

## COMMUNITY

**July 21, 2024**  
**4:30-7:00 p.m.**  
 at the Half Pint Brewing  
 Company  
 40099 150th Street  
 Waseca, MN 56093



Free will offering to benefit the building fund  
 for our South Addition.  
[www.bloominggroveumc.org](http://www.bloominggroveumc.org)



## WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sat. (20 <sup>th</sup> )	9-1:00	Bridal Shower (Fellowship Hall)
	9-12	FLS School Cleaning
	5:30	Worship Service
Sun. (21 <sup>st</sup> )	8:00	Worship Service
	9:15	Special Mission Presentation
	10:30	Connection Service (C)
Mon. (22 <sup>nd</sup> )	8:00	Pie-makers
	7:00	Trumps' Bible Study (off site)
Tue. (23 <sup>rd</sup> )	8:30	Staff Mtg.
	4:15	Community Cathedral Café
	6:30	Women's Bible Study
Wed. (24 <sup>th</sup> )		Church Office Closed
Thu. (25 <sup>th</sup> )	10:00	Prayer Group (M. Steele's)
	7:00	VBS Mtg. (Music Room)
Fri. (26 <sup>th</sup> )	8:00	Men's Bible Study
Sat. (27 <sup>th</sup> )	5:30	Worship Service (C)
Sun. (28 <sup>th</sup> )	8:00	Worship Service (C)
	9:15	Adult Bible Study
	10:30	Connection Service

### - 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

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



## Trinity News of the Week

**July 20 & 21, 2024**  
 Trinity Lutheran Church  
 Faribault, MN 55021

### Update from the Consolidation Committee

The consolidation committee has created a visual initial stage gate process that is available for the congregants. The sub-committees are continuing to gather information that will establish the timeline for each stage of the consolidation process. The consolidation committee continues to work under the joint mission of both congregations. The following mission statement was previously approved by both congregations:

*Receiving Christ in Word and Sacrament to walk together to teach and share all that Christ has commanded as we love and serve our neighbors.*

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

### VBS SCUBA

**August 4-8, 2024, 6-8:00pm**  
 With light supper at 5:30pm

**For ages 3 through grade 6**  
**Register today!**

You can register through our  
 website <https://trinityfaribault.org> or at  
<https://vbspro.events/p/715e28>  
 or fill out the forms found on the  
 information center or use this  
 QR code:



**A VBS meeting for  
 volunteers will be held on  
 Thursday, July 25, 7:00 p.m.  
 in the Music Room.**

## WEEKLY DEVOTIONAL READINGS

Mon. 7/22: Ps. 136:1-9	Thu. 7/25: 1 Cor. 10:6-13
Tue. 7/23: Gen. 9:8-17	Fri. 7/26: Luke 16:1-13
Wed. 7/24: Eph. 3:14-21	Sat. 7/27: Mark 6:45-56

## EVANGELISM

**In Our Prayers for Strength, Comfort, and Healing...** Brian; Kathy Anderson; Matt Anderson; Nancy Appelgren; Verna Bahl; Donna Babcock; Myrna Bauer; Chuck Beatty; Jasmine Becher; Gloria Cloutier; Lowell Hetletvedt; Dwight & Ruth Hildebrandt; Kevin & Sheila Kreger; Lee Koopmans; Lucas Kromminga; Chuck LaCroix; Vern Meintsma; Mertice Reck; Scott Rost; Shirley Rost; Diane Schultz; Tammy Schwichtenberg; Jayne & Todd Voge

The Radio Broadcast and the flowers beside the pulpit are given in memory of Marlane Elthon by Todd & Jayne Voge.

Rev. Gatluk Reat and Bob Sommers will give a special presentation and update on the missions of assisting the churches in Gambella, Ethiopia, and improving sustainability through increased crop production in the Lare area. Please join us at 9:15 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall this Sunday, July 21.





**Thank you to our fair booth volunteers!**

A **BIG “thank you”** to all of our volunteers who helped out at our Rice County Fair Booth this year. You made a big difference by showing a friendly face and sharing Christ’s love in our community.

Special thanks to Carol Ciffra and Scott Howard for again taking charge of the fair booth.

Also thanks to Thrivent for providing Thrivent Action seed money for this event.

**FELLOWSHIP**

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

Let’s go out to the **ballgame**;  
 Let’s go out for some **fun**.  
 What will bring more enjoyment  
 Than watching softball under the sun? ☀  
 We saw the writing in the diamond’s sand,  
 To watch **Golden Eagles softball**  
 [back by popular demand].  
 Playing **against** our **Rochester** foe,  
 Two 7 inning games, don’t you know?  
**1<sup>st</sup> Game’s at 9:30, on Alexander Park, field 2;**  
**Tuesday, August 6,** cheer the home team  
 “woo-hoo, woo-hoo”!

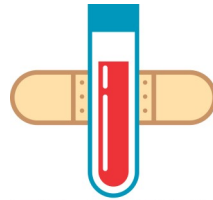
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A **free will offering** for a **hotdog lunch** will be swell;  
 With other little goodies, though too numerous to tell.  
 We have a **“prize”** it’s called **“a door”**  
 Who can **predict the winner and the 1st game’s final score?**  
**Sign up** at the Welcome Center **by the 4<sup>th</sup> of August.**  
 Please sign up soon, the day’s quickly upon us.

**HUMAN CARE**

**Donate Blood. Help Save Lives.**

*Every 2 seconds someone in the U.S. needs blood.*



**BLOOD DRIVE**  
 Friday, August 2, 2024  
 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**BLOOD DRIVE**

Trinity Lutheran Church  
 Fellowship Hall

Please use the Red Cross Donor App, call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: TrinityFaribault to schedule an appointment.



*20th Anniversary Celebration*

**August 23, 2024**  
**5pm - 9pm**

Apple Creek Orchard  
 5524 185th Street W  
 Faribault, MN 55021

**HAYRIDES GAMES FOOD TRUCKS LIVE MUSIC**

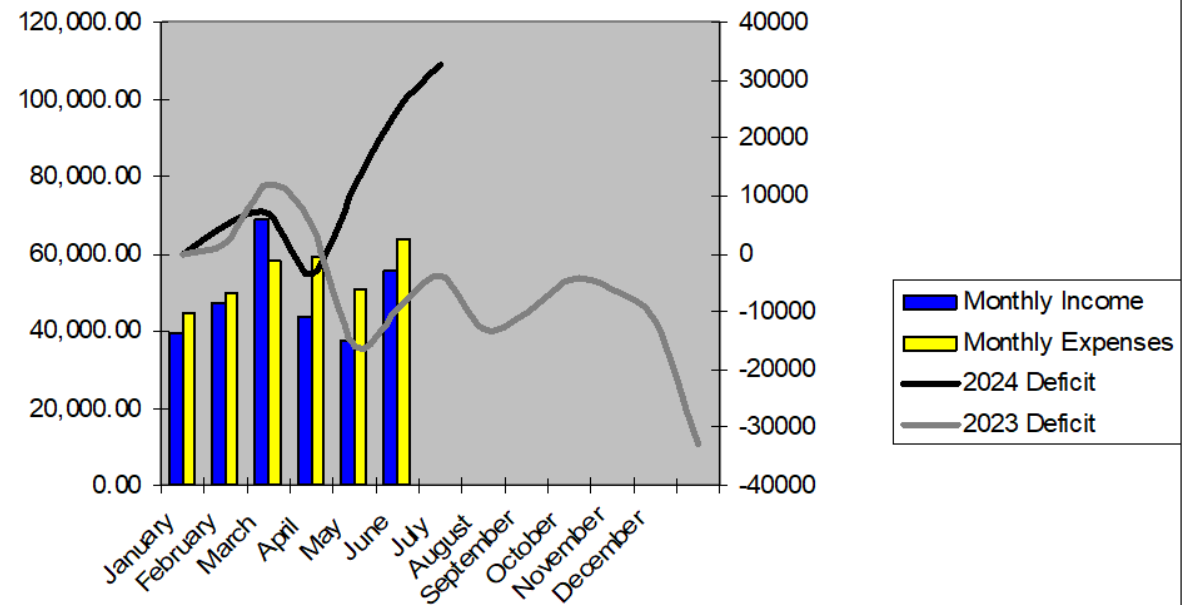
**July 21** “We have the grace and truth of the Gospel to share—not only with women and men in crisis pregnancies but also with those so adamantly advocating for abortion. Why would we not share Christ with a lost and hurting people?”

*Diane Albers, President of Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org*

**STEWARDSHIP**

**Our June contributions were up quite a bit, not quite enough to cover our expenses for the month, but close. If our contributions in July equal those for June, we should exceed our expenses in July and the deficit curve will start to go down. Keep up the good work.**  
*Bill Kirkpatrick*

**2024 Income/Expense Monthly Deficit Comparison**



STATISTICS	
Attendance	General Fund Receipts
<i>(Saturday &amp; Sunday, July 13/14, 2024)</i>	
207	\$15,377
<b>Weekly budgetary needs in 2024: \$13,850</b>	
<i>Please note that this is the budgetary needs, not the actual expenses. Actual expenses are depicted in the monthly graph.</i>	

**The Church Office** will be **CLOSED** Wednesdays, July 24 and 31. Sorry for the inconvenience.