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~Welcome to Trinity Lutheran...Warm Hearts and Willing Hands~



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
As I was reading my emails the other morning, this reflection came across in an e-newsletter from my dear friend and theologian Marilyn Sharpe. I share it with you this month for your to consider and reflect on "Life is A Team Sport". Marilyn writes...

[Jesus] appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. –Luke 10:1

This morning, as I reached the front door of my doctor's building, a woman ahead of me held the door open until I was through it. We entered a small foyer with another set of doors, so I said, "Thank you. Now, I'll hold this door for you. Life is a team sport, isn't it?" I don't think I'd ever said that...or perhaps even thought that before, but it has haunted me all day.

Fifteen years ago a close friend called to ask me to chair our next college reunion. I know that I could never do that, as I lived 1200 miles from my college. I didn't know or have easy access to resources to tap for a three day reunion. And, although no one in my college class reviled me, I was not as well known or universally respected as some of my amazing classmates. I responded, "Oh, I could never do that alone." She replied, "You should never do it alone. Ask someone you'd like to work with to co-chair it with you." And, so, I did! It was a joy. In fact, it was so much fun that before it was over, we committed to do it again this year! Indeed, it was life as a team sport.

Forty-one years ago, during the last meeting of a six session series of parenting classes, a participant raised her hand and inquired when the next class would begin. It was early May. I replied, "October 8th." "October," she wailed, "I might not still be alive in October!" The very next week, my dear friend and team teacher, Colleen, and I began a weekly

parenting support group that continues to this day. It is important to note that neither Colleen nor I had ever attended a parenting support group before. We invented it as we built it, and I have now served two generations of parents. Indeed, it was a team sport.

Les and I have raised three kids. They are amazing adults now, but earlier it was hard, hard, hard and wondrous, wondrous, wondrous. We leaned on one another to bring wisdom and energy to carry on, when one of us was depleted. Fortunately, we took turns being depleted and being strong. Indeed, parenting was a team sport. I remember vowing, "I would be the world's worst single parent!" Then, I realized that my kids deserved so much better than that, so I changed my declaration to "I would be the world's most resourceful single parent!" Yes, I would! If ever I had found myself single parenting, I would have recruited friends and family to amplify what I could do alone. Indeed, parenting needs to be a team sport.

In fact, two of us were never enough. We needed our congregation and our schools and our neighborhood and our circle of friends to be our team. This is how God has built us to be in community. All of us need to serve on a team and be served by a team. After all, if it was good enough for Jesus, it is model for us on how to live an abundant life that takes his Good News out into all the world. Never alone. Life is a team sport, and Jesus has promised to be with us.

Pastor Krista here...

Life is indeed a team sport. Take a moment to ponder these questions. Who is on your team? Do you remember to thank them? Who Counts you on their team? Congregational life is a team sport as well. We are better together and it takes us all working together to fulfill who we are called to be as part of the body of Christ. There are many positive things happening in our congregation and I want to thank you all for sharing your gifts and talents and being a part of the team. Peace to you all!

Pastor Krista



TRINITY COUNCIL MINUTES

COUNCIL MEMBERS

President: Grant Hartman
Vice President: Heather Tonkin
Secretary: Cathy Sorenson
Treasurer: Clayton Duncanson
Christian Ed: Nikki Smith
Ch Properties: Duane Heckman
Stewardship: Arlene Peterson
Lay Ministry: Laurie Wille
Worship: Jan Ringeisen
Youth: Teresa Zaharia
Pastor Krista

Trinity Lutheran Church May 8th, 2019

Present: Grant Hartman, Duane Heckman, Clayton Duncanson, Dallas Wagner, Arlene Peterson, Jan Ringeisen, Yvonne Noorlun, Pastor Krista

President Grant called the meeting to order. Yvonne read the minutes, the minutes were accepted as read.

Clayton presented the treasurer's report. There is a balance of \$10,379 in the checking account and \$41,581 in the savings account. Bills were presented and approved.

BOARD REPORTS:

Stewardship – nothing new to report

Lay Ministry – Gifts were purchased for confirmands, and the committee will be getting gifts for graduates. Committee is still continuing to send cards.

Properties -- Still collecting bids for roof repair on front entry (flat roof). And will make a decision to present soon. They also are looking at additional eaves and down spouts, as well as heat tape for winter. Need to sill do repair on a

couple of exterior doors. Grant and properties will check. Looking at cost of river rock for around church foundation and discussed south parking lot. No decision at this time, will talk to city and Dennis Rode for guidance.

Christian Education -- GIFT program will be singing the 19th. Gift had the last program for the year on May 8th. Special thanks to all those who helped make the program a success.

Youth -- Orders due by Sunday the 12th for the tee shirts, etc. Youth planning a mini trip this summer.

Worship -- Committee will take over banner changes.

There was no old business.

New Business:

--- There will be a bridal shower for Nicole Fedder August 4th. Clayton made motion to approve use of the fellowship hall and Duane made the second. Motion carried.

--- A request was made by CREST to use the fellowship hall for their monthly meetings on the 3rd. Tuesday of the month, from 1:30 – 3:00. Also may have an occasional additional meeting if the church calendar is free. No charge for use of church. Clayton made the motion to approve and Duane made second. Motion carried.

--- Music was discussed. Pastor had us pick out our favorite hymns so we could give list to Tanner for practice. Also discussed music mentor for Tanner. Kim will be done in July.

Clayton made motion to adjourn, and Duane made second.

Yvonne Noorlun, Substitute Secretary



Barb Mager's is having a Huge Quilting/Crafters Estate

Sale here at Trinity church on June 7th & 8th. Sale hours are:

Friday 12-6 pm

Saturday from 8 am-2 pm.

Fabric, yarn notions, quilt kits and much more! Anyone interested in sewing, fabric quilting/crafting items will want to come check it out. Everything must go! Cheap prices!

Let your family and friends know of this great opportunity!



Congratulations to Heather & Josh Tonkin on the birth of their new baby daughter born on May 20th



Muriel Druck has moved and her new address is:

**624—93rd Street
 Roberts, WI 54023**

WE WORSHIP TOGETHER

SCRIPTURE READINGS

DATE/Calendar year	THEME	GOSPEL
Jun 2-(7th Easter)	<i>Jesus prays disciples will be one and abide in his love</i>	John 17:20-26
June 9-(Pentecost)	<i>The Father will give you and advocate</i>	John 14:8-17, 25-27
June 16 (Holy Trinity)	<i>The Spirit will guide you into Truth</i>	John 16:12-17
June 23 (Pent 2)	<i>Casting out Demons</i>	Luke 6-39 8:2
June 30 (Pent 3)	<i>Jesus Says Follow Me...</i>	Luke 9:51-62

JUNE LAY MINISTRY

TRINITY

SUNDAY SCHEDULE:

WORSHIP TIME: 8:45 AM

COMMUNION SCHEDULE:

June 2 & 9

COMMUNION SERVERS:

6/2-Dave Sorenson
6/9-Jan Ringeisen

LAY READERS:

6/2-Brenda Hansen
6/9-Jan Ringeisen
6/16-LeAnn Maloney
6/23-Mike Taylor
6/30-Laurie Wille



Wear Red for Pentecost
On June 9th

JUNE USHERS:

*Ross Ringeisen and Mike Taylor
*(volunteers are appreciated to help usher in June)



JUNE LAWN CARE TEAM

6/2—6/— Mike Wiederhoeft
6/9—6/15-Dave Baarson
6/16—6/22-Gary M. & Dustin S.
6/23—6/29-Wayne M. & Nicole E.

WORSHIP



TIME CHANGE 10:30 AM

JULY 7, 2019-JULY 5, 2020



Campbell.

"In my day, kids just drew on the bulletin during church."



WELCA NEWS

Everyone is asked to contribute to our salad luncheon which will be Wednesday, June 26. There

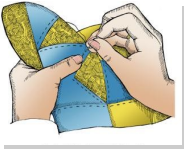


Salad Luncheon

are sign up sheets at church for salads, items to be purchased, workers, and monetary donations. We are happy to have Sandy Meyer and Arlene Peterson as chairmen of the event.

We give thanks to Division A for hosting the reception for our two graduates, Chloe Hartman and Jaiden Cook. They were each presented a quilt made by WELCA ladies.

This year we made 72 mission quilts which we will distribute to places in need in the area. Since we started making mission quilts in 1971 we have made about 5,000.



Since we were unable to get the school kits to Marshall during the WELCA synod convention, they are packed in boxes in the quilting room until the convention next year. They could be brought to the Lutheran World Relief headquarters in the cities if anyone wanted to deliver them!

No decision was made as to whether or not to have Sunday coffee hours this summer. If we do they would start in July and be before church since we will be changing to the later service then.

Our nursing home residents and members over 90 received an Easter gift rather than something at Christmas this year. At our May meeting we decided to give small gifts at both times.

The quilt auction for Green Lake will be July 26 and 27, the same weekend as Truman Days. Our contribution to the auction will be \$100 to help with expenses.

SALAD BUFFET

Wednesday, June 26th

11:00 - 12:30

Adults -- \$8.00

10 and under -- \$3.00

at

*Trinity Lutheran Church
in Truman*

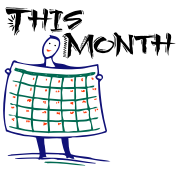
25+ Salads ** Assorted Crackers

Fresh Fruit ** Veggie Tray **


Deviled Eggs ** Sandwiches

Dessert Bars ** Beverage

Carry-outs welcome — Sorry, No deliveries



July 2019						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<u>Worship Schedule</u> SUNDAY Worship 8:45 AM	<u>SUMMER OFFICE HOURS</u> Mon-7:00-11:00 Wed-7:00-11:00 Fri-7:00-11:00	<u>Pastor Krista's Office Hours</u> Tuesday: 9:00-1:00 pm Friday: 9:00-1:00 pm				1
2 <u>Communion</u>	3 1:30 Martha (Dine out)	4	5	6 9 am Open Bible study at the church	7 Synod- Barb Mager Fabric Sale 12-6 pm	8 Assembly at Redwood Falls ← at Trinity 8-2 pm →
9 <u>Communion</u> 	10	11	12 Church Council mtg. at 7:30 pm	13	14 	15 Emily Zaharia's Bridal Shower 3-5 pm at Trinity
16 The Holy Trinity FATHER'S DAY after worship	17  JULY/AUGUST NEWSLETTER DUE! —Pastor gone	18 CREST mtg. at church for cont. ed	19	20	21  summer begins	22
23 New Member Sunday	24	25	26 TRINITY'S SALAD LUNCHEON 11-12:30 PM 	27	28	29
30						Worship Time change July 7th 10:30 AM



Your invited to an Open House Bridal Shower honoring Emily Zaharia to be held on June 15th at Trinity Lutheran church from - 3:00-5:00 pm

Emily's parents are Teresa Zaharia and John Zaharia. She is bride-to-be of Danny Skoglund

Their wedding is planned to be on August 23rd in Fargo ND

Congratulations on Your New Baby!



Mark & Margaret Durkee are celebrating the birth of their first grandchild -

Alice Margaret Speckhals an 8 lb -2 oz baby girl

born on Saturday, May 11th to their daughter Megan and her husband Matt Speckhals of Faribault MN. Congratulations!



To our Trinity Church family,

We thank all of you, so much for all the prayers, get well, anniversary, birthday and sympathy cards we've received. Each greeting made a trying experience a little easier to handle.

~Art & Norma Stough~

Trinity Lutheran Church,

Thank you for the gift of a Thrivent cross and also supporting me in my confirmation journey! It is greatly appreciated!

-Johnnie Zaharia

Here's a very big thank you for the beautiful Thrivent cross. Also thank you to everyone who helped me through my journey of my confirmation.

-Gracie Zaharia



Thank you so much to my Trinity Church family for the beautiful quilt. I love it and will think of you all every time I use it.

Thank you also to the GIFT students and teachers for thinking of me with the book. I have really enjoyed being a part of the GIFT program! Thank you for letting me join the fun on Wednesday's

~Chloe Hartman~



Prayers

We remember in our prayers...all who face catastrophic illness, surgery, and bindings of all kinds as well as the homebound:

Vi Benoy

Be present with your Spirit, Lord, and lead us to be your presence to all. Amen.



UPDATE ON THE GROCERY RECEIPTS:

Fareway-\$6,946.16

(We received our first \$1000- starting over!)

Hy-Vee-\$99,421.18

Gas & Pharmacy receipts also count

***Please don't cut off the receipts--the amounts are getting cut off and making them useless.*

BIRTHDAYS & SPECIAL ANNIVERSARIES



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Dean Gulbranson (87 years)
2 Alex Ebert Donald Meyer	3 Raquel Harder	4 Kim Breamer Dylan Davis Philip Mooney	5 Lois Lloyd Casidy Moon Ross & Jan Ringeisen (32 years)	6 Holly Morris Derek & Jacob Zupfer	7	8
9 Miah Krebs	10 DON'T TAKE A VACATION FROM CHURCH	11 Alex Jones Jordan Maloney	12 Deb Oren	13	14 <u>Flag Day</u> Gerald Miller (83 years) Brittany Lang	15 Melissa Wokasch Corey & Amy Pettersen (17 years)
16 Father's Day	17 Johanna Kelley Arlene Peterson (80 years)	18 Clayton Duncanson	19 Kent Hyndman (70 years) Sadie Mosloski Becky Wegner	20 Helmuth & Doris Fedder (60 years) 	21 Linda Meyer (70 years) Kevin Wille Don & Geri Halbert (44 years)	22 Mason Kelley
23 Ove Oren (70 years) Grayson Werner	24 Eloise Miller Courtney Zaharia	25 Mason Maloney Colton Mammenga Terry & Marcy Pettersen (48 years)	26	27 Katie Ringeisen	28	29
30 Teresa Zupfer						



CONFIRMATION WAS HELD ON MAY 5TH

*Pictured (L-R) Ella Fadness,
Katherine Strum, Casidy
Moon, Pastor Krista, Gracie
Zaharia, Peyton Franzen and
Johnnie Zaharia*



*Pictured (L-R) Chloe Hartman
Pastor Krista and Jaiden Cook*



GRADUATES RECOGNITION HELD ON MAY 19TH





GIFT FUN!

EASTER EGG HUNT



Amazing race clues



Inch worm game



PING PONG GAME



0-NNN-0-0-9-0-0-0-5-N0A

?? ? Bible Quiz ? ?

Which follower of Jesus preached to the crowds after receiving the Holy Spirit on Pentecost?

- A. John
- B. Peter
- C. Mary Magdalene
- D. Paul



Answer: B (See Acts 2:14ff.)

Thank you to all who helped make
GIFT possible this school year!



THE MESSENGER

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June 2019

God's Blessings to:

Beginning July 7th
New Sunday
WORSHIP TIME!
at 10:30 am



"Jesus, like any good fisherman, first catches the fish; then he cleans them."

—Mark Potter



Welcome
Worship with us

TRINITY WORSHIP-8:45 AM
CHURCH SCHOOL- Wednesday's
(2 pm after school until 5:30 pm. Sept—May)

If you are searching for a church home or are
currently a member, we want to extend a
warm welcome to you. Trinity observes the
"Open" communion policy- all those believing
in Christ are welcome at our Lord's Table.

*Communion is scheduled to take place the first two Sun-
day's of the month, check the calendar inside
for any changes.*

SUMMER CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-7:00-11:00 am
Wed.-7:00-11:00 am
Friday-7:00-11:00 am

PASTOR KRISTA'S OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday—9:00-1:00 pm
Friday—9:00—1:00 pm

~Please call Pastor on her cell if you
need to contact her any other time of
the week. If she doesn't answer,
leave a message and she will
call you right back~