



# WEEKLY NEWS



SEPTEMBER 21, 2025

# NOTES

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## 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

*Your prayer requests are welcomed and encouraged! Call the church office or email Denise at [keithdenisez@gmail.com](mailto:keithdenisez@gmail.com)*

## LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

6:00 pm: 143      8:00 am: 145  
10:30 am: 148      **Total: 436**

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

## GENERAL OFFERING

**Fiscal Year Jan-Dec 2025**

**Last Week      FY Total**

**Actual** \$13,240.52 \$654,736.19

**Bal Budget** \$18,407.28 \$662,661.98

**Difference** (5166.76) (10,481.49)

**2025 Budgeted Offering:** \$925,000

**Needed for a Balanced Budget:**

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

*Online giving:*  
[trinityjc.org/give](http://trinityjc.org/give)

## SERVANT SCHEDULE

Trinity Lutheran School is seeking Christ-centered individuals to assist with the After-School Care Program. After-School Care is from 3:15-5:30 Monday thru 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](mailto:jsprengel@trinityjc.org)

## GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Anyone dealing with grief is invited to attend the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday in the church library. Bring your lunch and join us!

Our next meeting will be September 17, 2025 at 11:30am

Questions?

Contact Charlene Earley @ 573-338-4079

		THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
6:00 PM	Deacon	Jay Wunderlich Ryan Dubberke Tom Proctor	Kyle Gretlein Nick LaBoube Rick Hardin
	Usher Team	Tom Proctor	Nate Roettgen
	Acolyte	Jake Angerer Khloe Peterson	Khloe Peterson Petra Sutcliffe
8:00 AM	Deacon	Jared Kesel Randy Seidel	Ryan Brunner Ross Walquist
	Usher Team	Stephen Johnson	Michael Johnson
	Acolytes	Kaylea Case Clare Skaggs	Devin LaBoube Emma Jones
10:30 AM	Deacon	Adam Frankenbach	Joe Kollmeyer
	Usher Team	David Knernschild	Kevin Bateman
	Acolytes	Petra Sutcliffe Clare Skaggs	Clare Skaggs Elijah Helmig

# SUMMER 2025 CAPITAL GIVING

JUNE - AUGUST 2025

This campaign has been extended to allow us to continue raising funds. Please consider helping us reach our goal.

Visit [trinityjc.org/capitalgiving](http://trinityjc.org/capitalgiving) for more information.

Pews: \$91,178.44/\$114,000 (79%)

Gym Roof: \$22,816.00/\$44,000 (51%)

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Mite Boxes: Everyone is welcome to participate in the gathering of Mites for Missions. The Big Mite Box will be displayed the first Sunday of every month for you to bring your mite box, empty it or grab a new one and then start filling a box. Boxes will be available next to the Big Mite Box. Any questions please feel free to contact **Danielle Rakow at 573-230-5654 or [rakowedtk@gmail.com](mailto:rakowedtk@gmail.com)**.

## EVENING GUILD

The Ladies Evening Guild next meeting will be held on **Monday, October 6, 2025**, in the Church Library. The Guild rummage sale is scheduled for **Saturday, October 4, 2025**. Setup will take place on Friday, October 3, and donations can be brought in starting at noon on Friday until 7 p.m.

## HAPPY DRIFTERS

Our October event will be in Eldon at Artistic Creations by Michael on Thursday, October 9 from 1-2pm. Michael's steel and aluminum custom metal sculptures are on display at Calvary Lutheran High School, Capital Region Medical center, and nearby at the round-about at Stadium Blvd and Jefferson St. We will be able to see the current projects he is working on as well as listen to his story. We will eat lunch before our tour at Whittle's Pub & Grill and also stop by Jo's Bakery. Both are located in downtown Eldon. Please sign up on bulletin board.

## GREETERS WANTED

We are currently organizing greeters for church services. Please email the elders if you are interested. [Elders@trinityjc.org](mailto:Elders@trinityjc.org)

## VOTERS MEETING

The next voters meeting will be on Tuesday, October 7, 2025 at 7:00. The agenda for the evening includes the election of officers and board members. The officer positions to be filled this year include: **Vice President and Treasurer**. The board openings include: **Elders, Trustees, Finance, Youth/Parish Education, Day School Board and Missions and Service**. If you are interested in serving as an officer or board member, please contact Adam Frankenbach, Pastor Powell or send an email to [congregation@trinityjc.org](mailto:congregation@trinityjc.org). **Please prayerfully consider how you could serve here at Trinity.**

## Missouri District Lutheran Laymen's League Convention, October 4, 2025

Join us for a day of spiritual growth with inspirational presentations to encourage and equip you to CONNECT with others in HIS mission. Please join us for the Missouri LLL District Convention on Saturday, October 4 at the Best Western Plus Capital Inn in Jefferson City. The keynote speaker is Polly Faszholtz Gregali, Community Facilitator, LLL.

The festivities for the day begin at 9:00am with the convention starting at 9:30am. Other presentations will focus on the Missouri State Fair Booth, Missouri LLL District Special Projects and new resources for LHM Ambassadors.

The registration fee is \$15.00 per person including lunch. Visit <https://lhm.org/mo-lll> to complete the simple online registration form and payment.

If you have any questions or need more information contact Brian Mitchell by phone at 816-525-6016 or visit the website at [mhttp://www.missouridistrictlll.org](http://www.missouridistrictlll.org).

Registration deadline is September 29, 2025.

## **LIGHTS-CAMERA-SMILE**

The Board of Elders has initiated the need for a new and updated church directory of all current members of Trinity Lutheran Church.

This new directory will include a photograph of all members and their families, church boards and committees. This project will be completed – internally-by a handful of faithful volunteers from Trinity Church for the purpose of saving the church thousands of dollars and eliminating the high-pressure salesperson trying to convince you to purchase a package of family portraits.

### **It's as easy as:**

1. Schedule a date for your photograph.
2. Complete a questionnaire for each photo to be included in the directory.
3. Attend a 10-minute photo shoot at church.
4. Smile for your picture.
5. Select one photo you would like to include in the new church directory.

It's that simple – After every member of Trinity Church has had an opportunity to participate in this photo shoot, a hardcopy directory will be offered to Trinity members at a nominal cost. Otherwise, electronic photographs will be offered through Trinity's BREEZE program, which is currently offered to all members. Pictures will be taken before and after church services, and selected Wednesday mornings after chapel and selected Wednesday evenings, from September 21 to October 29 in the church boardroom. There is a 10-minute interval between each setting.

### **Here's how it works:**

Visit [form.jotform.com/251634457626058](http://form.jotform.com/251634457626058) to update your family's information. This step is required before your picture can be taken.

If you would like to take your own photo, or have a recent photo you prefer to use, just fill out the questionnaire listed above and there will be an option to upload your picture (JPG format is preferred).

To schedule your directory photo appointment, go to:

<https://signup.com/go/TLCDirectory>

Everyone is encouraged to participate. Questions? Contact Janell Bernskoetter at (573)690-6375 or Jared Kesel through the church office at (573)635-6750.



# TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL

## IMPORTANT DATES

09/22-09/26 NWEA Assessments

09/22 School Pictures 8:15

09/24 See You at The Pole 7:30

10/02 No School-LEA Teacher Conference

10/03 No School-LEA Teacher Conference

10/07 KidSight Vision Screening(Pre-K & K only)

10/10 End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter

## CROSS COUNTRY THIS WEEK

09/24 St Joseph Westphalia XC Meet at Westphalia K of C Park 4:30(Boys run first)

## VOLLEYBALL THIS WEEK

09/25 Varsity at Christian Chapel Academy

09/25 JV vs St. Peter Saints at St. Peter JC 7:00

09/25 JV vs St. Thomas Eagles at St. Peter JC 8:00

09/27 5<sup>th</sup> Grade vs OLLIS Tigers Blue at TLS 8:00

09/27 5<sup>th</sup> Grade vs OLLIS Tigers Red at TLS 11:00

09/27 6<sup>th</sup> Grade vs St. Stanislaus Raiders at St. Peter JC 9:00

09/27 6<sup>th</sup> Grade vs St. Brendan Irish at St. Peter JC 10:00

## WEDNESDAY CHAPEL

We invite you to join us for chapel each Wednesday at 8:15. You can also join us online at [youtube.com/@trinitylutheranchurchschool1036](https://www.youtube.com/@trinitylutheranchurchschool1036).

Our chapel offerings for the 1st Quarter will be going to support future pastors and teachers through the Missouri District's "Tomorrow's Teachers and Preachers" initiative. This is a campaign that teaches just what our church workers do and then raises money to help pay for scholarships for new church workers. Over the next few weeks as we collect chapel offerings for "Tomorrow's Teachers & Preachers" the students will learn about some of those working across our state and how they came to be serving as God's hands and feet. So far this quarter, we have collected \$382.66 in our chapel offerings. May the Lord bless our giving!

## CAR SHOW & WINGS 'N THINGS

*hosted by Trinity Senior Youth*

**Sunday, October 19th @ 12 pm**

Show off your old car and enjoy some BBQ with a little competition for the twist.

BBQ teams and Car Show entries sign up to compete by October 12th with Sam Ziegelbein at [ziegelbeins@calvarylhs.org](mailto:ziegelbeins@calvarylhs.org).

*BBQ Competition Entry: \$50, includes meat*

*Wing Ding Tickets: \$15    Car Show Entry: Free*



## EVENING GUILD'S FALL RUMMAGE SALE

Our fall rummage sale will take place on  
**Saturday, October 4, 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

*Setup for the sale will be on*

*Friday, October 3, 2025.*

*We will accept donations on that day.*



## FALL Dinner Chair Meeting

**Tuesday, September 30, 6:00 pm in the Library.**

All chairpersons are strongly encouraged to attend: if you are unable to participate, please arrange a virtual call-in with Janelle at 573-690-3664. She would like the committees to participate in this first meeting.

## FALL DINNER LIVE AUCTION ITEMS:

Now is a great time to start on your personal donation of your talent and treasure for the dinner.

This year, a live auction will be held. If you are famous for your hobby, such as baking, creating Christmas items, cookies, woodworking, needlework, gardening, making wreaths, or crafting jellies, quilts, or other items, we would love to feature it in the auction. The only items we discourage are "rummage or garage sale items.

## FALL DINNER CHAIR PERSONS FOR 2025

Advertising Committee – Cory Esselman

Quilt Group – Cindy Rollins

Live Auction Committee – Kim Case

Greeter Committee – Elsa Horack

CarryOut Line – Geri & Terry Surface

Country Store – Velvet Meers

Beverage Committee – Linda Loesch

Ticket Table – Kurt Schlueter

Refrigerator Truck – Will Fife

Fry Shack Committee – Wunderlich boys

Desert Table Committee – Stephanie Moats

Youth Projects – Angie Brenner

Dining Room – pending

Dishwashing Committee – pending

Sign Committee – pending

If anyone is interested in chairing the Dining Room, Sign Committee, or Dishwashing Committee, please contact Janelle at 573-690-3664. All help is appreciated! Thank you to those who have already signed up!

**This is one of the largest church & school fundraisers, and it takes the entire village to make it the best. It's a good time had by all!**



# CALVARY LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

**CALVARY INSIDER** – How did the first month of school go?

- The Calvary Choir led chapel at Trinity, sharing joyful music and a message.
- Jake Schniepp, Program Director from Heit's Point, shared a chapel message from Colossians 1:17 on Wednesday.
- Thank you to everyone that helped make yesterday's Volleyball Tournament a success! Go Lions!

## **CALVARY HOME GAMES THIS WEEK!**

Show up! Be Loud! *#FeeltheRoar*

<b>Sept 22</b>	Soccer vs Liberty Christian 4:30 (Middle school night)
<b>Sept 25</b>	Baseball vs Crocker 4:30
<b>Sept 25</b>	Volleyball V, JV vs Russellville 5:00
<b>Sept 26</b>	Volleyball Vvs Chamois 6:00 (Senior Night)

## **LAST CALL FOR MUM CERTIFICATES!**

Certificates for mums can be purchased at the school office (573-638- 0228), or from a Calvary student. Certificates can be redeemed at Trinklein's Greenhouse now through September 27. The cost is \$12 each for a 9" Mum pot. Trinklein's is open Mon - Sat, 10 am - 4 pm, and they are located at 7518 Tanner Bridge Road, Jefferson City, MO. Funds raised will be used by Calvary students for their senior class gift toward

school improvement.

## **SURVIVE&THRIVE**

High school is a time of great anticipation and perhaps great anxiety. Calvary is here to help! As 8<sup>th</sup> graders look forward to high school, Calvary will equip them for the next step at Survive & Thrive – a half day event focused on high readiness as a redeemed child of God – to not only survive high school, but to thrive! If your 8<sup>th</sup> grader attends a school other than Trinity or Immanuel, contact John Christman for interest in attending this event 11:45-2:45 on Tuesday, October 7.

## **MIDDLE SCHOOL NIGHT AT CALVARY SOCCER**

Middle school students (5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>) are invited to attend the Calvary soccer game TOMORROW, Sept 22 at 4:30. 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders wearing a Calvary shirt or a shirt representing their current school will receive free admission. Come out, rep your school and cheer for the Lions!

## **APPLE ORDER**

Calvary will not have the annual Apple Sale fundraiser this year. Thank you to everyone that has purchased and helped make it happen in past years.

## **SAVE THE DATE**

Oct 7 Survive & Thrive (8<sup>th</sup> grade visit day)  
Oct 9-11 Fall Drama

## **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!





# Missouri District

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH — MISSOURI SYNOD

It's time to celebrate! Congregations throughout Missouri are praying for and supporting *Tomorrow's Teachers & Preachers* with a special offering. Funds collected will be added to the Missouri District Church Worker Student Aid Endowment. For more than 40 years, this endowment has been a blessing to college and seminary students from our state who are preparing for vocations within the church. To all of you who support this effort, thank you for your forward-thinking ways and caring for generations to come. It's truly an investment with an eternal impact!

**Trinity students heard from speakers from the district during chapel on September 17. Trinity Lutheran Church will be taking a door offering this weekend to support this campaign.**

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## CIRCUIT REFORMATION CHOIR

**Sunday, October 26 at 4:00pm**

Choir will sing during hymns and two choral anthems. Music will be provided.

Contact Kevin Zorena if interested in singing in the Mass Choir and confirm which practices you plan to attend [kzorena@trinityjc.org](mailto:kzorena@trinityjc.org) or [zorenak@calvarylhs.org](mailto:zorenak@calvarylhs.org)

Please attend at least two of the following practices:

- October 12, Sunday at 2:00pm
- October 16, Thursday at 8:00pm
- October 19, Sunday at 2:00pm
- October 20, Monday at 6:00pm
- October 23, Thursday at 8:00pm

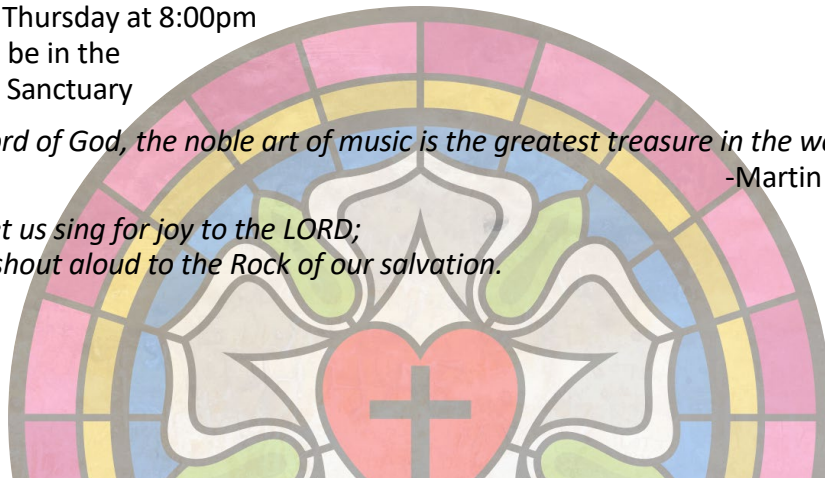
All practices will be in the  
Trinity Lutheran Sanctuary

*"Next to the Word of God, the noble art of music is the greatest treasure in the world"*

-Martin Luther

*Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD;  
let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.*

-Psalm 95:1





## WORSHIP

<b>Sun</b>	8:00 am	DIVINE SERVICE
	9:30 am	Bible Study <b>FH</b> Sunday School <b>Classrooms</b>
	10:30 am	DIVINE SERVICE
<b>Wed</b>	8:15 am	Chapel
<b>Sat</b>	6:00 pm	DIVINE SERVICE

## WEEKLY

<b>Sun</b>	6:30 pm	Jr Youth (6 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> ) <b>YR</b>
	7:15 pm	Sr Youth (HS) <b>YR</b>
<b>Mon</b>	8:00 am	Quilters <b>Lobby</b>
<b>Wed</b>	9:30 am	Lectionary Class <b>L</b>
	5:30 pm	Handbell Practice <b>Music Room</b>
<b>Thu</b>	7:00 pm	Choir Practice <b>Music Room</b>

## MONTHLY

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

## Church Meetings

<b>Boards</b>	<b>Council</b>	<b>Voters</b>
<b>(6:30pm)</b>	<b>(6:30pm)</b>	<b>(7:00pm)</b>
Sep 16	Sep 23	Oct 7

## News Deadlines

Send to [churchoffice@trinityjc.org](mailto:churchoffice@trinityjc.org)

<b>Weekly Bulletin</b>	<b>Newsletter</b>
12pm, Wed	12pm, 22 <sup>nd</sup> of mo.

## Location Abbreviations

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

## Stay in the Know

Update your contact information at  
[trinityjc.breezechms.com/form/MemberUpdate](http://trinityjc.breezechms.com/form/MemberUpdate) or through your  
Breeze account.

## COMING UP

## SAVE THE DATE

<b>Sun</b>	<b>Sept 28</b>	<b>Handbells @10:30am</b>
<b>Sun</b>	<b>Oct 12</b>	<b>Handbells @ 8:00am</b>
<b>Sat</b>	<b>Oct 4</b>	<b>Evening Guild Rummage Sale</b>
<b>Sun</b>	<b>Oct 19</b>	<b>Car Show &amp; Wings 'n Things</b>
<b>Sun</b>	<b>Oct 26</b>	<b>Circuit Reformation Service</b>

