

**Celebrate the National Day of Prayer  
Thursday, May 2, 2019**

State Capitol Event  
10:00-11:00 AM Capitol Rotunda

- Reflective personal prayer
- Intercede for an elected official

11:30-1:30 PM Capitol Plaza

Worship with Heart of the City Band  
Program and Prayers for our State and Nation  
Joined by State Legislators and elected officials

- Come as an individual or a group
- Dress for the weather
- Families and children welcome
- Bring strollers, lawn chairs, blankets, etc.  
*Share in this Free Annual Event!*

**UNITE: National Day of Prayer  
Free Event  
Thursday, May 2 at 7:00 p.m.  
Grace Church, Eden Prairie**

Worship by Hillsong NYC & KB  
Inspirational Message by Nick Hall  
National Simulcast at UniteNDOP.com  
(Come as an individual or by the busload. This event will be one of the largest National Day of Prayer events in the United States.)

**Installation Service for Rev. Mark Neumann  
Sunday, April 28, 3:00 p.m.  
Good Shepherd Lutheran Church  
2500 7th Ave NE, Owatonna, MN**

You are invited to share in the installation celebration for Rev. Mark Neumann as Senior Pastor at Good Shepherd, Owatonna. Please join us for a dessert reception following the service. No RSVP needed.

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

<b>Sat. (27<sup>th</sup>)</b>	7:00	Adopt-a-Highway (carpool)
	10:30	Birthday Party (Gym)
	12-8:00	Sudanese mtg. (Fellowship Hall)
	<b>5:30</b>	<b>Worship Service (C)</b>
<b>Sun. (28<sup>th</sup>)</b>	<b>8:00</b>	<b>Worship Service (C)</b>
	9:15	Adult Bible Study/Fellowship/ Sunday School/Faith Legacy
	<b>10:30</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>
<b>Mon. (29<sup>th</sup>)</b>	7:00	GA
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<b>Tue. (30<sup>th</sup>)</b>	9:00	Bible Study
	4:30	Community Cathedral Café
	6:30	Every Step An Arrival
	7:00	Property Brd. Mtg.
<b>Wed. (1<sup>st</sup>)</b>	8:30	FLS Chapel
	9:00	Quilting
	6:00	Handbells
	7:00	Choir Practice
	7:00	Confirmation Questioning (Sanctuary & Fellowship Hall)
<b>Thu. (2<sup>nd</sup>)</b>	<b>2:30</b>	<b>New Perspective (C)</b>
	<b>3:45</b>	<b>Emeralds/Deaconess (C)</b>
	6-7:30	American Heritage Girls
	6:30	FLS Spring Concert (Peace)
<b>Fri. (3<sup>rd</sup>)</b>	7:00	Men's Bible Study & Breakfast (Bernie's)
	3:00	Wedding
	5:30	FLS Gala (Inn at Shattuck)
<b>Sat. (4<sup>th</sup>)</b>	2-5:00	Birthday Party (Fellowship Hall)
	4:15	Confirmation Pics & Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
	<b>5:30</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>
	6:30-8:30	Game Night (Fellowship Hall)
<b>Sun. (5<sup>th</sup>)</b>	<b>8:00</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>
	9:15	Adult Bible Study/Fellowship/ Sunday School
	<b>10:30</b>	<b>Confirmation Service (C)</b>
	5:30	Lively #5 Neighborhood Gr. (Morristown Park)

**Trinity News of the Week**

April 27 & 28, 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. 4/29: Psalm 30	Thu. 5/2: John 21:1-19
Tue. 4/30: Acts 9:1-22	Fri. 5/3: Ezek. 34:11-16
Wed. 5/1: Rev. 5:8-14	Sat. 5/4: John 10:11-16

**FARIBAULT LUTHERAN SCHOOL**

**FLS GALA:** The FLS Gala will be here soon. Tickets for the May 3 event will be on sale after both services. Tickets are \$75 for the evening. Silent auction starts at 5:30 p.m., followed by dinner and the live auction. Auction items include guided hunting and fishing excursions, Faribault Shopping Spree, Minnesota Zoo membership, Northern MN Cabin Rental, and much, much more!!

**Housing Needed!!** FLS is calling a new teacher! She will be starting full time this fall but will be serving as a long term substitute for the last two weeks of May. FLS is looking for a host family for her stay with in May. If you would like more information or would like to help out, contact Mr. Winter at [swinter@flsweb.org](mailto:swinter@flsweb.org) or call 507-334-7982. Thank you!!

**VBS - August 4-8, 6-8:00 p.m.** with light supper at 5:00 p.m. Online registrations are now open at this link <https://vbspro.events/p/events/afcc9a> or find the link on Trinity's website.

Volunteers are needed. See Nancy Simonson or fill out a volunteer form at this registration link.

**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.



**EVANGELISM & OUTREACH**

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

Bill & Judy; Donna Babcock; Verna Bahl; Mandy Blume; Austin Ellerbusch; 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 and friends** of Wilmer Burmeister, who was called home by Jesus on Monday, April 22. Funeral services were held at Trinity on Friday, April 26.

**Prayers of thanksgiving for Leora Hubbell,** celebrating her 100th birthday on May 6 with an Open House from 1-3:00 p.m. at 118 6th St. NW, Faribault.



**- Serving Trinity Lutheran Church and Faribault Lutheran School -**

Rev. Paul Rieger, Associate Pastor  
Rev. Robert Snyder, Pastor Emeritus  
Bill Kirkpatrick, Business Manager  
Seth Winter, FLS Principal  
Rev. Eugene Chase, Rev. Rex Longshore, Visitation Pastors  
Rev. Gatluk Reat, Sudanese Evangelical Lutheran Mission Church  
Nancy Simonson, Family Ministry  
Rachel Rieger, FLS Administrative Assistant  
Jennifer Kingland, Office Manager

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  
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 Barbara Twedt by her husband Larry Twedt. Barbara's birthday would have been April 20 and Barb & Larry's wedding anniversary would have been April 28.

Our missionary to pray for is Jasmine, serving full-time with Project Video as the Asian Field Coordinator.

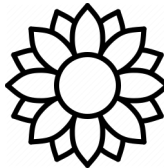
**RENEW NOW!!!**

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**

**GAME NIGHT:** Looking for something your whole family would enjoy? Join us for Game Night on May 4 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We provide games for all ages and abilities. Feel free to bring a favorite game if you would like. Game Night is a great chance to meet new people in a fun environment.

The **Craft Club** group will meet again on Thursday, May 9, 7:00 p.m. at the home of Nancy Boldt. We will be making sunflowers out of wood. Please sign up at the information center. Questions: call Nancy at 507-412-1914.



**Thank you!!** A special thank you to all the wonderful members "youth and adult" who helped make the Easter Breakfast happen. Eager youngsters were very much appreciated as they helped with set-up, clean up and delivering food to seated people. Hats off to the kitchen crew who did an outstanding job. Donations for the Youth Fund were approximately \$850.00. Thank you for that, and also to Thrivent Financial for a \$250.00 donation which covered costs. Joy in the Lord was celebrated and flowed over all in attendance.

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.

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!

**STEWARDSHIP**

**STATISTICS**

<u>Attendance</u>	<u>General Fund Receipts</u>
<i>(Maundy Thursday/Good Friday Services, April 18/19, 2019)</i>	
422	\$3,518
<u>Attendance</u>	<u>General Fund Receipts</u>
<i>(Weekend Services, April 20/21, 2019)</i>	
538	\$14,735

**Weekly budgetary needs in 2019: \$13,566**

**CUMULATIVE TOTALS**

*Time Period: January 1-April 22, 2019  
(16 Weeks)*

<u>Budgetary Needs</u>	<u>Receipts</u>
\$217,056	\$186,122

A **new automatic door opener** has now been installed on the east end of the church narthex. Just like the west side entrance, there are large push buttons to open both the outer and inner doors. Automatic doors are especially useful for people in wheelchairs or who use walkers. Special thanks to the Trinity Pie-makers who donated the funds to pay for the automatic door opening systems.



**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.*

**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.

**Be sure to take home a May Newsletter!**

**WORSHIP**

If you ordered flowers this Easter, please be sure to take them home with you today! Flowers that are not taken will have to be disposed of.



**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**Walk MS: Faribault  
Saturday, May 4, 2019**

Registration begins at 10:00 a.m.  
Walk begins at 11:00 a.m. and concludes at 1:00 p.m.  
Start/End location is Two Rivers Park, (14th St. NE, Faribault)  
1 mile and 3 mile routes available  
Open to all ages

While there is no registration fee for Walk MS, the Society encourages participants to make a fundraising commitment. Money raised at Walk MS helps fund groundbreaking research and supports programs and services for those impacted by MS. For more information visit [WalkMS.org](http://WalkMS.org) or call Will Ziegenhagen at 612-335-7992.

**Rice County is experiencing** a shortage in the number of Licensed Foster Care Homes with available openings for children of all ages. There is a need for short term to long term care and scheduled respite (pre-arranged care) for children. This is a wonderful opportunity to help families and children right within your own communities. Have you ever thought of becoming a Licensed Foster Care Provider? Do you know of a family who might be able to open their home to children in need of foster care? Please consider fostering children within your own home or refer this need on to someone you know. For more information, please access our website [www.co.rice.mn.us](http://www.co.rice.mn.us) or contact Cheryl Marek at 507-332-6115 or Katie Anderson at 507-333-3708.