

## COMMUNITY

**St. John's United Church of Christ**  
Presents Drama of the da Vinci Painting  
of the Lord's Supper  
*19086 Jacobs Ave., Faribault, MN*  
*Wheeling Township*  
Palm Sunday, April 13, 2025  
8:00 p.m. in-person / and livestreamed

A monologue featuring each of the disciples and their relationship with Christ is also a part of the presentation.

### CALL DAY 2025

Call Day 2025 is approaching! Students will receive their first pastoral or diaconal ministry placements and second-year students will receive their vicarage or internship assignments.

**St. Louis** –  
Pastoral & Diaconal Placements: April 30 at 7:00 pm (Central)  
Vicarage & internship Assignments: April 30 at 3:00 pm (Central). Livestream: [csl.edu/live](http://csl.edu/live),  
Facebook: [www.facebook.com/ConcordiaSem](http://www.facebook.com/ConcordiaSem),  
YouTube: [www.youtube.com/c/ConcordiaSeminary](http://www.youtube.com/c/ConcordiaSeminary)  
For more information, visit [csl.edu/call-day](http://csl.edu/call-day).

**Fort Wayne** -  
Pastoral Placements: April 29 at 6:00 pm (Central)  
Vicar Placements: April 28 at 6:00 pm (Central)  
Livestream: [www.ctsfw.edu/daily-chapel](http://www.ctsfw.edu/daily-chapel) or  
[www.facebook.com/ctsfw](http://www.facebook.com/ctsfw).

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sat. (29 <sup>th</sup> )	Wrestling—Trinity Radio Club 1:00 Doors Open 2:00 Wrestling Show (Bell) 5:30 Worship Service
Sun. (30 <sup>th</sup> )	8:00 Worship Service 9:15 Adult Bible Study 9:15 Sunday School 9:20 Youth Bible Study 10:30 Worship Service 1:00 Consolidation Mtg. (Peace) 1:30 Bible Bowl Practice 6:30 Women's Bible Study 8:30 Staff Mtg. 2-2:45 FLS (Fellowship Hall) 2:45-4:30 Violin (Music Room) 3:45 New Member Class (Conference Rm) 4:15 Community Cathedral Café 4:30-5:15 LEGO Club (Fellowship Hall) 8:30 FLS Chapel 9:00 Quilting 2:30 New Perspective (C) 4:00 Pleasant View Estates (C) 5:30 Confirmation (Peace) 5:30 Lenten Service 6:30 Lenten Supper 6:30 Handbells 7:00 Choir 7:00 Connection
Mon. (31 <sup>st</sup> )	Pastor Out of Office
Tue. (1 <sup>st</sup> )	10:00 Prayer Group (M. Steele's) 3-4:10 FLS Choir (Music Room) 5:45-7:30 AHG Troop (FH, N, Gym, MR)
Wed. (2 <sup>nd</sup> )	8:00 Men's Bible Study 9:50 Tone Chimes
Thu. (3 <sup>rd</sup> )	Bible Bowl Competition (Concordia, St. Paul) 1-3:00 AHG Talent Show (Gym) 5:00 FLS Gala (Fbo Golf & Country Club)
Fri. (4 <sup>th</sup> )	5:30 Worship Service 8:00 Worship Service 9:15 Bill's Retirement Reception 9:15 Sunday School 9:20 Youth Bible Study 10:30 Connection Service (C) 11:30 Potluck
Sat. (5 <sup>th</sup> )	Sun. (6 <sup>th</sup> )

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

The Rev. Peter Gueldner, Intentional Interim Pastor  
Jennifer Kingland, Office Mgr. Noel Handberg, Financial Coordinator Nancy Simonson, Family Ministry  
Chrysteena Saehler, FLS Principal Alexia Cates, 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](http://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

March 29 & 30, 2025  
Trinity Lutheran Church  
Faribault, MN 55021

### Update from the Consolidation Committee

The consolidation committee is requesting that all congregation members come to each Town Hall meeting in order to get a complete picture of the proposal that will be voted on during the May congregation meetings.

### Town Hall Meeting:

Properties: opportunities and limitations: March 30, 2025, 1pm-2pm @ Peace

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

### WEEKLY DEVOTIONAL READINGS

Mon. 3/31: 1 Kings 17:8-24	Thu. 4/3: Isaiah 43:16-21
Tue. 4/1: 1 Cor. 15:12-28, 50-58	Fri. 4/4: Phil. 3:4b-7
Wed. 4/2: Luke 7:11-17	Sat. 4/5: Luke 20:9-20



**Did you know that Trinity** has chartered an American Heritage Girls troop for the last 8 years? There are currently 43 girls being served by the program. These girls are blessed to hear about God's Word each time they come to a meeting. We are looking for someone to step into the role of leading these devotions. Please pray about it!

If you have questions, please reach out to Billie Jo or Becca.

**Mark Your Calendars:** Confirmation will be held at Trinity on Palm Sunday, April 13 at the 10:30 service. Please come and show your support for the eight young people from Peace and Trinity as they publicly declare their faith in their Savior Jesus Christ.

### FARIBAULT LUTHERAN SCHOOL

### Get Your FLS Gala Tickets!

Join us for a fun action-packed night as we become heroes for Faribault Lutheran School. **GALA**  
Saturday, April 5 at the Faribault Golf & Country Club. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. Purchase your tickets between church services, at the school office or online at [flsweb.org/flsgala](http://flsweb.org/flsgala). **Tickets are now \$75 apiece.**

## EVANGELISM & OUTREACH

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

Brendan; Cory; Donnie;  
Shirley T.; Kathy;  
Matt; Donna & Harold; Chuck; Kathy B.;  
Harland; Niki; LeAnn; Roberta; Dwight &  
Ruth; Chuck; Vern; Cheryl; Kevin; Bud;  
Laurie; Barb; Mertice; Shirley; Scott;  
Shirley; Larry; Diane; Ted; Gene; Helen;  
Jayne & Todd

**Prayers for the family** and friends of Lavern Schultz, who passed away March 26.

**WOMEN IN MISSION: Two special Collections!**

**Women In Mission for Veterans:** Women In Mission will have a collection for the VA hospital in Minneapolis. They need men’s crock or crock-like shoes in sizes 9, 10, 11, & 12. They also need men’s sports shorts with elastic, sizes Large, Extra-Large and 2XX. A basket is in the narthex for your donations; please place items in the basket by April 6.

**Women In Mission** will also be collecting items for the Pregnancy Options LifeCare Center. This pro-life organization needs new or used baby & toddler clothes; diapers sizes 4, 5, 6; wipes; and infant hygiene items. A basket will be in the narthex April 6, 13 & 20 to collect these items.

Come to the LWML Gathering on April 26 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Medford to hear Gina Little speak about this organization and the wonderful things that are happening.

**FELLOWSHIP**

**Bill Kirkpatrick will be retiring at the end of March.**

There will be a reception for him on Sunday, April 6 between services.



*Thank you, Bill, for your many years of service as Trinity’s Financial / Property Manager!*

**Special Welcome** to our NEW Financial Coordinator, Noel Handberg!



**Come meet the Bible Bowl** participants and hear about their experience! We will have a whole church **potluck on Sunday, April 6** after the 10:30 service. Bible Bowl participants have been invited along with their families. This is also a great time for GRANDfriends to get together as well. We want you to join us!

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

We know that its tax filing day,  
So let’s get up and get away,

To **Faribault Family Restaurant**  
We’ll do **brunch**, come make the jaunt.

(Meet at their location, it’s easier that way,  
Off hwy. 21, the Speedway gas building, by  
the freeway.)

We’ll eat, converse, such a pleasant scene;  
At **11 a.m., Tuesday, April 15.**

**Sign up**, we’ll make the reservations  
Then prepare for good, good vibrations.

**New members will be recognized** at Trinity on Sunday, April 6. Be sure to introduce yourself and welcome them to Trinity!



- ✦ Leah
- ✦ Christopher & Sarah  
Children—Benjamin & Theodore
- ✦ Kevin & Sarah

**Needed for Easter Breakfast:**  
**EASTER BREKFAST:**  
**9-11 a.m. in the Trinity gym.**

Volunteers to help out  
(arrive at church at 7:45  
a.m. on April 20.)



We also need donations of muffins, donuts, banana bread, or other baked goods.

If you can volunteer to help or bring a dessert, please sign up at the information center.

**HUMAN CARE**

“Our Lord dwelt among us for quite some time without anyone seeing or meeting Him. Yet in this span, He consecrated and sanctified every human life from its very beginning at the moment of fertilization. And He demonstrated that neither age nor appearance nor ability—nor any lack thereof—improves or impairs anyone’s worth. God creates, redeems, and calls each one as His own to start with.”

*Pastor Michael Salemink, Lutherans For Life – A Life  
Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org*

**The Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVdP)** is a nonprofit and all volunteer organization that operates a food shelf and free clothing store for local families in need.



Trinity continues to collect non-perishable food items and personal hygiene products to support St. Vincent. Items may be placed in the baskets beside the Trinity narthex entrances. Monetary donations may be mailed to 617 3rd Ave. NW, Faribault, MN 55021 or dropped off on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Volunteers are welcome, call 507-334-2100 or visit their website for more information <https://stvincentdepaulfaribault.com>. Your continued support is greatly appreciated.

**STEWARDSHIP**

**STATISTICS**  
**Attendance      General Fund Receipts**

83	\$ 1,164
<i>(Midweek Lent, March 19, 2025)</i>	
199	\$ 5,893
<i>(Saturday &amp; Sunday, March 22 &amp; 23, 2025)</i>	

**Weekly budgetary needs in 2025: \$14,139**

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

**WORSHIP**

**Please continue to join us for our midweek services** on Wednesdays, April 2 & 9, 5:30 p.m. Each service is followed by supper in the Fellowship Hall.

**You are invited to a special Senior Citizen Communion Service & Lunch** on Maundy Thursday, April 17, 2025, 10:30 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran.



Dinner will be served in the Fellowship Hall after the service. The dinner is free, but reservations are required. Please sign up at the information center or call the church office to RSVP for the lunch.

We look forward to having you worship with us during this special service for seniors.

**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

- ✦ **MAUNDY THURSDAY—April 17, 10:30 a.m. Senior Service with Holy Communion** (followed by lunch in the Fellowship Hall. Please RSVP to the church office for lunch)
- ✦ **MAUNDY THURSDAY— April 17, 7:00 p.m. with Holy Communion** (live streamed and KDHL 920AM)
- ✦ **GOOD FRIDAY—April 18, 7:00 p.m.:** (live streamed and KDHL 920AM)
- ✦ **EASTER VIGIL Remembrance of Baptism—April 19, 5:30 p.m. with Holy Communion**
- ✦ **EASTER SUNDAY—April 20 8:00 a.m. - Festival Service with Holy Communion** (live streamed and KDHL 920AM)
- ✦ **EASTER SUNDAY—April 20 10:30 a.m. - Contemporary Service with Holy Communion** (live streamed)