

COMMUNITY NEWS

DOMESTIC ABUSE/CHILD & ADULT

Faribault Zone Spring Mission Gathering
Lutheran Women in Mission
Saturday, May 18, 2019
Trinity Lutheran—Medford
108 3rd St. SW
8:30 a.m.—11:00 a.m.
 8:30-9:00 a.m.—Registration
 9:00 a.m. Brunch—Cost \$10.00

Breaking the silence of sexual abuse through education and providing hope for the future!
 Ingathering Offering to Steele County Clothes-line: children's & Youth socks and underwear.

Volunteer Appreciation Celebration
You are invited to CELEBRATE with US!
Thursday, April 25
at 2:00 p.m.
 2nd Floor Club Room,
 Milestone Senior Living
 RSVP to: Ann Pleskonko
 507-331-2748

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

Easter
 B L E S S I N G S
FROM THE TRINITY STAFF!

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sat. (20th) 9:00 Flower Decorating
 12-4:30 Sudanese Mtg. (Music Room)
 5:30 **Easter Vigil Service**

Sun. (21st)



6:00 **Sunrise Service**
 7-10:00 **Easter Breakfast**
 8:00 **Festival Service (C)**
 10:30 **Festival Connection Service (C)**
 12:00 **Sudanese Service**

Mon. (22nd) **Easter Monday/Church Office Closed**

7:00 GA
 7:00 Gamanon
 7:00 Trumps' Bible Study
 Tue. (23rd) 9:00 Bible Study
 4:30 Community Cathedral Café
 6:00 AHG Leaders' Mtg.
 6:30 Every Step Bible Study

Wed. (24th) 8:30 FLS Chapel
 9:00 Quilting
 6:30 Confirmation
 6:00 Handbells
 7:00 Choir

Thu. (25th) 6:00 K-2 Play
 6:30 FLS Brd. Mtg. (Peace)

Fri. (26th) **1:00 Newsletters Assembled**

Sat. (27th) 7:00 Adopt-a-Highway (carpool)
 10:30 Birthday Party (Gym)
 12-8:00 Sudanese mtg. (Fellowship Hall)

5:30 **Worship Service (C)**
 Sun. (28th) 8:00 **Worship Service (C)**
 9:15 Adult Bible Study/Fellowship/
 Sunday School/Faith Legacy
 10:30 **Worship Service**

- Serving Trinity Lutheran Church and Faribault Lutheran School -

Rev. Paul Rieger, Associate Pastor
 Rev. Eugene Chase, Rev. Rex Longshore, Visitation Pastors
 Rev. Robert Snyder, Pastor Emeritus
 Rev. Gatluk Reat, Sudanese Evangelical Lutheran Mission Church
 Bill Kirkpatrick, Business Manager
 Nancy Simonson, Family Ministry
 Jennifer Kingland, Office Manager
 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 [Facebook.com/Trinityfaribault](https://www.facebook.com/Trinityfaribault)
 Trinity Radio Website: www.trinityradioandvideo.org Consolidated Communications TV channel 10 & Charter channel 181, Mon. &/or Tues., 3:30pm

Trinity News of the Week

April 20 & 21, 2019

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. 4/22: Psalm 148	Thu. 4/25: Ezek. 37:1-14
Tue. 4/23: Acts 5:12-20	Fri. 4/26: 1 John 5:4-10
Wed. 4/24: Rev. 1:4-18	Sat. 4/27: John 20:19-31

FARIBAULT LUTHERAN SCHOOL GALA

FLS is hosting our first Gala event on May 3 at the Inn at Shattuck. All money raised will go towards security and safety improvements and student scholarships. Tickets are \$75 dollars and will include your choice of meal, access to the silent and live auction, and joining a community of supporters of Christian Education. Please contact Seth Winter in the school office if you have any questions. Tickets are limited to the first 120 people.



Reception for the Confirmands...

Confirmation Questioning will be Wednesday, May 1 at 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Following this service the Elders will host a reception to honor the Confirmands. The reception will be held in the Fellowship Hall. Please join us in celebrating this milestone in the life of these young Christians.

Confirmation Sunday is May 5 with a special service at 10:30 a.m.



Needed: VBS Crew Leaders

People needed to lead groups of five children to different stations. No prep necessary. Please contact Nancy Simonson, 507-210-8486, if you can help.



EVANGELISM & OUTREACH

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

Bill & Judy; Donna Babcock; Verna Bahl; Mandy Blume; Wilmer Burmeister; Austin Ellerbusch; Vern Meintsma; Katie Meek; Bob Meyer; Julia Morrissey; Genia Moore; Cinda Peterson; Barb Roach; Nancy Schultz; Mardy Snyder

Prayers for those whose names we carry in our hearts.

Prayers for the family of Marlys Verthein, sister of Willis "Bud" Paschke, who passed away Wednesday, April 17.

For emergencies and after-hour prayer requests, please call Rev. Paul Rieger, 636-751-4784.

Pray for all Christian missionaries this Easter Sunday, as they work to spread the story of Jesus Christ and His saving grace throughout the world!

LUTHERAN WITNESS SUBSCRIPTIONS

Lutheran Witness renewals for the 2019-2020 subscription year are now being taken, with a deadline of Sunday, May 5, 2019. Cost is \$19.68. Checks should be made payable to Trinity with *Lutheran Witness* on the memo line.

FELLOWSHIP

EASTER BREAKFAST

**Sunday, April 21
7:00-10:00 a.m.**



- Pancakes • Scrambled Eggs & Ham
- Fruit • Beverage

Larry Hagre & Crew are hosting Easter Breakfast this Sunday, April 21, 7:00-10:00 a.m. They are serving pancakes, scrambled eggs & ham, fruit, and beverage. Free will donation will support Trinity's Youth Group.

Be sure to join us for a delicious breakfast and good fellowship!

The Lively #5 Neighborhood Group will meet on Sunday, May 5, 5:30 p.m. at Morristown Park. Larry & Vivian Hagre will be hosting with hotdogs and buns. Please bring a dish to pass and your own eating utensils. Join us for fun and fellowship!

OPEN HOUSE
in Honor of
Buck Burkhartzmeyer's
95th Birthday
will be held on
Thursday, April 25, 12-3:00 p.m.
at Burkhartzmeyer Shoes.
There will be Coffee & Cake!

Birthday Blessings

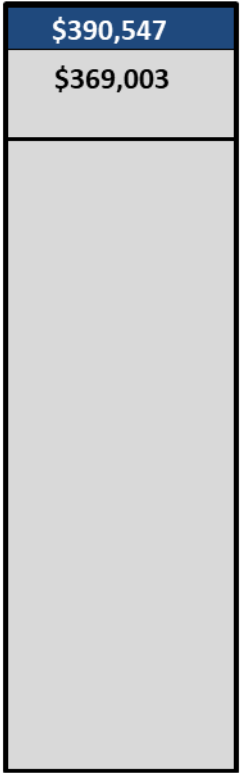
The **JOY Group** will meet in the Fellowship Hall on Thursday, May 9 at 12:00 noon for potluck. Bring a tasty dish to pass and your own eating utensils. Our guest for the afternoon, at 1:30 p.m., is Dale Blanshan, who will be doing a Fifties Show. It should be an excellent show and fun afternoon! Cost is \$3.00 a piece for the show. Pay Marcy Matthies or Larry Twedt.

STEWARDSHIP



IT'S ALL ABOUT GRACE
New Office Addition

\$392,000 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.

The Church Office will be closed Easter Monday, April 22.

There will be no school on April 19. School will resume on April 22.

SPECIAL VOTERS' MTG.

The voters meeting has been rescheduled to Monday, **May 6, 2019**. The names to be considered for the senior pastor position are:

- ✚ Rev. Paul Rieger, Minnesota
- ✚ Rev. James Krueger, Michigan
- ✚ Rev. Louis Ferguson, Texas



For more biographical information on these three pastors, please pick up one of the Call Committee Final Reports from the Information Center in the narthex.

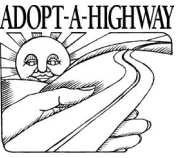
STATISTICS	
<u>Attendance</u>	<u>General Fund Receipts</u>
<i>(Lenten Service, April 10, 2019)</i>	
34	\$380
<u>Attendance</u>	<u>General Fund Receipts</u>
<i>(Weekend Services, April 13/14, 2019)</i>	
294	\$11,683
Weekly budgetary needs in 2019: \$13,566	
CUMULATIVE TOTALS	
<i>Time Period: January 1-April 15, 2019</i>	
<i>(15 Weeks)</i>	
<u>Budgetary Needs</u>	<u>Receipts</u>
\$203,490	\$167,869

Mark 16:6 – “And he said to them, ‘Do not be alarmed. You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen; he is not here.’ ” So Jesus is risen, but is that Good News? What if He is mad at us for betraying Him, for running away at Gethsemane, and for not believing He would rise? The Good News is not just that Jesus is risen but that He is risen to bless us. There is no need to be alarmed. He still calls us His friends and brothers and means to bring us through death to resurrection as well. The Lord is risen; He is risen indeed!

*LCMS Stewardship Bulletin Blurbs, April 2019
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On Saturday April 27 at 7:00

a.m., the Adopt-a-Highway group will meet for 2 hours to rid I-35 ditches of debris near Dundas.



If you are 18 or older, bring gloves and meet at the west church parking lot to carpool.

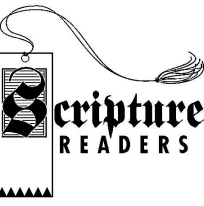
Jim Boldt was the winner of the traveling trophy last fall. Who will win it this spring?

Call Becky at 507-210-5565 with questions.

"For you shall go out in joy and be led in peace...all the trees of the field shall clap their hands." Isaiah 55:12 ESV

WORSHIP

Thank you to the people who read the special Passion Narrative Lessons during our Lenten Services. We appreciate your help! Thank you, Nevaeh Weeg, Brent and Andy Peterson, Tucker Schreck and Bob Sommers.



EASTER SERVICES

- ✚ **EASTER VIGIL—April 20, 5:30 p.m.:** “Remembering Baptism”
- ✚ **EASTER SUNDAY Sunrise Service—April 21, 6:00 a.m.:** “Sun Rise / Son Rise”
- ✚ **EASTER SUNDAY Festival Services—April 21, 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. with Holy Communion** “It All Depends on This”

Rev. Dr. Dean Nadasdy, President Emeritus of the MN South District—LCMS, will be Trinity's Guest Pastor on Saturday/Sunday, April 27 & 28. He will also be leading the Sunday Bible **GUEST PREACHER** Study at 9:15 a.m.—“Hope for Today's Churches.” Please be sure to join us on that weekend.

