

**Making the most of your volunteer efforts**-Want to make more of a difference in our congregation? One of Thrivent's programs is Care in Congregations®, which provides funding support for volunteer & fundraising activities that benefit Lutheran congregations. To receive funding: 1)Form a congregational service team to identify a need in our congregation. 2)Determine a volunteer or fundraising activity to meet the need. 3)Submit an online funding request to one of our Thrivent Financial congregational coordinators: Ruth Bartelme, Laverne Werth & Delores Wright. To learn more about how Thrivent Financial can help, contact Al Davies (277-4645) or Landon Wiese (850-0238) today!

**Annual Ladies Retreat**- in Pembine, WI Sept 11<sup>th</sup> -13<sup>th</sup>. Brochure & registration forms are located in the Narthex or call Connie Henkel (725-0694). Guest speaker will be Rhea Briscoe. The food is great-the fellowship is wonderful!!

### **Our Sunday School**

Please have your child meet in the Conference room for class. Pastor's class to meet in LFH. Centershot program being held in gym.

### **Our Youth Group**

Sun, Aug 9<sup>th</sup> Trinity Youth along with Peace Youth will be serving breakfast at the Emergency Shelter in Appleton. Sign-up sheet located in Narthex. Need to know by TODAY if you plan on helping with this event!

### **Our Day School**

**Pre-Enrollment for 2009-2010**- Registration for new & returning students will be held Thurs, Aug 20<sup>th</sup> from 10am-1pm and again at 4-7pm in the LFH. Pictures will also be taken at registration.

**School Board Position**- Are you looking for a way to serve God's people & help the day school grow? Do you like to work with a committed & faithful group of people who continually seek God's will for the mission and ministry of the school? The Board of Christian Education is seeking 1 more member! If you would like more information, please contact Lee Colby.

### **Daily Devotions**

**Monday:** 1 Sam. 17:48-18:9    **Tuesday:** 1 Sam. 18:10-30

**Wednesday:** 1 Sam. 19:1-24

**Thursday:** 1 Sam. 20:1-23    **Friday:** 1 Sam. 20:24-42



## **August 1 & 2, 2009-Weekly Bulletin**

(920) 722-2662 phone  
Rev. William Robinson, 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 next weekend. 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**- Ericka Polar

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

**Lector**- 5:00 Karen Riske  
9:00 Elaine Trimberger

**Organist**- Nancy Lephart

**Communion Assistants**- 5:00 Kislewski/Kopitske  
9:00 Nielsen/Henkel

**Elders of the Month**- 5:00 H. Kislewski/B. Borgen/R. Zirpel  
9:00 Bart Nielsen

**Greeters**- 5:00 Carl Riske  
9:00 Barb Sexmith

**Altar Flowers given**- in the Glory of God by the Altar Guild.

**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**- 124 (Sat) + 151 (Sun) = 275  
Corinthians Class: 8    Pastor's Class: 25  
Sunday school: 0    Centershot: 15

### **✠ Serving Our Lord Next Weekend ✠**

**Acolyte**- Logan Maynard

**Ushers**- 5:00 Kopitske  
9:00 Wray/Sexmith

**Lector**- 5:00 Karen Zachek  
9:00 Nick Kroes

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>

9 AM Worship  
10:30 AM Education Hour  
3 PM Deaf Service

### Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>

*Pastor's Day Off*

9 AM Men's Maintenance Meeting  
6 PM Men's Softball @ Mem Park SW  
7 PM Blended Rehearsal

### Tuesday, August 4<sup>th</sup>

4-8 PM NATIONAL NIGHT OUT  
4:30 PM Blood Drive

### Wednesday, August 5<sup>th</sup>

6 AM Men's Bible Study  
10:30 Am Adult Catechism  
6:30 PM Adult Discipleship Class

### Thursday, August 6<sup>th</sup>

6 AM Men's Bible Study

### Friday, August 7<sup>th</sup>

6 AM Men's Bible Study

### Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup>

9 Am Food Pantry  
5 PM Worship  
BP checks

The summer hours for the Church office are Mon-Thurs, 8am-Noon.

## 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.

## 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. Check out what is new & improved on the website & please don't forget to register!

## Year to Date Finances \$\$

### General Fund as of 7/26/09-

Offerings: \$304,021  
Expenses: \$344,274

### Building Fund as of 7/26/09-

Offerings: \$69,489  
Expenses: \$80,877

## News, Events, Requests, Etc.

Scrip Order Dates- please contact the school office to order scrip.

Food Pantry- needs pancake mix, syrup, pasta & pasta sauce & personal care items. If you have garden harvest to donate, please bring to the LFH on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sat. of each month. We will be available at 8:30 to receive your donation.

National Night Out-Tuesday, August 4<sup>th</sup>- Sign up in the Narthex to help with set up, food preparation, booths, games, take down, etc. Contact Michelle Neumann (920) 725-9755 or Crystal Tease- game coordinator (920) 915-5308.

Packer Game Workers Needed- for the following games: Pre-season game on Sat, Aug 15<sup>th</sup>, Pre-season game on Sat, Aug 22<sup>nd</sup>. Sign up board located in the Narthex.



Church Picnic on Sunday, August 16<sup>th</sup>- at Jefferson Park, Menasha. 9am Coffee & pre-service social, 10am Worship with picnic to follow. Everyone should bring a dish to pass! Hot dogs, burgers & brats will be provided by the Board of Outreach & Social Ministry.

Vacation Bible School- being held Aug 10<sup>th</sup> thru 14<sup>th</sup>. Sign up sheets are located in the Narthex or contact Mike Stapleton, DCE at (920) 722-2662. Helpers always needed! Come join the fun this summer!



Transportation Outreach- anyone needing assistance getting to worship, appointments, grocery store, etc. please contact Sandy Guiley 2 days in advance at 969-0475.

Save the date- for a Door County bus trip Sat, Oct 3rd. Our day will start with a Peninsula Winery tour followed by Door County Coffee, Candle & Gift shops, a fish boil (chicken also available) for lunch, Seaquist Market & Eagle Harbor Lighthouse in Peninsula State Park. Bus leaving from Trinity at 8:00am, returning at 6:45pm. Sign up sheet located on bulletin board-brochure/poster in Narthex with more information. Cost is \$57/person. Questions, contact Kathy Rigotti at (920) 725-8930.

Needed- ½ pint canning jars for the Board of Worship fundraiser being held on Aug 20<sup>th</sup> at the Menasha Market. Homemade breads & jams will be sold to raise money for the organ fund. Contact Kathy Rigotti at 725-8930

Ladies Needed- to finish off (tie) blankets for the Children's Hospital. Materials are located in the SFH or contact Elaine at 470-9090.

Carpet Cleaning Machine Needed- for school to clean classroom area rugs. If you can help, please contact the School or Church offices. Thank you!