

**Ton of Food Event-** Come to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Ton of Food Event, on Sept 11<sup>th</sup> from 11am-3pm at O’Hauser Park in Neenah. Your ticket is a bag of groceries. Food collected will be given to the FV Emergency Shelter & the Harbor House. The church that brings in the most food from their Youth Ministry Program will receive \$200. To help us prepare please sign-up in the Narthex.

**Information Sheets-** to help advertise the German Dinner are available on the spinner in the Narthex. Please take some to help promote (place at work or business, etc) Thank you! -German Dinner planning committee

**Fall Gathering in Reedsburg-**The theme is *God’s Gifted Seniors—Yesterday & Today*. Held at the Voyageur Inn, 200 Viking Dr, Reedsburg. Registration is \$50 for the day (9:30am-4pm). Breaks & lunch are included. If you have questions, call Peg Raabe (414-464-8101). Deadline is September 22<sup>nd</sup>. Special rates of \$59/night are available at the Voyageur Inn (800-444-4493).

**Packer Game Workers-** Please see the sign up board in the Narthex if you would like to help work Packer games to raise funds or for more details.

### **Our Sunday School**

Our new Sunday School year kicks off with Rally Day next Sunday. Please see insert for more details along with registration forms.

**Centershot Training Event-** Basic Archery Instructor Workshop is scheduled for Aug 28<sup>th</sup> here at Trinity. This workshop will focus on training needed to become certified as a basic archery instructor. If there is anyone interested in this training, please contact Mark & Carla Kislewski; Coordinators at (920) 982-3207 or [archery4christians@yahoo.com](mailto:archery4christians@yahoo.com)

**Teachers & Helpers Needed-** for our 2010-11 Sunday School program. If you have any questions please contact Michael Stapleton or Brad Borgen.

### **Our Youth Group**

**Back To School Event-** for all 6<sup>th</sup> thru 12<sup>th</sup> graders on Wed, Sept 29<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. Food, Fellowship & special guest “Not By Chance” will perform. Mark your calendar now! For more information contact Mike Stapleton at 722-2662.

**Confirmation Classes Have Begun-** The 1<sup>st</sup> year class meets in the SFH with Mr. Manteufel. The 2<sup>nd</sup> year class meets in room #333 with Mr. Stapleton. The 3<sup>rd</sup> year class meets in the Meeting Room of the Narthex with Pastor Billings.

### **Our Day School**

**No School-** Monday, Sept 6<sup>th</sup> due to Labor Day!

**School Families Fun Night & Orientation-** on Thurs, Sept 9<sup>th</sup> at 5pm. All parents & students are to attend for fun, games, food & school information!

**Wear Your NFL Gear-** to school on Friday, Sept 10<sup>th</sup>.



## **September 4 & 5, 2010-Weekly Bulletin**

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Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church & School, Menasha in the name of our Risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. A special invitation is extended to all who are visiting to return and worship with us again. If you are looking for a church home, please inquire about the mission and ministry of Trinity Lutheran Church & School by calling the Church office.

Weekly Bulletin and Order of Worship can be viewed online at [www.trinitymenasha.com](http://www.trinitymenasha.com)

### **† Serving Our Lord This Weekend†**

**Acolyte-** Kayla Olsen  
**Ushers-** 5:00 Kopitske  
9:00 Wray/Sexmith  
**Lector-** 5:00 Juliet Colby  
9:00 Bart Nielsen  
**Communion Assistants-**  
5:00 Harrmann/Buksyk  
9:00 Becker/Flater  
**Greeters-** 5:00 Carl Riske  
9:00 JoAnn Schultz

### **† Serving Our Lord Next Weekend†**

**Acolyte-** Jake Fulcer  
**Ushers-** 5:00 Buksyk  
9:00 Pomerence  
**Lector-** 5:00 Brian Wendler  
9:00 Doug Pomerence  
**Communion Assistants-**  
5:00 Harrmann/Henkel  
9:00 Becker/Reinke  
**Greeters-** 5:00 Cheryl Wendler  
9:00 Barb Sexmith

**September Elders-** 5:00 Tom Harrmann

9:00 Mark Becker

**Organist-** Nancy Lephart

**Choir Director-** Michael Peitsch

**Altar Flowers Have Been Given-** by Tim & Laurel Wirth in celebration of their 30<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

**Prayer Chain Coordinator-** Barbara Kester 722-3228 or [barbarakester@att.net](mailto:barbarakester@att.net)

**Parish Nurse-** Mary Howden 730-9521 or [mchowden@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mchowden@sbcglobal.net)

**Attendance Last Weekend-** 100 (Sat) + 176 (Sun) = 276

12 Disciples: No Report

Pastor’s Class: 24

SS/Youth: No Report

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, September 5<sup>th</sup>

7 am Youth Servant Event  
9 am Worship  
10:30 am Education Hour

### Monday, September 6<sup>th</sup>

*Labor Day-Offices Closed!*  
No School

### Tuesday, September 7<sup>th</sup>

6:30 pm Board Meetings

### Wednesday, September 8<sup>th</sup>

6 am Women's Bible Study  
8:45 am Chapel  
10:30 am Adult Catechism  
4:30 pm Confirmation  
7pm Choir

### Thursday, September 9<sup>th</sup>

6 am Men's Bible Study  
5 pm School Fun Night-Orientation

### Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup>

6 am Men's Bible Study  
Wear your NFL gear to School!

### Saturday, September 11<sup>th</sup>

9am Food Pantry  
5 pm Worship

### Sunday, September 12<sup>th</sup> -Rally Day

9 am Worship  
Scrip Order Date  
10:30 am Education Hour

## Pastor's Notes †

Philemon 1-21: Since Philemon was indebted to Paul, he could have ordered him to do the right thing and treat his runaway slave like a brother, but Paul wanted Philemon to do the right thing from his own free will. Likewise, we are indebted to God for all the blessings He has showered upon us; God could demand that we give freely of our time, abilities and financial resources, but He loves cheerful givers!

**Weekly Bulletins, Orders of Worship & Monthly Newsletters**  
Can be viewed on our website [www.trinitymenasha.com](http://www.trinitymenasha.com) or pick up your copy of each at church. A recorded copy on CD of worship can also be checked out through the office. See what is new & improved on the website & please don't forget to register! **Registering will give you access to church & school calendars as well as updates to the church directory. Check it out today!!!**

**Weekly Finances \$\$**  
(As of Sunday, August 23, 2010)

Trinity Income: \$14,151

Trinity Expenses: \$4,600

**Members & Guests.....please don't forget to sign the pew pads!**

## News, Events, Requests, Etc.

**PLEASE TURN OFF OR SILENCE ALL CELL PHONES AND PAGERS!**

**Mail Boxes-** Don't forget to check yours weekly.

**Scrip Order Dates-** Watch Weekly Calendar for Scrip order dates!

**2011 Pictorial Directory-** Pictures will be taken the end of Oct-beginning of Nov. More information as well as scheduling your appointment to come!

**Trouble Hearing the Service?-** We have easy to use hearing assisted devices to help improve your worship experience. We have 2 units in the Narthex, please ask an usher. If you have questions contact Elaine Weinig (470-9090).

**Life Quotes from Lutherans for Life-** "We cannot rely on worldly institutions to fight our battles for us. Christians have been called to be hope and light to a fallen generation; so let's speak God's truth in love and care for the most vulnerable in our churches and society. May God bless our efforts to really make a difference!" -Diane Schroeder, president of Lutherans for Life.

**Fox Cities Marathon on Sun, Sept 19<sup>th</sup>-** may affect your coming to or leaving from worship. Broad Street is on the race route this year. Please be patient & please watch for runners during your commute!

**It's Choir Time-** Gallery Choir rehearsals begin this Wed, Sept 8<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. If you would like to join us please call Mike Peitsch at 733-2118.

**Bowlers Unite!-** Would you be interested in joining a church bowling league? Anyone 18 & older, male or female, professional or novice. Bi-weekly, possibly a Sun evening, for fellowship & fun. If interested sign up in the Narthex or contact Liz Kamprath at 734-3039.

**Blessings of Holy Baptism-** during the 5:00 service for Katelyn Ann Schaefer daughter of Bradley Schaefer & Jody (Daniels) Schaefer. Sponsors are: Todd Brennan & Cheryl Daniels.

**A Special Thank You-** to Brian Wendler & Gary Brodtke for resurrecting the flag pole for the school. It looks wonderful! Thank you to everyone that gave any kind of time or money to the refurbishing of the pole. Please take a moment to check out the improvements. For more information on this project read the whole story on the Board of Properties "Opportunities to Serve" board in the Narthex. And be sure to thank the people involved.

**Cleaning Fellowship Teams-** It is time to implement the Cleaning Fellowship Teams to help keep our Church & School a clean & safe place for our families to worship & for our children to learn & grow in the Lord. Please consider signing up on the "Opportunities to Serve" board in the Narthex. An organizational meeting will be held Sept. 16<sup>th</sup>.