

Our Sunday School

On this All Saints' Day, the story of "Jonah" serves as the focus of our lesson. Just as Jonah was swallowed up in the belly of the fish for three days, so Jesus, in His crucifixion, was baptized into the sea of death, drowned in our depravities, devoured by the grave, and spewed forth alive again after three days and nights that He might save us, the Assyrians, the Ninevites, and Jonah. *What does God do when sinful people repent?"*

Our Mission Project This Quarter- for Sunday school is for the Children's Orphanage in Haiti. Please have your child bring his/her offerings each week to give to those less fortunate. We have collected \$46.87 to date.

Traveling Trophy- for the highest class attendance last Sunday was the 1st & 2nd graders with 75%.

Christmas Program- for Sunday School will be Dec 20th at 10:30am. Children have begun to practice the songs, please help your child. Practices: Sat, Dec. 5th (9-10am for 3rd-6th grades only), Dec. 12th (9-10am for all grades then 11-Noon for 3rd-6th grade), Dec 19th (9-10:30am) dress rehearsal for all grades.

Our Youth Group

Youth Information- Peace Lutheran, Neenah will host a "Senior High Lock-In" Nov 6th & 7th from 7pm-7am. Students from Concordia Univ, Mequon are coming to spend the evening. There is NO COST, except each person attending should bring a bag of candy & liter of soda to share. Permission slips can be picked up in the office or contact Anne Wilson at Peace (725-0510) or Mike Stapleton (722-2662 x 416) for more information.

National Youth Gathering 2010- Fundraisers are in full swing! Please check out the Youth table in the Narthex to see how you can help our Youth program.

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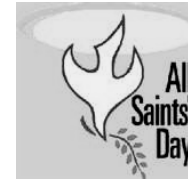
Chili's Fundraiser- Going on now thru Nov 30th with all proceeds going to the Scholarship Fund. See the insert page for more information.

Check It Out- Trinity's website has been updated! Please log on to www.trinitymenasha.com to register & check out what's new. Read about the faculty & staff & get the latest forms for Scrip as well as view calendars & upcoming events for the school & church.

No School- On Mon, Nov 2nd & Tues, Nov 3rd due to a Teacher's Conference.

Market Day Pick Up- is Thurs, Nov 12th at 3:15pm. Get your orders in now!

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



Oct 31 & Nov 1, 2009-Weekly Bulletin

(920) 722-2662 phone

Rev. Steven S. Billings, Pastor

Michael Stapleton, DCE

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.

† Serving Our Lord This Weekend †

Acolyte- Carrington White

Ushers- 5:00 Kopitske

9:00 Wray/Sexmith

Lector- 5:00 Laurel Wirth

9:00 Larry Olsen

Communion Assistants-

5:00 Manteufel/Drum

9:00 Kislewski/Henkel

Greeters- 5:00 Judy Watkins

9:00 JoAnn Gehrt

† Serving Our Lord Next Weekend †

Acolyte- Kayla Olsen

Ushers- 5:00 Buksyk

9:00 Pomerence

Lector- 5:00 Lee Zachek

9:00 Deb Bartelme

Communion Assistants-

5:00 Kraus/Harrmann

9:00 Kislewski/Franklin

Greeters- 5:00 Ron & Bev Voster

9:00 JoAnn Schultz

Elders of the Month- 5:00 Alan Manteufel 9:00 Howard Kislewski

Organist- Nancy Lephart

Choir Director- Michael Peitsch

Altar Flowers Have Been Given- to the Glory of God by the Altar Guild.

Prayer Chain Coordinator- Barbara Kester 722-3228 or barbarakester@att.net

Parish Nurse- Mary Howden 730-9521 or mchowden@sbcglobal.net

Attendance Last Weekend- 95 (Sat) + 155 (Sun) = 250

Corinthians Class: 7 Pastor's Class: 34 Sunday school/Youth: 29

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, November 1st –All Saints Day

9 am Worship
Scrip Order Date
10:30 am Education Hour
40/70 Speaker

Monday, November 2nd

Pastor's Day Off

Teachers Conference-No School
9 am Men's Maintenance Meeting
6:30 pm Scouts

Tuesday, November 3rd

Teachers Conference-No School
6:30 pm Board Meetings

Wednesday, November 4th

6 am Women's Bible Study
10:30 am Adult Catechism
4:30 pm Confirmation Classes
7 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, November 5th

6 am Men's Bible Study

Friday, November 6th

6 am Men's Bible Study

Saturday, November 7th

5 pm Worship
BP checks

Sunday, November 8th

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

Pastor's Notes †

Pastor Billings is on campus 6 days a week, maintaining the hours Tues-Thurs from 8:00am–4:00pm. He is also available Fridays & Saturdays by appointment. If you would like to contact him, please call the church office. In an emergency he can be reached at (920) 385-8170.

Attention- due to concerns over the Swine Flu (H1N1 virus) the sharing of peace has been omitted from the services until further notice.

Weekly Bulletins, Orders of

Worship & Monthly Newsletters

Can be viewed on our website 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!!!**

Year to Date Finances \$\$

General Fund as of 10/25/09-

Offerings: \$447,916
Expenses: \$497,693

Building Fund as of 10/25/09-

Offerings: \$92,019
Expenses: \$115,440

News, Events, Requests, Etc.

Scrip Order Dates- Nov 1st, 8th, 15th & 29th

Please Turn Off and Silence- ALL cell phones and pagers during worship!



New Member Reception/Potluck- is being held on Sun, Nov 22nd at 11:30 am for all who have transferred their membership here to Trinity. Please come join us in welcoming them!

Food Pantry- Every 2nd & 4th Saturday at 9am. Any donations of canned, non-perishable foods are greatly appreciated, please put your donation in the barrel by the mailboxes. Thank you for your continued support of our food pantry ministry. -The Guileys & Boettcher's.

Packer Game Workers Needed- for all home games to help raise money for our Day School, sign up in the Narthex-please help support the school today!

The TnT (Twenties 'n Thirties) Group- Fall Retreat is being held at Camp Luther on Nov. 6th – 8th. Cost is \$25 pp (food included). Singles, couples & families are welcome to join us! If you are interested, please contact Stephanie Cannon at 257-7890 or stephanie.divinebovine@gmail.com by Monday November 2nd. We are also accepting donations of vacuum cleaners, double bed frames, mattress & box springs & heavy duty plastic porch furniture.

Come See The "Rythmettes" Perform- on Wed, Nov 11th at 10am. They are a group of retired ladies & gentlemen led by Pastor Ruge & includes our very own Char Elliott. They love to dance to the old-time music of their day. This event is open to all parents of day school kids & the congregation.



Church Mailbox Re-alphabetizing in Progress- please be patient as the church mailboxes undergo a much-needed update. You may find that your mailbox is gone-do not panic!! If any urgent correspondence is needed for a member, please contact the church office.

A Special Thank You to the Fox Valley Flute Ensemble- for their beautiful music this Sunday. Members are: Diana Zeller, Carlarae Van Grinsven, Laurel Marchinowski, Rasma Rozite, Rebekah Dorn, Sandra Doepker, Eileen Thomas.

John Schlitt Concert Here!- Friday, Nov 13th at 7pm with our own Pastor Billings as the opening act. Please see posters throughout the Church & School for more information. Bring your friends & neighbors!

Please see insert(s) for more things happening here at Trinity!