

THE PARISH CALLER

Trinity Lutheran Church

August 31, 2025

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The Mission of Trinity Lutheran Church is the preaching, teaching, baptizing and Sharing the love of Christ in our church, our community and our world.

Sunday School & Bible Class meets every Sunday @ 8:45 am in the Fellowship Hall

Trinity Ringers / Trinity Choir / Men's Glee practice meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays: Trinity Ringers at 5pm / Trinity Choir at 6pm / Men's Glee at 7pm

Lutheran Youth Fellowship (LYF) Teen focused Bible Study and Fun Activities—4th Sunday of the Month—6-8pm

Senior Moments—1st Thursday of the Month—1pm in the chapel

Family Bible Study—1st Sunday of the Month—6pm at the parsonage

Girls of Grace—2nd Sunday of the Month—6pm Curl Household

Mt. Vernon Ladies Bible Study will meet at 1:30pm. the second and fourth Tuesday at Betty Sawyers home

Ladies Afternoon Bible Study will meet at 1:30pm the second and third Monday in the chapel



Prayer Chain If you wish to be added or removed or information has changed, A MEMBER OF THE FAMILY NEEDS TO CALL BOTH the CHURCH OFFICE and

MARGE HARRIS @ 236-1935 or
CONNIE CHAPMAN @ 827-0952

If you are in need of a ride to and from a doctor appointment or need to pick up a prescription, you may call these people to help you.

Betty Sawyer 417-825-5697



The Lutheran Hour Sermon Schedule

August 31 "Life Narrows Down"

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer

"Life narrows down and crisis comes. There, in the narrow place stands Jesus." (John 1:6-8, 19-28)

The Lutheran Hour may be heard on the following radio stations each Sunday: KKOW-AM, (860) Pittsburg, KS at 9:30 am, KLFC-FM (88.1) Branson, MO at 9:30 am; KRUM (100.5) Rogers, AR 12:30 pm; KNEO-FM, (91.7) Neosho, MO at 1 pm

Radio broadcast of Trinity Lutheran Church services may be heard on radio station KKBL (95.9) and the radio KKBL website and app. The live stream broadcast can also be heard at www.trinity1874.com using your computer, tablet or smart phone.

Attendance August 24, 2025 141
YTD Sunday Average 152

Birthday's

31-Katherin McRoberts
1-Caleb Baker
1-Brenda Krueger
2-Autumn Gaddy
2-Jacque' Himes
3-Nick Prater-80
4-David Heseman
4-Tenley Rhea
4-Susan Senninger

Anniversaries

2-John & June Fritz-65



Assisting in the Service September 7th, 2025

Preacher: Rev. Jake Sletten
Assisting: Lay Minister Bruce Sletten
Elder: Parker Schoen
Assisting Elder: Drew Meier
Sound: Liam Hansen
Broadcaster: Carole Kleiboeker
Communion Setup: Sue Mattlage
Communion Wash: Diana & Kathryn Connelly

Rally Sunday - September 14th

Please join us after church on Sept. 14th for Rally Sunday! There will be a lemonade stand and a ministry fair where you can learn more about our church groups and activities.

The Board of Education is also in need of a refrigerator and storage cabinet for use at church. If you have one you would be willing to donate, please contact the church office.

Faith Family Fellowship is kicking off our new season!

We will meet on Sunday, September 7 at the parsonage from 6-8pm. As long as it's not raining, we will meet in the backyard so bring a chair! Everyone is also asked to bring a dish to share. Bring your children as we will have a couple of LYF members to assist in keeping an eye on them. We will pass out the new Family Worship Sheet, eat together, converse, and have a fire pit!

Trinity Lambs Cottage Daycare



If you are interested in volunteering at the cottage, please sign up using the google form using the link or QR code

<https://forms.gle/cBCZH3xDCRyPVJuu8>.



Looking to support the daycare? You can order toys and supplies from our Amazon wish list. Go to <https://a.co/2TFKQKk> or use the QR code.



Early Childhood classes at TLS are already filling up for the 2026-2027 school year.



We want to make sure that our current church and school families are on the list!

If you have a child that will be three years old by August 1 in 2026, 2027 (or beyond) contact the office now to be added to the list.

We only have 2 spots remaining for the 2026-27 school year so don't delay!

Greeters Needed! If you would like to volunteer to be a greeter for Sunday and Wednesday church services, please reach out to Susan Senninger or the church office.

Looking for a way to serve? We are currently seeking volunteers to help watch our little ones during Voters meetings. There will be a sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the Narthex.



LWML will meet on September 8, 2025, at 1:30 pm in Trinity Chapel. Our speaker will be Cindy Gulick from the Barry Lawrence County Library. Please join us for this very interesting program. There will be a short business meeting to follow.

Nomination Sheets for 2026 Election are due by September 7th. Sheets can be found in the Narthex.

Please return to the basket in the narthex, the church office or to any member on the nomination committee.

Chiefs vs. Broncos Drawing:

The TLS Booster Club is holding a drawing for 4 suite level tickets to the 7:15pm Christmas Day game. Tickets include a parking pass, food, and drink. Who knows...maybe Taylor & Travis will get married at the game, too! All proceeds benefit the TLS Booster Club and will help purchase new equipment, uniforms, concession supplies, pay referees, and tournament fees. A huge thank you to Ed & Tracy Rhea for donating the tickets for this raffle. Contact the school office 235-5931 to purchase tickets before October 10 and we will draw a winner live at chapel on October 15.

**\$20 for one ticket or
\$100 for 6 tickets**

