



HELLO TRINITY FRIENDS!
News for the week of August 11, 2024

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS...

- **Carl Looney**, recovering from a medical procedure
- **Sue** (relative of a staff member), beginning cancer treatments
- **Tammie Lansingh**, recovering at home
- **Preab Berry**, recovering at home
- **Annette Patterson** (friend of Trinity)
- **The family of Carol Bergmooser**, called to eternal life August 3
- **Laurie & Todd Favreau** upon the death of Laurie's father
- **The family of Gabe McQuade**, who died July 31
- **Sarah McQuade**, healing from injuries sustained in a traffic accident

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MINISTRY – FAITH, FAMILY, AND FUN! This fall, we look forward to offering a new opportunity to gather in community and fellowship around the Word of God. All are encouraged to join us for Faith, Family, and Fun each Wednesday evening **beginning September 11**. A meal will be served at 5:00p; studies for children and adults begin at 5:45 (more details to come). To help our wonderful volunteers estimate how much food to prepare, we ask all interested households to complete a brief survey ([click here](#), scan the QR code at right, or contact the office at 734-242-2308). Hope to see you on the 11th!



PASTORAL CALL PROCESS UPDATE Our call committee has received a list of 13 pastoral candidates from the Michigan District, and we give thanks to God for the pastor He will provide for Trinity. Please join us in praying the Lutheran Service Book's prayer for calling a faithful pastor:

O Gracious Father, You led Your holy apostles to ordain ministers for the proclamation of Your Word and the faithful administration of the Sacraments of Christ. Grant to this congregation the guidance of the Holy Spirit to choose a suitable pastor according to Your will for the blessing of Your Church in this place; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

WinGS SEPTEMBER MEETING Monthly WinGS (**W**omen in **G**od's **S**ervice) gatherings resume Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 12:30p in Graceful Grounds. Join us for a potluck luncheon and fellowship! All ladies of the congregation are welcome. Pastor Duerr will offer a presentation about the symbols on his new stoles, and items will be gathered in support of Trinity's "God's Littlest Blessings" ministry. Suggested donations include pacifiers and holders, devotions for parents, hardcover baby books, baby Bibles, diapers (size 2), wipes, baby soap and shampoo, crosses to hang in nurseries, small stuffed animals, clothing, and/or gift cards.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY CARNIVAL Mark your calendar – Trinity's Children's Ministry program will host a carnival on Sunday, September 8, from 12-2p in the parking lot. Entry is free, and all are welcome! Volunteers are needed – please email kidsmin@trinitylutheranmonroe.org or call the office (734-242-2308) if you're able to help. We also ask families to consider donating a themed basket to be raffled off at the carnival. Baskets may be assembled according to an (appropriate) theme of your choice, and any time spent shopping and assembling may be counted toward school service hour requirements. Please submit baskets to the office by the end of the day on Tuesday, September 3. For more information, contact Children's Ministry Lead Stacey Wigman at the email address provided above. We hope you'll join us on the 8th for an afternoon of fun!



THANK YOU! Special thanks to the Milt Knabusch family for providing tuition assistance to ten Trinity Lutheran School families again this year. We give thanks to God for the Knabusch family and for all who faithfully and generously support our day school ministry.

CHILDREN'S BULLETINS & ACTIVITY BAGS Families with young children are encouraged to visit the Faith's Odyssey table (rear of church) throughout the summer for great resources that will help kids engage in services!

HEARTBEAT GOLF TOURNAMENT & ANNUAL BANQUET On September 12, Heartbeat of Monroe will host a golf outing and banquet to support their ongoing Christ-centered, life-affirming ministry to parents and children. Golf "Fore" Heartbeat, a four-person scramble event, begins at 8:30a at Monroe Golf and Country Club. The \$100/person entry fee includes cart, range balls, and prizes. Heartbeat's annual Joy of Life Banquet, also hosted at Monroe Golf and Country Club, will be held later that evening (doors open at 6:00p; dinner is served at 6:30). Christian apologist and radio host Bob Dutko will serve as guest speaker; your choice of beef bourguignon or salmon with dill is \$50/person (or \$320 for a table of eight). To purchase tickets for either event, please visit <https://www.heartbeatofmonroe.org/about2>. For more information, including details on golf sponsorships, contact Heartbeat (734-243-6550).



WinGS MISSION FUNDRAISER - RADA In need of some new utensils, kitchen gear, or food items? WinGS' year-round RADA Cutlery fundraiser provides ongoing support for local missions. Pick up a catalogue in the church office, Graceful Grounds, or the rear of the sanctuary. Place orders online directly - items ship within 2-3 days. If you need assistance, please contact Sue Gruber (734-242-2308) or any WinGS member.

ALTAR FLOWERS If you would like to provide altar flowers in honor/memory of someone, contact Shelly Vorrath at (734) 621-3548 or email: 1wyldkingdom@comcast.net. The sign-up board is posted on the wall near the rear of the sanctuary. If you sign up on the flower board, please include your phone number and email address.

THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

(Please contact the church office for more information)

Sunday, 8/11: Worship @ 8:30a (*usher team A-1*)
Bible Study @ 9:30am in Graceful Grounds
Worship @ 10:30a – HC (*usher team B-3*)
Trinity Family Meal @ 6p

Wednesday, 8/14: Agape @ 9a & 11:30a in Graceful Grounds

Saturday, 8/17: Bible Study @ 9a in Graceful Grounds
Worship @ 6p – HC (*usher team A-2*)

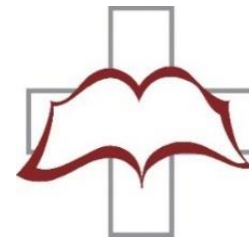
7/27 & 7/28 attendance: 6:00p – 88 8:30a – 78 10:30a – 102
8/3 & 8/4 attendance: 6:00p – 79 8:30a – 94 10:30a – 98

THIS WEEK IN THE WORD

*Readings for this weekend's services
include 1 Kings 19:1-8, Ephesians 4:17-5:2
& John 6:35-51*

Be kind and compassionate
to one another, forgiving each other,
just as in Christ God forgave you.

Ephesians 4:32



How to Watch / Worship / Join Us!

Weekend Worship –

- In Trinity Sanctuary - Times: Sat. 6 p.m. and Sun. 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
- Facebook LIVE - Sundays at 8:30 a.m. (or later on our website)

Blessings from all of us at Trinity!

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