

**Gift Planning offers sensible solutions for donors.** If your current estate plan was put into place many years ago, the needs of your children (and potentially grandchildren) most certainly have changed! Children may be well established; grandchildren may be past their college years, health and need may be greater. Your gift plan expresses the plans the Lord has placed on your heart for use of His gifts. Review the impact of your changing family dynamics regularly to make sure your plan is still in place. Our LCMS Gift Planning Counselor will help you consider how to accommodate changes that make the best sense for you and your family. Contact Kurt Fuhr.

**COMMUNITY**

**SKYWARN TRAINING**

**When:** Wednesday,  
April 17,  
6:30-9:00 p.m.

**Where:** 2 Cherry St.,  
Nerstrand, MN 55053



Skywarn Training in Nerstrand, MN, will be held at Nerstrand Fire, located two blocks south of Highway 246 at 2 Cherry St. The class is free and no registration is needed.

SKYWARN, Inc. works in association and is coordinated by the local office of the National Weather Service in Chanassen, MN. We are a team of volunteer storm spotters who are trained to support the NWS and our local communities during times of severe weather. Our observations and subsequent reports provide critical data for the early detection of weather events capable of threatening life and/or property.

**- Serving Trinity Lutheran Church and Faribault Lutheran School -**  
The Rev. Peter Gueldner, Intentional Interim Pastor  
Jennifer Kingland, Office Mgr. Bill Kirkpatrick, Finance Mgr. Nancy Simonson, Family Ministry  
Chrysteena Saehler, FLS Principal Jessica Lewis, FLS Secretary FLS Phone: (507) 334-7982  
Worship Broadcasts: Radio (KDHL 920 AM) Sunday at 8:00am  
Livestream: [www.trinityradioandvideo.org](http://www.trinityradioandvideo.org) 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.  
Church 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

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

Sat. (13 <sup>th</sup> )	8:30-1:00	Merger Mtg. (Peace)	
	9:30-4:00	Bridal Shower (Fellowship H)	
Sun. (14 <sup>th</sup> )	<b>5:30</b>	<b>Worship Service (C)</b>	
	<b>8:00</b>	<b>Worship Service (C)</b>	
	9:15	Adult Bible Study	
	9:15	Parent Bible Study	
	9:20	Youth Bible Study	
	<b>10:30</b>	<b>Connection Service</b>	
	<b>12:00</b>	<b>Joint Congregational Forum (Trinity Gym)</b>	
	1:30-5:30	AHG Brd. of Review	
	Mon. (15 <sup>th</sup> )	No Events on Church Calendar	
	Tue. (16 <sup>th</sup> )	8:30	Staff Mtg.
9:00		Bible Study	
2-2:50		FLS (Fellowship Hall)	
2-2:45		Violin Lessons (Music Room)	
4:15		Community Cathedral Café	
<b>6:30</b>		<b>Elders' Mtg.</b>	
8:30		FLS Chapel	
9:00		Quilting	
<b>10:00</b>		<b>Milestone (C)</b>	
Wed. (17 <sup>th</sup> )		<b>3:30</b>	<b>Faribault Senior Living (C)</b>
	6:00	Handbells	
	7:00	Choir	
	10:00	Prayer Group (Marilyn Steele's)	
	1:00	Women In Mission	
	2:00	FLS Play Dress Rehearsal	
	<b>6:00</b>	<b>FLS Kindergarten-2nd Grade Play (Gym)</b>	
	Fri. (19 <sup>th</sup> )	<b>Newsletter Deadline</b>	
		8:00	Men's Bible Study
		11:40-3:30	FLS (Church Kitchen)
Sat. (20 <sup>th</sup> )	8:30	Women In Mission Gathering (Trinity, Northfield)	
	<b>5:30</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>	
Sun. (21 <sup>st</sup> )	<b>8:00</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>	
	9:15	Adult Bible Study	
	9:15	Sunday School	
	9:15	Parent Bible Study (Nursery)	
	9:20	Youth Bible Study	
	<b>10:30</b>	<b>Connection Service (C)</b>	

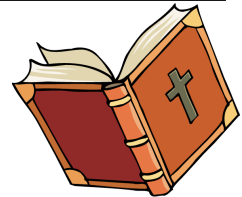
Our Mission:  
CONNECT...  
GROW...  
GO...

# Trinity News of the Week

**April 13 & 14, 2024**  
Trinity Lutheran Church  
Faribault, MN 55021

**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**

**The Minnesota State Bible Bowl had teams and individuals from the following churches:**



1. St. John Lutheran Church, Aitkin - 2 teams, 6 people
2. First Lutheran Church, Grand Rapids - 1 team, 4 people
3. Trinity Lutheran Church, Faribault - 3 teams, 9 people (Maggie Reindl, Lydia Schreck, Giovanna Giacomini, Braxton Weeg, Gabriel Giacomini, Nicolai Reindl, Janessa Franklin, Martha Kuehnel, Nevaeh Weeg)
4. St. Paul's Lutheran Church and School, Perham - 2 teams, 5 people
5. Trinity Lutheran Church, Waltham - 1 team, 5 people
6. Rose of Sharon Lutheran Church, Cottage Grove - 1 individual

Team trophies were awarded to the top 3 teams:

1. Trinity, Faribault, team A - Nevaeh Weeg, Janessa Franklin, Martha Kuehnel
2. First Lutheran, Grand Rapids
3. Trinity Faribault, team C - Nicolai Reindl, Braxton Weeg, Gabriel Giacomini

Individual trophies were awarded to the top 3 written test scores:

1. Jean Pierre Erasmus - Rose of Sharon, Cottage Grove
2. Braxton Weeg - Trinity, Faribault
3. Lillian Lovejoy - First Lutheran, Grand Rapids

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We studied the book of Acts. Our key verse was a phrase from Acts 4:12 - "There is salvation in no one else." If you will be in grades 7 - 12 next year, you are invited to join us in all the blessings that come from studying and thus knowing God's Word, the Bible. In Christ, *Philip Simonson*

WEEKLY DEVOTIONAL READINGS	
Mon. 4/15: Acts 4:1-12	Thu. 4/18: Is. 40:25-31
Tue. 4/16: Psalm 23	Fri. 4/19: 1 Pet. 2:11-20
Wed. 4/17: 1 John 3:16-24	Sat. 4/20: John 10:11-18

**FARIBAULT LUTHERAN SCHOOL**  
The K-2 play will be on April 18 at 6:00 p.m. This year the students will be performing "The Bear Went Over the Mountain." The dress rehearsal will be on Thursday, April 18 at 2:00 p.m. All are invited!

**EVANGELISM**

**In Our Prayers for Strength, Comfort, and Healing...** Dana; Kathy Anderson; Matt Anderson; Nancy Appelgren; Verna Bahl; Donna Babcock; Chuck Beatty; Diane Bauernfeind; Gloria Cloutier; Lisa Hanson; Lowell Hetletvedt; Dwight & Ruth Hildebrandt; Lee Koopmans; Lucas Kromminga; Chuck LaCroix; Vern Meintsma; Mertice Reck; Lorraine Roemhildt; Scott Rost; Shirley Rost; Diane Schultz; Jayne & Todd Voge; Barb Young; Mary Ann Young

**Prayers for the family & friends of Brian Fay,** uncle of Chrysteena (Dan) Saehler, who passed away Monday, April 8.

The Radio Broadcast this Sunday is given by Larry and Brad Twedt in loving memory of Barbara Twedt, whose birthday would have been April 20.

**Women In Mission Gathering**  
**Saturday, April 20, 2024**  
**Trinity Lutheran Church**  
**803 Winona St., Northfield, MN**

8:30-9:15 Registration/Brunch  
 \$10.00 includes Brunch  
 9:30-11:30 a.m. Program

Please help our Women in Mission gather Gifts from the Heart items. You may place items in the basket in the narthex.



**Needed** - Diapers sizes 5,6,7; Baby Wipes, Paper Towels; Toilet Paper; Dish Soap; Laundry Soap; Cleaning Products.

*Thank you for your support!*

**WOMEN IN MISSION**

Please join us on Thursday, April 18 at 1:00 p.m. for a joint Peace/Trinity meeting in the Fellowship Hall.



**FELLOWSHIP**

**WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS!**

We will be receiving several families as new members of Trinity on Sunday, April 28 during the 10:30 a.m. service.

A potluck will be held in honor of our newest members following the service. Please be sure to join us in welcoming these wonderful young families. Bring a dish to share and introduce yourself!

The Lively #5 Neighborhood Group will meet Sunday evening the 28th at 5:30 p.m. at the home of Larry and Vivian Hagre at 405 Jane St. E, Morristown, MN 55052. Bring a dish to pass and enjoy fun, food and fellowship. JOIN US.

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

From the movie that we last saw, many reported to us with glee



That "UNsung HEROES" would be another good show for our J.O.Y. group to see.

It's about problems that are faced with the help of faith and family; It's later to be released, so we will wait, and watch it on **April 30**.



**\$5 Tuesday**, of course, what a deal, but don't be horrified, **Carpooling and movie time**, when revealed, **you'll be notified**.

**Afterward**, snack or supper at **Culver's**, seems always to be a hit;

**Please sign up**, leave your **phone number**, too, you won't want to be missed.

**HUMAN CARE**

**Caregiver Support Group**

The Family Caregiver Support Group meets monthly on Tuesday from 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Come spend time with other caregivers and friends who want to share experiences, vent about challenges or just listen to thoughts and ideas with others who might be walking a similar path. Kathy Voss CPD, Certified Dementia Practitioner and Certified Caregiving Consultant will facilitate the discussion. A confidential, caring environment will be offered to all who are interested. Contact Anne Pleskonko Neighbors Helping Neighbors at Buckham West, 507-332-7357, if you have any questions. The following dates are April 23, May 21, June 18.



One of our Trinity families is in need of a working (new or used) dishwasher. If you have one that you would be willing to donate, please contact the church office, 507-331-6579.

**Community Café Needs Your Support.**

About 10% of our population here in Faribault is food insecure, meaning that even after prudent spending habits, they can't afford food. And rising food costs make it even worse. That's why the Community Café, now in its 15<sup>th</sup> year at the Episcopal Cathedral, has stepped up to provide a free, hearty and nutritious meal to around 250 people every Tuesday at the Cathedral Guild House from 4:15 to 5:30 p.m. Volunteers from churches, including Trinity, along with other organizations, assemble and serve meals. When available, surplus food commodities are also given out. The Café depends on support from churches, organizations and businesses, United Way and other grants, but making ends meet is always a challenge.

Help people right here in Faribault by donating to the Café Door Offering on Saturday/Sunday, April 20 & 21. For further information call the Cathedral office at 507-334-7732.

**Lisa Hanson Fundraiser**  
**Sunday, May 19, 12:00-5:00 p.m.**  
**Owatonna VFW**

**Meal, Silent Auction, Bake Sale and more**  
*"Her Fight Is Our Fight"*

Recently, Lisa Hanson was diagnosed with stage IV non-small cell lung cancer. During this last month, she has undergone treatment, including radiation and chemotherapy. Lisa has made positive impacts throughout the community. She has worked at Peace Lutheran Preschool in Faribault, MN, for 20+ years and was also a daycare provider. She is the most caring and selfless person, and now it is our turn to care for her during this cancer journey.

If you have items that you want to donate, drop your items off at Owatonna Motor Company.



**Care Receiver & Caregiver Partner Program**

Caregivers and the care recipients join for meaningful social activities such as storytelling, music, and games. Program is on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month at 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. in the Activity Room at Buckham West Senior Center on April 23, May 21 (3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday), and June 25. There is no cost for the program. If you'd like to have lunch, you need to call Buckham West at 507-332-7357 and sign up a day ahead of time. Cost for the meal ages 59 and under is \$9.75 and for age 60 and older a \$4.00 donation is suggested.

**STEWARDSHIP**

**Joint Congregational Forum**

This Sunday, **April 14 at noon** there will be a joint congregational forum for members of both Trinity and Peace churches to hear a report on the outcome of the April 13 workshop.



There will be a light lunch following the 10:30 service in the Trinity gym.

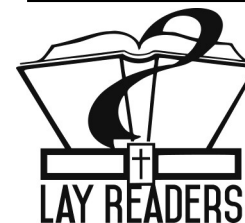
The joint forum will begin promptly at noon in the gym. Please be sure to attend!

**STATISTICS**

Attendance	General Fund Receipts
<i>(Saturday &amp; Sunday, April 6 &amp; 7, 2024)</i>	
205	\$ 8,866

**Weekly budgetary needs in 2024: \$13,850**

*Please note that this is the budgetary needs, not the actual expenses. Actual expenses are depicted in the monthly graph.*



**We are looking for Lay Readers for the 5:30, 8:00 & 10:30 a.m. services.** Please sign up to read by calling the church office.