

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### Hymns of the Reformation Organ Recital



**Date:** Sunday, February 18, 2018  
**Time:** 3:30 p.m.

**Where:** Concordia University  
Buetow Music Center Auditorium  
300 Hamline Avenue North  
St. Paul, Minnesota

**Featuring:** Jacquelyn Magnuson (CSP staff) and  
Sara Sorenson (CSP alum, '09)

**No Cost:** Free and Open to the Public



The **March for Life** will be held on January 22, 2018. There will be a chapel service at Concordia University at 10:30 a.m. followed by the gathering at the Capitol at 12 p.m.

**PLEASE CHECK THE BULLETIN BOARD IN THE NARTHEX FOR COMMUNITY AND NON-CHURCH SPONSORED ACTIVITIES**

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

<b>Sat. (20<sup>th</sup>)</b>	<b>FLS Brd. Retreat</b> 5:30 <b>Worship</b>
<b>Sun. (21<sup>st</sup>)</b>	<b>National Lutheran Schools Week Begins</b> 8:00 <b>Worship</b> 9:15 Adult Bible Study/Fellowship/ Sunday School 10:30 <b>Connection—FLS Joint Service (Trinity)</b> 5:30 Lively #5 Group
<b>Mon. (22<sup>nd</sup>)</b>	<b>FLS-Parent Transport Day</b> 7:00 GA 7:00 Gamanon 7:00 Trumps' Bible Study
<b>Tue. (23<sup>rd</sup>)</b>	9:00 Bible Study 4:30 Community Cathedral Café
<b>Wed. (24<sup>th</sup>)</b>	8:30 FLS Chapel 9:00 Quilting 9:00 Trails Edge Bible Study 5-7:00 Full Belly Inc. (Cathedral) 6:00 Handbells 6:00 Connection Practice 6:30 Confirmation 7:00 Choir
<b>Thu. (25<sup>th</sup>)</b>	6:30 AHG Troop Mtg. w. Awards
<b>Fri. (26<sup>th</sup>)</b>	7:00 Men's Bible Study & Breakfast (Bernie's) 1:30 February Newsletters Assembled 5:30-7:00 FLS Souper Bowl
<b>Sat. (27<sup>th</sup>)</b>	<b>5:30 Worship (C)</b>
<b>Sun. (28<sup>th</sup>)</b>	<b>8:00 Worship (C)</b> 9:15 Fellowship/Sunday School- Dad Event/Adult Bible Study 10:30 <b>Worship</b> 6:30-8:30 Youth Mtg.

## Trinity News of the Week

January 20 & 21, 2018

Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church, Faribault, MN. We are pleased you are here!  
An Information Center can be found in the narthex with brochures, pamphlets, and booklets about Trinity, LCMS schools, upcoming programs, and community events. Please help yourself to these materials.

### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

#### WEEKLY DEVOTIONAL READINGS

Mon. 1/22: Deuteronomy 18:15-20	Thu. 1/25: Jonah 1:1-17
Tue. 1/23: 1 Cor. 8:1-13	Fri. 1/26: Romans 8:18-23
Wed. 1/24: Mark 1:21-28	Sat. 1/27: Matthew 8:23-27

### Faribault Lutheran School



Be sure to join us for the **FLS Souper Bowl** on Friday, January 26, 2018. The Souper Bowl & Silent Auction will be from 5:30-7:00 p.m. in the Trinity gymnasium.

The school needs items for the **Silent Auction**. All proceeds from the Soup Bowl and the Silent Auction will go towards the PTL Playground fundraiser.

# SILENT AUCTION

If you have any items that you can donate: tickets to an event, craft items that you can make (quilts, necklaces, paintings, etc.), business gift certificates or experiences, please let Mrs. Rieger know in the school office by **Wednesday, January 24.**

**There will be an FLS book fair** in the church nursery this Sunday between services as well as following the 10:30 a.m. service.

The book fair will also be open daily January 22-26 during the following hours: 7:45-8:15 a.m., 10-10:30 a.m., 12-12:30 p.m., 3:00-3:30 p.m. and on Friday, during the Souper Bowl.

### Dad's Day - A Special Family Event



On January 28, at 9:15 a.m. in the gym, we will have a family event to honor dads. There will be activities for children and their dads. Moms are invited to help organize the activities, snacks and enjoy this special time.

### EVANGELISM & OUTREACH

#### In Our Prayers for Strength, Comfort, and Healing...

Nancy Appelgren; Mandy Blume; Marilyn Borchert; Wilmer Burmeister; Willard Carlson; Austin Ellerbusch; LeAnn Fuchs; Linda Hesse; Donna Lavine; John Milewski; Genia Moore; Arlene Rolf; Francis & Viola Swee; Jim Velzke; Earl Young

**Prayers for those whose names we carry in our hearts.**

**Prayers for our military and support personnel.**

**Prayers for the families in our congregation and our efforts to support them.**

**Prayers for those pregnant and for the unborn.**

**For emergencies and after-hour prayer requests, please contact one of our pastors:**

✠ Rev. Dr. Michael Nirva—763-221-6856

✠ Rev. Paul Rieger—636-751-4784

**Our missionaries to pray for are Tim & Beth,** serving in Northern Guinea, Africa.

- Serving Trinity Lutheran Church and Faribault Lutheran School -

Rev. Dr. Michael Nirva, Senior Pastor    Rev. Paul Rieger, Associate Pastor    Rev. Robert Snyder, Pastor Emeritus:  
Rev. Maynard Spitzack, Visitation Pastor    Gatluk Reat, Vicar    Kristin Sellentine, Youth Leader  
Bill Kirkpatrick, Finance Property Manager    Jennifer Kingland, Office Manager    Rebecca Spitzack, Receptionist/Office Assistant  
Seth Winter, FLS Principal    Rachel Rieger, FLS Administrative Assistant

Worship Broadcasts: Radio (KDHL 920 AM) Sunday at 8:00am

Address: 530 4th St. NW Phone: (507) 331-6579 Trinity website: [www.trinityfaribault.org](http://www.trinityfaribault.org) [Facebook.com/Trinityfaribault](https://www.facebook.com/Trinityfaribault)  
Trinity Radio Website: [www.trinityradioandvideo.org](http://www.trinityradioandvideo.org) Consolidated Communications TV channel 10 & Charter channel 181, Mon. &/or Tues., 3:30pm

The **Radio Broadcast** this Sunday is given in loving memory of Lucille Borchert by her sister Ethel Schwichtenberg and family, Jack Schwichtenberg, Judy Kratt, and Jean & Kenard Schmidtke.

**FELLOWSHIP**

**THANK YOU!** Special thanks for my retirement reception, and for all the beautiful cards, gifts, kind words, and the delicious cake! Thanks also to Duane, for playing “Amazing Grace” on his accordion, and for all his kind remarks and to Jennie for her kind assistance. I praise God for the privilege of serving Trinity over the years in retirement, and I pray His abundant blessings and His amazing grace on His people at Trinity in the years ahead. To God be all the glory!  
~Pastor Spitzack



The **JOY Group** will meet in the Fellowship Hall on Thursday, February 8, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. for a Potluck. Afterwards, Carla (Kelm) Agre will give a presentation on her trip to Israel.

All are welcome to attend.

The “**coffee ladies**” will be unavailable for several Sundays. Please sign up to help, stop in the kitchen before services to help or bring baked goods. Clean up help is always needed. Thank you.



~Joy Zimmerman/Joanne Cross

The **Lively #5 Neighborhood Group** will meet Sunday evening January 21 at 5:30 p.m. at the home of Wayne & Alice Meyer (4850 Morris-town Blvd. Faribault MN, 507-334-4056). Bring a dish to pass; join us for fun and fellowship.

**STEWARDSHIP**

**We're at a Critical Stage for Help in the Radio Room**

We've had complaints over the last couple of weeks about the KDHL radio broadcasts being poor and inconsistent. The reason for this is a shortage of radio room personnel. Todd Voge and our existing helpers do an excellent job up there but no one can be available every Sunday. Todd has been posting articles asking for help off and on for years and it doesn't help as much as is needed.



We've had and still have some very good people up there, but we need more. The people who like to do the video steaming are often 8th through 12th graders who like the technology and tend to be very good at it, but they later need to leave for college. That's fine, we're happy for them, but we then need new people to continuously take their place. Our KDHL announcers tend to be older people who have more confidence in speaking. Neither one of those positions is difficult or scary to do.

In both cases, you would receive detailed training and would start out with someone else there beside you. We need both KDHL announcers and streaming video operators. One is just as important as the other. If we had the proper number of helpers, each person would only need to be in the radio room once per month.

If you think our radio/streaming ministry is an important part of our spreading God's Word, then please help keep the Radio Club going by being a part of it. Any questions ask Todd Voge, Brian Anderson, Jim Boldt, Becky Spitzack, Ethan Vikla or Bill Kirkpatrick.

**If you haven't taken home your 2017 Financial Statement**, please do so now! Any remaining statements will be mailed on Monday.



**IT'S ALL ABOUT GRACE  
New Office Addition Fundraiser**

**\$380,000 TOTAL COST**



■ Pledges & Cash  
■ Cash Received

**To Break Ground**

The graph showing the progress of Trinity's New Office Fundraiser will be updated each week.

The ornate cross in the Narthex also displays this progress.

Please keep the New Office Addition's planning, building, and fundraising, in your prayers.

*Cash Received includes the \$100,000 estate gift.*

<b>STATISTICS</b>	
<u>Attendance</u>	<u>General Fund Receipts</u>
<i>(Weekend Services, January 13/14, 2018)</i>	
277	\$10,790
<b>Weekly budgetary needs in 2018: \$13,589</b>	
<b>CUMULATIVE TOTALS</b>	
<i>Time Period: January 1-January 15, 2018</i>	
<i>(2 Weeks)</i>	
<u>Budgetary Needs</u>	<u>Receipts</u>
\$27,178	\$25,138

**Camp Omega PLUNGE!!**



Camp Omega is hosting a Polar Plunge on Saturday, February 17, 2018, at the Morristown Community Center. Their goal is 25 Teams of Jumpers (dressed in team unity).

**Join Pastor Paul**

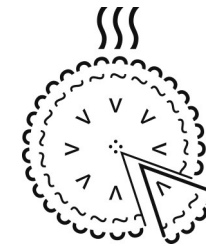
**Rieger** on the “Trinity Team.” Contact the church office to sign up to take the Plunge with Pastor Rieger or sponsor Pastor Rieger and support Camp Omega's Adult/Family Retreat Center by making a donation or pledge. Sign up for pledges at the Information Center in the Narthex or by contacting the church office.

There are prizes for teams with the highest sponsorships, and for the “best dressed” team. There will be two cold water pools and “slides” to go down if desired. Registered Team Jumpers will receive free food/beverage. All events held at Morristown Community Center and overseen by the Morristown Fire Department.

For more information, please contact the church office, 331-6579, or Russ Schwichtenberg, 507-384-7947 or at [russ@campomega.org](mailto:russ@campomega.org).

**Pie-Makers Project Report 2017**

Total pies made in 2017 was 2,759.



Pie project was a success due to 19 faithful workers and donations from Todd & Joyce Trump, Bryan Schuenke, Jon Steffen, Brian & Stacey Gillen, and Gary Jones.

**Donations made by the Pie-Makers were:**

Automatic Door Opener	\$4,978.00
FLS Scholarships	\$5,800.00
Cleaning the Church	\$2,750.00
Radio Club	\$1,000.00
New Building Fund	\$5,000.00