



# WEEKLY NEWS



SEPTEMBER 28, 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)*

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)

## MEN'S CLUB

The Men's Club of Trinity Church would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for all your support during the 2025 BBQ Season. The sales of our barbecued pork steaks, brats, and ribs have allowed the Club to donate a significant portion of our new revenues back to the church, the school, and Calvary High School for essential projects and improvements. Thank you once again to everyone who has directly or indirectly supported the Men's Club throughout 2025!

## LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

6:00 pm: 117      8:00 am: 122  
10:30 am: 143      **Total: 382**

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

## GENERAL OFFERING

### Fiscal Year Jan-Dec 2025

	Last Week	FY Total
<b>Actual</b>	\$21,278.15	\$676,014.34
<b>Bal Budget</b>	\$18,407.28	\$662,661.98

**Difference** (2,870.87) (13,352.36)

**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

	THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
6:00 PM	<b>Deacon</b> Kyle Gretlein Nick LaBoube Rick Hardin	Rick Hardin Jon Sprengel Nate Roettgen
	<b>Usher Team</b> Nate Roettgen	Rick Hardin
	<b>Acolyte</b> Khloe Peterson Petra Sutcliffe	Ilse Combs Sofia Frates
8:00 AM	<b>Deacon</b> Ryan Brunner Ross Walquist	Ryan Brunner Cody Seidel
	<b>Usher Team</b> Michael Johnson	Ross Walquist
	<b>Acolytes</b> Devin LaBoube Emma Jones	Devin LaBoube Henry Voss
10:30 AM	<b>Deacon</b> Joe Kollmeyer	Joe Kollmeyer
	<b>Usher Team</b> Kevin Bateman	Will Fife
	<b>Acolytes</b> Clare Skaggs Elijah Helmig	Emerson Powell Olivia Peters

# 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: \$93,943.37/\$114,000 (82%)

Gym Roof: \$25,580.93/\$44,000 (58%)

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The next Missionary Society meeting will be on October 14<sup>th</sup> in the Fellowship Hall starting at 6:00pm. All women are welcome to join us for a short meeting and a Bible Study for the evening. The Bible Study is entitled "Stones to Remind Us to Celebrate". We will also be collecting **Mites 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). There is a **Zone Rally on Oct 25, 2025**, at Christ the King at the Lake of the Ozarks. All are welcome. Registration is at 8am and the program starting at 9:00am The theme is "Kind words are like honey sweet to the soul and healthy for the body", Proverbs 16:24. There will be an ingathering for "Next Step Bags" for Central Missouri Foster Care and Adoption Association.

## WOMENS AUXILIARY

We will hold our monthly meeting on Tuesday, October 14, 2025 at 1:30PM in the Fellowship Hall. Mite Box offerings will be collected at the sign-in table. Remember, October is our bakeless bake sale. The 2025 Fall Rally will be held at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 1700 Bagnell Dam Blvd, Lake Ozark MO on Saturday, October 25, 2025. RSVP by 10-11-2025 to Marla Miller at 573-723-2105 via text. Registration of \$5 starts at 8:00am with breakfast at 8:30am. For more information, contact Judy Bangert at 573-635-1131.

## 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.

Date: Thursday October 9

Location: Whittles Pub and Grill 108 S. Maple St, Eldon Mo

Tour Location: 111 Vanosdole Ave. Eldon MO

## 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 Faszholz 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://mhttp://www.missouridistrictlll.org). Registration deadline is September 29, 2025.

**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.**

**GRIEF SUPPORT**

The Grief Support group will meet at 11:30 in the church library.  
Bring your lunch and join us! Questions contact Charlene Earley 573-338-4079

**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](https://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.



## IMPORTANT DATES

10/02 No School-LEA Teacher Conference  
10/03 No School-LEA Teacher Conference  
10/06 - 10/10 Tiger Tracks 2 Excellence  
10/07 KidSight Vision Screening(Pre-K & K only)  
10/10 End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter  
10/13 Fire Safety Trailer for K & 1st Grade

## CROSS COUNTRY THIS WEEK

10/01 St. Martin Cross Country Meet at Binder Park 4:30 (Girls run first)  
10/04 Trinity Lutheran Cross Country Meet at Binder Lake 11:00 (Boys run first)

## VOLLEYBALL THIS WEEK

09/29 Varsity vs High Point at TLS 6:00  
10/04 5th Grade vs Immanuel Lutheran Blue Jays at Immanuel Lutheran 9:00  
10/04 5th Grade vs St. Joseph Westphalia Bulldogs at Immanuel Lutheran 10:00  
10/04 6th Grade vs St. Peter Saints Blue at St. Peter JC 8:00  
10/04 6th Grade vs OLLIS Tigers Red 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://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!

## Nominations for October Voters Meeting Ballot (October 7)

Vice President	Adam Frankenbach
Treasurer	Doug Young
Board of Elders	Ross Walquist
Board of Elders	Jason Lae
Trustee	Randy Seidel
Youth and Parish ED	Kim Case
Finance	Cindy Rollins
Day School	Ty Morris
	Chris Fehr
	Mark Kollmeyer
Missions and Service	Amanda Peters

## 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.

Chocolate provided!

## 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 – David Hein

2nds Committee – Judy Hein

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** – What happened this past week at Calvary?

- The Calvary Choir led chapel at Immanuel, sharing joyful music and a message.
- Students joined together for See You At The Pole before chapel on Wednesday.
- Pastor Prill shared a message on the power of prayer from Philippians 4:6.
- Freshmen and sophomores participated in CDFY's baseline training on Thursday, aiming to increase awareness of the impact alcohol and other drugs can have on students, families, and the community.
- Friday's Volleyball Senior Night recognized the hard work and leadership from Lily Foutes over the past four years.

## CALVARY HOME GAMES THIS WEEK!

**Show up! Be Loud! #FeeltheRoar**

<b>Sept 29</b>	Baseball vs Dixon 5:00pm
<b>Sept 30</b>	Soccer vs LaMonte 4:30pm
<b>Sept 30</b>	Baseball vs Tuscumbia 5:30pm
<b>Oct 2</b>	Baseball vs St. Elizabeth 5:00pm
<b>Oct 3</b>	Soccer vs Rolla Royals 4:30
<b>Oct 4</b>	Calvary Cross Country Meet, Binder Park, 9:30am

## FALL DRAMA AHOY!

The Calvary Drama department has all hands on deck to set sail! Join us, Mateys, on October 10<sup>th</sup> at 7pm and Oct 11at 6pm for ***Treasure Island***, adapted from Robert Louis Stevenson's classic novel by Dan Neidermyer.

## ATTENTION 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS

Ever feel like you're saying words but they're not getting through? Communication is a key survival skill for high school. Collaboration is a skill that will ensure that you thrive! At Survive and Thrive, you will learn about both in preparation for high school. This half-day event hosted by Calvary will focus on equipping you for the next step! As 8<sup>th</sup> graders look forward to high school, Calvary will equip them for the next step at Survive and Thrive – a half-day event focused on high school 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.

## FALL BREAK

The office will not be open on Thursday, October 2 and Friday, October 3. There will be no school to allow teachers to attend the LEA Convocation.

## SAVE THE DATE

Oct 7	Survive & Thrive (8 <sup>th</sup> grade visit day)
Oct 10-11	Fall Drama ( <i>Treasure Island</i> )
	Fri 7pm Sat 6pm
Oct 27	Open House, 7:00pm

## 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!



# TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL WINTER COAT DRIVE

**OCTOBER 5 – NOVEMBER 9**

We kindly ask for your donations of new or gently used winter jackets.

All sizes for all ages are welcome!

Winter coats will be distributed free of charge to the community on November 16<sup>th</sup> from 2 – 4 pm in the church annex. Any remaining jackets will be donated to the salvation army hope shelter.

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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

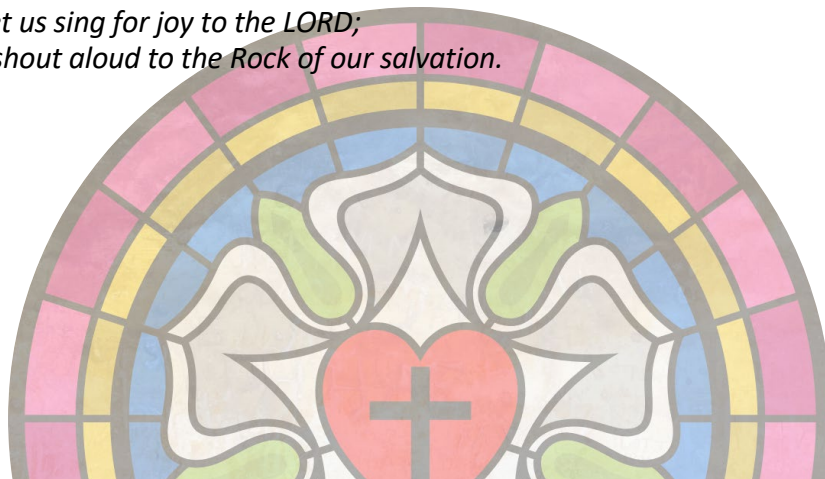
All practices will be in the  
Trinity Lutheran Sanctuary

*"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> (6:30pm)	<b>Council</b> (6:30pm)	<b>Voters</b> (7:00pm) Oct 7
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## News Deadlines

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

<b>Weekly Bulletin</b> 12pm, Wed	<b>Newsletter</b> 12pm, 22 <sup>nd</sup> of mo.
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## 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>	Evening Guild Rummage Sale
<b>Sun</b>	<b>Oct 19</b>	Car Show & Wings 'n Things
<b>Sun</b>	<b>Oct 26</b>	Circuit Reformation Service 4:00pm

