



Trinity Highlights



June 9-10, 2018

Worship services: Saturdays at 5 p.m. Sundays at 8 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

THIS WEEK AT

- ▶ **WEDNESDAY:** Prayer at 9 a.m. meets in the church library
- ▶ **WEDNESDAY:** Finance Ministry Team meets, noon, church library
- ▶ **WED.:** Pastor Golter's Bible study, 10:15 a.m., school library
- ▶ **THURSDAY:** Elders meeting at 7:15 p.m. in the church library
- ▶ **SATURDAY:** Trinity Men meet at 7:30 a.m. in Trinity Hall
- ▶ **SATURDAY:** Yarn Crafters meet at 2:30 p.m., school library

Check out a complete listing at trinitydavenport.org

TRINITY

SUMMER INTERN

Sarah Jacob, who is currently a student at Concordia University Wisconsin, will be serving as a summer intern here at Trinity.

Sarah is working toward a Bachelor's in Theology, with a Music Minor. She plans to graduate in May 2019. She then plans to attend Concordia Seminary St. Louis to get her Master's in

Deaconess Studies. Her father is a chaplain in the Army which caused her family to move every few years. Sarah was born in Northwest Iowa and has lived in Wisconsin, Texas, South Carolina, Kentucky, New Jersey, New York, and Germany. Please help us welcome Sarah to the Trinity family.

MESSAGE FOR THE MANY

Margaret Duling's message to Trinity's eighth-grade graduating class was short and sweet. "Whatever you do, make sure you are involved in your church," Margaret told Trinity's eighth-graders during last Thursday's graduation ceremony.

Margaret, who has been a volunteer at Trinity Lutheran for the past 25 years and was awarded Trinity's Volunteer of the Year Award during last Thursday's graduation ceremony, wanted to make sure the message hit home. "I didn't know I would like volunteering and being involved in the church until I started doing it," said Margaret, who became the second recipient of Trinity's Volunteer of the Year award. "It's something that grows on you and becomes a family thing. Being involved in the church is so important because you know what's going on in the congregation, and you get to meet so many people."

Margaret, who turns 90 years old on June 22, led Trinity's Altar Guild for more than 20 years. It was her passion.

"Margaret's work with the Altar Guild always helped put the Lord's gifts of Word and Sacrament front and center," said Pastor Vokt.

"Margaret's efforts coordinating the altar flowers and also caring for palm branches and Easter lilies during Holy Week was a beautiful blessing to pastors and worshipers. Margaret's service is a blessing to many as we recognize her and thank her for her faithful and fruitful service to the Lord and His Church," said Pastor Vokt.

WELCOME

If you are visiting Trinity for the first time, we would like to welcome you. If you desire more information about our faith family, please make note on a welcome card. It is our prayer that you will have a close walk with the Lord and will return to worship with us again.

GO FISH SERVICE

After 30 years, Trinity Lutheran's contemporary worship service will come to a rest this Sunday. What started in 1988, with a small group of musicians praising the Lord from the church balcony will end this Sunday at 11 a.m. with the Go Fish contemporary service in the Fellowship Hall. The timing of the 11 a.m. service, along with a desire to strengthen the Lutheran doctrine of the song texts, looking for clear Law and Gospel distinction were some of the factors in the decision.

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GETTING CONNECTED

BOD NOMINEES

During Trinity's Annual Voters' Meeting on June 23, the congregation will vote in new members to the Board of Directors. Candidates for board positions should not be self-nominated. Trinity's BOD asks the congregation to speak with and nominate members for the following positions: 2 Director At-Large positions – this is a two-year commitment. 1 Vice Chairman – this is a four-year commitment; two years as vice chairman, two years as chairman. If you would like to nominate a congregant, email Mary Frost at maryjason@me.com, or call at 563-210-4629.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Trinity's Vacation Bible School will be June 18-22 from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. each day. A donation of \$5 per child is being requested. This year's theme is: Splash Canyon. To sign up your child for VBS, you can go to trinitydavenport.org.

150th ANNIVERSARY

Scott and Lisa Lindholm are the co-directors for the 150th Anniversary celebration of Trinity Church School. Are you interested in getting on the steering committee for this marvelous effort? Call Scott or Lisa at 370-1968.

HOLY LAND TRIP

If you are looking to get to know the Bible better, Trinity Lutheran might have the perfect opportunity for you. Pastor Golter and his wife, Elizabeth, are leading a 10-day trip from Feb. 19-28, 2019, to the Holy Land, which will include stops in Nazareth, Bethlehem and Jerusalem. The cost is \$3,499/person from Chicago. If you would like more details, contact the church office at 563-323-8001 or email Pastor Golter at rlgolter@gmail.com

COMMUNICATIONS TEAM

If you like to share stories, write, design documents or take pictures, Trinity would like to invite you to be a part of its communications team. A communications meeting has been scheduled for June 12 from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the church library to share more details about the communication process and how you can be involved. If you have questions, contact Tim Leibold at 322-5224.

DR. WENTHE'S VISIT

Due to an illness in the family, Dr. Wenthe's class, which was scheduled for early this week, has been postponed. We are trying to reschedule the class. Stay tuned for more details.



Sunday School today: Jesus Gives the Great Commission. Mathew 28:16-20.

Seventh-eighth grade discussion: How do students perceive their social lives such as clicks, bullying, treatment of classmates and reflect on what the Bible says about it. They will also discuss their baptismal identity and what it means and how Christians can respond to things such as social media and pop culture.

THANKSGIVING

Chapel offerings collected on the last day of school for Trinity Lutheran Church in Milwaukee totaled \$656.42. The Victorian Gothic-style Wisconsin church, built in 1878, suffered major damage after a fire broke out on May 15. The plan moving forward is to rebuild the church.

LIFE NOTES

Bearing unintended (at least from Eve's perspective) offspring was key to God's magnum opus (Genesis 3:15). A crippled body became heaven's vehicle for humankind's salvation. Advocating abortion access, supporting fetal-tissue research, and tolerance of hastening deaths reveal how narrow our imagination can be. Thanks be to God that His creativity exceeds our near-sightedness! *Almighty Maker, open our eyes to Your vision for life until it opens our mouths as well. Amen.*

CHANCEL FLOWERS

The chancel flowers are given to God's glory by Vanita Barnett, Loretta Wuerdeman and Arlene Rhoads in loving memory of their parents, Carl and Millie Lafrenz.

STAFFING UPDATE

Jessica Hedrick has accepted Trinity's Call to serve as a teacher for the 2018-19 school year. Continuing praying for Mindy Stackhouse, who continues to deliberate Trinity's Call to serve as a teacher for the 2018-19 school year.

ISSUES ETC. TALK SHOW, PODCAST

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