

# A N N O U N C E M E N T S IN THE NAME OF JESUS



#### **Welcome To Trinity Lutheran Church**

It is good to have you with us this morning! May your time spent here under the influence of God's Word be beneficial to you. Please contact us with any concerns/questions:

Email: trinity@trinitybeloit.org; Website: www.trinitybeloit.org

#### Wish to Know More About Our Congregation?

To learn more about and/or join our congregation please indicate so on the sign-in sheet on the table in the hallway. You may speak to a greeter, a deacon, or call the church office at 362-3607 Mon. - Thurs. from 8:00 a.m. to noon.

#### THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

December 28, 2025

Sun. 12/28 Pastor Mark Duer

8:30am Bible Study

9:30am Worship Service W/HC

10:30am Fellowship

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#### **In our Prayers...** All of our shut-ins, and especially:

- Ken Hemerley, currently hospitalized.
- ₩ Walter Hopper, fell and broke his back in two places.
- † Linda Hasenberg, was diagnosed with Lung cancer
- **T** Ruth Spooner, underwent a medical procedure.
- † Charles Holmgren, son of Richard Holmgren, was recently diagnosed with cancer.



#### **~~~** <u>Our Congregation's Purpose</u> **~~**^



We are called to effectively and creatively proclaim the Word of God so that people in Beloit and the Stateline community will:

Believe in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior;
Confess the Orthodox Faith of His Church;
Commit themselves to the weekly use of the Lord's Supper;
Serve Him in His Kingdom.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church is an evangelical and confessional community following the principles of the Lutheran Reformation confessed in the *Book of Concord*, 1580.

#### Our Website Is a Great Tool for You!!

Please go to <u>www.trinitybeloit.org</u> to see the updates. We have linked the *Monthly Calendar*, the *Weekly Announcement Page, Sermons*, as well as a link to our *Facebook page*.

## A Most Hearty Welcome To Everyone Today!

All guests and members alike are extended a warm and cordial welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church this morning. We are honored that God has led you to worship with us. It is our sincere desire that you know that we want to get to know you and be of any assistance to you that we can. It is our prayer that you will be greatly blessed by God's Word and will want to come again. Please feel free to introduce yourself to fellow worshippers, to ask questions and seek out further information from our deacon, Howard Koth. Thank you again for coming.

When you sign in for attendance in the main hallway, please provide us with your address as well.

### + Worshipped While Away Notes Welcomed +

Now that we are more free to worship, it is helpful to know that you can worship while away from home. It is a help to our spiritual accounting and an encouragement to the rest of the congregation to know and see our worship while away as we make contact with fellow Christians in sometimes far away, or not so far away places. Please continue to make use of our "Worshiped While Away Notes." They are located in the narthex on the "cross" bookshelf.



2026 is soon here! Don't forget to pickup your offering envelopes for the New Year!



#### Thank You to All that Sponsored a Poinsettia

Larry and Karen Arft

Dennis Diderich

Mahlon Hemerley

Jill Jennings

David Kemnitz

Howard and Anne Koth

Eldon and Betty Neumann

Sheila Schoenfeld

Gary and Linda Timm

Deacons: Larry Arft and Kevin Hunt

Ushers: Eldon Neumann and Lisa Russell

Altar Care: Howard and Anne Koth Organist: LaVonne Wundrow

Attendance: Sunday 12/21 - 71

Oct 2025 Inc: \$ 16,435.00 YTD Inc: \$200,870.00 YTD Exp: Oct 2025 Exp. \$ 15,292.00 \$155,585.00 Difference: \$ 45,285.00 1.143.00

#### Flowers on the Altar:

The flowers on the altar are sponsored by the Body of Christ to the Glory of God.



## Life Thoughts Via Lutherans For Life...

**December 28 – Holy Innocents –** The devil hates little children because he hates the Christ child, who was promised to crush his head (Genesis 3:15). Sadly, his influence can still be seen today in those who, like Herod, see little children as a threat to their authority and aim for their destruction (Matthew 2:16). As we weep with Rachel and her children (Jeremiah 31:15), we also rejoice that by sparing His only-begotten Son from Herod's wrath, God has provided eternal salvation for all the holy innocents—past, present and future—that they too might join in the heavenly song around the throne of God(Revelation14:3).

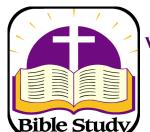


#### All Church Members:

Please join us in the Fellowship Hall of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church celebrate Wayne Schulenburg's 90th Birthday!



December 28th following our worship service. We are having cake and fellowship! ++++++++++++++++++++++++++



Wednesday morning Bible Study will resume on Wednesday January 28th at 10am

#### **December** Birthdays/Anniversaries!

#### **December Birthdays:**

Susan Studinger 12/05 Carter Atkinson 12/08 Judy Huyck 12/08 Alaina Hanson 12/09 Betty Neumann 12/09 Karen Arft 12/11 Kevin Kalas 12/12 Gracilyn Nitz 12/13 Elizabeth Baller 12/14 Ruth Spooner 12/14 Lincoln Hiller 12/16 Wayne Schulenburg 12/22 Judy Marquette 12/26 Shannon Zimmerman 12/28 Pastor Mark Duer 12/31 Brett Wald 12/31

#### **December Anniversaries:**

Peter & Patricia Rockrohr 12/14 Eldon & Betty Neumann 12/16 Gary & Linda Timm 12/27 Howard & Anne Koth 12/29

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#### **Children's Church During Fellowship**

Please bring your children to learn and grow in the faith during Fellowship.

> Questions? Call Linda Timm 608-295-8849 or 608-365-3536

Don't Forget Our Neighbors in Need



Donate to the Messiah Lutheran Church Food Pantry A list of needed items is posted in the Pantry collection area located in the Church Narthex

## Concordia StLouis Adopt a Student

We have the name and contact information for our Concordia StLouis Adopt a Student!!!!

> Mr. Cooper A. Reed Campus Post Office Box 801 Seminary Place St Louis, Missouri 63105-3196 reedc@csl.edu

Please keep Cooper in your prayers and take the time to remember him during the holiday season by sending him cards, letters, and anything you feel will help him know he is in our thoughts.