



The Weekly Bulletin
Trinity Lutheran Church & School
 300 Broad Street, Menasha, Wisconsin
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Day of Pentecost-8th Grade Graduation

May 30 & 31, 2009

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Reverend Steven S. Billings, Pastor

Reverend Harley L. Kopitske, Visitation Pastor

Mr. Michael R. Stapleton, DCE

Welcome to Trinity Lutheran, Menasha!

In the name of the LORD our God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. A special invitation is extended to all who are visiting to return and worship with us again next weekend. If you are looking for a church home, please inquire about the mission and ministry of Trinity Lutheran Church & School.

Our Mission Statement:

Trinity, Menasha is a fellowship of Lutheran Christians being empowered by the Holy Spirit through the Word of God and His Sacraments to encourage, refresh, and strengthen both adults and children in the redemptive work of Jesus Christ, while sharing His love with those who do not know their Lord and Savior.

~Serving Our Lord~

Presiding Minister: Rev. Steven S. Billings

Assisting Minister: Michael R. Stapleton, DCE

Acolyte: Arianna Wendler

Ushers: 5:00 Voigt, 9:00 Diesch/Maynard

Organist: Mrs. Nancy Lephart

Lector: 5:00 Lee Zachek, 9:00 Bart Nielsen

Comm. Assistants: 5:00 Manteufel/Becker/Voigt
9:00 Nielsen/Kroes

Elders of the Month: 5:00 Al Manteufel/Mark Becker
9:00 Bart Nielsen

Greeters: 5:00 Rita Adamovich, 9:00 Bob & Karon Flater

Special Music: "Praise & Thanksgiving" a flute ensemble played by Meredith Wilson, Katelyn Lohr & Maralyse Bedroske. "Fix Our Eyes on Jesus" sung by Jenny Mulvey & Meredith Wilson.

The Red Geraniums: have been given by congregation members in celebration of Pentecost-see insert

Attendance Last Weekend:

Worship: 97 (Sat) + 143 (Sun) = 240

Corinthians Class: No Class Adult Class: No Class

Sunday School: No Classes Youth: No Classes

Pastor Billings: is on campus six days a week, maintaining office hours Tues thru Thurs from 8:00am-4:00pm. He is also available Fridays & Saturdays by appointment. If you would like to contact him, please call the office at (920) 722-2662 x419. In an emergency he may be reached on his cell phone at (920) 385-8170.

Prayer Chain Coordinator: for Trinity Lutheran Church is Mrs. Barbara Kester 722-3228 or barbarakester@att.net

Parish Nurse: for Trinity Lutheran Church is Ms. Mary Howden 730-9521 or mchowden@sbcglobal.net

Daily Devotions:

Monday: Num. 22:1-20 Tuesday: Num. 22:21-23:3

Wednesday: Num. 23:4-28 Thursday: Num. 24:1-25

Friday: Num. 27:12-23

~This Week at Trinity~

Sunday, May 31st -Day of Pentecost



9 AM Worship
8th Grade Graduation
Reception to follow

Monday, June 1st

9 Am Men's Mtc Meeting
6 Pm Men's Softball @ Southview West

Tuesday, June 2nd

5:30 PM Kindergarten Graduation
6:30 PM Board Meetings

Wednesday, June 3rd -Last Day of School

6 AM Women's Bible Study
9:15 AM Closing Chapel with Awards
10:30 AM Adult Catechism
11:30 Dismissal



Thursday, June 4th

6 AM Men's Bible Study

Friday, June 5th

6 AM Men's Bible Study

Saturday, June 6th

8 AM End of Year School Cleaning
5 PM Worship

Sunday, June 7th - Holy Trinity



9 AM Worship
Baccalaureate Sunday

The summer hours for the Church Office are as follows: Monday through Thursday, 8am-Noon beginning June 8th and ending August 28th.

- **SCRIP NEWS:** Order date-June 7th & 21st
- **MONTHLY NEWSLETTERS:** can be viewed on our website at www.trinitymenasha.com or pick up your copy in the Narthex. Check out what's new!!!!
- **DID YOU KNOW:** the Lutheran Hour Ministry campaign (last Feb) has already met its \$100,000 matching grant? So far, the campaign has raised more than \$112,000 toward the goal of \$150,000. Thank you, Trinity members, for your participation! Learn more about Lutheran Hour Ministries at www.lhm.org.
- **DONATE A TREE OR SHRUB:** If you would like to make a donation of a tree or shrub for future landscaping on the church property, please contact the church office. Thank you! - The Board of Properties
- **FOOD PANTRY IS IN NEED OF:** liquid laundry soap, bar soap, toilet paper, paper towels, & personal care items...toothpaste, toothbrush, etc. We also still need ground venison. If there is anyone from the congregation that needs the pantry, contact The Guiley's or The Boettcher's.
- **EUROPEAN REFORMATION TOUR & PASSION PLAY:** Informational presentation regarding the 2010 performance being held at: St. Paul's Church, Bonduel, WI. Please see the posters on the bulletin board for more information.
- **THRIVENT NIGHT AT THE TIMBER RATTLERS:** Thurs, July 23rd. Tickets are \$8 pp. ORDER YOUR TICKETS NOW. Call 733-4152 for the ticket office & mention "Thrivent Member" code. Contact Anthony info at anthony.snyder@thrivent.com
- **A REMINDER TO ALL CLEANING TEAMS:** we will have the end of school year facility cleaning on Sat, June 6th at 8 am. If anyone would like to join the teams, please feel free to come and help us. Thank You! -Merry Voigt
- **THE LUTHERAN WITNESS MAGAZINE:** if you are not already subscribed to the magazine but are interested in receiving, please contact the Church Office or drop your payment in the offering. Cost is \$15.00/year.
- **TRINITY'S RUMMAGE SALE:** is scheduled for Thurs June 18th, 19th & 20th (8-4). Please call the School or Church Office to drop off items. Helpers needed!
- **PLANT SALE:** June 18th -21st for the Pipe Organ refurbishing. Bring outdoor & indoor plants to the area by the gym (Door #5) starting Sun, June 14th. Label what they are & growing instructions. If you have pots, please bring along for customers. Questions, contact Elaine at 470-9090.
- **ATTENTION ALL LADIES:** Quilt making for World Relief will take place on Tues, June 16th starting at 9am. Come for as long or as short of a time as you can. **You don't need to know how to sew!** Contact Elaine with questions 725-0153.
- **FOR SALE:** Six (6) cemetery lots, located at Green Lawn Memorial Park Cemetery, Neenah. Contact: Bill Buksyk at (920) 725-9571 for more information.
- **SATURDAY JUNE 6th:** is spring cleaning & planting day. All volunteer cleaning team members are scheduled for this last weekend. Anyone is welcome to come & help with inside cleaning of the church & school or outside flower planting & preparation for the shrubs & trees for new landscaping. Many hands make light work. 9:00am until ???.
- **HELP IS NEEDED:** for volunteers to bake cookies & bars for the June 6th Brat Fry & Bake Sale being held at The Maynard's, W4908 Spring Hill Drive, Sherwood. Please bring your donation to the Church by June 4th.
- **NEEDED:** for Church & School facilities, any brand of roll paper towels and Scott brand toilet paper. Thank you!

~SUNDAY SCHOOL~

Have a blessed summer-see you in the fall!

SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSION PROJECT: for this year has been "Mission Haiti." They have raised **\$346.00**. We pray the Lord will bless these gifts to be used to help those less fortunate and to give them hope love and strength each day and to know that Jesus loves them too!

NO SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL: due to not having any teachers. There will still be adult bible studies- 1 in the LFH & 1 in the school library. Please watch for information on Rally Day 2009 when the fall classes are to begin.

~YOUTH MINISTRY~

TRINITY BRAT FRY AT PIGGLY WIGGLY: in Menasha being held May 29th & 30th from 9am-5pm. Men's Maintenance to host on Fri & the Youth will host on Sat. Come on out-enjoy some food & support Trinity!

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL: We have NO Teachers, for the summer program. There will be 1 adult bible study offered in the LFH and 1 bible class in the school library. Please watch for information on Rally Day 2009 in the fall. Have a Christ-centered summer!!

~OUR DAY SCHOOL~

SEEKING A SCHOOL COOK: for the 2009-2010 school year. This is a part-time (Mon-Fri, 9am-1pm) position. Prior experience helpful but not necessary. If you have questions or for a complete job description, please contact the school office or Mike Stapleton at 725-1715.

SCHOOL PICNIC & YEARBOOK SIGNING: on Monday, June 1st at 11:30am.

CLOSING CHAPEL: at 9:15 am with Pastor Billings leading. Please come join us!

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL: on Wed, June 3rd. Dismissal at 11:30am. Have a Safe & God-filled summer!

✠ PASTOR'S NOTES ✠

Please join us in the Small Fellowship Hall today as we honor our 8th Grade Graduates!

~TRINITY FINANCES ~

GENERAL FUND as of 5/24/09:

Offerings YTD: \$223,415

Expenses YTD: \$253,126

BUILDING FUND as of 5/24/09:

Offerings YTD: \$51,129

Expenses YTD: \$57,835

A TREASURER'S REPORT IS PUBLISHED MONTHLY IN THE NEWSLETTER.

~NEXT WEEKEND ~

Ushers: 5:00 Harrmann
9:00 Reinke/Weinig

Acolytes: 9:00 Kirstin Franklin

Theme: "Impossible Things" *John 3:1-17*