



News for the Week of September 21, 2026

Calendar of Events:

Monday (21)	No Art Class NA Meeting- 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday (22)	Bible Study- 2:00 p.m. Council Meeting- 6:00 p.m.
Sunday (27)	Worship service-9:30 a.m. Congregational Meeting – after worship

Bible Study

Bible study is led by Pastor Bob every Tuesday at 2:00 p.m. If you wish to attend via Zoom, you can do so by clicking this link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87305717775>

Meeting ID: 873 0571 7775

September 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Quilting- 9:00 a.m. Bible Study- 2:00 p.m.	2	3 Rocco Park Clean Up- 8:00 a.m. Worship & Music Meeting- 9:15 a.m.	4	5
6 Worship Service- 9:30 a.m.	7 Labor Day Holiday- Office Closed No Art Class N A Meeting- 7:00 p.m.	8 Caregiver Support Group- 10:30 a.m. Bible Study- 2:00 p.m.	9	10	11	12 Candlelight Concert- TICKET REQUIRED
13 Worship Service- 9:30 a.m. God's Work Our Hands Sunday Project- after worship	14 Evy's Art Class- 12:30 p.m. N A Meeting- 7:00 p.m.	15 Quilting- 9:00 a.m. Bible Study- 2:00 p.m.	16	17 Elizabeth Circle Bible Study- 9:30 a.m.	18	19
20 Worship Service- 9:30 a.m.	21 Evy's Art Class- 12:30 p.m. N A Meeting- 7:00 p.m.	22 Quilting- 9:00 a.m. Bible Study- 2:00 p.m. Council Meeting- 6:00 p.m.	23	24	25	26
27 Worship Service- 9:30 a.m. Congregation Meeting- after worship	28 HUM Volunteering- 8:15 a.m. Evy's Art Class- 12:30 p.m. N A Meeting- 7:00 p.m.	29 Quilting- 9:00 a.m. Bible Study- 2:00 p.m.	30			



In Memory of Our Beloved Member

Trinity has just learned of the passing of Michele Clancy. She passed away on May 11, 2026, but her family never contacted the church to share news of her passing.

Michele was an active member of WELCA and an avid volunteer for pretty much anything. She was very kind and sweet and always had a smile on her face.

If you would like to learn more about her interesting life, you can do so at the link below for her obituary:

[Obituary information for Michele Eva \(Berthiaume\) Clancy](#)

Please keep her loved ones in your prayers. May she rest in peace and rise in glory!



Constitution Meeting

There will be a Congregational meeting to discuss updates to the Constitution. This meeting will be held on **September 27** after worship.

Contributions Requested

Once again, it is time to think about collecting items to gather for our annual shipment to Lutheran world relief. In past years we have ask the congregation to donate items for the school kits and baby layettes. This year we were able to order those items not only at great savings but tax free due to the generosity of a nonmember. The balance outstanding to reimburse her is \$200. Please consider helping to defray this cost. If you would like to donate, please write LWR or Lutheran World Relief on your check memo or envelope.



Trinity's 3rd Blood Drive was a success! We collected 17 pints of blood, which includes quite a few donations from community members. Thank you to all who were able to participate!



Thank you to our faithful organizer, Grace Kellermeier, for her continued dedication to this amazing cause and to Trinity!



Trinity's God's Work our Hands project was to create blessing bags to distribute to the unhoused community. Each bag contains snacks, water, personal care items, 4 pairs of socks, a t-shirt, nail clippers, a pen and writing pad, ChapStick and sun block. 50 bags were assembled. Additional items were ordered to ensure that every bag has the same contents. Blessing bags will be available this coming Sunday for anyone who wishes to take them to distribute to people in need.



The poster features a background image of a car decorated for Halloween with pumpkins and autumn leaves. The text is overlaid on this image. In the top left, it says 'OCTOBER 24TH'. The main title 'TRUNK OR TREAT & Vendor Market!' is in large, bold, white letters. Below this, a white box contains the location and time: 'TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN IN NEW SMYRNA BEACH', '485 Turnbull Bay Road', 'New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168', and '4pm-7pm'. In the top right, there is a circular logo for 'SJ Party Co. Event Planning Services'. To the right of the image, on a dark red background, the title 'Trunk or Treat & Vendor Market!' is repeated in white, followed by 'Saturday October 24th'. Below this, it says 'Decorate your cars for fall or kid friendly Halloween!' and 'All vendors or trunk or treat participants are responsible for providing their own individually wrapped candy.'

OCTOBER 24TH

TRUNK OR TREAT & Vendor Market!

TRINITY EVANGELICAL
LUTHERAN IN NEW SMYRNA BEACH
485 Turnbull Bay Road
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168
4pm-7pm

SJ Party Co.
Event Planning Services

Trunk or Treat & Vendor Market!

Saturday
October 24th

Decorate your cars for fall
or kid friendly Halloween!

All vendors or trunk or treat
participants are responsible for
providing their own individually
wrapped candy.

Trinity will host a Trunk or Treat to welcome families in the community. While people do not always think of Halloween liturgically, we can still show some great hospitality and let families within the community know that Jesus loves them! This is also an excellent opportunity for local artisans, entrepreneurs, etc. to share what they have to offer as vendors!

Please note that all vendors and Trunk or Treat participants are responsible for providing their own individually wrapped candy.

If you would like to sign up to be a vendor or volunteer as a Trunk or Treat participant, please use the link below:

Vendor & Trunk Registration:

<https://forms.gle/Rs7G3LRnM53s4z2t5>

Please contact the office with any questions or concerns!

Please spread the word! We have had wonderful vendors reach out offering to share their talents due to word of mouth! Please continue to share!

You're Invited!

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR
Annual Fundraising Dinner

TO BENEFIT
God's BATHHOUSE
OF VOLUSIA

*Together,
we can
make a
difference.*

We are pleased to invite you to our
Annual Fundraising Dinner.

We will have Homeless Guest Speakers,
Entertainment, Gift Drawing & More!



**SATURDAY,
NOVEMBER 14, 2026**



4:00 PM – 8:00 PM



**WAYNE H. SANBORN
815 S. ALABAMA AVE.
DE LAND, FL 32724**



Tickets:

\$75.00
PER PERSON

FOR RESERVATIONS,
PLEASE MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO:
God's Bathhouse of Volusia
444 S. Abelle Ave.,
De Land, FL 32720



For your convenience you may contact us
(386) 717-5896 or (386) 490-3378
for other delivery options.

Thank You!

Your donation will be used to help God's Bathhouse
continue supplying showers and complete Building the New Truck!

SOLAS



Celebrate the magic of Christmas with an enchanting evening of live music in beautiful surroundings, illuminated by the warm glow of candlelight.

Performed by our string quartet, A Christmas Concert by Candlelight brings together the songs that have become the soundtrack to the festive season. From timeless carols including *Silent Night* and *O Holy Night*, to festive favorites such as *White Christmas* and *Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas*, alongside modern classics including *All I Want for Christmas Is You*, there's something for everyone.

With plenty of opportunities to sing along, this is a joyful celebration of Christmas that's perfect for families, friends and music lovers alike. A heartwarming evening of festive cheer, unforgettable music and the magic of Christmas await.

Featuring a host of Christmas favorites including *Silent Night*, *White Christmas*, *Let It Snow! Let It Snow! Let It Snow*, *Last Christmas*, *Santa Baby*, *Feliz Navidad*, *All I Want for Christmas*, *Jingle Bell Rock* and more!

Book your tickets now and experience the magic of Christmas by Candlelight.

Tickets can be purchased at the following website: [Buy tickets – Christmas Classical by Candlelight | Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church | New Smyrna Beach, FL – Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church](#)

September Birthdays

	3	Barb Fortney	14	Amelia Flanary	
	3	Pete Zdania	22	Darian Tucker	
	4	Frank Still	26	Louise Jacobsen	
	5	Mary Still	28	Tate Still	
	8	Shirley Niemeyer	30	Evan Minger	

A NEW BIRTHDAY SONG

Using the tune KREMSER, *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, keep you, and shine Christ's light upon you.

With love we sing together happy birthday to you.

TRINITY COLUMBARIUM



COLUMBARIUM NICHE SUBSCRIPTION FEE

MEMBER: \$2000.00

NON-MEMBER \$3000.00

Includes one niche which will hold two urns, a faceplate (to cover the niche) that is engraved with name of deceased, plus year of birth and death.

APPLICATION AVAILABLE PLEASE CONTACT:

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