

The Pie makers year-end luncheon will be at noon on Monday, January 8 at *The Signature* restaurant. Any questions, contact Jackie Denninger.

There are still a variety of frozen pies available. Please see Jennie in the church office or a pie maker if you are interested in purchasing one. Cost is \$13.



Thank you to everyone who ordered Christmas Poinsettias to help decorate the Sanctuary this year. Please be sure to take home your poinsettias today!

Worship



There will be NO 10:30 service at Trinity on January 21. We will celebrate the start of National Lutheran Schools Week with FLS students and members of Peace at a special joint service - 10:30 a.m. at Peace Lutheran Church. Join us then!

Youth

Youth Game Night & Dinner

Saturday, January 13
6:30 p.m.
All 6th-12th graders invited!



If you have a favorite game, feel free to bring it. Invite a friend!

Weekly Calendar

Sat. (6 th)	Epiphany	
	8:00	Un-decorating of the Church
	9-4:00	FLS Brd. Retreat (FH)
	3:30	Marriage Counseling
	5:30	Worship Service
Sun. (7 th)	8:00	Worship Service
	9:15	Adult Bible Study
	9:15	Sunday School
	9:15	Parent Bible Study (Nursery)
	9:20	Youth Bible Study
	10:30	Connection Service (C)
	11:30	Congregational Potluck (FH)
	1:30-3:30	Bible Bowl Practice
Mon. (8 th)	7:00	Trumps' Bible Study (off site)
Tue. (9 th)	8:30	Staff Meeting
	9:00	Bible Study
	2-2:50	FLS (Fellowship Hall)
	2-2:45	Violin Lessons (Music Room)
	4:15	Community Cathedral Café
	6:30	LLB Meeting.
Wed. (10 th)	8:30	FLS Chapel
	9:00	Quilting
	1:00	Mill City (C)
	4:00	Emeralds (C)
	5:30	Confirmation Class
	6:00	Handbells
Thu. (11 th)	11:30	Prayer Group
	2:00	Human Care
	5:30-8:00	AHG (MR, Gym, N, After School Care)
	7:00	Dartball (Trinity - Fellowship Hall)
Fri. (12 th)	8:00	Men's Bible Study
	11:40-3:30	FLS (Church Kitchen)
Sat. (13 th)	5:30	Worship Service (C)
	6:30-8:30	Youth Game Night (Fellowship Hall & Kitchen)
Sun. (14 th)	8:00	Worship Service (C) - Installation of Officers
	9:15	Adult Bible Study
	9:15	Sunday School
	9:15	Parent Bible Study
	9:20	Youth Bible Study
	10:30	Worship Service
	1:30-3:30	Bible Bowl

Our Mission:
CONNECT...
GROW...
GO...

Trinity News of the Week
January 6 & 7, 2024
Trinity Lutheran Church
Faribault, MN 55021

Christian Education

Weekly Devotional Readings	
Mon. 1/8: Psalm 139:1-10	Thu. 1/11: Amos 9:11-15
Tue. 1/9: 1 Samuel 3:1-20	Fri. 1/12: Rom. 12:6-16
Wed. 1/10: 1 Corinthians 6:12-20	Sat. 1/13: John 1:43-51

Joint Peace-Trinity-FLS
Worship Service

Sunday, January 21
10:30 a.m.
at Peace Lutheran Church

Note that there will be NO 10:30 a.m. service at Trinity that Sunday. Please join us at Peace Lutheran for the special NLSW (National Lutheran Schools Week) kickoff service.

Bible Bowl begins meeting this Sunday, January 7, 1:30-3:30 p.m. Please talk to Phil or Nancy Simonson if you would like to join!

Evangelism

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

Verna Bahl; Donna Babcock;
Diane Bauernfeind; Gloria Cloutier;
Dave Geyer; Andrew Hein;
Lowell Hetletvedt; Lee Koopmans; Chuck LaCroix; Marilynn Nelson; Mertice Reck;
Lorraine Roemhildt; Scott Rost;
Ray Sanders; Shari Schreck;
Diane Schultz; Barb Young

The Radio Broadcast this Sunday is given in honor of David & Dianne Velzke from Trinity, North Morristown, celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary on January 11, 2024, given by their children and their families. We thank God for all His blessings these many years.

Fundraiser for Mission Work:

Grace Lutheran Church in Dodge Center is raising money to support their Kenya Mission Team by selling Heggies Pizza. The team is hoping to raise funds in order to do a number of service and outreach activities while at Point of Grace Academy in Kenya.

- Building a mud hut for a local family: \$2,500
- Put on a nutritious meal for students: \$2,000-\$3,000 (This amount will depend on the number of students staying at dorms on a given evening, but is an extra treat over and above the typical rice and beans that the students eat on a daily basis)
- Making home visits to local families: \$500-\$1,000
- They will also confirm with Rev. & Dcs. Meeker what items are most needed to collect and bring at that time.

You can support the Kenya mission trip by ordering pizza from Heggies. Order form is available at the information center in the narthex for this weekend ONLY. A delicious variety of frozen pizzas are available – see the order form!



- Serving Trinity Lutheran Church and Faribault Lutheran School -

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In unity and love, Peace Lutheran Guild has invited the women of Trinity and Women In Mission to a prayer service at Peace on January 16 at 1:30 p.m. This will be followed by coffee and fellowship in the Gathering Room. Questions? Call Joy Zimmerman.

Note: This will be in lieu of our January 18 Women In Mission meeting.



FELLOWSHIP

CONGREGATIONAL POTLUCK
Sunday, January 7, 2024
11:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall

Everyone is invited to come and enjoy a time of great food and fellowship. If you aren't able to cook, come anyway, there will be lots of good food to share. Bring a friend! Drinks, dishes and silverware will be provided.



♪ I've got the J.O.Y....down in my heart ♪

We have a really good one,
I heard they're taking bets,
With a **speaker demonstrator from Believét**,
who **trains service dogs for Vets**.
On **Tuesday, January 23**,
we'll start the year off with a boon,
Meeting in the **Fellowship Hall at 1**
in the afternoon.
After learning from the program, here's advice,
or a friendly tip,
We'll have a **Free Will Offering**,
also **coffee, dessert, and fellowship**.
So plan to come, **sign up**,
I think that you know where;
A time we'll have, I'm pretty sure,
that it will be more than fair.

Join us on January 11 as we host this month's Dartball. Enjoy fun and fellowship in this night of light hearted competition and coffee and snacks afterwards. Please bring a dessert to pass. Games start at 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall on Thursday, January 11. Any questions contact Brian Fuchs.



NERF

Grab your kids and your Nerf guns and get ready to have some fun. We will be having a Nerf battle on January 28 in the gym. This is a family event. Kids should not be dropped off! Elementary kids will meet from 1:30-3:00. Middle and High school aged kids will meet from 3:30-5:00. Bring your water bottle, your Nerf gun (labeled), and your needed ammo. If you do not have a Nerf gun, we will have a couple extra to share.

We will be having **Game Night on Saturday, January 27** from 6:30-8:30 p.m. This is a great time for families of all ages to come play games together. You can bring a favorite game or come and try something new. Bring a snack to share if you want or just come and enjoy. This is not a drop off event - bring the whole family!



HUMAN CARE



As inflation and rents increase, many people are struggling to pay for basic necessities. Please consider donating to the Trinity Human Care Fund. All donations help those in need in our congregation and the Faribault community.

January 7 "What is it that is essential for your life this New Year? What gifts do you cherish? Certainly, Jesus is the most precious gift we have! Let Him shine through your whole life this year. Take Him with you everywhere. Remember whose family you belong to! Cling to Jesus, our Father's Son this New Year! Our Father goes with you and promises His blessings, now and forever!"

Rev. Darren Green, St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church, Redwood Falls, Minnesota – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org

Thank you to everyone who supported the Soup Supper on Dec. 20. The 6th grade confirmation class was able to raise \$513 to donate to the St. Vincent de Paul Food Shelf.

STEWARDSHIP

January 2024 Newsletters are now available. Please be sure to read it online on our website or take home a printed copy from the Narthex today.

STATISTICS	
Attendance	General Fund Receipts
(Weekend Services, December 30 & 31, 2023)	
172	\$10,321
Weekly budgetary needs in 2023: \$14,171	
Please note that this is the budgetary needs, not the actual expenses. Actual expenses are depicted in the monthly graph.	



Thank you for supporting **Annual Trinity in 2023!** Giving Statements are now available in the Fellowship Hall mailboxes. Be sure to take yours home today and save the church postage.

Please look over your statement carefully and let Jennie in the church office know if you have questions or concerns.

Since our choir director is on vacation in the month of January, on January 14 and 28 the choir will be singing simple songs with only one rehearsal before the church service at 7:40 a.m. Anyone interested in singing with the choir is welcome. We are singing in unison, not parts. Nancy Simonson will be directing.



The Installation of our Board Members (LLB, FLS Brd. and 2nd Century) and our Elders will be held on Sunday, January 14 during the 8:00 a.m. service. Hope you can join us then!

- Lay Leadership Board:**
- ♦ Barbara Beatty (re-elected) (Secretary)
 - ♦ Jeff Blume (Chair)
 - ♦ Jim Boldt
 - ♦ Deb Malmanger
 - ♦ Mitch Miller (re-elected) (Vice chair)
 - ♦ Penny Reichert (re-elected)

- FLS Board (Trinity members):**
- ♦ Howard Bode
 - ♦ Sara Hewitt
 - ♦ Anna Meyer (re-elected)
 - ♦ Angela Swanson (re-elected)

- Elders:**
- ♦ Curt Becher
 - ♦ Steve Denninger
 - ♦ Wayne Meyer
 - ♦ Mark Prieve
 - ♦ Mark Quinlan
 - ♦ Brad Twedt

- 2nd Century Board:**
- ♦ Joanne Cross
 - ♦ Bob Sommers
 - ♦ Brad Twedt
 - ♦ Carol Vikla (newly elected)
 - ♦ Neal Weeg

- Special thanks for previously serving:**
- ♦ Barbara Beatty (2nd Century)
 - ♦ Steve Mullennex (LLB)

