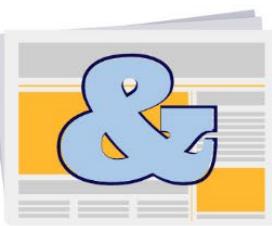




WEEKLY NEWS

803 Swifts Hwy, Jefferson City, MO 65109



JANUARY 11, 2026

NOTES

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WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

Homebound:

Anne Cook, Greg Schroeder, Lynn 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, Cameron Sanford, Josh Suthoff, Colby Thomas, Tyler Thomas

Hospital:

Elmer Mohr

Call the church office or email keithdenisez@gmail.com

ATTENDANCE

Last Weekend

6:00 PM:	114	8:00 AM:	132
10:30 AM:	139	Total:	385

NEW YEARS EVE ATTENDANCE

75

EPIPHANY SERVICE ATTENDANCE

56

Please be sure to fill out the attendance pad.

OFFERING

GENERAL OFFERING – Jan-Jun 2026

Fiscal Year 2026	Give online at trinityjc.org/give-now .	
Last Week	FY Total	
Actual	\$19,249.34	\$19,249.34

Final Giving for 2025: \$924,995.20

2025 Budgeted Offering: \$925,000

FLOWERS & BULLETINS

If you would like to sponsor bulletins (suggested donation is \$50) or provide altar flowers for a weekend, sign up on the board in the hallway.

SERVANT SCHEDULE

	THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
6:00 PM	Deacon	Jay Wunderlich
		Scott Homfeldt
		Ty Morris
8:00 AM	Usher Team	Tom Proctor
		Nate Roettgen
	Acolyte	Sophia Frates
10:30 AM		Jake Angerer
	Deacon	Ryan Brunner
		Mike Doggett
	Usher Team	Stephen Johnson
		Michael Johnson
	Acolytes	Kaylea Case
		Emma Jones
	Deacon	Sarah Kesel
		Adam Frankenbach
	Usher Team	David Knernschild
		Kevin Bateman
	Acolytes	Serenity Johnson
		Ryan Boos



Men, join us in a program committed to reclaiming the ancient Christian discipline of fasting, prayer, and brotherhood. Momento70 is a Lenten discipline and discipleship produced by LCMS contributors. The backbone of this program is a local small fellowship of men who walk side by side speaking truth, sharing burdens, confessing failure, and rejoicing in God's grace.

Please consider joining us in an informational meeting on **Sunday, January 18th**, in the church library, to discuss forming a group at Trinity. Check out www.memento70.com for more information. If you have any questions contact Faron Bartens or Andrew Wachter.



IMPORTANT DATES

01/16-01/17 Trinity Lutheran Boys Basketball Tournament
01/22 Show-Me Players for 3rd-5th Grade 10:15
01/25 Open House 1:00-2:30
01/29-01/31 Trinity Lutheran School Archery Tournament
01/30 11:30 Dismissal Day for Professional Development
01/30 3rd Quarter Mid-Term

WEDNESDAY CHAPEL

We invite you to join us for chapel each Wednesday at 8:15. You can also join us online at <https://www.youtube.com/@trinitylutheranchurchschoo1036>.

OPEN HOUSE

Trinity Lutheran School will be hosting a monthly Open House for prospective students. The dates for the Open House include:

Sunday, January 25, 2026 1:00-2:30
Monday, February 23, 2026 5:30-7:00
Tuesday, March 24, 2026 5:30-7:00

The Open House is for students going into grades PK-8 for the 2026-2027 school year. Please help us spread the word!

BASKETBALL THIS WEEK

1/15 Varsity Girls vs St. Peters Saints at St. Martin 7:00
1/15 JV Boys vs St. Martin Jaguars at St. Martin 6:00
1/16-1/17 Varsity Boys Trinity Tournament
1/17 5th Grade Girls vs St. Joseph Spartans at St. Joseph JC 10:00
1/17 5th Grade Boys vs St. Martin Jaguars at St. Martin 9:00
1/17 5th Grade Boys vs OLLIS Tigers Red at St. Martin 11:00

ARCHERY THIS WEEK

01/15-01/17 Calvary Lutheran High School Tournament



CALVARY INSIDER – What happened at Calvary after returning from break?

- On Monday, students and their families met with teachers for Parent Teacher Conferences to share the wins of 1st semester and plan for 2nd semester.
- Wednesday Chapel was led by Pastor Pierce. He shared a message on Baptism and our identity in Christ.
- Following chapel, 11 alumni from the past four graduating classes spoke with current students about college experiences and entering the work force.
- Our Lady Lions played hard in the 14th annual basketball tournament! Go Lions!

MIDDLE SCHOOL NIGHT at CALVARY BASKETBALL: Middle school students (grades 5-8) are invited to attend the Calvary varsity basketball games Tuesday, Feb 3rd beginning at 6 PM. 5th-8th 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!

DISCOVER CALVARY DAY! – The Calvary Student ambassadors are looking forward to a Visit Day event on February 5th! This day is intended for 7th grade students to discover the advantages of a Lutheran high school education and the many opportunities available at Calvary. If you know a 7th grader (or 8th grader that has not attended before) who would benefit from knowing more about the Calvary experience, contact John Christman at 573-638-0228 for more information.

CALVARY BLOOD DRIVE – Mark your calendars for the next Calvary blood drive on Tuesday, February 23, from 1-6 PM in the Café at Calvary Lutheran High School. Please consider donating to help save a life!

SAVE THE DATE: BENEFIT GOLF TOURNAMENT – Calvary's 22nd Annual Benefit Golf Tournament will be Friday, May 29th at Tanglewood Golf Course in Fulton. Flights will begin at 7:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Start putting your team together now for a fun day supporting students at Calvary Lutheran High School! Planning for this event begins THIS WEEK. If you are interested in helping to prepare for this event, contact John Christman at 573-638-0228 to learn more.

UPCOMING EVENTS –

Jan. 15-17	Calvary Archery Tournament
Jan 30	Homecoming Basketball Games, 6PM
Feb. 3	Middle School Night at Calvary Basketball Games
Feb. 5	Discover Calvary Day (7 th Grade Visit Day)
Feb. 6-7	Calvary Boys Basketball Tournament
Feb 20-21	Winter One Act Performances

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!

HAPPY DRIFTERS

We will start off the new year with game day in the fellowship hall. Date will be January 27, 2026 at 1:00. All senior members of our congregation are invited. There are no dues, all are welcome. Each month we plan something special. Get to know fellow members of our congregation and enjoy our many outings which are educational as well as fun.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Welcome to all Women of Trinity. Our next meeting will be January 13, 2026 in the Fellowship Hall starting at 6pm. We will have a short meeting, collect Mites, and then a Bible Study. We will also start planning for our Spring Rally for the Jefferson City Zone being held at Trinity. A District (state of Missouri) convention will be in Cape Girardeau in June 2026 – more information will be forthcoming. Any questions please feel free to contact Danielle Rakow, 573-230-5654, or rakowedtk@gmail.com

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

Our monthly meeting will be Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at 1:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Mite Box offerings will be collected at the sign-in table. We welcome all women of the congregation to join us in Christian fellowship. For more information, contact Judy Bangert at 573-635-1131.

CANDYBAR FUND RAISER

Sr Youth are selling World Famous Chocolate Bars for \$1.00 each. All proceeds will go toward our Youth Gathering 2028 in San Antonio. Thank you for your continued support of this event!

LADIES EVENING GUILD

The Guild met for their monthly meeting on Monday, January 5, 2026. Eight members attended the meeting. Our next meeting will be held on Monday, February 2, in the church library.

The Evening Guild will hold their annual chili and vegetable soup meal on Sunday, February 8, 2026, in the school cafeteria. Serving hours will be from 10:30am until 1pm. Menu will consist of vegetable soup, chili, hotdogs and chili dogs, pies, cupcakes and brownies. Each item will be priced separately. **PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND PLAN TO ATTEND.**

A spring rummage sale was discussed. Dates will be checked to see what is available. Dates are also being checked when the Guild can serve their Lenten meal between services.

The meeting adjourned with the Lord's Prayer.

2026 Trinity Lutheran Church & School Leadership

Corporate Officers, Church Council, Boards and Committees

E=Elected *A=Appointed*

President - David Schlichtmann (E)
Vice-President - Adam Frankenbach (E)
Secretary - Jennifer Farris (E)
Treasurer - Doug Young (E)

Board of Elders

Ryan Brunner (E)
Ross Walquist (E)
Jason Lale (E)
Joe Holzschuh (E)
Joe Kollmeyer (E)
Jared Kesel (E)
Jay Wunderlich (E)
Kyle Gretlein (E)

Board of Trustees

Randy Seidel (E)
Michael Doggett (A)
Andy Wachter (E)
Sheila Rustemeyer (A)
Matt Dougan (A)
Clifford Sutcliffe (A)

Board of Youth & Parish Education

Danielle Rakow (E)
Kim Case (E)
Karla Voss (A)
Thomas Senter (A)
John Kleindienst (A)
Angie Brenner, DCE

School Board

Marc Kollmeyer (E)
Nicholas LaBoube (E)
Chris Fehr (E)
Kerri Gates (E)
Ty Morris (E)
Sarah Jones (Faith Rep)

Board Finance

Scott Homfeldt (A)
Cindy Rollins (E)
Terry Beck (A)
Kara Kleindienst (A)
Grace Allen (A)

Board for Missions and Service

Corey Esselman (A)
Amanda Peters (E)
Kim Forney (A)
Judy Hein (E)
Rik Combs (A)

Endowment Committee

Grace Allen-Finance Board Representative
Jennifer Johnson
Ron Loesch
David Schlichtmann

Personnel & Compensation Committee

Lois Kollmeyer

CLHS Board of Directors

Brandon Ruediger-Board Representative
Jon Schnitzler-At Large

CLHS Delegates

Jared Kesel
Todd Rakow
Andy Wachter

Ministry Clarity Team

Mrs. Angie Brenner
Mr. Adam Frankenbach
Mr. Jared Kesel
Mr. Nick LaBoube
Mrs. Ellen Sandhaus
Mr. Dave Schlichtmann
Mr. Jon Sprengel
Pastor Powell

Need some face time with other moms?
Load up the kiddos and join us for a low-fuss

MOM Social Group

First Wednesday of each month beginning

**Wednesday, February 4
@ 9:15**

Trinity Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall





OPEN HOUSE

812 Stadium Blvd, Jefferson City, MO
(573) 636-7807

Pre-Kindergarten - 8th Grade

SUN
JAN 25
1:00-2:30pm

MON
FEB 23
5:30-7:00pm

TUE
MAR 24
5:30-7:00pm

Why are parents
choosing Trinity for their
child's school?

- Quality academics
- Faith-based education
- Safe and loving environment
- and much more!

Come see what makes
the difference.

If you can't make it to an open
house, we would love to visit with
you another time. Call the school
office at 573-636-7807.



Teaching



Learning



Caring



Serving



Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it. Proverbs 22:6

PUZZLE FUNDRAISER COMPETITION

**SUNDAY,
JANUARY 11, 2026**

**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
FELLOWSHIP HALL**

Registration fees and donations will benefit
youth attending the 2028 National Youth Gathering.

Prizes for
first to complete
corners, edges,
and the entire puzzle.

\$50 registration fee
(or additional donation)
per team

Register in teams of
up to 4 people (any age)
Kid teams welcome!

Pasta lunch served at 12:00
Puzzle competition begins at 12:45

Register at
trinityjc.breezechms.com/form/Puzzle2026

CAPITAL GIVING

BUILDING FUND
GIFTS GO TOWARD
EXTERIOR UPDATES

SCHOOL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT
GIFTS GO TOWARD
A WALK-IN FREEZER FOR THE
SCHOOL KITCHEN

www.trinityjc.org/capitalgiving

FALL & WINTER 2025-2026



Building Fund: Exterior Updates – Total project estimated cost - \$20,000

School Capital Improvements: Walk-In Freezer – Cost estimates including installation are approximately \$30,000 (\$15,600 is needed to fund this project)

STAND FIRM

Building Foundations On The Rock

-Matthew 7:24

SRYOUTH

TRINITY LUTHERAN YOUTH GROUP

Sr Youth Lock In on January 2nd –What does it mean to serve?

During the night we will participate in service projects, have some food, fun and fellowship. The Lock In starts January 2nd at 9pm and ends January 3rd at 7am.

The Christmas Decorating Crew Needs You! Trinity Youth and Families are encouraged to help the congregation take down decorations on Sunday, January 11th after the 10:30 service. Hope to see you all there!

Candy Bar Fundraiser – Sr Youth are selling World Famous Chocolate Bars for \$1.00 each. All proceeds will go toward our Youth Gathering 2028 in San Antonio. Thank you for your continued support of this event!

Roller Skating Outing – Dig out your glow in the dark, skate pom poms, and lace up your skates! We're heading to the Sk8 Zone on Sunday, January 18th. We will have snacks and drinks for our group. Please bring \$5 to go toward the cost of admission, skate rental and snacks. Please let Angie know if you and your family plan to go.

Youth District Retreat – The Missouri District Lutheran High retreat returns on April 17th – 19th at Cross Pointe Retreat Center – Lake Ozark! The featured presenter is AJ Vega and the Featured Guest is Remedy Drive. If your youth is interested in going, please look in the Band App for your registration form and turn in by January 12th.

Puzzle FUNdraiser Competition – The Senior youth are hosting a fun afternoon of friendly Puzzle Competition on Sunday, January 11, 2026. The cost is \$50 Per team of 4. Light lunch is served at 12:00 and Puzzle competition begins at 12:45. There will be prizes for first to complete 4 corners, edges, entire puzzle, and other great things throughout the afternoon. Sr Youth can sign up for your work spot at: [Puzzle Work Schedule](#).

JRYOUTH

SWAT

Serve Worship And Trust

I can do all things through him who gives me strength
-Philippians 4:13

Word for Today

"And a voice from heaven said, 'This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased'. " — Matthew 3:17

Scripture Snacks

"And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of a father's only son, full of grace and truth. — John 1:14

May grace and peace be yours through God our Creator and the Lord Jesus Christ" -1 Corinthians 1:3

"May the light of Christ shine on you and be your strength and salvation. - Psalm 27:1

January Calendar

2	Sr Youth Lock In(9:00 pm)
4	Jr Youth (6:30pm)
11	Puzzle Competition (12:00 pm)
18	Sk8 Zone (2 – 4pm)
25	Jr Youth (6:30 pm) Sr Youth (7:15 pm)

Meal Train Link

www.mealtrain.com/trains/711nwm

Contact for More Information

Angie Brenner

Director of Christian Education



TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

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WEBSITE  trinityjc.org

FACEBOOK  facebook.com/trinitylutheranjc

CHURCH CALENDAR

Coming Up

Church Directory

- ❖ The production of our Church Member Directory is undergoing the final touches!
- ❖ Stay tuned for more information soon!

Worship

Sun	8:00 am	DIVINE SERVICE
	9:30 am	Bible Study & Sunday School Classrooms
	10:30 am	DIVINE SERVICE
Wed	8:15 am	School Chapel
Sat	6:00 pm	DIVINE SERVICE

Weekly

Sun	6:30 pm	Jr Youth (6 th -8 th) YR
	7:15 pm	Sr Youth (HS) YR
Mon	8:00 am	Quilters Lobby
Wed	9:30 am	Lectionary Class L
	5:30 pm	Handbells Sanctuary
Thu	7:00 pm	Choir Music Rm

Monthly

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

Church Meetings

Council (6:30pm)	Boards (6:30pm)	Voters (7:00pm)
1/27	1/20	2/3

News Deadlines

Send to churchoffice@trinityjc.org
Weekly Bulletin **Newsletter**
12pm, Wed 12pm, 22nd of mo.

Location Abbreviations

FH-Fellowship Hall **L**-Church Library **YR**-Youth Rm

Stay in the Know!

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