

**St. John's Lutheran Church** is hosting their 57th Annual Potato Pancake Supper on Sunday, November 12, 2017, 3:00-7:00 p.m. All you can eat Potato and Buttermilk pancakes, scrambled eggs and sausage, applesauce, milk, coffee & water. Free will donation. St. John's Church is located in Havana Township, 4532 SE 84th Ave. Claremont, MN 55924. Music provided by Luverne Wanous from 4:00-6:00 p.m. Proceeds will go to the St. John's cemetery restoration & Steel & Dodge County Food Shelves.



**Holiday Open House** at St. Patrick Church (7525 Dodd Road, Shieldsville, MN) on Saturday, November 11, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Sunday, November 12, 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. There will be lots of crafters, door prizes, food, and refreshments available. For questions or directions call 507-334-6002.

**Light Up A Life:** Outdoor tree lighting ceremony will be Monday, December 4, 7:00 p.m. at District One Hospital. Your gift of \$5 will light up a bulb on the hospice memory tree in honor of your friend or loved one. Names are displayed in the *Light Up A Life* memorial book in the hospital lobby. Donations received by December 31 will be included in the memorial book. Proceeds will benefit Hospice patients and families in the Faribault Area. For more information and to donate, please take home one of the *Light Up A Life* slips available on the Worship Carts.

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

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

<b>Sat. (4<sup>th</sup>)</b>	12:00	Sudanese Mtg.
	<b>5:30</b>	<b>Worship</b>
<b>Sun. (5<sup>th</sup>)</b>	<b>All Saints Sunday/Daylight Saving Time</b>	
	<b>8:00</b>	<b>Worship</b>
	9:15	Adult Bible Study/LYF/ Fellowship/Sunday School
	<b>10:30</b>	<b>Connection (C)</b>
<b>Mon. (6<sup>th</sup>)</b>	8:00	Pie-makers
	7:00	GA
	7:00	Gamanon
<b>Tue. (7<sup>th</sup>)</b>	9:00	Bible Study
	5:00	Community Cathedral Café
	6:30	Family Ministry Mtg.
	7:00	Cloeter's Bible Study Gr.
<b>Wed. (8<sup>th</sup>)</b>	8:30	FLS Chapel
	9:00	Trails Edge Bible Study
	9:00	Quilting
	1:00	FLS Early Dismiss
	<b>4:00</b>	<b>Pleasant Manor (C)</b>
	5-7:00	Full Belly Inc. (Cathedral)
	6:00	Handbells
	6:30	Confirmation
	6:30	Discipleship Class
	7:00	Choir
<b>Thu. (9<sup>th</sup>)</b>	<b>WINKEL (Trinity, Faribault)</b>	
	1:00	Human Care
	6-7:30	AHG Troop
<b>Fri. (10<sup>th</sup>)</b>	7:00	Men's Bible Study & Breakfast (Bernie's)
	<b>1-7:00</b>	<b>Blood Drive (Trinity)</b>
<b>Sat. (11<sup>th</sup>)</b>	<b>Veterans Day</b>	
	<b>5:30</b>	<b>Worship (C)</b>
<b>Sun. (12<sup>th</sup>)</b>	<b>8:00</b>	<b>Worship (C)</b>
	9:15	Adult Bible Study/LYF/ Fellowship
	9:15	Sunday School—Operation Christmas Child Packing
	<b>10:30</b>	<b>Worship</b>

## Trinity News of the Week

November 4 & 5, 2017

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. 11/6: Psalm 70	Thu. 11/9: Ex. 3:1-15
Tue. 11/7: Amos 5:18-24	Fri. 11/10: 2 Thess. 2:1-8, 13-17
Wed. 11/8: 1 Thess. 4:13-18	Sat. 11/11: Matt. 25:1-13

**The Sunday School students are excited about an upcoming mission project.** On November 12 the children will pack shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child. Our goal is to pack and send 30 boxes. The offering money the children brought was used to buy the needed supplies. All congregational members are invited to participate. We will meet in the gym at 9:15 a.m. We welcome monetary gifts to help with the shipping costs. Please give donations to Nancy Simonson or the church office.

### Faribault Lutheran School

**Buy Scrip!** Buying Scrip helps support our school. When you buy Scrip you receive cards which look like credit cards, which can be used to purchase food, gasoline, and other items. These cards are available in the Fellowship Hall each Sunday after the 8:00 a.m. service or at the school office. Always available are cards that can be used at Fareway, Hy-Vee, Kwik Trip, and Wal-Mart in the amounts of \$10, \$25, \$50, and \$100. Community Scrip that can be used at various businesses are also available. Cards for other stores can be ordered and will be available the following Sunday. It's so easy to just swipe your card at the store. The balance always appears on the receipt. Try Scrip!

### EVANGELISM & OUTREACH

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

Bob; Jim; Kurt; Rachel; Harriet Berghoff; Mandy Blume; Cynthia Caron; Austin Ellerbusch; Susan Griebel; John Milewski; Genia Moore; Reiner Rieger; Lloyd Ross; Marilyn Sawall; Edna Schulenberg; Doug & Patty Stonehouse; Francis Swee

**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.**

**Prayers of thanksgiving** for Rev. Maynard Spitzack, who celebrated his 80th birthday on Thursday, November 2.

**Our missionary family to pray for** is Micah & Robin and their children, serving in Togo, West Africa.

**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

**The Radio Broadcast this Sunday** is given in loving memory of Elsie A. Schulz by her husband Elmer R. Schulz.

- 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 8:00 am

Phone: (507) 331-6579      Trinity website: [www.trinityfaribault.org](http://www.trinityfaribault.org)      Trinity Radio Website: [www.trinityradioandvideo.org](http://www.trinityradioandvideo.org)  
Facebook.com/Trinityfaribault      Consolidated Communications TV channel 10 & Charter channel 181, Monday &/or Tuesday, 3:30pm

## HUMAN CARE



Trinity will be hosting a Blood Drive for the American Red Cross on Friday, November 10, 1-7:00 p.m. Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (733-2767) or visit [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org) and enter: TrinityFaribault to schedule an appointment.

### REFORMATION SERVICE & LUNCH:

Special thanks to the Faribault Lutheran School students who made table favors and helped with set up and clean up. Also thanks to everyone who brought cupcakes and salads. It was a very nice turnout. Thank you for coming. Hope to see you in the spring!

### Christmas Angel Tree Project

Christmas—a joyful time and an opportunity to share Christ's love with one another.

Trinity will once again sponsor the Angel Tree Program. At this time we are asking the congregation for names of family, friends and neighbors who may be struggling this Christmas season. If you know of someone, please complete the "Angel Tree Request for Information" form located on the Information Center in the Narthex. Once you've completed the form, place it in the decorated box on the Information Center by **THIS Sunday, November 5**. All information will be kept confidential.



## STEWARDSHIP

Jennie will be OUT of the office on Wednesday, November 8. Sorry for any inconvenience. Please contact one of the pastors for emergencies.



**WE NEED YOUR HELP!** We are in need of Greeters and Lectors. Please contact the church office to volunteer, 331-6579.

## We are seeking candidates for:

- ♦ **Lay Leadership Board** (to replace Barb Beatty, whose second and last term is up in December, and Carl Vollbrecht, whose term is up)
- ♦ **Second Century Trust** (to replace Vernon Cross, whose term is up)
- ♦ **Faribault Lutheran School Board** (to replace Barb Mrosko and Bill Kirkpatrick, whose terms are up)



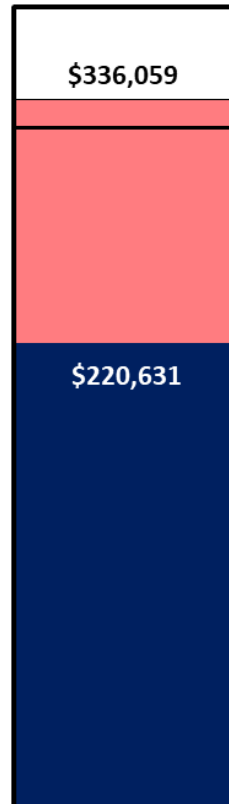
NOMINATIONS

Also, anyone interested in being a delegate for the **2018 District Convention**, please contact an LLB member or the church office.



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

\$380,000 TOTAL COST



■ Pledges & Cash

■ Cash Received

#### To Break Ground

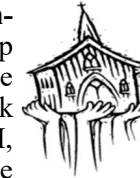
The graph showing the progress of Trinity's New Office Fundraiser will be updated each week.

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.*

The first three Sundays in November we will be hearing stewardship messages from former sons of the congregation. This weekend we thank Rev. Richard Kelm from Wausau, WI, for his message. He will also be the speaker at the 9:30 a.m. Bible study and will share information about his family, ministry, etc. All are encouraged to attend. Also this morning members are receiving a sample commitment form. Please prayerfully consider it and prepare for Consecration Weekend, November 18/19. More information is provided in the November Newsletter.



### STATISTICS

Attendance	General Fund Receipts
<i>(Weekend Services, October 28/29, 2017)</i>	
281	\$14,362
<b>Weekly budgetary needs in 2017: \$14,286</b>	

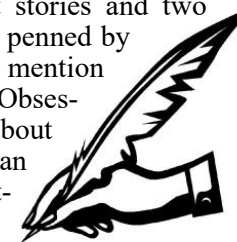
### CUMULATIVE TOTALS

<i>Time Period: January 1-November 3, 2017</i>	
<i>(44 Weeks)</i>	
<b>Budgetary Needs</b>	<b>Receipts</b>
\$628,584	\$518,044

### Local Authors Fair Features Trinity Member

Trinity member Audrey Kletscher Helbling is among published writers participating in a Local Authors Fair from 6-7:00 p.m. Thursday, November 9, in the Great Hall of Buckham Memorial Library. Writers will showcase their writing, sell books and answer questions about the craft at individual booths. Visit all of the writers during the free event and you are eligible to win some of the authors' books.

Audrey will sell copies of *Fine Lines, The Talking Stick, Volume 26*, a collection of works by Minnesota writers. The \$10 anthology includes a poem, two short stories and two stories of creative nonfiction penned by Audrey. She won honorable mention for her short story, "Art Obsession." Visit with Audrey about her writing—from Christian greeting card verses to poetry, short stories and more.



Trinity Pie-makers have a variety of pies available for Thanksgiving. Be sure to place your order by Wednesday, November 15! Pies can be picked up on Wednesday, November 22, noon until 5:00 p.m. To order call: Arlene, 334-3408, or any Pie Maker!



## WORSHIP

# Thanksgiving Service

*Thanksgiving Eve Worship*  
Wednesday, November 22 7:00 p.m.

*Thanksgiving Day Worship*  
Thursday, November 23 9:00 a.m.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### CAMP OMEGA

#### ANNUAL APPRECIATION DINNER

The focus of Camp Omega's 10th Annual Appreciation Dinner this year will be on both those who support the camp through the ACRES for Omega program and on the dedicated veterans who served our country. You do NOT need to fall into one of those categories in order to be a guest that evening. Your presence is an indication of support for those who are being recognized.

The event will be held again at the Faribault American Legion on Sunday, November 19, with a social hour beginning at 4:30 p.m., followed by a FREE turkey-and-all-the-trimmings supper. A patriotic, music-filled program will follow.

RSVP is necessary. Call Curt at 507-330-5627 or e-mail him at [curt@campomega.org](mailto:curt@campomega.org). Your response by Tuesday, November 14, would be appreciated.



Camp Omega