

Trinity Lutheran Church Announcements

for the week beginning November 3, 2024

We give God thanks for your presence with us today! If you are new, we ask that you fill out a Visitor card so that we can be in touch with you! All are welcome to receive the gift of God's grace in Holy Communion.

Welcome Pastor Bob Vogl!

We can finally celebrate with our new pastor! It only seems fitting we are being joined by Pastor Bob during the month of November- a time of reflection on the things we are thankful for!

Memorial Service in honor of Jon Gleim

There will be a funeral service for our beloved member, Jon Gleim, on **Friday November 8th at 11:00 am** at Trinity Lutheran Church. Please keep the family in your prayers during this very tender time. In honor of Jon, guests are invited to wear white at the memorial service to celebrate Jon's life. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to any of the following organizations: American Lung Association, Lutheran Child & Family Services of IL or the American Heart Association.

Pledge Cards

The Stewardship Team thanks all who took the time and made the effort to fill out a pledge card and return it to the church. The deadline is **Thursday, November 7th**, for your card to be included in the blessing of the pledge cards on Sunday, November 10th. Again, thank you for participating in this program.

Moving Fund

We are moving forward into the next chapter with our new pastor! We are seeking financial assistance to cover the cost of Pastor Bob and Linda's relocation from Virginia Beach. Our goal is to collect \$12,000.00 to cover all necessary moving expenses. Please help us move forward! Please label check memos or offering envelopes with "Moving Fund". Thank you!

Weekly Attendance –10.27.2024		
76 - In person 28 -Views online		
Weekly Offering from 10.27.24 service	September Income Year To Date	Budgeted Income Deficit
\$ 2, 112.00	\$182,826.86	\$90,576.61

A NEW BIRTHDAY SONG

Using the tune KREMSEY, *We Praise You, O God*

We celebrate with you the life that God gave you.
 We thank God for letting us share in your joy.
 God bless you and keep you and shine Christ’s light upon you.
 With love we sing together happy birthday to you.

Calendar of Events:

- Sunday (3) Worship – 9:30 am
 WELCA Board Meeting- after worship
- Tuesday (5) Mission Workshop- 9 am
- Wednesday (6) Handbell Practice- 6:00 pm, Choir Practice- 7 pm
- Thursday (7) Worship and Music Meeting- 9:15 am
- Friday (8) Funeral for Jon Gleim- 11 am
- Sunday (10) Worship- 9:30 am

Looking Ahead

For the months of November and December, Trinity’s Outreach team is collaborating with WELCA to partake in their annual Christmas project, which helps deserving individuals and families have a brighter holiday. This is accomplished in two ways: providing gift cards to families so they may purchase meals for their holidays **AND** by collecting funds which are used by WELCA to purchase gifts for children from Chisholm Elementary and others, so they have something under the Christmas tree to open. We are asking for financial support to fulfill these holiday goals. More details to come soon!