

GRACE NOTES

Sunday – 11/19/2023 ~ 25th Sunday after Pentecost

8:30a Sunday school and Bible study
10:00a Divine Service
11:30a **Quarterly Voter's meeting**
Duty Elders ~ Martin Bauer / Shawn Shaw
Organist ~ Jeannine Eastley

Monday – 11/20/2023

Lamplighter deadline

11:00a **Wee Disciples Thanksgiving Chapel and dinner**

Tuesday – 11/21/2023

5:00 – 9:00p **Burger for Benefits @ Fuddrucker's**

Wednesday – 11/22/2023

Nothing scheduled

Thursday – 11/23/2023 ~ Thanksgiving Day

Church office and Wee Disciples closed

10:00a Matins Service
Duty Elder ~ Len Koelbel
Organist ~ Joy Suek

Friday – 11/24/2023

Church office and Wee Disciples closed

Nothing scheduled

Saturday – 11/24/2023

Nothing scheduled

Sunday – 11/26/2023 ~ Last Sunday of the Church Year

8:30a Sunday school and Bible study
10:00a Divine Service
Duty Elders ~ Roy Arves / Shawn Shaw
Organist ~ Joy Suek

Be sure and check your Narthex mailbox while you are here. You never know what goodies might be waiting there for you!

On November 28, 2023, Chuck and Elsie Lorenz will be celebrating 70 years of marriage. They would like to celebrate with their Trinity family with a cake during Fellowship time following services on November 26th. Please join us as we celebrate God's gift of marriage with Chuck and Elsie.



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Please visit our website **www.trinity-mt.org**, go to the "Fellowship" tab and sign up for online giving. You can also download the Vanco mobile app to your smart phone for even more convenience.

Offering Counters are needed to assist the Treasurer and Assistant Treasure count and record the offerings following each Sunday service. No experience is needed. Please call the church office (452-2121) or sign up on the bulletin board outside the church office if you are willing to assist.

End-of-Year Contributions will need to be in **NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 31, 2023**, in order to be counted toward your pledge for 2023. Please be sure to bring those contributions to the church office as soon as possible, either by mail or drop-off at the church Monday through Friday (you may use the locked mailbox outside the office). **The counters will make one final deposit for 2023 following the Divine Service on December 31, 2023.**

Sunday School Teacher Needed ~ We are looking for a Sunday School teacher to teach the 1st ~ 3rd grade class. The materials are very easy to teach and follow. Our current teacher has a schedule that doesn't allow for her to be here every week and we would like the kids to have the consistency they deserve. If you are interested, please reach out to Sarah Lautenschlager at 406-899-5952.

Musicians Wanted ~ We are starting up rehearsals for Adult Choir and Handbells again. Both groups will add their talents to worship services often throughout the year. We are always looking for new singers and ringers! The Handbell Choir will practice on Tuesdays at 6:00 pm. The Adult Choir will practice on Wednesdays at 5:30 pm. ***Kids Hand chimes will be coming soon!*** *Let us make a joyful noise unto the Lord* ~ come join us! Please see Judy Boyce or Amy Schultz for more information.

Job Opening ~ Wee Disciples is looking to hire a full-time teacher's aide and floater. Hours are flexible but our greatest need is from 12:00-5:00p or 6:00p. No nights or weekends. Must be able to work in a fast-paced environment with some light cleaning duties involved. Starting wage is \$13/hour but can increase quickly after training, which is paid for by Wee Disciples, and depending on experience. CPR/First Aid and a background check are also required. If you are interested, you can reach out to Sarah Lautenschlager (406) 899-5952 or email **wee.disciples@gmail.com**

Contribution and Attendance Numbers

for the week of November 6, 2023 thru November 12, 2023

Adult Bible studies (Women's, Men's, Sunday)	21
Mid-week Divine Service	16
Sunday school	17
Sunday Divine Service	102
Offerings	\$2,974

LWML News ~ Every November the Montana District LWML expects each local society to send monies to cover the cost of *The Quarterly* and the delegate fee for each of our members. These dues cover \$6.00 for *The Quarterly*, \$7.00 for the National Convention Delegate fee and \$1.00 for the *Missive*. The total is \$14.00. If you can contribute to help us make our commitment, that would be appreciated. You can place your check, made payable to Trinity LWML, in the LWML Treasurer's (Sherri VanVleet) Narthex box.

They're Back!! Cards (both Christmas and all-occasion) and calendars!

Prices:	All Occasion Cards	\$7.00
	Christmas Cards	\$9.00
	Calendars	\$9.00

Get them from the youth on Sunday mornings or the church office during the week. All proceeds go to benefit our youth.

The week of November 19th through November 26th

Celebrating their Wedding Anniversaries this week

<i>November 20th</i>	<i>Joe ♥ Maylyne Bickel (2)</i>
<i>November 22nd</i>	<i>Michael ♥ DeAnna Martin (37)</i>
<i>November 23rd</i>	<i>Channing ♥ Donna Hartelius (16)</i>
<i>November 26th</i>	<i>Chuck ♥ Judy Lively (18)</i>

Celebrating their Birthday this week

<i>November 19th</i>	<i>Neil Burkstrand, Tim Chapman</i>
<i>November 21st</i>	<i>Rochelle Kimmerle</i>
<i>November 23rd</i>	<i>Michael Adelmeyer</i>
	<i>Mike Grams, Gary Somerfeld</i>
<i>November 25th</i>	<i>Roy Arves (80+), Maryanne Kingland</i>

Celebrating their Baptismal Anniversaries this week

<i>November 21st</i>	<i>Marty Eberly, Crosley Kotz</i>
<i>November 24th</i>	<i>Michael Adelmeyer, Chrissy Gollahon</i>
<i>November 26th</i>	<i>Neil Burkstrand, Rochelle Sand</i>

Celebrating their Confirmation anniversaries this week

November 19th

Donna Hayes

The Lutheran Hour~ November 26th ~ "Loving Mercy"

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Dean Nadasdy

Will those who do good things be saved? Or will those who are saved do good things? Dr. Dean Nadasdy says those who love Christ also love showing mercy to others. (Matthew 25:34-40)

Tune in on the radio or at **www.lutheranhour.org**. *The Lutheran Hour* can be heard on **KMON, 560 AM Sundays at 7:00 am; or on SiriusXM Family Talk Channel 131 at 10:00 am (EST)**. Also available on **SENTRadio 24/7 @ lhm.org/sentradio**.

Lutherans for Life ~ November 19th ~ “For it can be easy on Thanksgiving to be thankful for the things, thankful for what we are and have, but thankfulness in faith cries out to God, ‘Jesus, Master, have mercy on me!’ and falls on its face at Jesus’ feet, giving thanks to Christ.” *Rev. Cody Cooper, Guest Speaker on “The Lutheran Hour” – A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life • lutheransforlife.org*

Equipping the Priesthood of All Believers...**Issues, Etc.** is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. *This week's teachings include: The Hymn “Come, Ye Thankful People, Come,” Forgiving Those Who Sin Against Us, The Parable of the Ten Virgins, Transhumanism and more.* You can listen at your convenience at **issuesetc.org**, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

PRAYER REQUESTS

*For prayer requests, please call the church office (406-452-2121)
or email us at trinity@trinity-mt.org*

We pray for

the family of Jean Ann Craven

Carolyn Arves

Mike Garver

Jim Going

Penny Hill

Clay Isakson (Marfan Syndrome)

Caitee Miesmer

Bob Nommensen Sr.

David O'Meara

Shelley Rossberg

Lauretta Stanfield

Joy Suek

Herm & Evelyn Bauer (Marty Bauer's parents)

Carole Beja (Chuck Lively's sister)

Betty (Sybrant's daughter's mother-in-law)

Doris (Jillian Homen's grandmother)

Janet Hussli (Pam Grosenick's sister-in-law)

Evelyn Johnson (Jillian Homen's niece)

Dorothy Krueger (Pam Grosenick's mother)

Laura (Denise Wegner's friend)

Roger & Marlene Lienau (Cheri Bauer's parents)

Amber Pederson (Tristan Bauer's mother)

Ann Schuman (Schuman's daughter-in-law)

Marek & Debbe Wojack (Rose Shelden's daughter and son-in-law)

Taylor Wojack (Rose Shelden's grandson)

Brianna Yates (Arves' granddaughter)

We pray for our members in hospice care

Sherrie Blomstrom

We pray for our members and their caregivers

Chuck & Judy Lively
Chuck & Elsie Lorenz
Jerry & Colleen Mans

Henry & Alice Schuman
Wally & Diane Thompson

We pray for our shut-ins:

Millie Birkholz
Bob Blomstrom (Helena)
Ellen Carpenter
Anita Erickson
Ed Hickel
Darlene Murray (Kansas)

Vi Nell (Arizona)
Arlene Nelson
Bob Nommensen Sr
George & Myrtle Pence
Flo Winter (North Dakota)
Juanita Winter

We pray for those serving in the military and law enforcement

Sam Birkett, Cascade County Sheriff's Deputy

Evan Brenner, USAF

Nathan Brenner, USAF

Scott Broberg, USAF

Daniel Crème', USAF

Jaymes Crumley, USAF

Sheylan Kaky, USAF

Krista Kotz, USAF

Kelli Lynch, USAF

Isaac Monroe, USAF

Martin Shabaan, USAF

Chaplain Jonathan Schultz,
USAF

Kalainee Teaney, USAF

Joshua Graham (Blomstrom's grandson-in-law)

Helena Police Department

Matthew Erickson, USAF (Anita Erickson's grandson)

Clifton Grilley, USN (Headington's son)

Dustin Krueger, USAF (LaVelle VanVoast's son)

Julie Timms (Waetzig's granddaughter)



Thanksgiving Day ~ November 23, 2023

10:00 am Matins Service

**Congregational Christmas Decorating
Saturday, December 2, 2023 ~ 9:00am**

First Sunday in Advent ~ December 3, 2023

Sunday school & Bible study ~ 8:30 am

Divine Service ~ 10:00 am

First Advent Mid-week ~ December 6, 2023

Soup Supper ~ 6:00 pm

Worship 7:00 pm

Second Sunday in Advent ~ December 10, 2023

Sunday school & Bible study ~ 8:30 am

Divine Service ~ 10:00 am

Second Advent Mid-week ~ December 13, 2023

Soup Supper ~ 6:00pm

Worship 7:00 pm

**Children's Christmas Service / Third Sunday in Advent ~
December 17, 2023**

Sunday school & Bible study ~ 8:30 am

Divine Service w/children's message ~ 10:00 am

Third Advent Mid-week ~ December 20, 2023

Soup Supper ~ 6:00 pm

Worship 7:00 pm

Fourth Sunday in Advent ~ December 24, 2023

Bible study ~ 8:30 am

Divine Service ~ 10:00 am

Christmas Eve Family Worship ~ Sunday, December 24, 2023

7:00 pm

Christmas Day ~ Monday, December 25, 2023

Divine Service ~ 10:00 am

First Sunday after Christmas ~ December 31, 2023

Bible study ~ 8:30 am

Divine Service ~ 10:00 am