



# TRINITY TRANSMITTER

## October 2015

September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2015

My Most Dear and Precious Family and Friends

The Lord's continued grace and power to you, through our Lord, Jesus Christ. It was Christ who compelled me to come to you last year, and nothing else. I had many possibilities as to where I might serve, but only one that was within His design. It is Christ again who compels me to leave you and to serve elsewhere. His will, and His alone, compels me. That is what I always seek to follow. That was, and is, my continued prayer for you as His called and chosen people: that you know His Word, and thus His voice, well enough to see His will, and then that you be compelled to follow Him according to His design.

In many ways you were already doing so when I arrived. In still a number of other ways still, though, you had been diverted by the divisive nature of our own sin, and by the sinfully compelling voice of the liar who is Satan. He is the one who will use our weaknesses, our limited human vision, our petty personal differences and our fears, to immobilize us, or even worse, divide us one from another. **Christ has bound him with our prayers.** You must continue to bind him with your prayers.

One of the great joys of discovery when I arrived in your midst was to experience the amazing people our Lord has raised up to serve Trinity as its staff, as it lay ministers, and as its lay people serving in the CLC and other organizational service within this congregation. It was easy for me to join with these godly men and women in the service of God and His people. They still are a great resource in our Lord's service. **Pray for them. Support them,** even as you invest your gifts of support to the Lord's ministry. Take every opportunity to thank them for their service.

Another great joy of discovery at Trinity, Garden City, is the vast and mostly untapped resource of godly men and women who were not yet, at my coming, tapped to serve in additional leadership and service roles within this congregation. A number have since been brought forward by our Lord, have heard His call, and now serve within our Task Force, our Call Committee, and in a growing number of other ways within the church. Pray for them. Likewise support them with the resources to do the ministry to which the Lord has called them. Then pray regarding yourself to seek the possibility of using your God-given gifts to join with those already serving.

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### TLC Mission Statement:

KNOW CHRIST



SHARE CHRIST



SERVE CHRIST

Some changes are happening in Trinity, and I know the trepidation which change can so easily cause. Listen not to Satan's voice of fear and divisiveness. Change is needed in Trinity's congregation if you are going to reach the as yet unreached, and still rightly serve the people who already reside among the found. With the prayers and support, undergird the people seeking to make the changes. Also may their ears be open to your insights and to your concerns.

Another wondrous gift the Lord has provided Trinity is the Preschool. It serves literally to change the lives of many children and families within our community. It has done this for many years, through the Godly and selfless service of our Preschool staff, and through you who support this ministry. Keep supporting this ministry in every way.

Finally, I pray that you receive the man the Lord is going to bring to you as your Senior Pastor with as much love and openness as you have shown to me. The leaving is made vastly more difficult for me because the bond of love you created for me while I was here. I pledge to keep you in my prayers. I hope you continue to do so for Lee and me. I look forward to our reunion in heaven when we will be able to share with one another all that the Lord accomplishes following this parting.

The Lord Be With All!

*Rev. Dr. Timm L. Griffin*

**Laban said, "This...is a witness between you and me today." Therefore he named it... Mizpah, for he said, "The LORD watch between you and me, when we are out of one another's sight. (Genesis 31:48-49)**

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## TLC Family Care Connections

We pray for...

✠ **Shut-Ins:** Opal Sroufe, Evelyn Kowalke, Esther McMichael, Irene Gestenslager, Karen Mowdy, Rosa Mai, Bob Shackelford, Hellen Strickland, Dot Merz, Bill Bridges, Eugene & Vada Hurd, Opal Sroufe,

✠ **Health Concerns:** Gary Kraft, Aspen Phillips, Joyce Kraft, Don Adams, Michelle Lauck, Ann Mason, Jim Baker, Jay Holste, Diann Wilken, Kelly Chopp, Jim Baker, Gloria Magallan, Lupita Tapia,

*If you have a prayer concern, please call the office*

\*\* always obtain permission before sharing another's concerns

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TLC Task Force—appointed by God—was commissioned on Sunday May 10.

Chairman Jim Hewes: 620-275-5097

Jonathan Bailey: 620-655-5395

ConniJo Bailey: 620-430-0393

Jared Froetschner: 913-302-0714

Tom Hogan: 620-855-582

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Rachelle Powell: 620-290-3810

The Task Force is working on the following:

1. Communication
2. Leadership development
3. Job description for our new pastor

Thank you, Brothers and Sisters, for exceeding our expectations last week. We are humbled and inspired by your commitment to your church. With your help we raised \$32,141 in pledges and money received, which is a big step toward meeting the goal. One pledge was a challenge: 9,348.91, to be doubled if 4 more giving units will commit to pledge 10% of the debt (\$9,348.91) by 12/1/15.

Working together we can accomplish great things. Praise be to God. Watch for upcoming activities! TLC Long Range Planning Team

# Christian Education

## Sunday Morning Bible Studies

### *Walking Through Israel*

Meets in East Wing

### *What's New in the News*

A look at current events through the lens of Scripture!

Led by DCE Cynthia Lavrenz in the Meeting Room

### *Parenting in the Pew*

Led by Kathy Jackson across from the Board of Ed

## Weekday Fellowship Opportunities

### *Breakfast with Jesus*

Mondays, 7:00 a.m.—8:00 a.m.  
in Fellowship Hall

Read one section of text for the day, discuss the impact on us, and pray for one another.

**A free-will donation pays for breakfast!**

### *Get-together-Girls*

meet on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m.

Join the ladies for fellowship, devotions, and card ministry. Drop-ins are welcome!

### *LifeLight Study on St. Paul's Epistle to the Romans.*

Cost: \$12 for the study guide, study runs for 9 weeks, beginning on September 17.

Class meets at TLC at **1:30 on Thursdays.**

Contact Leland for lesson material

## Monthly Opportunities—

**First Tuesday of Month, 7:00 p.m.**

### *Women's Bible Study —East Wing*

from the *Lutheran Women's Quarterly*.

### *Men's Bible Study—Meeting Room*

"The Journey from Unbelief to Faith,"  
Part 2.

This series show God at work in the world.

Regardless of our troubled pasts, entrenched beliefs, willful antagonisms, or pre-conceived notions, God can cut through our callous exteriors, making a shambles of the self-deluding facades we erect to keep Him out.

**Wednesdays: 6:30 p.m.**

*Proverbs 31 Woman*—Library

*You'll Get Through*—Meeting Room

*Lutheran Spirituality*—Across from Board of Education

*LifeLight* (begins 11/4)



## Installation

## 2015

## Stephen Ministers

**October 4th 8:00 & 10:30**

**Followed by a TLC Potluck**

Baskets will be available for cards of thanksgiving to each candidate:

Brandi Walck  
Brooksie Appel  
Cammie Miller  
Jaclyn Vargas  
Jared Froetschner  
Jen Froetschner  
Jonathon Bailey  
Kathy Jackson  
Leland Jackson  
Lisa Theye  
Laurie Bauck  
Mark Estrada

## Next Meeting for Stephen Ministry

What's next!

(For all trained SM)

Meeting Tuesday Oct. 27th  
(Due to scheduling conflicts)  
6:30 in the Meeting Room

# October Servants

**Communion Assistants** 8:00  
10:30

Frank Francis & Frank Schmale  
Jerry Bitter & James Davis  
Diann Stone

**Altar Committee**

 **Acolytes**

8:00  
October 4 Alex & Bryce Foreman  
11 Taylor Schiltz  
18 Jacynda Vargas  
25 Holley Douglas  
November 1 Alex Foreman  
8 Bryce Foreman

10:30  
Kash Sheets  
Jake & Macy Froetschner  
Grace Reagle & Chloe Powell  
Sydney Sheets & Colby Cessna  
Kash Sheets  
Macy Froetschner

 **PowerPoint**

8:00  
October 4 Rachel Foreman  
11 Alex Foreman  
18 Bailey Pauley  
25 Rachel Foreman  
November 1 Clara Jackson  
8 Alex Foreman

10:30  
Grace Reagle  
Jacob Froetschner  
Carrie Hall  
Alexis Powell  
Grace Reagle  
Jacob Froetschner

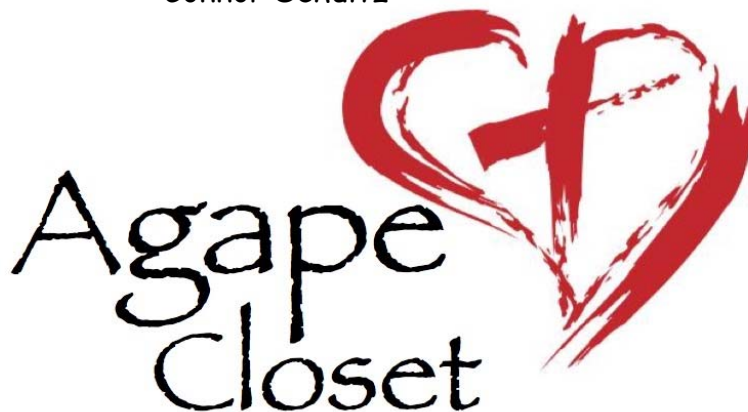
 **Lectors**

8:00  
October 4 Ed Adams  
11 Rachel Foreman  
18 Tim Lavrenz  
25 Judy Nusser

10:30  
Joanna Boles  
Darett Burr  
Ron Hall  
Connor Schultz

 **Nursery** 10:30

October 4 Taylor Schiltz  
11 ConniJo Bailey  
18 Brianna Pauley  
25 Clara Jackson



*Located at 1010 Fleming St.  
Brought to you by:  
Trinity Lutheran Church and  
First Christian Church*

## Items needed for Agape Closet:

Toothpaste	Deodorant
Toothbrushes	Shampoo
Deodorant	Conditioner
Band-aids	Lotion
Coats	Fabreeze
Hats	Feminine Hygiene Products
Gloves	Notebooks
Pencils	Blankets - any bedding (probably twin sized)
Kleenexes	Pillows Fruit Granola

**Agape Closet** is a part of our College Outreach Ministry. After much research and many interviews, the committee members decided what the college really needs are donations of items from this list. Many students come here without money for items we take for granted, especially those from warm climates. Please look through your closets for gently used items or grab an extra item or two next time you are at the store! Many thanks!

# JUST 4 YOUTH!

## Wednesday Youth Activities

6:30—7:30 Fall Schedule begins  
September 9. Worship, Bible Study  
and Prayer through the Month of  
September



## Sunday Morning

Dave Ramsey's *Financial Peace for Students*;  
Parents are encouraged to come along.

## Past Calendar:

**Mystery Bus Tour—Friday, September 11**  
15 Junior High and 6 Senior High Youth and 9  
adults participated with this 12 hour  
**SET FREE! Event**

\*20 cans of food was donated to Emmaus House  
Thanks to:

\*Dale, Lisa Theye and Brooksie Appel for shopping, making  
Cinnamon Rolls

\*Johnathan Bailey for driving the bus

\*ConnieJo Bailey for taking pictures and chaperoning

\*Fire Starters: Mark Estrada, Paul Jackson, Manuel  
Rodriguez and Jose Munoz.

\*Senior High Leaders: Ann Douglas, Jake Froetschner,  
Clara Jackson, Alexis Powell, Hannah Schultz, Jaycob  
Vargas.

\*Hard Rock Lanes, Pizza Hut, YMCA

\*Carrie Hall for lifeguarding

## Saturday, September 19

**Enchiladas were made for NYG Fundraiser**

Junior High (5th-9th grades)  
Rally at Rexford, October 2-3  
Cost: \$50

The Theme is based on the Lego Movie.

## Pizza Hut Fundraiser Night October 19

## Paintball—Thursday, October 22

Leave Garden City at 9:00 a.m.  
Lunch at 11:00  
Paintball 11:30-2:30 at  
Shepherd's Staff in Rexford  
Bring some \$ for DQ on the way  
home



# July 16-20, 2016

## Fundraisers:

Save aluminum cans!!  
(cashed in 110 lbs for \$49.55 on 8/24/15)



Buy \$10.00  
Papa Murphy's  
Gift Cards

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!



Tyler Algrim	10/1	Patricia Bridges	10/18
Susan Wilson		Leticia Esquivel	10/18
Alyson Algrim	10/6	Faylene Leal	10/18
Ed Banning	10/6	Aretemio Rodriguez	10/20
Tom Hogan	10/6	Betty Sheets	10/21
Mark Estrada		Kathryn Southern	10/22
Daven Foreman-Devaney	10/7	Kelsey Scheuerman	10/24
Ryan Sabata	10/7	Angie Clark	10/25
Camarynn Nelson	10/9	Monica Rodriguez	10/25
Jada Schmale	10/9	Macy Froetschner	10/26
Curtis Harman		Michael Messenger	10/26
Bob Lewis	10/10	Carol Wigner	10/27
Gerry Schultz	10/10	Marcus Bazan	10/29
Sean Sheets	10/10	Cody Cundiff	10/30
Brittney Underwood	10/10	Jenna Nelson	10/30
Roy Cessna	10/13		
Linda Doll	10/13		
Kevin Rever	10/16		
Hellen Strickland	10/16		
Jana Millershaski	10/17		
Robin Schenck	10/17		

# HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!



Frank & Cheryl Schmale	10/3
David & Stacy Gilliland	10/12
Dale & Susan Wilson	10/20
Kent & Casey Wagner	10/26
Roger & Bernie Reetz	10/30

*You are cordially invited to a come and  
go reception to celebrate  
Roger & Bernie Reetz's  
50th wedding anniversary  
Saturday, October 31; 4:00-- ?  
7380 Lindsay, Holcomb  
Your Presence, Not Presents*

# Task Force News

Your Taskforce has met frequently, usually once a week, and researched issues at Trinity for the past six months. Much of this work has been driven by your responses to the questions Pastor Griffin presented during the Cottage Meetings. As we move into our seventh month the research, interviews, questions, and studies of the issues has come to a close. We have now begun the task of forming recommendations to address those issues we have found over the past six months.

You are aware of some of the changes the Communication Group have proposed or implemented. One of the many that is being work on now is the "One Call Now" system that will allow Trinity to contact you by the method you would prefer to be notified in the event of last minute schedule changes (such as weather cancellations) or other events here at Trinity. Please let Katy know of your choice(s).

The Leadership Group has been looking at several areas of our current structure that have impacted the ministry here at Trinity. Among those studied they have identified problems or issues in our current Mission Statements and our Bylaws.

The Communication Group agreed to look into and work with the Vision/Mission Statements. They have met with Leland and Cynthia to discuss the issues the Taskforce has identified. It was agreed these statements need to be revisited and will be addressed at the CLC retreat the end of September.

The Taskforce met with the Lay Ministers to review and discuss our proposed changes to the Constitution and Bylaws. There are some minor corrections and clarifications needed to the Constitution, but due to the involved and lengthy process of making those changes, the Constitution can wait for a more opportune time.

The Bylaw changes, however, are more in-depth and will require study on the part of the CLC, but the change procedure is not nearly as involved. So it is our hope these can be brought before the Voters to consider at the regular semi-annual meeting in January 2016.

Additionally, the Taskforce has begun working with the Call Committee to help assemble a congregational survey to consider your desires for Trinity's pastoral needs. We also will help them formulate a job description to attach to the call document.

Although our tasks are slowly winding down, there is still a lot of work to be done. We will continue to help and assist in whatever capacity we can to further the Ministry of Christ here at Trinity and in the World. We continue to ask you to pray for God's guidance of your Taskforce.

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## Golfing with God

Attention Ladies!

Donna Bitter & Linda Guhr are seeking ladies who enjoy golf or are interested in trying golf.

Any experience level welcome.

Contact Donna at 276-7085 or

Linda at 271-0949 for more information!



# TLC PRESCHOOL



September has been a busy month for our preschoolers! Trinity 4 has been experiencing the creation of the world through shapes. On the square they learned that God made day and night, the first day. Come down to our room to see the other shapes God created! Trinity 3 has been learning how sanitation workers help us and also that Jesus was a teacher!

Mark your calendars! The Preschoolers will be singing on Sunday October 18th, at the 10:30 service.

We will be having our annual bake sale on the same Sunday, so come hungry and buy dessert!

In October we will be having fun learning about lots of colors.

We pray that you enjoy watching nature's colors change from summer to fall.

Growing in Christ,

*Jammy Lampe & Susan Soldner*



*... meet Tuesdays, 6:00-8:00 pm*

*If you would like to learn to make a quilt, or simple sewing—hems, zippers, etc—you are welcome to join! Have an unfinished project? Maybe we can help finish it!*

*Meet in Piece Makers Room*



Trinity has recently subscribed to *One Call Now*, a messaging service that allows us to:

- set up multiple users to have the ability to send email messages, make calls, send texts
- have unlimited subgroups so we can send specific messages to specific groups; Church Members, Preschool, Task Force, Boards, etc.

The contact information collected for the Directory will be used. If you have an email, cell phone or land line number you want used for this communication, please tear off this portion and return it to Trinity. You can select which means of communication are used!

There will be "opt out" available, so please inquire if you do not wish to be notified via this system. It is anticipated that this will reduce the number of mailings sent out, and also increase our overall communication. Your participation is GREATLY appreciated!!



Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
2nd Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ text? Y N

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ text? Y N  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_



October 2015  
Treasurer's Report

For the 8 Months Ended  
Aug 31, 2015    Aug 31, 2014

Income & Expenses:

General Fund Income:

Offerings	\$351,726	\$262,577
Preschool Tuition & Donations	17,838	16,056
Other Income	<u>2,813</u>	<u>3,424</u>
Total General Fund Income	<u>372,377</u>	<u>282,057</u>

General Fund Expenses:

Missions	33,605	24,674
Education/Family Life	12,139	6,860
Youth Ministry	11,991	4,035
Stewardship	577	707
Lay Ministry	247,339	180,553
ABCD Board-Preschool	27,309	24,460
Church Properties	43,697	40,486
Administrative	<u>12,242</u>	<u>10,673</u>
Total General Fund Expenses	<u>388,899</u>	<u>292,449</u>

General Fund Current Operating Deficit                    ( 16,522)    ( 10,392)

General Fund Surplus as of December 31, 2014            137,087       39,454

TOTAL General Fund Surplus as of August 31, 2015    \$ 120,565    \$ 29,062

Items to Note as of August 31, 2015:

General Fund Offerings were \$351,726 compared to \$262,577 – an increase of \$89,149 or 33.95%!!  
General Fund Expenses were \$388,899 compared to \$292,449 – an increase of \$96,450 or 32.98%

Net General Fund Surplus (Deficit) by month:

<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	
January	\$93,642	(\$ 6,026)
February	(\$18,582)	\$ 832
March	(\$22,682)	(\$10,961)
April	474	\$21,567
May	(\$18,312)	(\$ 8,430)
June	(\$21,393)	(\$ 690)
July	(\$ 9,717)	(\$11,110)
August	<u>(\$ 19,952)</u>	<u>\$ 4,426</u>
YTD	<u>(\$ 16,522)</u>	<u>(\$10,392)</u>

At the January Voters' Meeting, a budget – ministry spending plan – was adopted in the amount of \$577,195. If all budgeted items were fully spent, to meet this plan would require \$550,000 in offerings.

We started the year well, and the holiday seasons (Easter, Thanksgiving and Christmas) historically bring an influx of attendance and giving. However, during the summer months, we have historically dealt with a decline in attendance and offerings, which results in an increased monthly operating deficit. Even as offerings decline during this time of the year, operating expenses and ministry continue. One way to even out your giving is to utilize Simply Giving®. If you are interested, please let me know and I can answer questions, get you information, and set up automatic withdrawal for you. Additional information on reverse side.

If you have questions or suggestions, please feel free to give me a call or leave a note in the office.

In Christ's Service,  
Loretta Schultz, Treasurer

## Moms' /Working Women Back to School Break Was a Great Success!

Sharon Erickson from K-State Research and Extension Gray Co was our motivational and educational speaker.

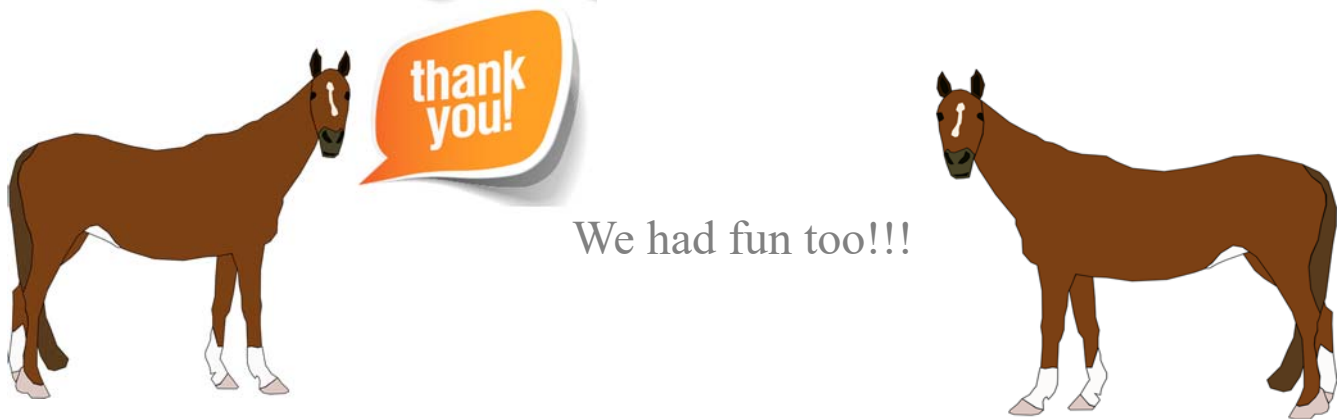


We spent time...  
In fellowship  
Prayer  
Talking about life and our faith journey  
Sharon led us in...  
Schedules  
Work/life  
Healthy balance  
All sorts of cooking wisdom



Door prize winner was Melissa Miller

Thanks for all the volunteers  
that helped with our MidWeek Round up!  
We had over 140 children and adults join us!



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**We Need Your HELP !!!**

**L.W.R**

**Lutheran World RELIEF**

**Needs School KITS**

**Supplies needed:**

**70 sheet spiral notebooks (wide or college ruled)**

**Pencils Sharpeners**

**Blunt Scissors**

**#2 (unsharpened) Pencils**

**Ink Pens Black or Blue (no Gel pens please)**

**Crayons 16 or 24 count boxes**

**2 1/2" inch Erasers**

**Draw string Bag "14 x 17" (no logos)**

**Deadline is October 6<sup>th</sup>.**

**We also need someone to deliver to Hays, KS on October 7<sup>th</sup>.**



A Note from our Congregational President, Jay Meyer:

In an effort to communicate better, the Church Leadership Council asked that I share some information with the entire congregation.

As you are all aware, Pastor Griffin recently accepted a call to Faith Lutheran, Lake Forest, IL. When Pastor Griffin accepted our call last year as our Intentional Interim Pastor we agreed to a 12 month contract, with the understanding that his tenure here could be shorter or longer depending on a number of factors. One of the negotiated benefits of that contract was our agreement to pay Pastor Griffin for a 13th month that he intended for rest and recharge at his home prior to beginning his next call, wherever that may be. When he recently felt the Lord calling him to another congregation, effectively ending his tenure at Trinity after only 9 months, it became necessary to negotiate a settlement of this "extra time". In our final meeting with Pastor Griffin before his departure, the Lay Ministers and he mutually agreed that a pro-rated period of 3 weeks would be a fair settlement of this extra paid time off.

Therefore, Pastor Griffin, whose last official day with Trinity was September 13th, will be paid through October 3rd. If you have any questions regarding this issue please don't hesitate to contact me or one of the other Lay Ministers. Thank you.



We will be hosting a Hamburger and Hot Dog BBQ on Wednesday **Nov. 4th at 5:45** (during Midweek Meal). Funds will be given to the NYG group for the upcoming trip this next summer.

Class time will be spent compiling a variety of care packages for our local GCCC students who are unable to go home at Christmas; and Emmaus House gifts boxes for Christmas. During this time we will also discuss the variety of local missions we have in Garden City, and share a BIG Group devotion and music. Plan to join us for a special evening of MidWeek with a mission focus.

**November 4th, 2015, 5:45 to 7:30 p.m.**

We will not be having our regular classes on the 4th and will be having a great multigenerational opportunity.

Questions contact DCE Cynthia at [dcecyntia@tlcgck.kscoxmail.com](mailto:dcecyntia@tlcgck.kscoxmail.com) or 276-3110

Lists of supplies needed will be appearing in the bulletin very soon.



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The **Simply Giving**® Program is a modern-day stewardship program. It's a convenient, safe and simple way for individuals to make automatic payments to non-profit organizations through electronic funds transfer (EFT) directly from checking or savings accounts.

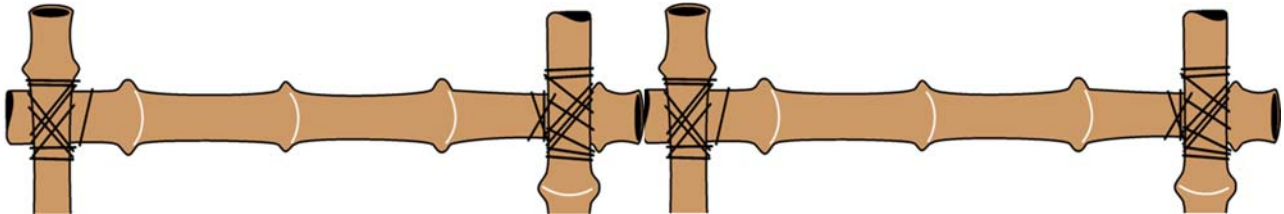
YOU determine the frequency of your automatic gift – weekly, semi-monthly, or monthly! Your gift is deposited to the Church's bank account on the same day it is withdrawn from your account.

Currently, you can direct your gift to: Offerings, Capital Improvement Fund, Sunday School, Mid-week, Preschool, Together in Mission, or TLC Lutheran College Scholarship Fund.

We currently have several (11) member families who utilize this program. Those who use it love it, and wouldn't consider giving it up.

There are **Simply Giving**® stickers that can be placed on your envelopes and then the envelopes can be placed in the offering plate. A supply of these stickers can be obtained from the office. Also, you can still use your normal offering envelopes to make additional contributions if you choose to.

**Simply Giving**® information brochures are in the office. Stop by and pick one up. Please contact Loretta Schultz if you have more questions, or to sign up for the **Simply Giving**® program!



Troop 109 and Pack 109 of the Santa Fe Trail Council Boy Scouts of America would like to extend our most sincere gratitude to the Church Leadership Council and the congregation of Trinity Lutheran Church for adopting us as our chartering organization. You have provided a home to us so we may continue to grow servant hearts and strong leaders within our membership. Scouting provides boys of all ages the opportunity to get outdoors, build real world friendships, and learn the necessary civics and skills needed to be good citizens of the community. We are looking forward to being a part of the church family. We would like to invite boys and their families to join us for a meeting to see what we have to offer. We meet every Monday (unless there is no school) at 7:00 p.m. in the east education wing. Contact Eric Relph, Scoutmaster 620-260-7052, for boys who have completed the fifth grade, or who are 11 to 18 years old, or Shelby McNutt Cubmaster 620-765-2607, for boys in the first through fifth grades, or 7 to 10 years of age, for more information about our programs.

### Scout Oath

On my honor I will do my best  
To do my duty to God and my country  
and to obey the Scout Law;  
To help other people at all times;  
To keep myself physically strong,  
mentally awake, and morally straight.

### Scout Law

A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful,  
friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful,  
thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent.



Our first **Meals and Memories** has come and gone! Ehresman's donated enough ham bones to last **M&M** for quite a while. Dillion's Stores donated a \$25.00 gift card to buy vegetables. Cornbread and cookies were donated by committee members. We have truly been blessed in the donation area! It started small as we had anticipated, and the soup was delicious!!!. We did have several people come in from the community, including Dr. Clifford and his family! Macy Froetschner had told their family about it. They wanted to come support **Meals and Memories!** It was great having that love and support!

They also made a nice donation.

One of Trinity's volunteers, who had an eye infection, even received a free eye exam!

Great fellowship was enjoyed by all! The committee members have come up with a plan on how to better promote **Meals and Memories** to the people who need it most!



# Meals and Memories

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Return Service Requested

Trinity Lutheran Church  
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Non-Profit Org  
Prsrt Std  
U.S. Postage Paid  
Garden City, KS  
Permit # 143

#### Trinity Lutheran Church : Vision Statement

To create a 21st century mission post in southwest Kansas where people of all ages are touched by the love of Jesus in dynamic worship, Bible study and fellowship;

A mission post where persistent efforts will be made to equip disciples, using every resource the Spirit makes available, to share Christ with everyone.

#### **M**ission Minded

**I**nspired to use spiritual gifts

**S**erving in love

**S**eeking the lost

**I**ntegrating all members

**O**ngoing education for all

**N**urturing family environment

**P**raying priesthood

**O**pportunities for giving/receiving God's grace

**S**cripturally focused

**T**ouched by Christ's love