

## Weekly Reminders & Announcements Page September 2, 2018

### STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS FOR YOU...

- \* The power of temptation lies in the impression it makes us!
- \* Suffering is a great mercy that keeps us from loving this world more than we should!
- \* A fault recognized is half corrected!

**Martin Luther on THE CHRISTIAN.** (In his June 16, 1538 sermon on Luke 9:28-36, Luther says that neither frail friend nor furious foe will ever destroy the Christian faith.)

**Christianity is Indestructible.** No faith on earth battled and fought so valiantly against all obstacles and persecutions as did the Christian faith. The Turk ... the Roman, Greek, and Persian empires, have opposed this faith with all their might and power. But they have not been able to gain anything. To be sure, they have killed many Christians and meant to destroy and exterminate all of them. However, this faith held its own against all, though it stood alone and all the others attacked it. Other faiths go down even though they are entirely unopposed, but the Christian faith is attacked by all and yet holds its own. *(The enemies of the Christian faith)* are pooling all their might to check the Gospel; and to exterminate the faith of Christ. But what happens? The Christian faith prevails and is victorious.

### OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE...

**Total Offerings Received August 26<sup>th</sup> = \$52,823.70**

* General Offering	\$ 51,719.13
* Master's Plan	\$ 792.06
* Agape	\$ 212.00
* Sunday School	\$ 50.51
* Altar Flowers	\$ 50.00

**Attendance Last Week = 681      Communing = 91**

### IF YOU WISH TO PREPARE FOR NEXT SUNDAY.

**Next Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup> is the  
Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

~ Morning Psalm	>>>	Psalm 146
~ First Reading	>>>	Isaiah 35:4-7a
~ Second Reading	>>>	James 2:1-10, 14-18
~ Holy Gospel	>>>	Saint Mark 7:31-37

### THOSE WHO WILL BE SERVING NEXT SUNDAY

	8:15 - Liturgical	9:30 - Liturgical	10:45 - Liturgical	11:00-Modern
<b>Preaching:</b>	Pastor Meyer	Pastor Meyer	Pastor Meyer	Pastor Meyer
<b>Assisting:</b>	Vicar Brakhage	Vicar Brakhage	Vicar Brakhage	Vicar Brakhage
	<i>(Pastor Henke is in Milwaukee for Synod business.)</i>			
<b>Organ/Piano:</b>	Stephen Wurst	Debbie Gerling	Stephen Wurst	Resonate Team
<b>Elders:</b>	Steve Miller	Aaron Finley	Duane Becker	Duane Becker
<b>Communion:</b>	Mark Yates	Jeff Seeliger	David Bohnert	Mark DeLory
	Andrew Scott	Bob Gerling	Paul Hagemeyer	Reid Jeffers
	Steve Vorel	Scott Schlesinger	Jeff Kelley	~
<b>Crucifiers:</b>	Isaiah Newkirk	~	Gracie Maddox-Scheer	
	Anna Wennersten	~	Rosie Schwisow	
<b>Ushers:</b>	Cary Watson - Captain	~	Dale Swiggett - Captain	
	Sam Erwin	~	Nathan Davis	
	Robert Kastens	~	Tyler Davis	
	Kyle Young	~	David Bohnert	
	Les Hoven	~	Tom Ormand	
	John Collison	~	Sam Cameron	
	Marilyn Miller	~	Robert Lee	
<b>Lectors:</b>	David Meyer	Scott Schlesinger	Max Mears	
<b>Children Lesson:</b>	Pastor Meyer	~	Pastor Meyer	
<b>Greeters:</b>	Mark Yates	Audra Kedy	Sherry Herbel	Andrea Monismith
<b>Counters:</b>	Arliiss Ormand, Patti Freniere, Tammy Rozel			
<b>Nursery:</b>	TBD	TBS	TBD	
<b>Acolyte &amp; Lighting Coordinator:</b>	Benny Ormson			
<b>Sound Technicians:</b>	Jeff Adams, Keith Miller and Dennis Paul			
<b>Altar Guild:</b>	<u>Setup:</u> Iva Ormson, Sheryl Rood			
	<u>Reset:</u> Iva Ormson, Chloe Becker			
	<u>Reset 10:45:</u> Rita Paul, Sara Paul, Carol Payne			
	<u>Clean up:</u> Yvonne Swanson			
	<u>Resonate Service:</u> Wendy Kappers, Jennie Hentges			



Please lift up the following in prayer

### Our military personnel & government workers:

- ✘ Bruce Avriett, Brandon Chapman, Mark DeLory, Alex Eck, Greg Emde, Mark Erwin, Daniel Herm, Jennifer Howell, Anthony Kuczynski, Chris & Stephanie Means, Anthony & Kelsey Payne, Nate & Maggie Phillips, Dan & Stephanie Scherd, Larry Sull, Mathew & Rachel Young, Eric & Erin Young, and newest members Madison Neumann, Gwyneth Cantu, Taylor Adams and Ryan Toombs.
- ✘ HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL - Prayers for a successful year for teachers, students and staff as they begin this new school year.
- ✘ Steven & Becky Vorel and family as they mourn the passing of Steven's mother, Peggy.
- ✘ Keith Aanes - presently dealing with a recurrence of some cancer issues.
- ✘ Kali Freniere - recovering at home as she regains usage of her right side.
- ✘ Jerry Ehert, Sr. - prayers as he now recovers at Bradford Village Rehab.
- ✘ Mindy Fulsebakke - recovering from surgery in her battle with colon cancer.
- ✘ Bob Gerling - recovering from quadruple bypass surgery.
- ✘ Pauline Henke - continued prayers for successful rehab to restore her walking ability.
- ✘ Philip Isett - praise for new prosthetic and continued prayers in his recovery.
- ✘ Georgette Jurczewsky - prayers for complete healing from breast cancer.
- ✘ Chad Langager - continued prayers as he deals with stage 4 lung cancer.
- ✘ Eunice Langager - continued prayers that God will give her strength for each new day..
- ✘ Rita Paul - Prayers for full recovery and healing from shoulder and carpal tunnel surgeries.
- ✘ Bob Perry - who is now in hospice care following a hospitalization for a kidney infection and pneumonia.
- ✘ Gary Quick - Continued prayers for God's mercy in his battle with Parkinson's
- ✘ Bob Schatz - prayers for healing from leg and foot problems.
- ✘ Patricia Steffens - continued prayers as she deals with some ongoing medical issues.
- ✘ Nancy Blumke - aunt of Lindsey Duerr battling pancreatic cancer that has spread to the liver.
- ✘ Alice Brauer - long time missionary to India supported by the LWML who sustained a broken hip and fractured upper femur in a fall on her return to India.
- ✘ Kay Filson - mother of Laurie Nance, diagnosed with breast cancer.
- ✘ Family of Loretta Gonzalez - prayers of comfort as they mourn the loss aunt Louise Welch & uncle Robert Welch - siblings who passed within days of each other.
- ✘ Bill Holsten - brother of Elsie Schatz recovering from surgery to remove tumor from thigh.
- ✘ Alan & Ruth Kiker - son & daughter in law of Mildred Treiber. Prayers of healing for Ruth from knee replacement surgery as she also continues her struggle with brain cancer and prayers of strength and restoration for Alan as he cares for her.
- ✘ Carol Mueller - sister in law of Darren & Michelle Hara suffering from paralysis & nerve cell damage due to Guillain-Barre' syndrome. Praise for progress made and continued prayers prayers for complete healing.
- ✘ Beth Olson - sister of Kristi Jeffers, recovering from surgery in her battle with breast cancer. Prayers for successful treatments.
- ✘ Don Priboth - step father of Andrew Scott (grandpa of Devon, Drew & Courtney) battling stage 4 liver cancer that has spread; also prayers for his wife Sue Ann as she cares for him.
- ✘ Stephanie Remington - daughter of Roger & Linda Bradford, suffering from ulcerative colitis, chrons disease and stomach ulcers. Prayers for healing and restoration.
- ✘ Anthony Smith - husband of Erin Williams' co-worker, recovering from cancer surgery and preparing for possible chemotherapy. Prayers for complete healing and peace for his family.
- ✘ Sally Whitten - friend & neighbor of Kathie McCurdy suffering from broken ribs & lung infection.

Please contact the church office with updates on prayer requests for friends and loved ones.

### RALLY DAY 2018

Thank you to ALL the volunteers who helped to make Rally Day 2018 a success! We had so much fun and it was wonderful getting to kick-off the new school year with our Holy Trinity family.

# Week of September 2, 2018

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>September 2, 2018</b>
8:15 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
9:30 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
9:30 AM	Education Hour for All Ages
10:45 AM	Traditional Worship Service w/Holy Communion
11:00 AM	Modern Worship Service
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>September 3, 2018 – LABOR DAY</b> No School / Church Office Closed
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>September 4, 2018</b>
7:00 AM	Men's Bible Breakfast @ Around the Corner
9:30 AM	Braille Ministry
1:00 PM	Braille Ministry
6:00 PM	Leadership Board Meeting
7:00 PM	Resonate Rehearsal
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>September 5, 2018</b>
9:00 AM	Knotty Ladies Quilting Group
10:00 AM	Card Ministry
5:00 PM	Wednesday Fellowship Dinner
5:30 PM	Brass Choir Rehearsal
<b>5:45 PM</b>	<b>Junior Confirmation Classes</b> <b>Wednesday Night Live (K-5<sup>th</sup>)</b> <b>High School ReFuel</b>
6:00 PM	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
6:30 PM	Children's Choir Rehearsal
<b>7:15 PM</b>	<b>Midweek Worship Service w/Holy Communion</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>September 6, 2018</b>
9:30 AM	Thursday Morning Ladies Bible Study
6:30 PM	Handbell Choir Rehearsal
7:00 PM	Praise Band Rehearsal
7:30 PM	Chamber Choir Rehearsal
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>September 7, 2018</b>
<b>5:00 PM</b>	<b>Cook's Night Out Fellowship Dinner</b>
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>September 8, 2018</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>September 9, 2018</b>
8:15 AM	Traditional Worship Service
9:30 AM	Traditional Worship Service
9:30 AM	Education Hour for All Ages
10:45 AM	Traditional Worship Service
11:00 AM	Modern Worship Service w/Holy Communion
3:00 PM	Special Voters Meeting
5:00 PM	youthCONNECT
7:00 PM	youthFORCE

## Celebration Corner

### BIRTHDAYS

Sept 2	Cole Henry, Marta McCain, Dennis Niskern, Aden Schlesinger, Terri Vogt, Nancy Voight
Sept 3	Jordy Acklin, Joyce Baker, Katelyn Collison, Brittany Kersh, Kelsey McVay, Magnus Nielsen, Kathy Prough
Sept 5	Darren Swiggett
Sept 6	Caylee Beam, Russell Voss
Sept 7	David Anderson, Lauren Cantu
Sept 8	Margaret Cochran, Derek Hamburg

### ANNIVERSARIES

Sept 2	Wes & Robin Handley
Sept 3	Don & Linda Maisch
Sept 4	Jory & Amanda Mears ; James & Cassie Papin
Sept 5	Jay & Kelli Fine ; Jeff & Lisa Kelley
Sept 7	Rick & Debbie Voight
Sept 9	Michael & Lynnette Jordan

*Holy Trinity Lutheran School robotics team is in need of Lego donations. Please note, that due to our team's league rules they must be Legos and not another building system.*

Recently, Holy Trinity formed a Safety Team with the primary responsibility of monitoring the security of our property and ensuring the safety of anyone on campus, especially while attending worship services. Each Sunday, the Safety Team's watchful presence will be in our parking lot and throughout the entire building, including greeting at the Narthex doors. Our goal is to ensure that worshipers at Holy Trinity feel safe and that our building remains a secure environment. The group is looking for more individuals to be a part of the team. Training will be provided. To request more information, email [info@htlcok.org](mailto:info@htlcok.org).

## LEARN MORE ABOUT THE LUTHERAN CHURCH

### LUTHERANISM 101 CLASS

Beginning Monday, September 10th

6:30-8:00 pm | Room 106

Led by: Rev. Jonathan C. Meyer

\*Childcare available upon request.

This 7-week adult educational class is for individuals interested in learning more about the Lutheran Church and/or for those interested in becoming a member of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church. The classes are designed to help individuals gain better knowledge of the Christian faith and a better understanding of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod.

For more information and to sign-up visit [holyltrinityedmond.org/classes](http://holyltrinityedmond.org/classes)



## SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:30 AM

Children's  
2 yrs - 5th grade

Middle School  
6th - 8th grade

High School  
9th - 12th grade

### ADULT CLASSES

Psalm 119  
Room 115  
Led by: Wendell Holland

Parables of Jesus:  
Revealing What  
Was Hidden  
Luther Commons  
Led by: Rev. Dr. Jeff Kloha

For The Life of  
The World

Room 106  
Led by: Mark & Stacy Yates,  
Kerri & Evan Mathew, and  
Nate & Meg Raddatz

## WEDNESDAY STARTING September 5

Christian Education Programs

<b>5:00 PM</b>	<b>5:45 PM</b>	<b>6:00 PM- 7:00 PM</b>
Wednesday Dinner: Food & Fellowship for the whole family in the Fellowship Hall.	Middle School Confirmation: 6th-8th Grade  High School ReFuel: 9th-12th Grade (Youth Room)	Wednesday Night Live: 1st -5th Grade Bible Lesson: 6:00-6:30 (Gym) Children's Choir OR Games (6:30-7:00)  Adult Bible Study (Room #106)

Join us for worship after our education classes from 7:15-8:00!

### YOUTH NEWS

**September 9<sup>th</sup>:** The middle school students will be hanging out while the high school students play giant games. Everything will be 5:00-7:00PM at Holy Trinity. Last name M-Z bring a snack to share.

**September 16<sup>th</sup>:** We will be helping out with TopSoccer. Meet at the church at 3:00PM and we will return by 5:45PM. Join us after until 7:00PM for a "Bulldog Bash" – pizza and games provided by Concordia Nebraska.

**Middle school Joy District Gathering at Camp Lutherhoma** is October 12th-14th. Cost will be \$75 which is due Sept.23rd. Visit the church website at [www.holytrinityedmond.org/middle-school](http://www.holytrinityedmond.org/middle-school) or contact Lindsey Duerr at [lduerr@htlcok.org](mailto:lduerr@htlcok.org) for more information and for registration forms.

Did you miss the National Youth Gathering meeting for 8th-12th graders? Talk to DCE Lindsey if you are interested in this life changing experience!

## 4TH ANNUAL Oktoberfest

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28 | 6PM  
THE MEYER'S BACKYARD

PARKING IS AVAILABLE AT SEMINOLE POINT CHURCH OF CHRIST  
1300 N MAY AVE, EDMOND

Sample a taste of Germany at the annual Oktoberfest! All ages are welcome for this family-friendly event that will feature a live polka band! Brats & hot dogs will be provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

## HOLIDAY BAZAAR

LUTHERAN WOMEN IN MISSION  
Presents the 16<sup>th</sup> Annual  
HOLIDAY BAZAAR  
Hosted by Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

## Crafters Wanted

We are looking for crafters of all kinds to showcase their work at our annual bazaar!

More info at [holyltrinityedmond.org/holiday-bazaar](http://holyltrinityedmond.org/holiday-bazaar)

NOVEMBER 10 || 9:00AM-4:00PM