

# MESSAGE BOARD

September 27-28, 2025

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## 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.

# **KEEP US UPDATED**

We will be completing the 2025 Church Directory in the next month and need your address and phone number changes. A proofing copy of the new directory is on the foyer sign-in table. Please write in any changes or corrections to your contact information. You can also email changes to tlc@trinitypeoria.com.

### 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 Opening Story Review and Prayer, and then time with Family Encouragers, including a snack and work on the whole group Christmas Craft. October 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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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/) 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 October 4-5

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

**Readings:** Hab. 1:1-4;2:1-4/2 Tim. 1:1-14/Luke

17:1-10

**Preacher:** Pastor Mark J. Nelson

### **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 WOMEN IN MISSION BIBLE STUDY

Trinity Women in Mission Bible Study will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 9, in the Walther Room. Betty Hohlfeld will be leading the group using a study from the Lutheran Women's Quarterly. All women of Trinity are invited to join in fellowship, study, and prayer. Hope to see you there.

# **COLLECTING MITES FOR MISSIONS**

**Grant #1–Student Aid for Church Workers:** \$30,000–Due to the high cost of becoming a full-time church worker, many students find it difficult to complete their schooling. This grant will provide partial funding to CID students so they may realize their dreams of becoming full-time church workers. These funds would be distributed through the LCMS CID Scholarship Committee.

How can I help? Pray that God provides men and women willing to become church workers to spread the Gospel message throughout the world. Support this grant by donating to Trinity's mite box fund October 11 or 12 in the foyer.

### WEEKLY TRINITY PRAYER SHEET

**Submitting Prayer Requests:** Call, text or email Pastor Nelson (309) 453-7231; 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.

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 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 Octoberfest 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 <u>trinitypeoria.com</u>.