

# Trinity *Tidings*

October 2019

Trinity Lutheran Church

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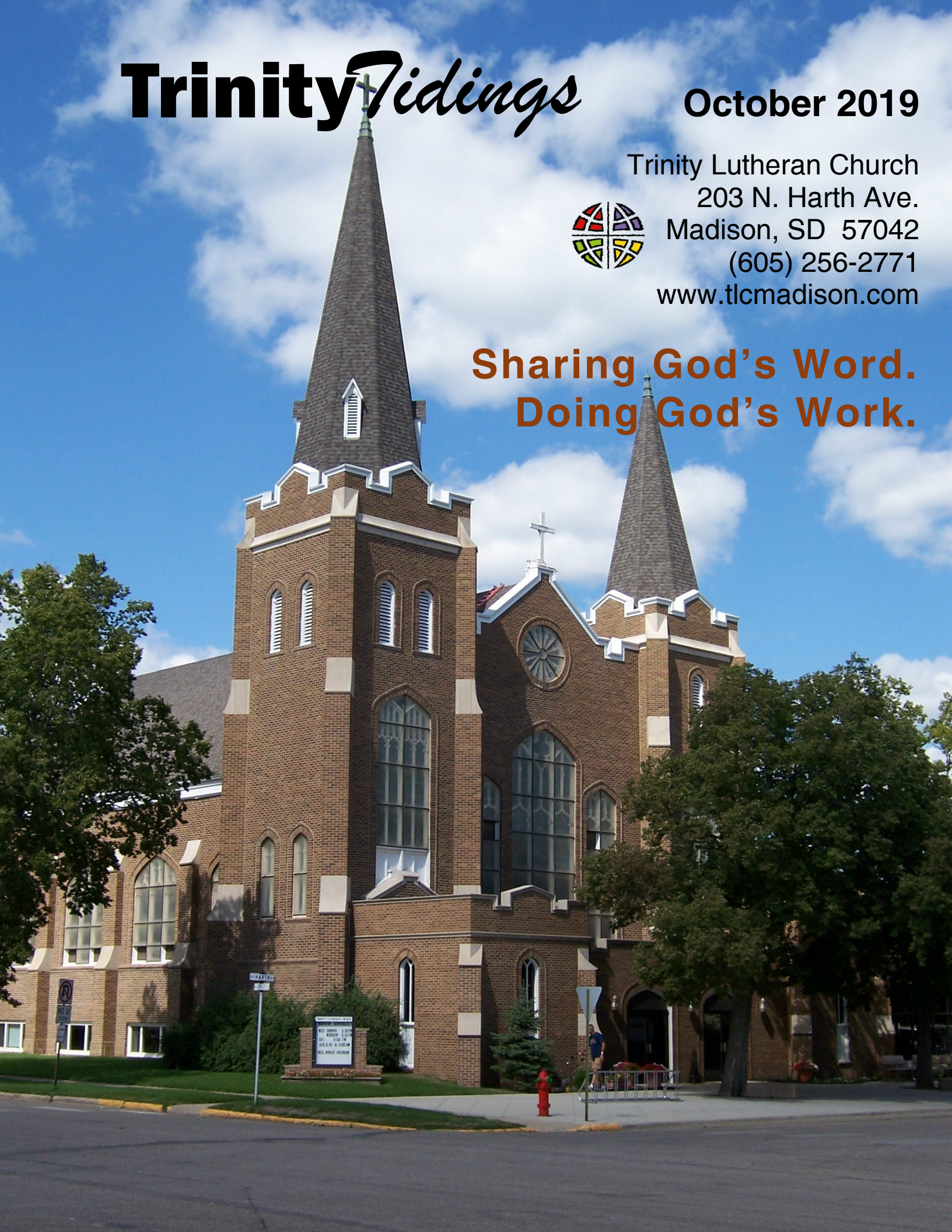
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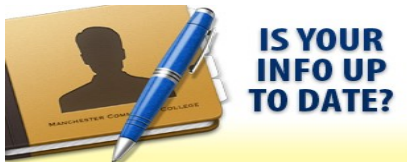


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## Membership Information

Have you moved? Did you disconnect your land line? Did you change your e-mail address? Did you get married? Did you have a baby? Did you get a divorce? Do you wonder why the church has not been connecting with you? Please let us know when you have an address change, e-mail change, marital status change, etc. If you are on Facebook or Twitter, or look under “Forms” on our website, you can find a new information change form on our page. Check it out!



## YouTube

You can now view all Sunday worship services on our YouTube channel! Just search for *Trinity Lutheran Church ELCA* or  click on the link on our website!

## Food Pantry

The Lake County Food Pantry mission of the month for October is laundry soap. It can be brought to Trinity.

## Care Team

If you or someone you know is hospitalized, please contact the church office to let us know. Thank you from Trinity's Care Team.



## E-mail Address



If you are currently receiving the *Trinity Tidings* in the mail and would like to receive it electronically, please contact the church office. Also, we send out “e-news” that will be delivered to your inbox weekly! If you have not received this and would like to, please let the office know your e-mail address.

## Mission of the Month

October's Mission of the Month is Domestic Violence Network, Madison, SD.

### Farmer Stress Hotline

Even those with toughened hands and hearts need someone to talk to. Extreme weather conditions, machinery breakdowns, a volatile ag environment, long hours that prevent time with family, and lowered income all cause frustration.

Avera offers the Farmer's Stress Hotline. It's free, confidential and available 24/7. Call 1-800-691-4336.

# Phone Directory

## STAFF

Rev. Dirk Hagmaier	Administrative Pastor	256-2771
Lexy Johnson, SAM	Director of Faith Formation for Youth and Family Ministry	256-2771
Alex Eykamp	Office Manager	256-2771
Lisa Gale	Office Assistant	256-2771
Alex Eykamp	Music & Worship Ministries	256-2771

## Preschool Staff

Summer DuRandt	Preschool Director	256-2771
TBD	Preschool Assistant	256-2771

## CONGREGATIONAL OFFICERS

Terry Schultz	President	270-2600
Scott Delzer	Vice-President	256-6246
Joan Merager	Secretary	256-2296
Katie Nelson	Treasurer	556-0051

## BOARD OF DEACONS

Heath Abraham (21)	Chair/Mission Momentum	480-3039
Ashley Allen (22)	Worship and Music	427-0027
Linda Brick (20)	Sacraments & Services	256-2375
Patti Weber (20)	Life & Growth	480-3231
Chase Hanson (20)	Evangelical Outreach	480-2259

## BOARD OF PARISH EDUCATION

Megan Schneider (21)	Co-Chair/Elementary Education	480-4858
Dana Hoff (20)	Co-Chair/Youth Ministry	480-0047
Ryan Townsend (22)	Continuing Education/Library	359-4032
Susan Farrell-Poncelet (22)	Preschool & Early Childhood	480-1372
Bridget Van Liere (22)	Confirmation Education	480-0094
Lexy Johnson	Director of Faith Formation for Youth and Family Ministry	256-2771

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Elizabeth Molstad (20)	Chair/Insurance	482-8254
Sid Gulbranson (22)	Sanctuary Property	270-1896
Wayne Halma (20)	Education Wing Property	291-2174
Steve Millage (21)	Development & Planning	677-9135
Josh Van Dyke (22)	Stewardship	270-3307

Church Council meets at 8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall the second Tuesday of each month. All members are welcome to attend a council meeting, or contact any of the above leaders with any concerns, suggestions, or questions. We are here to serve you!

If you would like to participate in any of these opportunities, please feel free to contact the contact person listed. If you have an interest in an activity not listed, please contact the church office (256-2771).

## FOUNDATION COMMISSION

Scott Delzer (21)	Vice-President	256-6246
Tom Farrell (22)	Treasurer	256-6777
Rob Thuringer (23)	Chair	480-0917
Nancy Kasuske (21)	Secretary	483-3199
Valerie Kuhl (20)	Commission Member	256-6882
Marc Molskness (23)	Commission Member	483-3561

## CHOIRS

### Vocal Directors:

Adult	Sandy Cole	256-3222
Chapel (Grades 9-12)	Virginia Lemme	483-3125
Chancel (Grades 5-8)	Hailey Delzer	256-6246
Covenant (Grades 1-4)	Mary Hunter	256-3280

### Sunday School Choir Directors:

Preschool 1-Kindergarten	Tami Christiansen	480-0727
Grade 1-4	Stacey Riedel	270-1233

### Handbell Directors:

Epiphany	Diane Plack	256-3665
Jubilant	Sandy Cole	256-3222

### Celebration Team Director

Virginia Lemme	483-3125
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## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Becky Brown (21)	Congregational Delegate	256-2509
Julie Jones (20)	Council Delegate	270-9715
Nancy Sabbe (20)	Council Delegate	256-3664
Susan Williams (22)	Congregational Delegate	480-0201
Karen Kalvig (20)	Congregational Delegate	256-2347
Tim Walburg (20)	Congregational Delegate	556-0103

## FUNERAL COMMITTEE

Sandy Cole	256-3222
Mary Hutchinson	256-0281
Nancy Miller	256-2145
Kay Johnson	256-4798
Sharol Bargmann	256-3865
Mary Cole	256-1543
Nancy Presuhn	480-2452

## MISCELLANEOUS

Newsletter	Alex Eykamp	256-2771
Mission of the Month	Heath Abraham	480-3039
Prayer Chain		256-2771
Video Communication	Bob Gale	256-2771
Trinity Women	Nancy Miller	256-2145
Wedding Coordinator	Robin Boldt	256-2771

## From the Pastor's Pen

God's grace and peace to you!

Depending on who you talk to, construction zones are not the places of peace and contentment. They are chaotic and dangerous. That's especially true for our renovation project that took place during this summer. Looking at how challenging it was to put a new roof on our towers I can only say "Thank you for your great work and service."

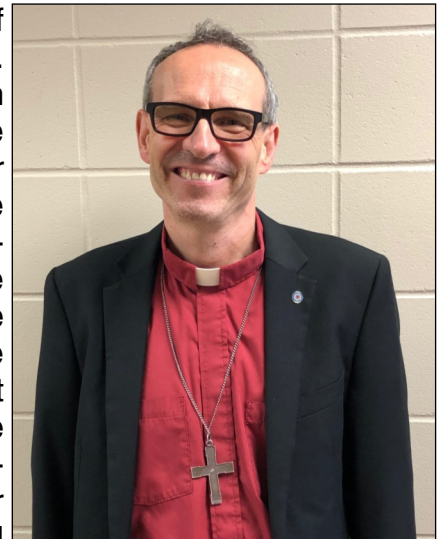
When I think about any construction zone, I associate places that are pretty messed up and oftentimes unsightly places to look at. That's the reason why whenever I walked this summer into our sanctuary, I had some serious doubts that that order and beauty will ever be established in that place.

However, whenever I talked to the building committee members or to Don Amert, I was reminded that the construction zone is beautiful despite of all of the chaos that is going on because they envisioned what the end product is going to look like. They knew all the way that what they are looking at is the process of progress. During all that time they envisioned what the end product will look like and then worked really hard to make it a reality. At this point I have no doubt that our sanctuary may be one of the most beautiful ones in the entire state of South Dakota. Without your contributions and pledges and ongoing support this vision wouldn't have become a reality. I don't know how to thank you for all of this.

I am wondering if life is like that. Somehow – from God's perspective we are all under construction. The loss of pastor Constanze made me realize that we are never at a place where we have it "all together." Like our sanctuary during those summer months we are all pretty messed up and maybe sometimes even dangerous. But in spite of our messiness and ugliness God is still at work in our lives and certainly not through with us yet.

In that sense I urge you to be patient with us and each other in that time of transition – trusting that God has great plans for us that some of us can't even envision yet. I am convinced that together we are going to do great things in Christ's name because during the next few months we are all in the process of progress. May God bless us all!

Pastor Dirk



**Rev. Dirk Hagmaier**  
Administrative Pastor



*Above: Beth Delzer, Dana Hoff, and other volunteers help serve Rally Sunday's meal. At Right: Newly decorated hallways and Sunday School classroom*





## Faith Formation Happenings

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

This October, we give thanks for the new beginnings and transitions! We are getting back into the swing of fall programming here at Trinity spanning from Confirmation, Sunday School and our new 5–6th grade Pre-Confirmation programming. We give thanks, for all those individuals who are helping serve as teachers, instructors, mentors and guides for our youth!

I also want to highlight and give thanks to some amazing individuals who have helped make with our Sunday School Wing updates over the summer! First off, thanks to the Trinity Foundation who gave us a grant to make these updates possible! Thanks to Melody Hansen who created all the vinyl decals that adorn the walls throughout the rooms and hallway. Including the creation tree on the bottom floor hallway. Thank you to all who helped get the vinyl from a cut out word onto the wall including Lindsey Hanson, Amy Winrow, Kiara Winrow, Renae Hass, Amy Townsend, Susan Farrell-Poncelet, Shay and Shelby Poncelet. Scotty, our wonderful custodian, is to thank for the beautiful paint job throughout the wings. Rochelle Johnson made a

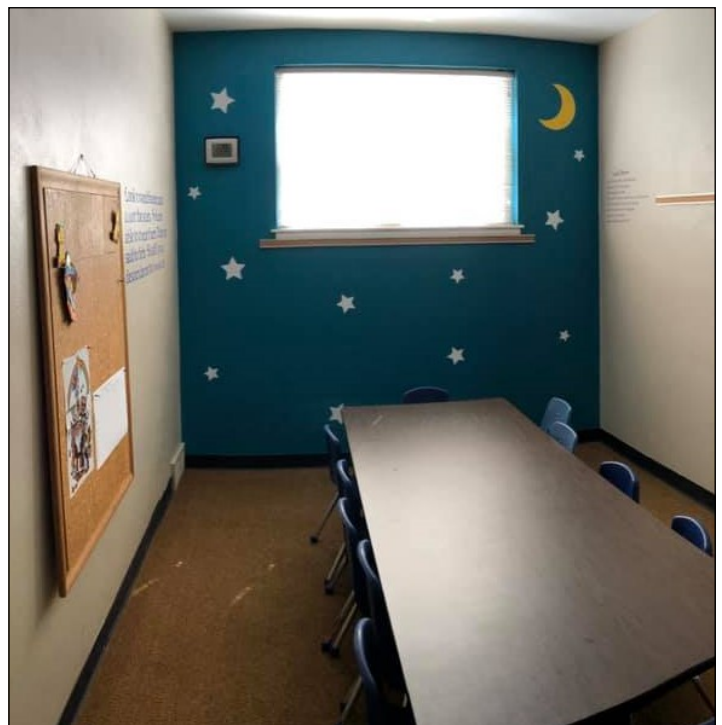
one-of-a-kind piece of art that adorns the top floor hallway entering the Sunday School hallway. It was a team effort getting this space refreshed and ready for our youth at Trinity, so if you see these individuals please give them a huge thank you!

On a personal note, I want to give thanks to all of you for your support, thoughts and prayers as Jes and I headed towards our wedding day! You were all there counting the days alongside me, and it means the world to have that love and support. Thank you for walking alongside us!

Peace,  
Lexy Carson, Director of Faith Formation



**Lexy Carson**  
**Director of Faith Formation**





# Preschool News



What a great start to the school year we have had! Our focus at the beginning of school is to build relationships, have fun, and figure out how this preschool stuff works. We have spent the first weeks reading books, singing lots of songs, playing with friends, and learning about our classroom and classroom expectations. We have such amazing kiddos and families; it's going to be an awesome year!

Miss Summer





## Preschool Openings

Trinity Preschool has openings available in the MWF and T/Th class. To register your child, please contact Summer at [preschool@tlcmadison.com](mailto:preschool@tlcmadison.com).

## Worship Volunteer Opportunities

The Worship Assistant schedule is on the table in the narthex. This sign-up sheet includes volunteer positions for Ushers, Communion Assistants, Lectors and Greeters. Never done this before? No problem! Sign up and let us know you are new, and we will be sure that an experienced Worship Assistant is there to help guide you.

## Advent Devotional



We are preparing for the 2019 Trinity Advent Devotional, which will be themed around "Do not be afraid" Luke 2:10. We are wanting your insights and thoughts in our devotional book, so please consider signing up yourself, family, Sunday School class, Confirmation group, or group of friends for this opportunity to write a devotional! Please sign up for a specific day in the narthex or on Trinity's online form. Contact Lexy if you have any questions.

## Daddy-Daughter Social



It's time to get signed up for the Daddy-Daughter Social on Sunday, November 24th from 4:30–7:00 p.m.! Grand March will be at 5 p.m. for families to come and watch! Cost is \$25 per couple and \$5 for each additional

individual with a family. Register in the Trinity office. Contact Lexy with any questions you may have.

## Financial Aid for Flood Victims

Orphan Grain Train of Norfolk, NE is offering relief for flood victims in SD **while funding remains available** for people who cannot afford to replace/repair their water heater and furnace. OGT would like to help by covering 100% of the cost for **parts only** for furnace/water heater **repair** up to \$400 **OR** 85% of the first \$1,000 for **parts only** for furnace/water heater **replacement** (\$850 maximum). Victims must not have flood insurance and have damage due to a water heater/furnace due to **flood waters**. To apply, fill out a short form available at the OGT home office, 601 W. Philip in Norfolk, NE 68702. Checks will be made payable to locally-owned supply houses/contractors. [www.ogt.org](http://www.ogt.org)

## Quilters Looking for Help


The Trinity Piecemakers are looking for help tying quilts. Quilting meets at 1 p.m. on Tuesdays in the Fellowship Hall.



### MS & HS SERVING THE GATHERING

OCTOBER 28TH

4:30-7PM

TO SIGN UP EMAIL LEXY AT  
[FAITHFORMATION@TLCMADISON.COM](mailto:FAITHFORMATION@TLCMADISON.COM)  
OR STOP IN TLC'S OFFICE



## October

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
<b>Sunday Schedule:</b> 8:00 a.m. Coffee (N) 8:45 a.m. Traditional Worship (S) 9:45 a.m. Coffee Hour (FH) 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Celebration Worship (S)	<b>Council Schedule:</b> <i>(2nd Tuesday of the month)</i> 12:00 p.m. Finance Comm. (CO) 5:15 p.m. Precouncil (FS) 5:15 p.m. Milestone Ministry Committee Mtng. (CO) 5:45 p.m. Executive Council (FS) 6:30 p.m. Board of Trustees (FH) 6:30 p.m. Board of Deacons (FS) 6:30 p.m. Board of Ed. (CO) 8:00 p.m. Council Meeting (FH)	<b>1</b> 1:00 p.m. Quilting (FH) 6:00 p.m. MRT-LSS (Room 18) 7:00 p.m. Den 3 Den Mtng. (YR)
<b>6</b> *See Sunday Schedule 10:00 a.m. 5th & 6th Pre-Confirmation (FS)	<b>7</b> 5:30 p.m. Cub Scouts Den Mtng. (FH) 7:00 p.m. Troop 5 Scouts Mtng. (FH)	<b>8</b> *See Council Schedule 8:00 a.m. Piano Tuning (FH) & (S) 1:00 p.m. Quilting (FH) 6:00 p.m. MRT-LSS (Room 18) 7:00 p.m. Den 3 Den Mtng. (YR)
<b>13</b> *See Sunday Schedule Preschool I Milestone 10:00 a.m. Milestone Educational Moment (FS)	<b>14 Native American Day</b> No Sonshine Preschool 5:30 p.m. Cub Scouts Den Mtng. (FH) 7:00 p.m. Troop 5 Scouts Mtng. (FH)	<b>15</b> 9:00 a.m. Mary Circle (FH) 1:00 p.m. Quilting (FH) 6:00 p.m. MRT-LSS (Room 18) 6:00 p.m. Pack 5 Pack Mtng. (FH) 7:00 p.m. Martha/Naomi Circle (OS–Bethel Apt. Comm. Rm.)
<b>20</b> *See Sunday Schedule 7th Grade Milestone 10:00 a.m. Milestone Educational Moment (FS) Jingle Change Home Communion	<b>21</b> 5:30 p.m. Cub Scouts Den Mtng. (FH) 7:00 p.m. Troop 5 Scouts Mtng. (FH)	<b>22</b> 1:00 p.m. Quilting (FH) 6:00 p.m. MRT-LSS (Room 18) 6:30 p.m. Pack 5 Committee Mtng. (FS) 7:00 p.m. Den 3 Den Mtng. (YR)
<b>27 Reformation Sunday</b> *See Sunday Schedule 2:00 p.m. Confirmation Service (S)	<b>28</b> 5:00 p.m. Youth Serve the Gathering (OS) 5:30 p.m. Cub Scouts Den Mtng. (FH) 7:00 p.m. Troop 5 Scouts Mtng. (FH)	<b>29</b> 1:00 p.m. Quilting (FH) 6:00 p.m. MRT-LSS (Room 18)



# 2019

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>2</b> *See Wednesday Schedule 8:30 a.m. Staff Meeting (CO) 6:30 p.m. 7th & 8th Confirmation (FH) 8:00 p.m. 9th Confirmation (FH)	<b>3</b> 5:30 p.m. Lions' Den 2 Mtng. (FS) 6:45 p.m. Girls' Den 7 Mtng. (FS) 6:45 p.m. Bear Den 4 Mtng. (YR)	<b>4</b> 6:45 a.m. Men's Group (FH)	<b>5</b> 6:00 p.m. Worship (FH)
<b>9</b> *See Wednesday Schedule 8:30 a.m. Staff Meeting (CO) 5:00 p.m. 5th & 6th Pre-Confirmation (FH) 6:30 p.m. 7th & 8th Confirmation (FH) 8:00 p.m. 9th Confirmation (FH)	<b>10</b> 6:45 p.m. Girls' Den 7 Mtng. (FS) 6:45 p.m. Bear Den 4 Mtng. (YR)	<b>11</b> 6:45 a.m. Men's Group (FH)	<b>12</b> 6:00 p.m. Worship (FH)
<b>16</b> *See Wednesday Schedule 8:30 a.m. Staff Meeting (CO) 9:30 a.m. Ruth Circle (OS) 5:30 p.m. 9th Confirmation Pictures & Rehearsal (S) No 7th & 8th Confirmation 7:00 p.m. 9th Confirmation Board of Ed. Meal (FH)	<b>17</b> 5:30 p.m. Lions' Den 2 Mtng. (FS)	<b>18</b> 6:45 a.m. Men's Group (FH)	<b>19</b> 5:00 p.m. Potluck (FH) 6:00 p.m. Worship (FH)
<b>23</b> 8:30 a.m. Staff Meeting (CO) 6:30 p.m. 7th & 8th Confirmation (FH) 8:00 p.m. 9th Confirmation (FH)	<b>24</b> 6:30 p.m. Prairie Piecemakers Quilt Guild (FH) 6:45 p.m. Bear Den 4 Mtng. (YR) 6:45 p.m. Girls' Den 7 Mtng. (FS)	<b>25</b> 6:45 a.m. Men's Group (FH)	<b>26</b> 6:00 p.m. Worship (FH)
<b>30</b> 8:30 a.m. Staff Meeting (CO) 6:30 p.m. 7th & 8th Confirmation (FH)	<b>31 Reformation Day</b> 6:45 p.m. Girls' Den 7 Mtng. (FS)	<b>Room Codes:</b> CO=Church Office CR=Conference Room FS=Fireside Room FH=Fellowship Hall N=Narthex S=Sanctuary SB=Sanctuary Balcony SR=Sonshine Room YR=Youth Room	<b>Wednesday Schedule:</b> 4:30 p.m. Youth Jubilant Bell Choir (SB) 5:15 p.m. Covenant Choir (FS) 5:15 p.m. Chancel Choir (YR) 5:15 p.m. Epiphany Bell Choir (SB) 6:00 p.m. Confirmation Supper (FH) 6:00 p.m. Chapel Choir (FS) 6:45 p.m. Adult Choir (FS) 6:45 p.m. HS Bible Study (YR) 6:45 p.m. Celebration Team Rehearsal (S)

# TRINITY UNDER CONSTRUCTION





# New Toys in the Nursery



## September Council Minutes

Trinity Lutheran Church  
Council Meeting  
September 10, 2019  
8:00 P.M.

The mission statement of Trinity Lutheran Church was recited by all council members, "Sharing God's Word, Doing God's Work."

The September council meeting of Trinity Lutheran Church was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by President Terry Schultz. Members absent and excused were: Susan Farrell-Poncelet, Ashley Allen, and Chase Hanson.

Scott Delzer led the council in devotions.

The agenda was presented by President Schultz and with no additions Heath Abraham made a motion to accept and Ryan Townsend seconded. Motion passed.

President Schultz presented the secretary minutes from August 13, 2019 and with no corrections Josh Van Dyke made a motion to approve and Bridget Van Liere seconded. Motion passed.

Elizabeth Molstad reported on the financial report and informed us we are \$23,000. behind, Ryan Townsend made a motion to accept the report and seconded by Steve Millage. Motion accepted.

### STAFF REPORTS WERE PRESENTED BY:

Pastor Dirk reported:

- David Rossing and Mike Brooks will help with our Caring Ministry
- Jim Iverson will preach on Sunday, September 15th
- Remember to keep Lexy and Jes in our prayers as their wedding day is September 14th
- Lexy and Pastor Dirk are planning the worship calendar
- With the introduction of Peer ministry we may have a few changes in confirmation in regard to rules of conduct.
- Preschool is updating their operational plan and employee handbook

Director of Faith Formation Lexy Johnson reported:

- She is planning an Advent devotional and asks anyone to please write a devotion for one day
- Rally Sunday was held and the food was served by Megan Schneider, Dana Hoff, Terry Schultz, & Scott Delzer
- November 24th will be the Father-Daughter Dance with the grand march at 5:00 P.M.
- We are preparing a care package for Jeremy Schneider and if you would like to donate items please drop them off at the church office
- We are preparing the Christmas card for Trinity Church
- An update on Vacation Bible School with the theme "Riding the Waves" was held with 35–40 students and a thank you to the High School helpers

President Terry Schultz reported:

- The first draw was done on the mission investment loan by Elizabeth Molstad, Terry Schultz, Scott Delzer, and Alex
- Coffee with the council went well and there was discussion on the operational items.
- Stewardship Sundays will be doing temple talks the first three Sundays
- Jona Schmidt is working on "I AM IN" statements

Vice President Scott Delzer:

- Same report as President Schultz



## September Council Minutes

Board of Trustees Chairman Elizabeth Molstad reported:

- Sid will check on A/C unit in the preschool
- Reviewed the proposed 2019 Mission Plan
- Stewardship will give Temple Talks the first three Sundays in October
- The Insurance Renewal will be done on September 28, 2019
- We tabled the Church Mutual representative and decided to ask him to check back in a year
- Worked on capital campaign loan information
- Approved paying the bills

Board of Parish Education Co-Chairman Dana Hoff reported:

- Confirmation starts September 11th with an open house from 4:00–6:00 for the 7th & 8th grade students
- 9th grade September 18th
- The Board of Education meal for Freshmen & mentors & family of confirmation students will be held on October 16th with pictures at 5:30 and the meal to follow
- Preschool pizza fundraiser will be coming up soon, and they are updating their operational plan and employee handbook
- The Preschool will be added to the Board of Education budget
- Milestone ministry will be for 3rd grade students on September 29th
- Milestone ministry for preschool students will be on October 13th and they will receive their prayer pillow
- Events happening for the youth is the Corn Maze Sunday, September 29th
- The youth will serve The Gathering on October 28th
- On October 9th Confirmation classes will attend a speaker at the Madison High School who will tell us her story about Opioid Abuse
- Sunday school updates are done, all areas are filled, Rally Sunday went well, Sunday school offering will go to the Madison baby program associated with the hospital

Board of Deacon Chairman Heath Abraham reported:

- Worship & Music – no report
- Mission Momentum – Heath will work on an application for the AED supported by the Foundation, We served The Gathering, we did not have a lot of volunteers and will have more discussion about serving again
- Life & Growth: coffee letters are done with the adjusting for coffee service in the Narthex
- Services & Sacraments – The home communion kits must be at the communion service where they will be blessed
- Evangelical Outreach – Pastor Dirk will contact the synod to see when Bishop Constanze Hagmaier is available to be at our 100th year sanctuary celebration

A motion to adjourn the September council meeting was made by Steve Millage and seconded by Ryan Townsend. Motion passed.

September treats were provided by Parish Education. October treats will be provided by the Officers. November treats will be provided by the Trustees. December treats will be provided by the Deacons.

Next council meeting will be October 8th, 2019.

Joan passed the bulletin from the Installation Service of Bishop Constanze Hagmaier around for the council members to view. The service was held on September 7th at 1:30 P.M. at the Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. It was a very inspirational service!

Respectfully submitted,  
Joan Merager  
Council Secretary

## Confirmation Class of 1997



*If you know someone in this photo, please contact the church office to help identify individuals.*

## September Home Communion Helpers

Thank you to the following individuals who helped serve home communion during September: Bobbi and Ron Janke, Ken Simet, Nancy Miller, and Linda Brick. Contact Linda Brick if you would like to volunteer for this ministry.

## Congregational Information

**Deaths:** Lillian Hagg on August 29  
Francis Stacey on September 3  
Ronald Reed on September 4

**Baptisms:** None

**Weddings:** Lexy and Jesse Carson on Sept. 14

## Thrivent Funds

Do you have life insurance through Thrivent Lutheran? If so, did you know that annually you have 2 Thrivent Action team funds that can be utilized to help an event in your area? It is as simple as filling out a short description of the event such as the DSU athletes' meal, mission kits, Day Camp, VBS, Daddy-Daughter Social, serving the Gathering and then receiving \$250 that goes towards that event. Pending on your policy, you might also have Choice Dollars to designate to an organization of your choice. You can discover more at [Thrivent.com/thriventchoice](http://Thrivent.com/thriventchoice) or stop in the office and Lexy will be happy to help!



## NEWS FROM THE FOUNDATION

**In Honor of Bishop Constanze Hagmaier**  
Bill and Diane Bruns

**In Honor of Rev. Lorna Halaas,**  
**Bishop of Western Iowa Synod**  
Marv and Sandy Rhode

**In Memory of Lillian Hagg**  
Doug and Joan Merager

**In Memory of Ed Hexom**  
Gene and Marilyn Hexom

**In Memory of Constance Behrens**  
Betty Jensen  
Harr-Lemme Development, Inc.  
Teresa and Zach Neises

### ***Hazel Johnson***

The established purpose of the Endowment was to provide support for missions, both global and within the United States (including local). The donor did not restrict the type of missions to be supported. Based on the requests, the Foundation will attempt to allocate some support to global missions, as well as those within the United States. The Foundation Commission's last grant was for global missions.

Amounts awarded for both grants will be based on the number of eligible applications and the amount available for distribution pursuant to the Foundation's policies regarding distributions.

Printed applications can be obtained from the Church office, or e-mail from Alex Eykamp [office@tlcmadison.com](mailto:office@tlcmadison.com) or the Foundation Treasurer, Tom Farrell, at [tom.farrell@dsu.edu](mailto:tom.farrell@dsu.edu). Grant applications will be available starting October 1, 2019 and are due no later than **October 31, 2019**, with awards determined in late November. Only requests received on completed current application forms will receive consideration.

If you have questions please feel free to contact Tom Farrell at [tom.farrell@dsu.edu](mailto:tom.farrell@dsu.edu) (480-3778), or Pastor Dirk at [pastordirk@tlcmadison.com](mailto:pastordirk@tlcmadison.com) or 256-2771.

### ***Faith in Action!***

In furtherance of the Foundation's mission to use gifts it receives to support Trinity's ministries; the Foundation Commission is now accepting applications for use of the income from the ***Faith in Action*** Endowment Fund.

The criteria for a grant award is that the project or organization must further the missions and ministries of Trinity Lutheran Church and is not being funded by Trinity's general operating budget.

### **Care Package for Jeremy**

We are getting ready to ship a care package to Jeremy Schneider, who is deployed with the Navy. We would like to send another box in a month or so. If you would like to contribute snacks, cards, or notes, please bring them to the church office by October 20. Thank you!

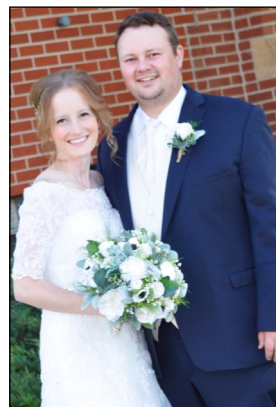
### **Building Use Policy**

Per the Building Use Policies, **no food or drink will be allowed in the Sanctuary.**

### **Corn Maze Trip Rescheduled**



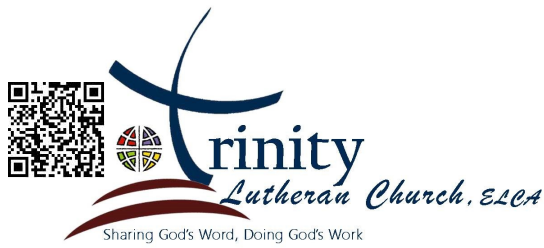
Middle School and High School Corn Maze event has been rescheduled for Sunday, October 20th due to the weather! Register with Lexy in the office, e-mail [faithformation@tlcmadison.com](mailto:faithformation@tlcmadison.com) or call 256-2771. Cost is \$10 for the maze and enough for supper on the way home. We will leave at 1 p.m. from Trinity and return about 6 p.m.



***Congratulations***

*to*

*Jesse and Lexy Carson,  
who were married on  
September 14, 2019!*



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## Fall Worship Schedule

**Saturday Evening Service** at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

**Sunday Worship Services:**

8:45 a.m. Traditional Service in the Sanctuary

11:00 a.m. Celebration Service in the Sanctuary

