

Weekly Reminders & Announcements Page October 7, 2018

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS FOR YOU...

- * Sometimes we *struggle* with our inner demons, and at other times we *snuggle* with them!
- * Much spiritual energy is expended in building a boat to cross a raging river that may not even exist!
- * When we prayerfully YIELD our concerns to God then life gets exciting as we expectantly wait for His answer!

Martin Luther on THE CHRISTIAN. (In Luther's lecture on the "first Gospel – Genesis 3:15" he said that even though Adam and Eve had the promise of life, they had to die to attain it.)

Our Existence Is a Living Death. Even though we do not want to call the life we are now living here a death, it is nevertheless nothing but a perpetual progress toward death. He who is infected with a pestilential disease begins to die as soon as the infection begins. Even so this life of ours is infected by sin and, because of sin and death, the penalty of sin, can no longer properly be called life. For we begin to die even from our mother's womb. But through Baptism we are restored to a life of hope or rather to the hope of life. For this only is real life; the life lived before God. Before we come to this life, we are in the midst of death. We die and rot in the earth, as other carcasses do, as if there were no life anywhere. But we who believe in Christ have the hope that on the Last Day we shall be raised again unto life eternal.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE...

Total Offerings Received September 30th = \$18,049.93

* General Offering	\$ 15,239.73
* Master's Plan	\$ 1,739.56
* Altar Flowers	\$ 178.00
* Sunday School	\$ 42.00
* Agape	\$ 200.00
* Miscellaneous	\$ 650.64

Attendance Last Week = 581 Communing = 418

IF YOU WISH TO PREPARE FOR NEXT SUNDAY.

Next Sunday, October 14th is LWML SUNDAY
Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost

~ Morning Psalm	>>>	Psalm 90:1, 12-17
~ First Reading	>>>	Amos 5: 6-7, 10-15
~ Second Reading	>>>	Hebrews 3:12-19
~ Holy Gospel	>>>	Saint Mark 10:17-22

THOSE WHO WILL BE SERVING NEXT SUNDAY

	8:15 – Liturgical	9:30 – Liturgical	10:45 – Liturgical	11:00-Modern
Preaching:	Vicar Brakhage	Vicar Brakhage	Vicar Brakhage	Vicar Brakhage
Assisting:	Pastor Henke	Pastor Henke	Pastor Henke	Pastor Meyer
Organ/Piano:	Stephen Wurst	Debbie Gerling	Stephen Wurst	Resonate Team
Elders:	Steve Miller	Aaron Finley	Keith Swanson	Keith Swanson
Communion:	Jonathan Klein Steven Johnson Matt Olstad	Ken Kappers Clint Hedrick Brent Giles	Max Mears Sam Cameron Rich Glasser	John Grunow Paul Cantu ~
Crucifiers:	Zane Arstingstall Aubrey Warehime	~	Olivia Ehnert Evan Panko	~
Ushers:	Don Scherdt- <i>Captain</i> Shannon Elliott Jim Hutchison Louise Main Michael Mattson Rod Steeves	~	Jay Harlan - <i>Captain</i> Don Maisch Jacob Maisch Tim Moore Mark Wyckoff	~
Lectors:	LWML Rep.	LWML Rep.	LWML Rep.	LWML Rep.
Children Lesson:	Vicar Brakhage	~	Vicar Brakhage	~
Greeters:	Steven Johnson	Nathan Johnson	Rick & Leah Baker	Andrea Monismith
Counters:	Julie Luster, Danielle Costilla, Michelle Hara			
Nursery:	TBA	TBA	TBA	
Acolyte & Lighting Coordinator:	Benny Drmson			
Sound Technicians:	Jeff Adams, Keith Miller and Dennis Paul			
Altar Guild: Setup:	Pam Gray & Dorothea Emamian			
Reset:	Iva Drmson, Hanna Olstad			
Reset 10:45:	Rita Paul, Sara Paul, Carol Payne			
Clean up:	Marsha Traugott			
Resonate Service:	Wendy Kappers, Jennie Hentges			

Children's Christmas Program Practice Beginning Soon

All 3year olds-5th grade students are invited to be a part of this year's Christmas Program. **Practice starts Wednesday, October 24th at 5:45am in Luther Commons.**

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 Scherdt, 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 our teachers, students and staff for a successful school year.
- ✘ Schatz Family – Praise & thanksgiving for the healthy arrival of Evangeline Kaye Montgomery, born to Danielle & Mike Montgomery. Proud grandfather is Dennis Schatz and proud great-grandparents are Bob & Elsie Schatz.
- ✘ Keith Aanes – prayers for peace & comfort as he battles an ongoing health condition.
- ✘ Kali Frienere – recovering at Mercy Rehab as she regains usage of her right side.
- ✘ Jerry Ehnert, Sr. – prayers as he struggles with an infection at the VA hospital.
- ✘ Georgette Jurczewsky- prayers for complete healing from breast cancer.
- ✘ Craig Kiefer – recovering from lithotripsy procedure.
- ✘ 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 – prayers as he struggles with issues from 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.
- ✘ Aden Schlesinger – 10 year old son of Scott & Ashley (grandson of Ron & Brenda) recovering from surgery following a bicycle accident.
- ✘ Mitchell Smith – prayers for healing from a possible fractured patela
- ✘ Patricia Steffens –Praise & thanksgiving for miraculous surgical removal of brain tumor this past Monday. Continued prayers for complete recovery and healing in all areas.
- ✘ Linda Young – Praise that she did not break her foot in a fall and prayers that cause of pain can be diagnosed and appropriate care found for complete recovery.
- ✘ Lee & Linda Young – praise that their home (as well as Anthony & Kelsey Payne's) were not damaged during the recent hurricane affecting North Carolina.



- ✘ Nancy Blumke – aunt of Lindsey Duerr battling pancreatic cancer that has spread to the liver.
- ✘ Dawn Brouwer – step-mother of Juliette Lucus recently diagnosed with cancer.
- ✘ Paul Cosby – friend & neighbor of Lynn Klein battling kidney cancer as well as sepsis.
- ✘ Brandy Cox – mother of Gracie Maddox-Scheer. Neurologist has ordered tests for possible blood vessel abnormalities, causing ongoing headaches.
- ✘ Dave & Kay Filson – parents of Laurie Nance. Prayers for Kay as she prepares for radiation treatment for breast cancer and prayers for Dave who is battling mobility issues.
- ✘ 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.

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

PARENTING in the 21st Century

What are we doing today to help ensure our children are successful adults tomorrow?

OCTOBER 20TH | 8:30AM-NOON

CHECK-IN WILL START AT 8:00AM

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH | LUTHER COMMONS

GUEST SPEAKERS: Dr. Jacob Youmans, Director of the DCE program at Concordia University Texas.

Preston Ackerman, Program Coordinator for the FBI's OKC Division Cyber Squad

COST: \$5 per person- A light breakfast and childcare will be available.



For more information and to register, visit holylutherantrinityedmond.org/21stcentury

Save the Date

REFORMATION

Music Festival & Hymn Sing

Celebrating the heritage of

Lutheran music through the ages

October 31st @ 7:15 pm

4x4 | The Kemp Concert Series

at OKC First Presbyterian Church

4 Pipe Organs ; 4 Organists

(including our own Stephen Wurst)

TODAY at 4pm | 1001 NW 25th Street in Oklahoma City

Week of October 7, 2018

SUNDAY	October 7, 2018
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
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MONDAY	October 8, 2018
6:30 PM	Lutheranism 101 Class Thrivent Workshop: Special Needs Planning
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TUESDAY	October 9, 2018
7:00 AM	Men's Bible Breakfast @ Around the Corner
9:30 AM	Braille Ministry CIA Ministry
1:00 PM	Braille Ministry Library Committee Meeting
7:00 PM	Resonate Rehearsal
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WEDNESDAY	October 10, 2018
4:30 PM	HTLC BLOOD DRIVE
5:00 PM	Wednesday Fellowship Dinner
5:30 PM	Brass Choir Rehearsal
5:45 PM	Junior Confirmation Classes Wednesday Night Live (K-5th) High School ReFuel
6:00 PM	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
6:30 PM	Children's Choir Rehearsal
7:15 PM	Midweek Worship Service w/Holy Communion
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THURSDAY	October 11, 2018
9:30 AM	Thursday Morning Ladies Bible Study
12:00 PM	LWML Son Lighters Luncheon and Meeting
6:00 PM	LWML Night Lighters Dinner and Meeting
6:30 PM	Handbell Choir Rehearsal
7:00 PM	Praise Band Rehearsal
7:30 PM	Chamber Choir Rehearsal
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FRIDAY	October 12, 2018
	MIDDLE SCHOOL JOY RETREAT - LUTHERHOMA
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SATURDAY	October 13, 2018
	MIDDLE SCHOOL JOY RETREAT - LUTHERHOMA
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SUNDAY	October 14, 2018
	MIDDLE SCHOOL JOY RETREAT - LUTHERHOMA
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
4:00 PM	HTLS FALL FESTIVAL

Celebration Corner

BIRTHDAYS	
Oct 7	Chanda Finley, Jaxon Schwisow
Oct 8	Finnley Bartlett, Robert Ross, Malanna Webb
Oct 11	Axel Arstingstall
Oct 12	Mark James, Spencer James, Taber Stockstill
Oct 13	Caroline Bahner, Brenda Emde, Laura Higgins
Oct 14	Jeff Henry, Christina Jenkins, Karen Marshall, Geri Shrum
ANNIVERSARIES	
Oct 6	Rusty & Kelly Barger ; Bob & Elsie Schatz (61 years)
Oct 9	Robert & Amy Smith ; Mark & Jodi Voyles
Oct 10	Ethan & Brooke Zaitshik
Oct 12	Jerry & Carol Garner
Oct 14	Stephen & Megan Hall

GROUNDWORK GUATEMALA 2019

There will be a Guatemala Mission Trip Information Meeting on **October 21st** following the late services in room 115. Anyone interested in going on our next trip, scheduled for June 15-22, 2019 is welcome to attend. Questions? Contact Shannon or Becky Elliott at 920-7306 (B) or 920-7309 (S).

HOLIDAY BAZAAR

November 10th | 9am-4pm

CRAFTERS WANTED
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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Visit our website to register and/or volunteer
www.holytrinityedmond.org/holiday-bazaar


THRIVENT FINANCIAL
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Special Needs Planning Workshop
Monday, Oct 8th | 6:30 pm
Luther Commons

Join Sebastian Kreienbrink with Thrivent Financial to learn how to guarantee a loved one with cognitive or physical challenges will be provided for—financially, physically and emotionally. To register, contact Adrianna Kreienbrink at 405-359-7283 or Adrianna.Kreienbrink@thrivent.com. (No products will be sold at this event.)

HTLC BLOOD DRIVE

This Wednesday, October 10
4:30 - 7:30 pm | Family Life Center

Sign up with Emma Meyer or at obi.org

CONNECTING SERVANTS

The Elders have begun establishing a network of volunteers, called **Connecting Servants**, and are looking for more individuals to join the team. You are invited to come learn more about this special volunteer opportunity on Sunday, October 14th at 9:30am in the Youth Room. If you have questions, please contact the church office at 405-348-3292.


FALL FESTIVAL

October 14th | 4-7pm

ADVANCE TICKETS: \$5 PER PERSON TICKETS AT DOOR: \$7 PER PERSON
Ticket Purchase Includes Hot Dog Dinner
(Advance tickets on sales on October 7th & October 9th in the outside Luther Commons)

DESSERT AUCTION | GAMES | PRIZES | INFLATABLE OBSTACLE COURSE | CHILI COOK-OFF | BOUNCE HOUSE

Chili Cook Off Sign Ups Available outside Luther Commons

Dear Holy Trinity Family,

A huge THANK YOU for your many prayers. The surgeries are over and healing is in progress. Praise the Lord! God has both Dennis and myself in his protection. Prayers from you went up and many blessings came back to us. The cards, kind words and fellowship were such a comfort. Thank you so much!

Dennis & Rita Paul

YOUTH NEWS

Our next youthCONNECT event is October 28th to the Orr Family Farm. Cost is \$8 plus money for food. We will meet at the church at 3:00PM and return around 6:30PM.

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!

BAPTISM WORKSHOP | October 21 | 12:30pm

Join Holy Trinity for our first ever Baptismal workshop – **BAPTISM AND BEYOND!** During this workshop, parents of children anticipating baptism learn about this Means of Grace and how to build on this “first step” of faith development for years to come. A light lunch and childcare will be provided.

3rd GRADE WORKSHOP | November 3 | 9:30 am

Have a child in 3rd grade? Then you are invited to attend **HOLY TRINITY'S 3RD GRADE DISCIPLESHIP BLESSING: WIRED IN THE WORD.** This workshop will focus on equipping parents with age appropriate Bible tools for their 3rd grader and provide the 3rd graders some time to test their Bible skills. This workshop will be held Saturday November 3rd at 9:30AM. Be sure to bring your 3rd grader! Childcare will be provided.

For more details and to register for these workshops contact Lindsey Duerr at 405-348-3292.