

May 24, 2026

THE PARISH CALLER

Trinity Lutheran Church

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.

207 N. Main Street
Freistatt, Missouri 65654

Church Office:

(417) 235-7300

Church Email:

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Church Website:

trinity1874.com

Church @ 9:30 am

**Sunday School &
Adult Bible Class meets
after church to 11:45am**

Attendance May 17, 2026 150
YTD Sunday Average 161

Summer Ministries

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

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

Faith & Family Fellowship—1st Sunday of the Month—6pm at the parsonage

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

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

May 24 "Misery Loves Company"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler
It's often said, "Misery loves company." Christ comes to us in our misery with God's love and mercy. Acts 2:38

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.

Birthday's

24-Drew Meier
25-Dalton Brown
25-Deven Smith
25-Brittany Smithson
25-Bailey Stocker
26-Tammy Doss
27-Reagan Parrigon
27-Chari Schoen
28-Jennifer Moennig
28-Dennis Stellwagen

Anniversaries

25-Nick & LeaAnn Broderick
26-Jared & Shannon Kleiboeker
27-Willie & Mary Hesemann-37
30-Eric & Sandra Jackson-45



Assisting in the Service May 31, 2026

Preacher: Rev. Jake Sletten
Assisting: Lay Minister Bruce Sletten
Elder: Philip Kleiboeker
Assisting Elder: Robert Petrowsky
Acolytes: Logan Hanson and Ryder Presley
Sound: Drew Meier
Broadcaster: Nick Prater
Communion Setup: Diana Connelly
Communion Wash: Connie Prater

Adult Confirmation Sunday will be on Sunday, May 31. Join us after the church service in the Fellowship Hall for a potluck lunch in honor of the confirmands. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

Trinity LWML will meet on June 1 at 1:30 pm in Trinity Chapel. The program will be presented by Pam Wormington - "Dress a Girl Around the World". There will be no business meeting. Please join us.

For the Confirmands of Years Ending in "6"

A letter has been placed in your church mailbox with details on the Confirmation Reunion taking place on July 12.

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, July 12th for Confirmation Reunion of all Confirmands of Years Ending in "6"!

Please help us locate an address for the following Confirmands:

1976 - TAMMIE OBERMANN LEWIS
1996 - MARY KAE CHRISTIANSEN
BRUCE CULVER
DIANNA HESSEL CHAI

Call Jennifer at church office 417-235-7300 with an address for any of the above.
Watch for further details!

Join a Trinity Ministry!

Find a green flyer in the narthex to see all the ministries offered at Trinity. For questions, contact the person leading the particular group you're interested in! Please keep in mind, not all of the groups meet during the summer or every month.

The church office is closed on Monday, May 25 for Memorial Day.



Fundraising Opportunities

July 10 - Annual Trinity Picnic - cookie mix in a jar/muffin mix in a jar/note cards/cookbooks available for purchase.

July 12 - Confirmation Reunion Sunday: cookie mix/muffin mix/note cards/cookbooks for sale in the Fellowship Hall. Confirmation Reunion Dinner after church will be a free will donation. Menu is lasagna, salad, Olive Garden breadsticks, and choice of dessert. We will need about 4 volunteers - 2 before/during the meal — 2 after the meal for clean up.

September 20 - Trinity Music Concert: An Evening of Music and Celebration

October 9-11 - Apple Butter Makin' Days - possibly have cookie/muffin mix available for purchase.

October 17 - German Bratwurst Dinner - drive thru/carryout only.

We are also looking into several other ideas and suggestions, especially in the spring. If you know of projects/events that have been successful, please contact us. We're busy, but never too busy to listen. And thank you to all that helped with the note cards and assembled the cookie mix, and those who have supported through purchases.

Betty Sawyer, Vickey Fritz, Lori Evatt
Be joyful - be ready!

Graduation Recognition Sunday ~~~~~June 14

For 8th Grade,
High School and College
2026 Graduates.



For the graduates who want to be recognized during church, please provide the following information:

- Students Name
- What school did they graduate from / degree
- What school or job are they going to next
- Any other information they want to share

Please email the church office at trinityfreistatt@gmail.com with the student's information by June 10.