfast love endures forever.
Give thanks to the God of heaven, for His steadfast love endures forever. Amen*

July 20

- Give thanks for hotel workers, safety personnel, restaurant staff, and many others caring for the needs of the Gathering throughout the week.
- As we serve the city of New Orleans, pray for safety, good health, and the ability to be Christ's hands and feet to those in our midst.

July 21

- Through the work of the Holy Spirit, pray the words of session speakers inspire those who listen to build their lives with Christ.
- As we gather with the young people and adult leaders, pray that God would bless our time and their ministries.

July 22

- Give thanks for the hundreds of volunteers serving the Gathering and pray that through their words and actions, young people see God's hand in the story of all things.
- Pray for young people to find their place in the community of faith gathered and peace in knowing our God is in all things, no matter what.

July 23

- As we worship, pray for the Spirit to be at work, bringing unity and strengthened faith to all who are gathered that *ENDURE* we may bring glory to God's name.
- As we are sent, pray that our hearts will be filled with celebration, praise, and passion for sharing the truth of our Savior.
- Pray for safe travels as we return to our households.
- Pray for young people to take this experience home with them and to continue to live in worship of the One who ENDURES.

A Prayer for All

"We give thanks to God always for all of you, constantly mentioning you in our prayers, remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ."

1 Thessalonians 1:3

Thank you for your prayers as the Trinity & Immanuel team travels home from the LCMS Youth Gathering.

"Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God. Consider him who endured from sinners such hostility against himself, so that you may not grow weary or fainthearted." (Hebrews 12:1-3)

WORSHIP

Sun 8:30 am Bible Study **FH**
Sunday School **3R**
9:30 am DIVINE SERVICE
Sat 6:00 pm DIVINE SERVICE

WEEKLY

Sun 6:30 pm Jr Youth (6th-8th) **YR**
7:15 pm Sr Youth (HS) **YR**
Mon 8:00 am Quilters **Lobby**
Wed 9:30 am Lectionary Class **L**

MONTHLY

Mon 6:30 pm Evening Guild (1st Mon) **L**
Tue 1:30 pm Women's Auxiliary (2nd Tue) **FH**
6:00 pm Men's Club (2nd Tue) **L**
6:00 pm Missionary Society (2nd Tue) **FH**
Wed 11:30 am Widow Support Group (3rd Wed) **L**
Fri 7:00 pm Singles' Game Night (3rd Fri) **FH**
Sat 7:15 pm Social Game Night (1st Sat) **FH**

Church Meetings

Council	Boards	Voters
(6:30pm)	(6:30pm)	(7:00pm)
Jul 22	Aug 19	Oct 7

News Deadlines

Send to churchoffice@trinityjc.org

Weekly Bulletin	Newsletter
12pm, Wed	12pm, 22 nd of mo.

COMING UP

Next 2 weeks

Fri Jul 18 - Wed, Jul 23
National Youth Gathering
Sun Jul 27
8:30am NYG Presentation **FH**
Mon Jul 28
TLS Golf Tournament
Tue Jul 29 - Thu, Jul 31
TLS Back to School Registration Days
Sat Aug 2
9:00am Work Day at Trinity
7:00pm Social Game Night **FH**
Sun Aug 3
11:00am Reception for Pastor Powell

SAVE THE DATE

Next 2 months

Sat Aug 9
Day of Grace
Wed Aug 13
TLS First Day of School

Location Abbreviations

FH - Fellowship Hall **L** - Church Library
BR - Board Room **YR** - Youth Room

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Update your contact information at:
trinityjc.breezechms.com/form/MemberUpdate
or through your Breeze account.