



**SERVICE  
TIMES**

SATURDAY 6:00 P.M. / SUNDAY: 8:00 & 10:45 A.M.  
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# MESSAGE BOARD

September 20-21, 2025

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## OCTOBER SH REFUGE

SH Refuge will be at Trista Crady/Teon & Mariah Ford's home (1126 W. Nowland Ave., Peoria) from 5:30-8:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 5, for an evening of snacks, games and devotion. All SH youth and always your friends are very welcome.

## TRINITY GARAGE OVERHAUL WORK DAY

Adults, youth and older children are invited to come on either Saturday, October 4, 9:00-11:00 a.m. and/or Sunday, October 12, 1:30-3:30 p.m. to help clean out and redo the Trinity garage. Please bring work gloves. RSVP by texting DCE Scott at (309) 251-2623.

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION THIS WEEK

- **Adult Bible Study:** 9:30 a.m. Sunday in the Walther Room. Led by Pastor Nelson, concentrating on Psalms 1-50 using the Concordia Commentary by Timothy E. Saleska. All are welcome.
- **High School Bible Study:** 9:30 a.m. Sunday in the SH Room. Led by DCE Scott Rauch, Eric Hipple and Trista Crady.
- **Women's Bible Study:** 9:30 a.m. in the Berean Room. Led by Cori Wong and focused on the book "Everyday Joys" by Tama Fortner.
- **Jubilation At Church:** This week, children will have Singing Sunday with an Opening Fun Song and Prayerk and then Singing Rehearsal. September Home Packets are ready for pickup in the foyer. Contact DCE Scott Rauch if you would like to receive a Jubilation at Home packet for your family.
- **Monday Bible Study:** An eight-week women's study of the book "Chosen-A Study of Esther" by Donna Snow continues each Monday from 9:00-11:00 a.m. through the end of October. Please call Beth Stauffer (309) 648-9334 with any questions.
- **Wednesday Bible Study:** "Cross and Crown - Paul's letters to the Corinthian Church" - 7:30-8:30 a.m. on Google Meet (find the link on the Trinity website calendar). DCE Scott Rauch will lead the group through 1st & 2nd Corinthians from the perspective of the foolish wisdom of Christ's cross into the crown of His victorious resurrection. Come and join in for a good start to a Wednesday morning.

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## TRINITY STAFF

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**Matthew B. Synnott**, Pastor / Ext. 205

**Scott Rauch**, Dir. of Christian Ed. / Ext. 203

**Peter Wykert**, Cantor / Ext. 207

**Tom Baggett** Interim Fin. Manager/Ext. 206

**Kerri Blicharz**, Comm. Coordinator

## BOARD OF CHRISTIAN CARE

Dick LeCrone      Ken Erdman

Dave Mingus      Alan Stahl

Chris Pasold      Mark King

Bill Wagner      Jon Reick

Nicholas Farley

## IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS

### Those Serving In The Armed Forces

Aslan Fountain (grandson of Ralph Reichert)

Jeremy Thrane (grandson of Phyllis Basquin)

Tyler Peifer (grandson-in-law to Kathy Knapp)

Madison Raistrick (granddaughter of Donna

Winkler) ~ Cameron Engquist

### Trinity Shut-Ins

Marlene Cook ~ Shirley Selke ~ Max Wessler

Carol Hinton ~ Alice Clark ~ Annette Smith

Flo Burns ~ Dinah Turner ~ Emma Ott

Don & Barbara Cullen ~ Phyllis Basquin

Don & Pat Hagar ~ Ruth Anderson

Elva Head

### September Anniversaries

#### 60 Years

Larry and Carol Haste (25)

#### 25 Years

Brett and Christina Newnam (10)

#### 15 Years

Will and Elizabeth Fung (18)

## SEPTEMBER MISSION OF THE MONTH

### GIDEONS INTERNATIONAL

Gideons International ([gideons.org/](http://gideons.org/)) is a body of believers dedicated to making the Word of God available to everyone and, together with the local church, reaching souls for Christ. Bill and Connie Wagner work with the Gideons. *Trinity's missions are financially supported through our offerings and paid according to our annual budget. If you wish to additionally support one of our missions you are welcome to connect with that agency.*

### TRINITY FOOD PANTRY

If you wish to donate to the Trinity Food Pantry, contact Diana Martino or Scott Rauch with questions. For October, which must be at Trinity by October 12, they are asking for canned pasta and boxed potatoes (not mashed). In September, the Trinity Food Pantry served 24 people.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR JOAN FREUDENBURG

The family of Joan Freudenburg invites everyone at Trinity to join in celebrating her 90th birthday! A card shower with cake will be held Sunday, Oct. 12 in the gym during coffee hour, following the 8:00 service. Bring a card! Eat cake! Celebrate!

## AUGUST 2025 STATEMENT

**Income:** \$75,795

**Aug. Loss:** \$18,734

**Expenses:** \$94,521

**YTD:** -\$133,842

### Coming Up September 27-28

*Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

**Readings:** Amos 6:1-7/1 Tim. 3:1-13/Luke 16:19-31

**Preacher:** Pastor Matthew B. Synnott



Concordia students from Kindergarten through Grade 5 sing at Trinity on Sunday, Sept. 14.

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## WEEKLY TRINITY PRAYER SHEET

**Submitting Prayer Requests:** Call, text or email Pastor Nelson (309) 453-7231;  
[pastornelson@trinitypeoria.com](mailto:pastornelson@trinitypeoria.com)

## SIGN UP TO RECEIVE TRINITY MESSAGE BOARD BY EMAIL

If you or someone you know would like to receive the new Message Board by email, just contact Kerri in the church office 309-676-4609 or email [tlc@trinitypeoria.com](mailto:tlc@trinitypeoria.com).

We can get the names added to the list.

You can also call the office to receive a paper copy of the Message Board if you do not have digital access.



# CONCORDIA LUTHERAN

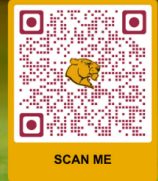
## Golf Classic

 Monday, Oct 13th, 10 AM Shotgun Start

 Country Club of Peoria

 [www.golfeventsguy.com/concordia](http://www.golfeventsguy.com/concordia)

 Call Nate Gregg, 309-210-4656



### CONCORDIA LUTHERAN SCHOOL STAFF

Eric Hipple, Fine Arts Director / David Askew, teacher/ Marriah Pummill, teacher

Destiny King, teacher's aide / Mary Farley, teacher's aide

Pam McClure, Food Service Coordinator / Jenny Carmean, Food Service

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### TRINITY WOMEN'S GROUP FALL GATHERING

The next Trinity Women's Group gathering will be Sunday, Oct. 19, beginning at 2:00 p.m. in the Walther Room. All women of Trinity are invited to attend. Our guest speaker will be McKenna Ferry, radio host of WCIC. McKenna is a morning radio host with a passion for authentic, relevant conversations about faith. She is dedicated to helping people see how a relationship with God fits into everyday living. Also, there will be seasonal refreshments served. Please call Beth Stauffer ~ 309-648-9334 ~ with any questions.

### TRINITY'S REFORMATION HYMN FESTIVAL / OCTOBERFEST MEAL

Come and enjoy a festive meal of sausages, schnitzel and sauerkraut at Trinity's annual Oktoberfest meal on Sunday, October 26, and stay for the Reformation Hymn Festival that begins at 2:00 p.m. that day. The meal will be served from noon to 1:30 p.m. in the gym. Also on the menu: Potatoes and applesauce. The Hymn Festival theme is "God Is Our Refuge" based on Psalm 46. RSVP to the meal at [trinitypeoria.com](http://trinitypeoria.com).



Concordia  
LUTHERAN SCHOOL

# 6th Grade Outdoor Ed



## MIDWEST FOOD BANK VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES

Trinity Lutheran's volunteer dates are:

- 9:00-11:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 24 (10 volunteer openings)
- 9:00-11:00 a.m., Wednesday, October 22 (15 volunteer openings) - will be assisting in packing the Salvation Army/PNC/Midwest Food Bank Christmas Food Boxes for the Peoria area.
- 9:00-11:00 a.m., Tuesday, November 18 (10 volunteer openings)

**Registration link for all 3 dates:** <https://x.gldn.io/e/FosiZixNDVb>

### Food Bank Volunteering FAQ

- **Who do I contact if I have any questions?** Please call Ileen Grebner, our Volunteer Coordinator. She can be reached at 309-691-5270, ext. 1 or [igrebner@midwestfoodbank.org](mailto:igrebner@midwestfoodbank.org)
- **What will we be doing?** Most groups will repackage bulk food/products into family-sized bags. These family-sized bags will be distributed within the next two months to our partner agencies. We partner with 350 agencies. Depending on the need, you could be packaging our product called Tender Mercies.
- **What is the address of where we will be volunteering?** Midwest Food Bank, Peoria is located at [9005 N Industrial Rd, Peoria IL 61615](https://www.google.com/maps/place/905+N+Industrial+Ave+Peoria,+IL+61615/@39.72811,-91.52811,15z)

## KEEP US UPDATED

If you have a new address, email address or telephone number, please notify the church office, either by phone (309-676-4609) or email: [tlc@trinitypeoria.com](mailto:tlc@trinitypeoria.com). **We will be completing the 2025 Church Directory in the next month and would love to have the address and phone number changes included.**