

**Sunday, May 22nd:**

7:30 AM	Traditional Worship—SLC
9:00 AM	Traditional Worship—SLC
10:15 AM	Bible Study—SLC
10:15 AM	Sunday School End of Year Party— Green Space, Gym
6:00 PM	Sr. YAT—Youth House

**Monday, May 23rd:**

*No Scheduled Events*

**Tuesday, May 24th:**

8:00 AM	Quilters—Parlors
9:30 AM	MStaff Meeting—Bethany Rm
10:00 AM	Childcare Chapel—SLC
3:30 PM	GriefShare—Parlors
6:00 PM	Congregational Assembly—SLC

**Wednesday, May 25th:**

9:00 AM	Bible Study—Parlors
10:00 AM	School End of Year Awards Ceremony —SLC
5:30 PM	Bible Study—Parlors
6:30 PM	Altar Guild Meeting—Parlors

**Thursday, May 26th:**

6:00 PM	Praise Team Rehearsal—Music Rm
6:30 PM	8th Grade Graduation—SLC

**Friday, May 27th:** *Last Day of School*

8:00 AM	Bulletin Assembly—Parlors
8:30 AM	Last Day of School Closing Service— SLC

**Saturday, May 28th:**

5:00 PM	Contemporary Worship w/ Communion—SLC
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***Worship videos are available on our website and the Trinity Lutheran Wausau YouTube channel.***

***\*Please note that offices will be closed in observance of Memorial Day.***

**THE ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL ASSEMBLY** will be held on Tuesday, May 24th at 6:00pm in the Spiritual Life Center. This meeting is a crucial part of our governance (budget approval) that will help determine the future direction of Trinity—please join us!

**VOTERS' PACKETS** for the Congregational Assembly, along with updated Supplementary Packets, are available in the Narthex and at the Reception Desk (*one per family please*).

**CHURCH COUNCIL UPDATE:** In advance of our spring Congregational Assembly, our Council members shared dialogue on creating more consistency in our governance and worked to present a balanced budget. Our committees have been hard at work with Properties carrying out a plan to upgrade and maintain our facilities, Fellowship and P.R. creating many opportunities for our church family to share fellowship, including the Easter breakfast and coffee hour, and Human Care organizing blood drives and donation drives. The nominating committee is putting the final touches on the ballot. One of the challenges our boards face is helping people understand how our governance works. That became a subject of feedback during our Town Hall meeting on May 1st. If you're interested in learning more about any of these items, please reach out to Bryon Graff at [chairman@trinitynet.org](mailto:chairman@trinitynet.org).

**ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES!** Graduation is an important achievement, and we as a congregation want to rejoice with you! We will be recognizing those graduating from high school at the 9:00am service on Sunday, June 12th in the Spiritual Life Center. At 8:00am, there will be a reception in your honor in the Cafeteria. Please wear your caps and gowns if you have them. Both the graduates and their parents will walk in together prior to the start of the 9:00am service. Seats will be reserved for everyone involved. Please call or text Mr. Stengl at 715-573-0175 if you plan to attend, and let us know how many will be present so that adequate seating and refreshments are made available.

**SPECIAL THANKS TO BONNIE LAWRENCE**, who has planted the East 5th Avenue planter for the past 8 years! Bonnie is ready to pass this along to someone else who feels passionate about keeping the grounds at Trinity beautiful through the growing season. We have taken the liberty of planting this year in dedication of Bonnie's service. Please let someone in the Church Office know if you are interested in taking this on in future years!

**TRINITY SOFTBALL** Come cheer on the Trinity softball team! Here is their full schedule through June (all games are at Sunnyvale 2):

May 31 @ 6:30pm	June 21 @ 7:30pm (DH)
June 7 @ 8:30pm	June 21 @ 8:30pm (DH)
June 14 @ 7:30pm	June 28 @ 6:30pm

**TRINITY WOODCHUCKS EVENT** Enjoy Trinity family night at Athletic Park with the Woodchucks on Friday, June 3rd. Tickets are \$10 each and include a seat in the Aspirus Health Terrace near the left field foul pole, as well as food and drinks. Children two and under are free. First pitch is at 6:35pm against the Green Bay Rockers. Gates open one hour before. Please provide payment and RSVP to the church office no later than Friday, May 27th. For any questions, contact Bryon Graff at [chairman@trinitynet.org](mailto:chairman@trinitynet.org).

**PLAY BALL!** Trinity Tours is going to a Brewer game vs. the Los Angeles Dodgers on Thursday, August 18th. Game time is 1:10pm, and we will be taking a Lamar's bus to the game. The cost of game is \$90.00. This includes Lower Box seats, transportation to and from the game, and a \$10.00 Culvers gift card for dinner on the way home. Registration forms are available in the Narthex and at the Reception Desk. A \$25 deposit is due to reserve your seat, and ***we will be taking deposits as long as seats are available.*** The rest of the cost (\$65) is due July 1st. Come out for fellowship and to cheer on the Brewers! If you have questions on the game trip, please contact Doug Beisner at 715-845-3095 or email [djbeisner@charter.net](mailto:djbeisner@charter.net).

#### **SUNDAY SCHOOL ACTIVITY DAYS IN MAY:**

-May 22nd (Sunday School Party, Last day of Sunday School this year)

**SCRIP PROGRAM CHANGES** In order to participate in the SCRIP Program, 90% of it is supposed to be volunteer-based. Our current volunteers are doing a great job of selling SCRIP on the weekends between services, but they could use some help on Saturdays! If you are interested in helping in this way, please contact Lisa Lessmiller at [lisaahilker@hotmail.com](mailto:lisaahilker@hotmail.com). We also have a volunteer who reconciles the SCRIP inventory to ensure that the cards are being sold for correct amounts. That is going very well.

**Here's where we need help with for SCRIP:** The offices are looking for volunteers to sell SCRIP (and help with some simple office work like greeting, stuffing envelopes, thank you notes, etc.) Mon-Fri, 10am-2pm. This will help offset the paid time that our office assistants are spending on the SCRIP program for now. If you would like to learn more about these weekday volunteer opportunities, please call 715-842-0769.

Beginning May 31, the SCRIP cart will be locked away Mon-Fri at 2pm (as opposed to 3pm now). The office may be open after that, but we will not have access to the SCRIP cart after 2pm. **Please plan accordingly for SCRIP sales from 8am-2pm beginning May 31.** Our hope is that, once we are fully staffed and trained in the offices again, we will resume later hours in the office and be able to offer SCRIP in those later hours.

**REVELATION BIBLE STUDY...THE WORD OF THE LORD ENDURES FOREVER** is a daily 15-minute verse-by-verse Bible study produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Will Weedon. Pastor Weedon will begin a study this week on The Book of Revelation. You can listen on-demand at [thewordendures.org](http://thewordendures.org), the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

**BUY SCRIP GIFT CARDS** after the 5pm Saturday service, after the 7:30am Sunday service until the 9am service, and after the 9am service until the 10:15am Spiritual Growth Hour. With the Sanctuary construction projects in full swing, Scrip will be sold outside the SLC beginning May 21st. Please note that we have some vacancies in our Scrip seller schedule on Saturdays, so the Scrip cart may not always be out at that time.

## JOIN OUR DISCIPLESHIP BIBLE STUDY THIS SUMMER

What did Jesus have in mind when He chose those first disciples? What was His plan when He told those disciples that they were to “make disciples” (Matthew 28:19)? What is the role of disciples in the church today? Come to “The Discipleship Adventure” Bible Study and learn the answer to these questions...and many more. The study will focus on the book of Acts that gives a portrayal of discipleship in action. This four-session Bible study is scheduled for the four Tuesdays in June, **3:00-4:30pm** in the Parlors. It will be led by Pastor Dan Kohn. His book—*Discipleship In The Post-modern Age* will be available. Please RSVP to the church office no later than Friday, June 3rd so that we can have enough copies of the book available!

## SAVE THE DATE:

May 26th—8th Grade Graduation

May 27th—Last Day of School

May 30th—Offices Closed for Memorial Day

## LOCAL AREA GRIEF SUPPORT:

### “Beyond the ABC’s of Grief” Zoom Grief Sessions

are being offered on Tuesdays in May at 6pm and are sponsored by Wings™. These ZOOM meetings talk about the “gray” side of grief that isn’t often talked about. We’ll learn about the new dynamics such as: how generations grieve differently, how our circles of influence impact grief, beyond “why” and living with uncertainty. Perhaps you feel like you are healing, but there is still more to learn. Grief is a continuous process of learning so your life experiences can prepare you for the next inevitable loss. Come and learn what’s beyond the basics and how to create happiness and positive meaning after loss.

### Local Grief Support In-Person: *How Grief Changes*

*Your Life* is being held Wednesdays, May 4th thru June 1st, 6:00-7:30pm, YMCA Wausau—Conference Room in the Landing. In this 5-week series, we will discuss the 5 major changes you likely weren’t expecting when your loved one died and share ways to cope. Our experienced facilitators offer education about what to expect, and the group offers companionship and understanding from others who have also experienced loss. Register online at [wingsgrief.org](http://wingsgrief.org) or email [nanwings1@gmail.com](mailto:nanwings1@gmail.com).

**5TH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH IS SALVATION ARMY SUNDAY!** We are accepting donations for the Salvation Army on Sun., May 29th. Donations can be placed under the coatracks outside the Parlors and will be taken to the Salvation Army. Thanks for helping our community!

**PASTORAL ON-CALL PHONE** In the event that you need to leave a voicemail, please include your name and phone number in the message. This is needed even if your call goes through the Trinity phone system. The pastor on-call will need this information in order to follow up. Thank you!

## THE 2022 CONVENTION OF THE NORTH WISCONSIN

**DISTRICT OF THE LCMS** is scheduled for June 5th & 6th at The Central Wisconsin Convention and Expo Center. Our congregation has been asked to provide volunteers to serve as greeters, man the registration tables and provide other help where needed. Thank you to those who have already stepped forward to help! However, we are still in need of at least 10 more volunteers. If you have been thinking about it and are interested in helping please contact Rick Stengl at [stenglr@trinitynet.org](mailto:stenglr@trinitynet.org) or 715-843-7023. This is a great way for you to serve the church at large!

**TRINITY FAMILY CAMPING WEEKEND** will be July 28-31, 2022 at Farmer Gene’s Campground in Marion, WI. Reservation forms with more information can be found in the Narthex or at the Reception Desk. Completed forms with attached payment are due to the church office by Wednesday, May 25th. Hope to see you there!

**GRIEF SHARE** Trinity’s Spring GriefShare is being held on Tuesdays from 3:30 to 5:00pm in the Parlors through the end of May. All are welcome who are seeking hope and healing after a major loss in their life. Questions? Contact Pastor Dan at (715) 610-2400.

**TRINITY CARNIVAL UPDATE** Thanks to the wonderful support of the Trinity congregation and our amazing volunteers, we were able to raise over \$10,000. We had many “non-Trinity” people attend, and it was truly a community outreach! Thanks again to everyone for the support! We are looking forward to making the Trinity Carnival even better next year!

**PRAYER** is essential for our daily walk with God. Here at Trinity we have the opportunity to lift up the needs of others who request prayers each week on the Friendship Pads or to our church office. Please consider joining Trinity's prayer team. All that is required is a willing heart to lift up each prayer request to the Lord. If you are interested, please provide your email address to the church office using [prayers@trinitynet.org](mailto:prayers@trinitynet.org). Each week, prayer requests will be sent out to the email you have provided, reaching our Prayer Team and pastoral staff. The power of prayer is effective!

**WVLHS OPEN GOLF OUTING** will be held at Indianhead Golf Course on Saturday, June 25th starting at 9:00AM. This outing is a 4-person scramble, so put together your team and plan to come out and spend the day with us on the course!! This is a great event for people of all abilities and the fun and fellowship are second to none!! Registration forms can be found on the school website at [www.wvlhs.org](http://www.wvlhs.org). See you on the course!

**"UNDIE SUNDAY" ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN SPECIAL PROJECT** Destitute people around the world need basic necessities. Thousands of children in India, Latvia, Liberia, Nicaragua, and other countries helped by Orphan Grain Train do not have good underwear or socks. With only the shirt on their backs since the day of their destitution, it's difficult for them to obtain good clothes, not to mention: underwear! Collect NEW underwear for Orphan Grain Train to send to needy people—all sizes needed! Trinity will have collection boxes outside the SLC and at the Reception Desk. Collection will run in June, July, and August.

#### **GIFTS AND MEMORIALS:**

- † In memory of John Wilcott, gifts were given toward Handbell Refurbishing by Ken & Bev Ziegel and David & Rosemary Groth
- † In memory of John Wilcott, a gift was given to Trinity Lutheran Church by Wesley & June Wilcott

#### **HOSPITALIZED AS OF MAY 19TH:**

**Aspirus:**  
Bernice Grosskreutz

**Marshfield Medical Center—Weston:**  
No one listed

#### **FINANCIALS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 8TH:**

\$ 237.56	SCRIP Profit	Users: 18
(10% to Church, 90% rebates to SCRIP users)		
\$ 635	Debt Reduction	
\$ 25,683	Gen. Tithes and Offerings	
\$ 19,299	4-Week Average: General Tithes and Offerings	
\$ 21,410	YTD Weekly Average: General Tithes and Offerings	

Our current budget accounts for a weekly offering of about \$21,965.

*Thank you for your generous contributions to Trinity Lutheran Church!*

*Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her: but a woman who fears the Lord, she shall be praised.  
Proverbs 31:28, 30b*

#### **ATTENDANCE FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 15TH:**

**Worship: 344**

#### **TUNE IN TO TRINITY ON SPECTRUM CHANNEL 980!**

9 PM WEDNESDAY.....Traditional Worship  
2 PM THURSDAY.....Traditional Worship  
8 AM FRIDAY.....Traditional Worship

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