



# Trinity News

September 2021

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## Pastor Young's Sharing Corner

Great to be here! I would like to express a hearty "Thank you!" for such a warm welcome. It fills my heart with joy as people have been making me feel so at home. I am so thankful to God for giving me the opportunity of serving you as an interim pastor. I would like to extend my sincere thanks to the Council.

My first impression of Trinity was welcoming. Several members were waiting for my arrival to help with my moving. One of them said "This is the Trinity way, showing hospitality."

I am excited to see what God is up to at Trinity Lutheran and what He plans to accomplish through my ministry here. I look forward to getting to know you better, hearing your stories and listening to where you think God is leading us.

**Office Hours:** Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm.

I may need to attend a synod or a community meeting during these hours, but in general I plan to be in my office during the above mentioned times. However, when you see my car in the parking lot, feel free to stop at my office to visit me. I will also be at evening meetings and Confirmation classes throughout the week and Saturday events as needed.

Monday is my day off, but please call/text me at (651) 587-1513 if there are any emergencies and you need to reach a pastor right away.

As I write this newsletter, September is just around the corner, which mean we will resume Trinity's WOWSOME. I can already

## POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Wed: Confirmation
- Wed: Choir
- Sept 8: Confirmation Info Night
- Sept 9: Deacon's Meeting
- Sept 12: Backpack Blessing
- Sept 12: Council Meeting
- Sept 15: Fish Fry
- Sept 23 Women's Bible Study



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## PRAYER LISTS

Terry Bisbee - Brother of Dean Bisbee  
Lowell Carlson - Friend of Judy Swanson  
Vivian Cleland - TLC member  
Lorna DeHaai - Friend of Dotty Hieb  
Lyle DeHaai - Friend of Dotty Hieb  
Gordon Graves - Brother-in-law of Dianne Graves  
Kayleen Haiar - Granddaughter of Charlotte & Loren Geerdes  
Sandy Hook - Friend of Mary Brown  
Ruth Jibbens - Mother of VaLoy Wilkins  
Bette Juhl - Mother of Teena Mosel  
Bob Juhl - Father of Teena Mosel  
Marcia Kindt - Grandmother of Bryan Kindt & Eryanne Normile  
Gailen Meyerink - TLC member  
Jackie Normile - Sister of Mike Normile  
Gunner Olesen - Nephew of LeAnn Duvall  
Denise Plecity - Sister of Deanna Hagan  
Brooks Plienis - Great-nephew of Wevik Family  
Travis Powell - Friend of Nancy DeBoer  
Mike Selland - TLC member  
Joel Sprecher - Brother of Paula Feltman  
Boyd Thiel - Family friend of Dianne Graves

### **To Be Remembered:**

Larry Abernathy  
Connie Bailey  
Wade Beringer  
Leonard Buum  
Micah Ellis  
Ray Goeden  
Dwayne Graves  
Jared Houska  
Winnie Keller  
Amy Kenobbie  
Deah Killion  
Larry Larsen  
Rianna Laurens  
Mariah Normile

Glenn Osborne  
Clifford Priebe  
Sue Robinson  
Cindy Wilkens

### **Those in service to our country:**

#### **Missions of the Church:**

We pray for Prison Congregations of America, St. Dymas Congregation at Springfield, SD as they continue to do your work behind prison walls.

We also pray for Church on the Street, which serves those who are without homes in the Sioux Falls area.



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## Trinity Service and Religious Education Schedule

**SUNDAY WORSHIP:** 9:30 a.m. with communion on first and third Sundays, choir sings on second and fourth Sundays.

**WOWSOME WEDNESDAY & CONFIRMATION CLASS:** Wednesday, 5:30 meal; 6:00 class, mid-September thru late April.

**CHURCH COUNCIL** meets the first Sunday of the month at 10:30 a.m. at Church.

**DEACONS** meet the second Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at Church.

**CHOIR** meets every Wednesday at 7:15 pm, Sept thru May

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** meets 4th Wed of the month at 10 a.m.

## CELEBRATIONS

### *BIRTHDAYS*

Sept. 1: Norah Olson  
 Sept. 1: Erica Sundall  
 Sept. 1: Weston Thompson  
 Sept. 3: David Larson  
 Sept. 3: Ardyce Osterberg  
 Sept. 7: Doug Rasmussen  
 Sept. 7: Robert Schaub  
 Sept. 8: Sarah Antelope  
 Sept. 13: Marjean Hope  
 Sept. 18: Paula Feltman  
 Sept. 19: Joyce Wevik  
 Sept. 22: Justin Graves  
 Sept. 25: Charlotte Geerdes  
 Sept. 27: Shailey Fletcher

### *ANNIVERSARIES*

Sept 1: Mark and Jenzinia Huber  
 Sept 5: Gary & Neoma Harris  
 Sept 10: Dave & Rosemary Mohr



## SEPTEMBER SERVICE MINISTERS

Date	Host	Lector
Sept. 5	Kathi Anderson	Cynthia Wall
Sept. 12	Jeff Tveit	Jeff Tveit
Sept. 19	Olson Family	Olson Family
Sept. 26	OPEN	OPEN

# Trinity Lutheran Church Council Meeting

*August 8, 2021 Sunday at 10:30 a.m.*

**Present:** Terrold Menzie, Sharmel Olson, Dick Feltman, Mike Bunker, Declan Tveit, Kathi Anderson

**Absent:** Mark Huber

**Devotions:** The meeting was called to order, Terrold led the devotions.

**Additions to agenda:** A group staying at the church.

**Reading of Minutes:** The minutes were reviewed. Mike made the motion to accept them and Dick provided the second. The motion carried.

## **Treasurer's Report:**

- The water used to water the lawn made the bill a bit higher than normal.
- The extra check to Pastor Lisa has been returned and is in the account.
- Dick made the motion to accept the report and Terrold seconded it. It passed.

## **Correspondence:**

- No correspondence.

## **Committee Reports:**

### PROPERTY

- Dick stated that the sidewalk is still on the agenda to be completed.
- The parking lot has been painted and the sign for the old pastor has been removed and the handicap sign replaced.
- The main piano was tuned and Charlotte's needs to have some hammers replaced. An approximation of \$7 to 8 hundred dollars will be needed to completely repair it. It was tabled.

### WORSHIP

- No report.

### STEWARDSHIP

- Nothing to report.

### EDUCATION

- Sharmel will be stepping down from this and the committee is waiting for a replacement. Kristi is interested in taking on the duties. Stacey may also assist with this.

## **Deacons:**

- The deacons will be meeting this Thursday. The Fish Fry is still in the planning stage.

## **Pastor's Report:**

- No pastor's report.

## **Unfinished Business:**

- Still need to add the new members to the list. Mildred, Erin and possibly Willow.

**New Business:**

- Rosemary has accepted the secretary position.
- Call process will be started this month. Mary Brown, Erica Sundall, Courtney Haugen and Mark Huber are suggested people that would be good for this.
- Jeff proposed via the council that the September Noisy offering go to Fight Against Cancer. Mike made the motion and Dick seconded it. The motion carried.

**Monthly Devotion and Offering Teller schedule**

<u>Month</u>	<u>Devotions</u>	<u>Offering Tellers</u>
August	Terrold	Terrold
September	Kathi	Kathi
October	Sharmel	Sharmel
November	Mark	Mark
December	Terrold	Terrold
January	TBD	TBD
February	TBD	TBD

**Next Meeting:**

- Sunday, Sep 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021 at 10:30 a.m. will be the next meeting.

**Adjournment:** The meeting was closed with the Lord’s Prayer

**Blessing of the Backpacks on September 12**



Blessing of the Backpacks will be on Sunday, September 12 during the 9:30 a.m. worship service. All students and teachers are encouraged to bring their backpacks to be blessed. Schools have already started in the middle of August, but it will be never too late to receive God’s blessings. Come join us!

*Pastor Young's Sharing Corner* (Continued)

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imagine seeing our children and youth’s faces and their parents as well as teachers and volunteers on WOWSOME Wednesdays. I can’t wait!

Again, thank you for this opportunity to serve God through Trinity Lutheran Church and I look forward to getting to know you.

In Ministry together,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Young Chung".

Pastor Young Chung

**Trinity Lutheran Church  
Annual Fish Fry**



**Wednesday, September 15th  
5:30 P.M.  
at  
Trinity Lutheran Fellowship Hall**

**Come join in for the fun and fellowship.**



**Choir will begin on  
Wednesday, September 8th  
at 7:15 p.m.**

**Everyone is Welcome**

**Come try it out.**

## **Trinity's Confirmation**

Greetings in the name of Jesus Christ! Our hearts and lives are always ready to learn more about God and what He is doing. Come and explore!

### **7th, 8th, and 9th Grades**

#### ***Information Night***

Parents and students are required to attend Information Night on Wednesday, September 8 at 6:00 p.m. The student will be asked to sign up for acolyte, so bring your calendar to the meeting. The class will begin on September 15 at 6:00 p.m.

### **10th Grade**

Preparing for the Rite of Confirmation: All youth being confirmed in Fall 2021 are required to select a mentor and report to Pastor Young by Wednesday, September 8. The mentor should be someone who attends worship regularly, is involved in a ministry at Trinity, and is not an immediate relative.

Can't wait to be in the Word with you all this year!

Pastor Young



# Trinity Lutheran Church Deacons Meeting

Thursday, August 1, 2021, 5:30 p.m

Deacons present: Pastor Young, Dottie Hieb, Dianne Graves, Erica Sundall, Janet Coy, Alice Bunker, and Jen Reimer.

The meeting began with the Deacons present introducing themselves and sharing something about themselves and their lives to Pastor Young who also shared with the Deacons.

The meeting began with discussion of the Deacons' duties. It was expressed that the Deacons would like to share more of themselves in helping the congregation. As an example, helping with communion at the nursing home and with home bound members.

The Community Service at the park was discussed.

The minutes of the last meeting were read. Janet Coy made a motion to accept the minutes as read with Alice Bunker seconding the motion. All were in favor.

A reminder was made to connect with the new members of our church.

Some of the Deacons have money left on their Thrivent cards from the Essential Workers Project. Purchasing food for the Food Pantry was discussed. Dottie will check with Jeff Tveit as to the status of the cards we have money left on. The Food Pantry is open from 10-12 on Monday and Wednesday.

Several letters mailed out have been returned. Those Deacons who have these members on their list will try to find new addresses.

The Fish Fry was discussed. It was decided to hold it on September 15. A signup sheet will be distributed at church.

The Fall School Kick Off was discussed with no firm plans at this time.

Scholarship Brunches are currently on hold. Also, we need to assess the number of graduates for this coming year

The Prayer List was updated.

September Deacon will be Erica Sundall.

Pastor Young spoke about Confirmation and some of her plans.

Our next Deacons Meeting will be held on September 9.

Alice Bunker made a motion to adjourn the meeting seconded by Dianne Graves.

The meeting ended with all members reciting the Lord's Prayer.

# September

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
9:30 Worship w Communion 5	6	7	6:00 Confirmation Info Night 7:15 Choir 8	5:30 Deacon Mtg 9	10	11
9:30 Worship Backpack Blessing 10:30 Council 12	13	14	5:30 Fish Fry 6:00 Confirmation 7:15 Choir 15	16	17	18
9:30 Worship w Communion 19	20	21	6:00 Confirmation 7:15 Choir 22	10:00 Women's Bible Study 23	24	25
9:30 Worship 26	27	28	6:00 Confirmation 7:15 Choir 29	30		