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**June 4,  
2023**

**Holy Trinity  
Sunday**

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SUNDAY

"Remember,  
I am with you always,  
to the end of the age."

Matthew 28:20

# HOLY TRINITY

9:00 A.M. ~ Sunday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023



**THE LORD JESUS CHRIST WELCOMES ALL** *who enter this house of worship!*  
*We gather on this Holy Trinity Sunday to worship in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit reaching out with greetings of good cheer to all who are gathered.*

*If you are visiting, we hope you will join us again as your presence enhances our worship. Everyone is invited to join-in the fellowship and refreshments immediately following the Sunday morning service in the library.*

## WORSHIP AIDS

**LARGE PRINT** bulletins are available from the ushers.

**ACTIVITY BAGS** for young children are on a stand at the rear of church; please return after services. Thanks.

## GATHERING

**WE PREPARE...** *Though the word trinity is not found in the scriptures, today's second reading includes the apostolic greeting that begins the liturgy: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. In the gospel Jesus sends his disciples forth to baptize in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. More than a doctrine, the Trinity expresses the heart of our faith: we have experienced the God of creation made known in Jesus Christ and with us always through the Holy Spirit. We celebrate the mystery of the Holy Trinity in word and sacrament, as we profess the creed, and as we are sent into the world to bear witness to our faith.*

### PRELUDE / ANNOUNCEMENTS / BELL

### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the Holy Trinity, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit † one God, abounding in steadfast love toward us, healing the sick and raising the dead, showering us with every good gift.

**Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

Eternal God our creator,

**in you we live and move and have our being. Look upon us, your children, the work of your hands. Forgive us all our offenses, and cleanse us from proud thoughts and empty desires. By your grace draw us near to you, our refuge and our strength; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.

God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit given to us.

In the mercy of almighty God, Christ died for us while we still were sinners; and for his sake, God † forgives you all your sins. **Amen.**

### THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**



1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al - might - y!  
 2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,  
 3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though the dark - ness hide thee,  
 4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.  
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;  
 though the eye made blind by sin thy glo - ry may not see,  
 All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!  
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,  
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!  
 which wert and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.  
 per - fect in pow'r, in love and pu - ri - ty.  
 God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

**GREETING**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

# Children's Message



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## WORD

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### FIRST READING

Genesis 1:1-2:4a

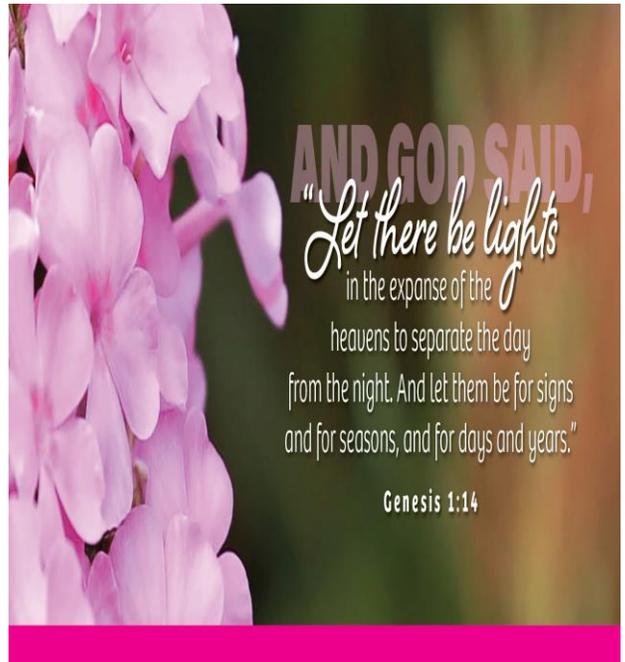
The first reading is in Genesis chapter 1, verse 1 thru chapter 2, verse 4a.

*In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.*

*And God said, "Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters." So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.*

*And God said, "Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear." And it was so. God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, "Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it." And it was so. The earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.*

*And God said, "Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth." And it was so. God made the two great lights — the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night — and the stars. God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth, to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.*



*And God said, "Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky." So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth." And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.*

*And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind." And it was so. God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good.*

*Then God said, "Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth."*

*So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.*

*God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth." God said, "See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.*

*Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude. And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation.*

*These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.*

The Word of the Lord      **Thanks be to God.**

## **SECOND READING**

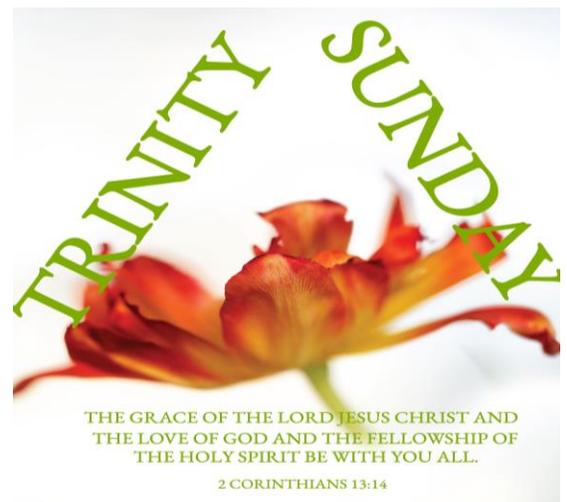
1 Corinthians 13:11-13

The second reading is in 2 Corinthians chapter 13, verses 11-13.

*Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.*

*The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.*

The Word of the Lord  
**Thanks be to God.**





Lord, let my heart be good soil, o-pen to the seed of your word.



Lord, let my heart be good soil, where love can grow and peace is un-der-stood.



When my heart is hard, break the stone a - way. When my heart is cold,



warm it with the day. When my heart is lost, lead me on your way.



Lord, let my heart, Lord, let my heart, Lord, let my heart be good soil.

**GOSPEL**

Matthew 28:16-20

The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew the 28<sup>th</sup> chapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.**"

*Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."*

**Go**  
THEREFORE AND MAKE  
DISCIPLES OF ALL  
**nations...**

MATTHEW 28:19



The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

MESSAGE

Pastor Tim Mason



1 Come, join the dance of Trin - i - ty, be - fore all worlds be - gun—  
 2 Come, see the face of Trin - i - ty, new - born in Beth - le - hem;  
 3 Come, speak a - loud of Trin - i - ty, as wind and tongues of flame  
 4 With - in the dance of Trin - i - ty, be - fore all worlds be - gun,



the in - ter-weav - ing of the Three, the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son.  
 then blood - ied by a crown of thorns out - side Je - ru - sa - lem.  
 set peo - ple free at Pen - te - cost to tell the Sav - ior's name.  
 we sing the prais - es of the Three, the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son.



The u - ni - verse of space and time did not a - rise by chance,  
 The dance of Trin - i - ty is meant for hu - man flesh and bone;  
 We know the yoke of sin and death, our necks have worn it smooth;  
 Let voic - es rise and in - ter-weave, by love and hope set free,



but as the Three, in love and hope, made room with - in their dance.  
 when fear con - fines the dance in death, God rolls a - way the stone.  
 go tell the world of weight and woe that we are free to move!  
 to shape in song this joy, this life: the dance of Trin - i - ty.

## THE APOSTLE'S CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,**

**who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,  
 suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried;**

**he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again;**

**he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
 and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,**

**the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
 the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen**

**PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH** God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

**PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

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**MEAL**

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**THANKSGIVING**

The Lord be with you.

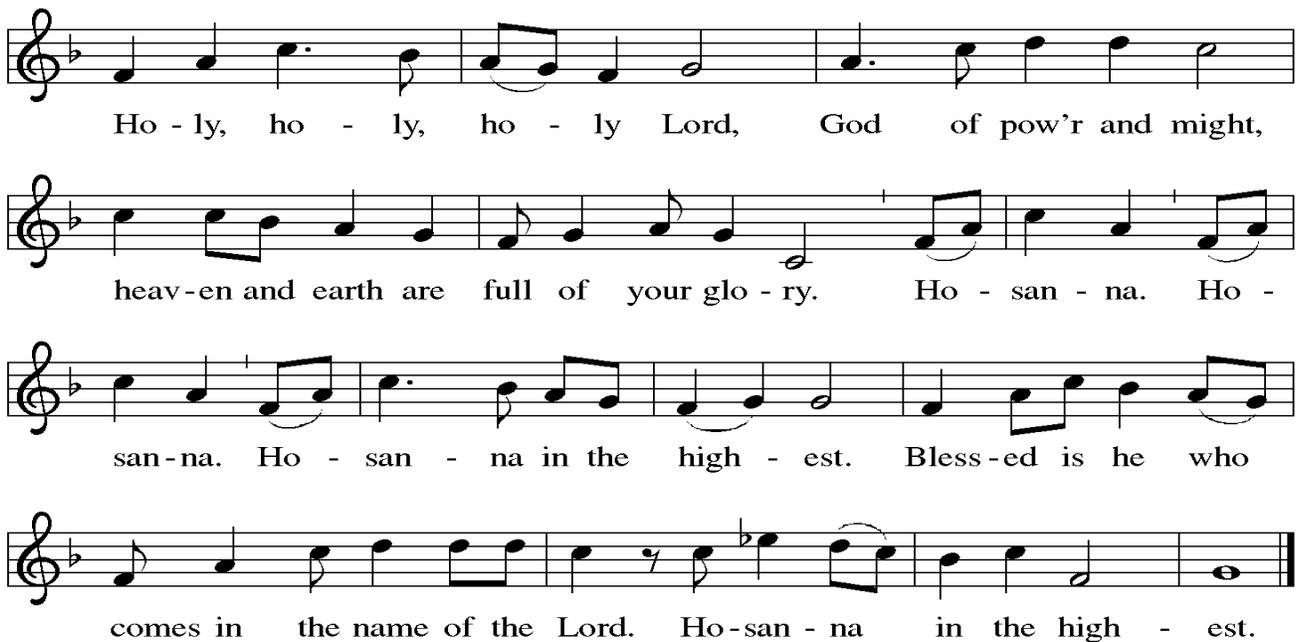
**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave Himself to take away our sin, who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with the earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,  
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho -  
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san - na in the high - est.

**WORDS OF JESUS**

**LORD'S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

**DISTRIBUTION**

*(Please sign the Welcome Pads and pass to your neighbor.)*



## COMMUNION BLESSING

### PRAYER

Let us pray. Living God, you have greeted us in our brokenness and nourished us with the body of Christ, broken for us. Risen to new life with you, send us now to bear your healing love into the wounded world, in the name of our risen Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

*(The offering is brought forward by the ushers to the acolyte)*

### OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray. Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

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## SENDING

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### BLESSING

Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy. Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may come to know your love. This we pray in the name of Jesus. **Amen.**

### CLOSING HYMN

*Go, Make Disciples*

**ELW#540**

“Go, make dis - ci - ples, bap - tiz - ing them, teach - ing them.

Go, make dis - ci - ples, for I am with you till the end of time.

Go, be the salt of the earth. Go, be the light for the world.

Go, be a cit - y on a hill, so all can see that you’re

serv - ing me. Go, make dis - ci - ples.”

### BELL AND DISMISSAL

Go in peace. The Father, Son and Spirit sends us forth to serve. **Thanks be to God.**

**Our Thanks To All Who Serve The Body Of Christ**

<b>SUNDAY</b>		<b>9:00 Worship</b>
<b>Accompanist</b>	Mary Mulry	
<b>Acolytes</b>	Jacob Fulmer	
<b>Readers</b>	Karen Voge	
<b>Communion Assistants</b>	Brian Polesky	
<b>Sound Techs</b>	Russ Sorensen	
<b>Greeters</b>	Connie Johnson	
<b>Ushers</b>	Eric & Juli Wahlborg	
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Judy Johnson & Terry Newgord	



**SUMMER COFFEE FELLOWSHIP HAS BEGUN.** There is a sign up sheet by the ramp door for your convenience. Coffee will always be available even if there is an open Sunday. Thank you for serving.

The Christian Education is seeking people willing to organize and help during this summer's Vacation Bible School on June 7th. Please email [education@trinitysleepyeye.com](mailto:education@trinitysleepyeye.com) or swing by the office and let Brittney or Darlene know you are willing. We need help to make this a successful VBS!



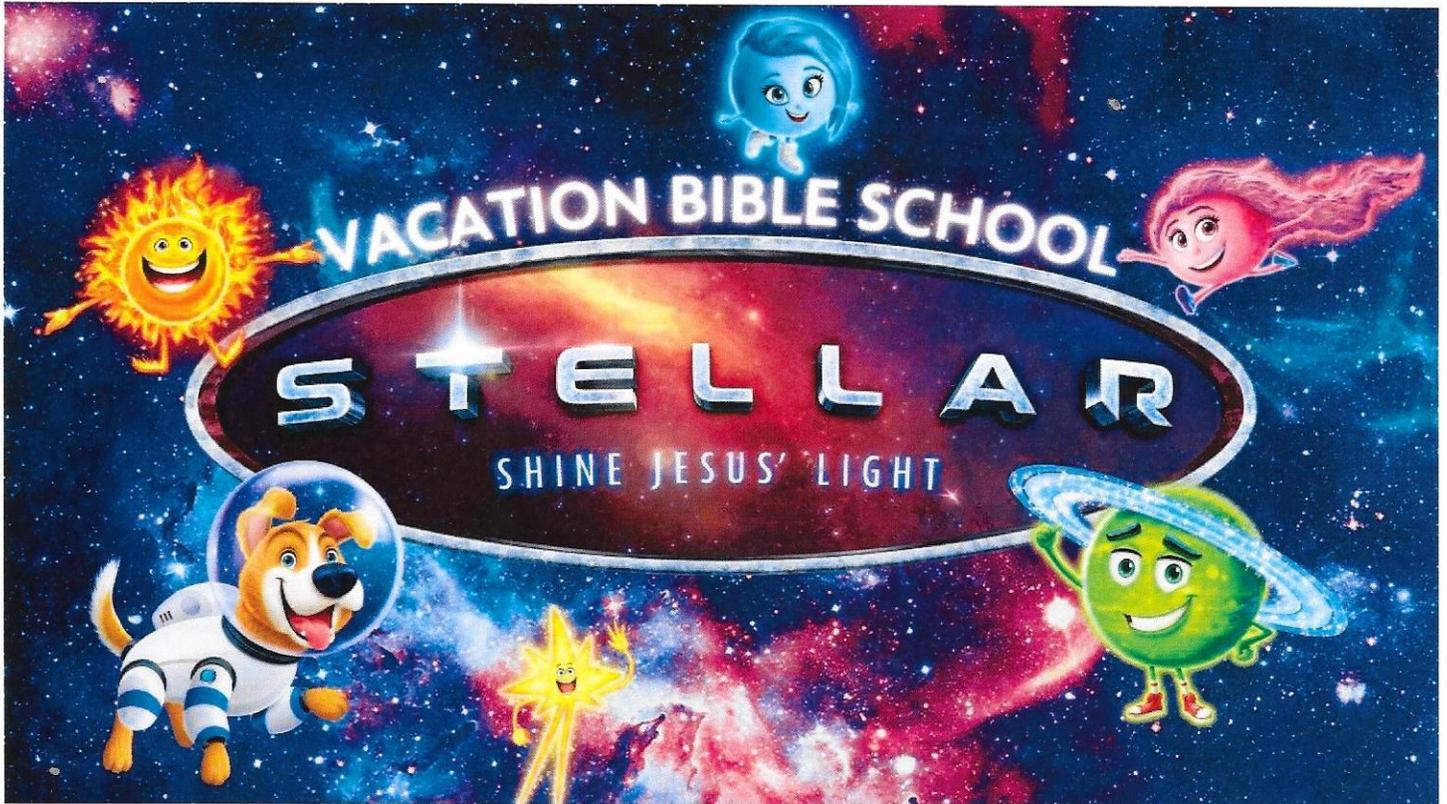
With the delicious meals available in the freezer located in room 109 just off the dining room we now need your help. The meals are to be given to people who are experiencing some sort of life changing event, be it a new baby, illness, a death in the family, or anyone you think would benefit from a tasty, readymade dinner. Remember, you are the hands of Jesus in our world.

*Thank you for being the hands of Jesus!*

This summer the Board of Social Ministry would like to challenge our congregation to support Ivy House in New Ulm through donations both monetary and actual. Ivy House (formerly known as the Southern Minnesota Crisis Nursery) is a 24/7 crisis nursery which provides direct care to children aged 0-12 whose families are in crisis or a stressful situation. In addition to providing up to 72 hours of direct care they also connect families with community resources. You can learn more about Ivy House from their website: [ivyhousemn.org](http://ivyhousemn.org). Items needed by Ivy House include: Children's Activities: Play-Doh; Kinetic sand; Finger paints; Fidget toys. Personal Care: Pull-ups: Girls and boys (5T); Girls underwear sizes 10-12 or 14/16. House needs: Unscented laundry detergent; Clorox wipes, Dishwasher soap; Hand soap; Dish soap; Kleenex; Garbage bags. Office supplies: Postage stamps; Business size envelopes; Printer paper; HP 952XL toner - black and color. Other: Five point harness NEW car seats; New computer monitors. We will be collecting both monetary donations for Ivy House or individual items from this list. A basket will be placed in the narthex for your donations. We will be collecting donations through the end of August. Thank you in advance for your support.



***Remember...Our Food Shelf Box is in the back of the Sanctuary.  
The Good Work of this Church continues!***



**Stellar VBS\* June 7th\* 4-8 p.m.**

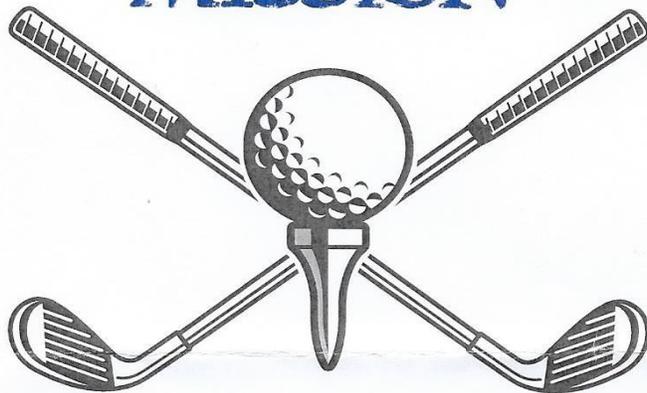
**Launch kids, ages 3-6th grade on a cosmic quest where they'll have a blast shining Jesus' light to the world.**

**Stellar rockets kids on an out- of- this world adventure that's light years of faith building fun.**

**Registration Forms will be in the office or you can contact Brittany  
217 Brackenridge St SW Sleepy Eye \* [education@trinitysleepyeye.org](mailto:education@trinitysleepyeye.org)**



# LUTHERAN MEN<sup>IN</sup> MISSION



## 29<sup>th</sup> Annual GOLF TOURNAMENT

- Registration: 2:30 pm
- Shotgun Start: 3:00 pm
- Price: \$75.00 per golfer  
Includes GOLF CART,  
green fees, meal, prizes  
and a donation to LMM

**Friday, July 21st, 2023**

Redwood Falls Golf Club,  
Redwood Falls, MN

***Registration Deadline: Monday, July 17th***

## *Best Ball Tournament*



### *Help Grow Leaders in Rural Ministry*

#### **Fund for Leaders Endowment**

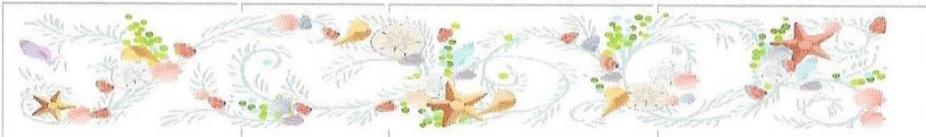
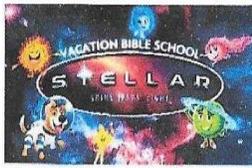
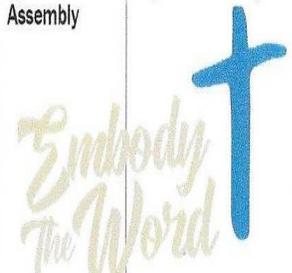
The SW MN Synod Lutheran Men in Mission (LMM) provides seminary tuition scholarships. Recipients will have an openness and commitment to future service in rural settings.

The profit from the LMM golf tournament goes into the LMM's Fund for Leaders Endowment to help grow leaders.

Donations to the LMM Scholarship Endowment Fund are appreciated even if you are not able to participate in the Golf Tournament.

**Registration Forms are available in the office. Let's field a Trinity Team!**

# June 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 3 pm Maples Bible Study	2	3
4 9 am-Holy Communion 10:00 am Fellowship Hour	5 9 am Quilting	6 7 am-Men's Bible Study 3 pm Prokinship for Kids 6:30 pm AA	7 9 am-Women's Fellowship 10:15 Youth Board Meeting Noon WELCA Meeting 1 pm Staff Meeting 4-8 PM VBS  	8 10 am Countryside Bible Study	9 Synod Assembly 	10 Synod Assembly
11 9 am- Worship 10:00 am Fellowship Hour 5:00 pm Worship at Sundown	12 9 am Quilting	13 7am-Men's Bible Study 3 pm Ross Park 6:30 pm AA	14 9 am-Women's Fellowship 1 pm Staff Meeting 6:30 pm Parish Planning Council 	15 3 pm Maples Bible Study	16	17
18 9 am Holy Communion 10:00 am Fellowship Hour 	19 9 am Quilting	20 7 am-Men's Bible Study 3 pm Prokinship for Kids 6:30 pm AA <b>Tidings Articles Due</b>  Pastor Tim Sabbatical	21 9 am-Women's Fellowship 1 pm Staff Meeting 	22	23	24 
25 Pastor Naomi Mahle 9 am-Worship 10:00 am Fellowship Hour 5:00 pm Worship at Sundown	26 9 am Quilting	27 7 am-Men's Bible Study 6:30 pm AA	28 9 am-Women's Fellowship 1 pm Staff Meeting	29	30 2 pm St. John's Bingo 	

June 4, 2023

## ***The Holy Spirit fills our hearts with God's love.***

### **DAILY BIBLE READINGS**

These readings are related to the Lectionary readings for this Sunday.

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>John 16:12-15</b>	<b>The Spirit will guide you into truth</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Romans 5:1-5</b>	<b>Being accepted by God</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>John 4:7-24</b>	<b>Spirit and truth</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>John 15:26-27, 16:1-15</b>	<b>The Spirit will tell about Jesus</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>John 8:31-36</b>	<b>The truth will set you free</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>1 John 4:1-6</b>	<b>Truth and falsehood</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Psalm 8</b>	<b>God's glory and human worth</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Luke 7:1-10</b>	<b>The faith of a Roman centurion</b>



### **SCRIPTURE VERSE FOR THIS WEEK**

**We gladly suffer, because we know that suffering helps us to endure. And endurance builds character, which gives us a hope that will never disappoint us. All of this happens because God has given us the Holy Spirit, who fills our hearts with his love.**

**Romans 5:3-5**

### **SAY, PRAY AND BLESS:**

#### **A Prayer for the Week:**

Great God—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—you are wonderful and mighty. Thank you for caring for us. Amen. (Psalm 8:1-4)

#### **Mealtime Prayer:**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, you heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son, and Holy

Ghost. Amen.

#### **A Blessing to Give:**

May God give you peace. May Jesus bless you with his kindness. May the Holy Spirit fill your heart with love. Amen.

### **CARING CONVERSATIONS**

Discuss in your home or small group:

What is a guide? When have you needed a guide?

Jesus told his disciples that the Holy Spirit would guide them (John 16:13). In what ways do you need God's guidance?

Tell about a time you experienced the Apostle Paul's sequence of going from suffering to endurance to character to hope.

(Romans 5:3-4)

### **DEVOTIONS**

Throughout the centuries Christians have prayed the Psalms and concluded by confessing the Trinity through the words of the Gloria Patri (Glory to the Father). This week as you pray Psalm 8 or any other Psalm, finish by saying, **"Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen."**

### **SERVICE**

Romans 5:3-4 speaks of the sufferings experienced by Christians. Whom do you know in your congregation or community who is experiencing suffering at this time, such as health problems, grieving the loss of a friend or loved one, or having financial trouble? Plan an act of service to encourage them. Include them in your prayers.

### **RITUALS AND TRADITIONS**

For meals or for household devotions this week, begin with these words: **"In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen."** As you do so, make the sign of the cross. Here's how:

1. Bring the thumb, index, and middle finger together (representing the Trinity).
2. Touch the forehead while saying, **"In the name of the Father"**
3. Touch the lower chest while saying, **"and of the Son"**
4. Touch the one shoulder (left first for western Christian traditions, right first for eastern Christian traditions) while saying, **"and of the Holy Spirit,"** and then cross to the other shoulder. Making the sign of the cross reminds us of the grace we have received through the cross of Jesus. The four points of the cross can also signify loving God with all of one's heart, soul, mind, and body.

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***Please take your bulletin home for weekly devotions***



## Trinity's Mission Statement

*We are a community where Jesus is Lord: our mission is to invite, welcome, nurture, and equip all people to be disciples in His name.*

**TRINITY'S PRAYER CHAIN** Send an email to [secretary@trinitysleepyeve.org](mailto:secretary@trinitysleepyeve.org) or call the office at 507 794-5051. Leave a message.

**TRINITY'S WEBPAGE** Send an email to the church office at [secretary@trinitysleepyeve.org](mailto:secretary@trinitysleepyeve.org) and let Darlene know you want your newsletter via email!

**TRINITY IS NOW ON FACEBOOK  
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*"Trinity Lutheran (ELCA) Sleepy Eye MN"*

The Trinity Tidings newsletter is now also posted on [www.sleepyeveonline.com](http://www.sleepyeveonline.com) watch this site for community news and events.



If you haven't already, please consider *Simply Giving*, an automated giving program for your offering. You determine the frequency of your offering which is deposited into Trinity's account the same day it is withdrawn from your account. It's a "hassle-free" way to give.

Talk to Pat or Darlene if you are interested. Thank You. *Please pick up your statements and envelopes in your mailbox. Thank You!*

### Last week at Trinity

Weekly Worship Attendance:	54
Weekly Giving: (\$730.00 Needed)	\$2925.56
May Giving: (\$22,920.00 .Needed)	\$15,500.97
Yearly Contributions to Date	\$94,075.82
Amount needed to meet Budget	\$120,330.00



*Thrivent members are reminded to direct their Choice Dollars each year any time after April 1<sup>st</sup> of the year. Please consider naming Trinity for your Choice Funds. Call 800-847-4836 and have your ID Number available.*

## This Week's Prayer Concerns

*Pray for the Church*...that the Holy Spirit would empower us to live in the image of God so that we would speak and act in every way bringing glory to God before all the nations and peoples with what we have been given...

*Pray for our World*...that pain of this Covid-19 pandemic, which has penetrated so many lives that your light Lord would help us to see your presence and that the Spirit would lead us to seek the truth and practice grace for all who are hurting...

*Pray for all who are ill, afflicted, or recovering*...that the Holy Spirit would give comfort and daily strength to **Sherry, Audrey, Kali, Jerry, Beth, Harold, Rodney P., OraDell, Chris, Kathy, Emmett, Joan, Lois, Joyce, Emma, Milo, Ed, Carlos, Dorothy, Story, Tina, Ethan, Robyn, Carmen, Julia Ann, Linette, Tammy, John, Tony, Ted, Connor, Kimora, and Mary Jo.**

*Pray for the beloved*... who now rest from their labors in God's mercy and for all who mourn the personal loss of loved ones....especially Pastor Tim in the loss of his uncle **David Mason**, Pat Lang in the loss of her sister **Charlene Lemcke**, Diane Ekstein in the loss of her uncle **Harold Trebessh**, and Darlene Brummund in the loss of her cousin, **Ted Marcott**... that God would fill each one with the hope of our Lord's promise to bring us to a new heaven and earth where suffering, crying, pain and death will be no more....

*Pray for all families*...that the Holy Spirit would bring compassion and mercy to all who are separated from one another and each would give way to mercy, love and reconciliation...

*Pray for the men and women serving in the Armed Forces and those far from home*...for **Brady Augustin** and his wife ...and for all of our military Veterans that the Holy Spirit would guard them in safety and keep their hearts stayed in Christ...

*Pray for the missionaries of our church (ELCA)*...that they proclaim their witness of the Gospel throughout the world.

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