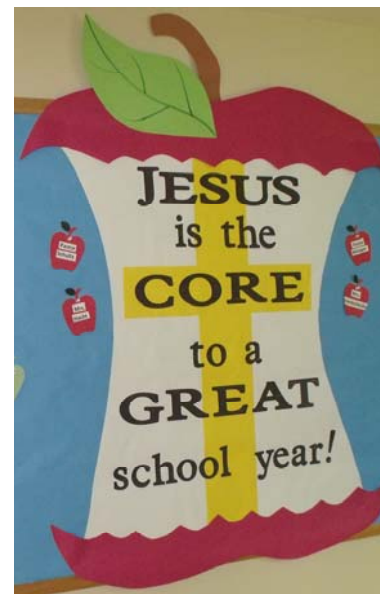


TRINITY TRANSMITTER

September 2018

“...Train yourself for godliness; for while bodily training is of some value, godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come. The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance. For to this end we toil and strive, because we have our hope set on the living God, who is the Savior of all people, especially of those who believe.” 1 Timothy 4:7-10



Dear Friends in Christ,

Paul's letter to Timothy is oftentimes called a "Pastor Epistle." In other words, Paul writes his letter to those who are called to shepherd God's people. Pastors are called "to be fit" in the Word of the Lord, so that they might preach the Gospel of Christ crucified and risen. Prayer is to be a natural part of the Pastor's life. Finally, the Pastor is called to model the faith to others in both his words and deeds.

No doubt, Pastors need to keep recharging their own batteries. In my own personal life, this happens most mornings as I enter through the office doors and walk directly into the sanctuary, kneel on the prayer kneeler, open the hymnal and bible and begin receiving God's gift for the day. Although harder to accomplish, this practice is also a joy in the evening through prayer with my family. And final, I look forward to receiving the true body and blood of Christ in the bread and wine at the Sacrament.

In Word and Sacrament, Christ lives in us to forgive our sins and strengthen our faith. And, where Jesus is living, we, too, shall live forever!

To that end, the same holds true for you as well. Your "hope is set on the living God, who is the Savior of all people."

How are you then trained? Are you toiling and striving because you have that assured hope? Read this carefully: Christian education always begins in the home. It is further nurtured in the church.

Parenting begins with parents remembering that they live in God's Kingdom ruled by God's love in Christ. The Gospel is the basis for parenting, not some how-to book with a list of rules. God's undeserved love in Christ reminds parents that having a child is not a right but a blessing. Parents do not merely produce children (as an industry produces a product). They are entrusted with a child as a gift from God. All parenting flows from this gift of the heavenly Father...The ultimate goal of Christian parents are to see their children in heaven, not the 'Hall of Fame'. (The Lutheran Study Bible, p. 2025).

At Trinity, everything we do is revolved around this ultimate goal; Salvation. Rally Day, on Sunday, September 9th is a great day to begin this training. This day focuses on getting people into God's Word and equipping them to lead a godly life. Christian people and parents, young and old—get yourself to worship and Bible study! Sunday morning is not a day to sleep in or a time to be off doing something else—it is a time to "rest in the Lord." Opportunities for further study will be present at our mid-week on Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm. Devotions also exist as the "heartbeat of daily life." Carve out time in your busy schedules for personal Bible reading and prayer.

Enjoy work, vacation, sporting activities, and home projects, but put them in the proper perspective and in the relationship where they belong with Christ always coming first. Yes, Christ is our hope in this present life and for the life that is to come!

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TLC Mission Statement:

KNOW CHRIST
†
SHARE CHRIST
†
SERVE CHRIST

Pastor Hageman



Lutherans
For Life

Life Issues Conference

Saturday, September 22
9:30-3:00

Messiah Lutheran Church, Hays
Registration forms in church office!



LWML will meet at 7 pm
on Tuesday, **September 4**.
This will be a regular
meeting.



TLC Family Care Connections

We pray for...

✝ **Shut-Ins:** Bill Bridges, Irene Gestenslager, Evelyn Kowalke, Esther McMichael, Bernice Robinson, Hellen Strickland, Opal Sroufe, Lillian VonLintel, Johanna Hall

✝ **Health Concerns:** Jim Baker, Kelly Chopp, Loretta Schultz, Jana Horsfall, Willard Hinkle, Aaron Schiffelbein, Dianne Wilken, Terri Schweer, Brenda Drees,

If you have a prayer concern, please call the office

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



News from the PieceMakers summer sewing:

We made 28 small quilts for the Western Kansas Child Advocacy Center.

Twenty-one small quilts, made by the students of the Juvenile Detention Center were delivered to the Kansas Children's Service League. This ministry has completed 460+ quilts since April 2014. Plus making a difference in the students lives by giving a devotional message each time we visit.

Thank you, Trinity, so very much for your continued Prayers and Support.

God has certainly Blessed this mission!
Serving Christ as we Share Christ.

Mary Jo Schultz



Christian Education

Weekday Fellowship Opportunities

Get-together-Girls

meet on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m.
Join the ladies for fellowship, devotions,
and card ministry. Drop-ins are welcome!

Brown Bag Bible Buddies

Tuesdays at Noon after Labor Day

Next Meeting for Stephen Ministry

Monday, September 10 at 6:30
in the East Wing



Worship in the Park

Finnup Park

Sunday, September 16 at 9:00 am

Shelter #1

Bring your lawn chairs or blankets

Potluck Picnic Following Worship

Bring picnic food to share
Paper goods will be provided!

Weekly Bible Studies

Sunday 10:30 a.m.

A Little Book of Joy—Meeting Room
Seven Rules to Break—East Wing
(classes will begin on September 23)

Wednesday Evening Bible Studies

6:30 p.m.

Bible Study TBD by class
Meets in the Meeting Room
God's Word for Today—Isaiah
Meets in the Library



Jesus 365
Sunday School
for 3 year olds—6th grade
Meets in the classroom
across from Cynthia's office

Jesus is with us every day,
everywhere!!



Casting Crowns
In concert October 2,
United Wireless Arena,
Dodge City.
7:00 pm

Church Library



BOOKS, DVDs, CDs & More!

Library notes:

Check out the "give away" box in the Library.

September 2018

Worship Assistants Saturdays: Mark Estrada & Ron Hall
Sundays: Bob Lewis & Frank Schmale
Altar Committee Cheryl Schmale

Acolytes

September	1	5:30	Kaleb Reagle
	2	9:00	Bryce Foreman
	8	5:30	Calista Davis
	9	9:00	Chloe Powell
	15	5:30	Colby Cessna & Brady Cessna
	16	9:00	None Needed
	22	5:30	Kiera Hageman & Jenna Nelson
	23	9:00	Calista Davis
	29	5:30	Holley Douglas
	30	9:00	Michael Nelson
October	6	5:30	Bryce Foreman & Preston McMillan
	7	9:00	Chloe Powell
	13	5:30	Colby Cessna & Colton Obregon
	14	9:00	Kaleb Reagle

PowerPoint

September	1	5:30	Grace Reagle
	2	9:00	Alex Foreman
	8	5:30	Kiera Hageman
	9	9:00	Bryce Foreman
	15	5:30	Selah Hageman
	16	9:00	None needed
	22	5:30	Chloe Powell
	23	9:00	Bailey Pauley
	29	5:30	Bryce Foreman
	30	9:00	Grace Reagle
October	6	5:30	Alex Foreman
	7	9:00	Kiera Hageman
	13	5:30	Selah Hageman
	14	9:00	Chloe Powell

Lectors

September	1	5:30	Jerry Bitter
	2	9:00	Martin Nusser
	8	5:30	Darett Burr
	9	9:00	Cynthia Lavrenz
	15	5:30	Jay Meyer
	16	9:00	None Needed
	22	5:30	Ed Adams
	23	9:00	Alice Banning
	29	5:30	Judy Nusser
	30	9:00	Ed Banning

August Youth Activities:

Midweek Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

Sunday School at 10:30 am

Come for Spiritual and relational growth!

Youth Activity, Sunday September 9 at 5:30 pm



Registration forms available in the office!



The 2018 Kansas District Youth Gathering (KDYG) will be held in Hutchinson on November 16-18, open to grades 9-12

- **Early registration** begins September 1 and is \$95 per person.
- **Standard registration** begins October 1 and is \$115 per person.
- **Late registration** begins November 1 and is \$135 per person.



Trinity's Youth Mission Statement:
Trinity has Waffles for their youth ministry!

- W**arm
- A**ccepting
- F**un
- F**riendly
- L**oving
- E**ncouraging
- S**afe





The Legacy 10K and Spirit 5K road races are certified by the USA Track & Field Organization and one of the premier races in southwest Kansas. They allow individuals and teams the opportunity to win cash and prizes while honoring their loved ones throughout their epic journey to the finish line. Proceeds from the races fund the Leave a Legacy Foundation's mission to improve cancer care

in southwest Kansas. 100% of proceeds remain in southwest Kansas. Join us in our efforts to leave our legacy and make an impact in our community.

Both Races are USA Track & Field Certified

Trinity will have a team this year! A team consists of at least 4 members, with no limit to the number on the team!! Through Thrivent Choice Dollars® we will pay for the team registration, and \$10 of the \$30 registration fee for individual team members (for the first 10 team members only)

Register for the team in the Church Office!!



A Way to Raise Funds for Trinity

Purchases made at smile.amazon.com are eligible for donations of .5% of the price of purchases Use: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/48-0679659>

So far \$26.75 has been received in 2018, please use this resource!!

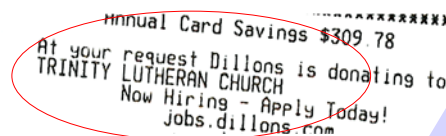
Dillons Community Rewards

Support Trinity through Community Rewards.

Visit www.dillons.com/communityrewards and enroll your Plus Shopper's Card in the program.

If you need help, please feel free to come in or call Katy, she can help you with this!

Check your receipts, ensure it reads this!



So far in 2018 Trinity received \$426.15 from Kroger!! With 38 households participating!! Imagine if all our households participated?? This is FREE money that we use for ministry!!!



New in 2018!! When you register with Dillon's, our program number is #GF271 Existing members do NOT need to use this number!

TLC PRESCHOOL



THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

You are all so kind and generous for helping out the preschool with your donations of school supplies. Mrs. Lampe and Mrs. Davis along with the lil monkeys are “swinging” into the new school year and are excited to make new friends and learn about how much God loves us all. The preschool room looks like a jungle with all the monkeys hanging around, but the preschoolers know who’s the king of the jungle, the universe and us. Both classes are enjoying having Chapel weekly with Pastor Mike, and learning the Lords’ Prayer. Trinity-4 has experienced what their 5 senses do and learned how God created the world in 7 days, along with learning the shapes. Trinity-3 is busy seeing new faces and hearing new names, while they are being reminded of how much they are loved by God. Trinity 3 is exploring careers, maybe one that God has already picked for them to be! Come down to the “jungle” and see the monkeys and their friends!

Serving Christ together,

Jammy Lampe & Tina Davis



RALLY SUNDAY

September 9

Join us for 9:00 am Worship, and 10:30 Sunday School...

Stay for a church wide POTLUCK!

Bring a meat dish and a side or dessert to share!



A great time to share garden vegetables!



Family Advent Activity

Saturday December 1

4:00 p.m. (Before Worship)

Fellowship Hall

Join us for some fun creating a special
“nativity” for your family.

Watch for registrations in November!



Sponsored by TLC Family Life Committee



Trinity's Softball Team Schedule Games played at Peebles Complex

Sept 6	7:00	Windriver Grain
	8:00	GC CoOp
Sept 10	7:00	Word of Life
	8:00	Sons of Pitches
Sept 17	7:00	Windriver Grain
Sept 20	8:00	GC CoOp





Christmas Bazaar

arts, crafts, homemade goodies

November 10, 9:00 am-2:00 pm

All artists and crafters are invited to bring your holiday-specific wares for a holiday bazaar.

The TLC Family Life Committee suggests that a minimum of 10% be gifted to the Family Life Committee for future events.

Everyone welcome!!!!

If you are interested in reserving booth space, contact Cynthia or Katy, 276-3110





Kade Davis 9/1
 Adam Nelson 9/1
 Amy Moorman 9/3
 Paul Pauley 9/3
 Avery Gonzalez 9/5
 Kaiden Moorman 9/6
 Martin Nusser 9/7
 Cooper Drees 9/8
 Flavio Esquivel 9/9
 Tim Stone 9/10
 Amie Algrim 9/11
 Audra Algrim 9/11
 Brady Cessna 9/11
 Baylea Myran 9/11
 Cindy Messenger 9/12
 Charyl Obregon 9/12
 Robert Drees 9/13

Suzanne Hewes 9/14
 Annabelle Myran 9/14
 Logan Wyatt 9/14
 Sarah Claar 9/15
 Clara Jackson 9/16
 Seth Drees 9/17
 Kendra Howland 9/20
 Kristina Odneal 9/22
 Ron Thiele 9/22
 Holley Douglas 9/23
 Emil Krug 9/23
 Melanie Algrim 9/24
 George Dugan 9/25
 Arlyn Algrim 9/27
 Betsy Glunt 9/27
 Brenda Drees 9/28
 Emily Meyer 9/28
 Dale Theye 9/28
 Brandon Hemmert 9/30



Hal & Collette Scheuerman 9/1
 Jay & Liz Meyer 9/2
 Paul & Tonya Chmielewski 9/5
 Curtis Harman & Robin Schenck 9/5
 Kevin & Tammy Lampe 9/5
 Eric & Debra Schiffelbein 9/17
 Forrestt & Darlene Simpson 9/17
 Dale & Lisa Theye 9/17
 Chuck & Cindy Messenger 9/18
 Bob & Nancy Briggeman 9/19
 Bob & Betsy Glunt 9/24
 Jeff & Shannon Gigot 9/25
 Jack & Dixie Beery 9/26
 Christopher & Sonya Barton 9/28
 Oscar & Charyl Obregon 9/30



LED SIGN

The Voter's graciously approved a loan from Lutheran Church Extension Fund (LCEF) for \$50,000.

The contract with Luminous Neon has been signed.

Davis Electric will be responsible for the electrical work and a contract has been signed.

It will take approximately 6 weeks for Luminous Neon to obtain all city permits and Luminous Neon to build the LED sign.

The LED Sign Committee is Michael Reagle, Melanie Algrim, Curt Kinney, Tonya Chmielewski, Kevin Lampe, Marty Nusser, and Suzanne Hewes.

The display in the lobby illustrates the amount toward the purchase. Of the \$76,000 necessary, we have \$44,000 from contributions, memorials and Endowment.

Envelopes on the table are available for your contributions.



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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.

Mission Minded

Inspired to use spiritual gifts

Serving in love

Seeking the lost

Integrating all members

Ongoing education for all

Nurturing family environment

Praying priesthood

Opportunities for giving/receiving God's grace

Scripturally focused

Touched by Christ's love