

Grace Notes

August 30, 2026

Trinity Lutheran Church

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Check your Narthex mailboxes, please

Sunday – 08/30/2026 ~ Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

5th Sunday Mission Collection ~ William & Grace Harr

8:30a Sunday school and Adult Bible study

10:00a Divine Service

Duty Elders ~ Shawn Shaw / Ron VanVoast

Audio/Video/Music ~ Iassac Schultz

Monday – 08/31/2026

Nothing scheduled

Tuesday – 09/01/2026

Nothing scheduled

Wednesday – 09/02/2026

9:30a Ladies Bible study

6:30p **Mid-week Service**

Duty Elder ~ Martin Bauer

Thursday – 09/03/2026

8:30a **Men's Bible study**

6:30p **Board of Early Childhood Education**

Friday – 09/04/2026

Nothing scheduled

Church Office Closed

Saturday – 09/05/2026

Nothing scheduled

Sunday – 09/06/2026 ~ Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30a Adult Bible study

10:00a Divine Service

Duty Elders ~ Shawn Shaw / Bill Sybrant

Audio/Video/Music ~ Iassac Schultz

Don't forget....

Check your Narthex mailboxes, please

5th Sunday Mission Collection ~ August 30th is the next 5th *Sunday Mission Collection*. We will be using your donations to go to help Seminarian William & Grace Harr as he continues his vicarage and education.

Wee Disciples Job Opening ~ Please contact Director Debbie Lee at (406) 799-5881 or Trinity Lutheran Church at (406) 452-2121 for more information.

Board of Education Chairperson ~ Please contact Pastor (406-402-2081) or James Neumann (406-868-2570).

Offering Counters are needed ~ Please call the Ron VanVoast (307-631-5949), church office (406-452-2121)

Fellowship Time Set-up Help Needed!! ~ If you are interested, please talk to Pastor (406-402-2081) or Cheryl (406-452-2121).

Fellowship Time Clean-up Help Needed!! ~ If you are interested, please talk to Pastor (406-402-2081) or the church office (406-452-2121).

Trinity Scholarships ~ The application is available on our website (www.trinity-mt.org) or in the church office.

NOTE ~ The congregation is encouraged to contribute to the scholarship fund just as we do the roof repair or any other special fund. There are special envelopes in the back of the Sanctuary to place your donations in.

Roof Repair Fund ~ There are special envelopes in the back of the Sanctuary to place your donations in.

Coffee and Chat ~ Want to learn sign language? New to American Sign language? Not sure where to start? Join us for Coffee and Chat! Learn more signs and practice what you know in a calm environment. **Every third Saturday of the month 11:00am-12:30pm** at the **Double Barrel Coffee House**, 1500 9th Ave S. Sponsored by Peace Lutheran Church and Christ Lutheran Church for the Deaf, 3340 11th Ave S. Great Falls MT 59405.

The week of August 30th through September 6th

Celebrating their Wedding Anniversaries this week

September 3rd

Jerry ♥ Colleen Mans (65)

September 5th

Todd ♥ Martyna Chandler (11)

Ed ♥ Sherri VanVleet (56)

Celebrating their Birthday this week

September 1st

Kathie Gessaman

September 5th

Serenity Miesmer

Celebrating their Baptismal Anniversaries this week

None

Celebrating their Confirmation anniversaries this week

None

Contribution and Attendance Numbers
for the week of August 17th through 23rd

Adult Bible study (<i>Ladie's, Sunday</i>)	18
Lay Service	70
Offerings	\$5,497
Vanco	\$530
Paraments	\$225

Join us for a sweet treat
after church on
Rally Sunday, Sept. 13th



Presented as a
Thank You
from the kids who attended
Trinity Lutheran Camp
this summer

PRAYER REQUESTS

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

We pray for our members

Sylvia Admas	Joyce Bush
Ellen Carpenter	Michael Garver
Lucy Ann Hall	Neil Hamm
Larry Homen	Lidia Neumann
Kirk Norris	Myrna Philipp
David O'Meara	Shelley Rossberg
Joy Suek	

We pray for friends and family of our members

Martie Curl (VanVoast's friend)
Greyson (6-year-old friend of Arves grandson)
Gary Headington
Fran Holt (Michael Garver's mother)
Janet Hussli (Pam Grosenick's sister-in-law)
Dawn Krueger (Pam Grosenick's sister)
Laura (Denise Wegner's friend)
Roger & Marlene Lienau (Cheryl Bauer's parents)
Kyla Moyle (Lively's friend)
Debby Phillips (LaVelle VanVoast's friend)
Rebecca (Debbie Lee's sister)
Jim Smith (VanVoast's friend)
Rick Sotak (Matt Clark's grandfather)
Betty Stene (Brett Stene's mother)
Don Ullrich (VanVoast's daughter-in-law's father)
Tom & Nancy Wheeler (Seth & Clint Wheeler's parents)
Fred and Beverly Wibert (Sam Birkett's grandparents)
Kathy Zagel (wife of former pastor Bruce Zagel)
Merle Ziegleman (VanVoast's friend)

We pray for our shut-ins

Mildred Birkholz (The Lodge)	Ellen Carpenter (Golden Eagle)
Anita Erickson (at home)	Ed Hickel (at home)
Arleen Nelson (Rosetta Assisted Living)	Barbara Zafft (The Lodge)
Bob Blomstrom (Helena)	Darlene Murray (in Kansas)

We pray for the pastors of the Montana District with health concerns

Pastor John Valle (former member of Trinity)

Pastor Ray Wiegert (former pastor at Messiah-Missoula)

We pray for our members battling health issues and their caregivers

Roy & Carolyn Arves	Jim & Barb Going (Washington)
Chuck & Judy Lively	Jerry & Colleen Mans
Henry & Alice Schuman	Lindy & Lauretta Stanfield

We pray for those serving in the military and for our First Responders

Sam Birkett, Cascade County Sheriff's Detective
Matt Clark, Great Falls Emergency Services

Scott Backus, MANG

Scott Broberg, USAF

Ricardo Dominguez, USAF

Caleb Eberly, USA

Jacob Eberly, USA

Matthew Erickson, USAF (Anita Erickson's grandson)

Landon Grosenick, MANG (Pam Grosenick's grandson)

Chaplain Jonathan Schultz, USAF Reserves

Mychal Taylor, MANG

Vail VanVoast (LaVelle & Ron's granddaughter), MANG

Mattie Young, ANG

The Lutheran Hour ~ September 6th ~ "Come and See"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

The Book of Nature can open your mind to the possibility that God is real. The Book of Scripture, the Bible, goes further, like a friend who's been there. (*John 1:46*).

FM 106.9 is transmitting *The Lutheran Hour* on Sunday mornings at 8:00am. The weekly broadcast of *The Lutheran Hour* is also available at **www.lutheranhour.org**, on the **Connected by LHM** mobile app, on **Sirius XM Family Talk Channel**, and platforms like **Spotify**, **iHeartRadio**, dialing in on your phone, and more.

Lutherans for Life ~ August 30th ~ "Use the biological reality of the word 'abortion' to begin discussion to share that message with your unbelieving neighbor. Do so with boldness, but gentleness, please! Use the eternal reality of the word 'abortion' to share that message with your fellow believers. Speak the truth in love, please!" Rev. Dr. James I. Lamb, former Executive Director of Lutherans For Life ~ *A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life* • ***lutheransforlife.org***

CONCERNING THE LORD’S SUPPER

The Lord’s Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord’s body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or an usher.

For further study, see Matthew 5:23ff; 10:32ff; 18:15–35; 26:26–29; 1 Corinthians 1:28; 11:17–34.

Other Helpful Links

Trinity Lutheran Church	www.trinity-mt.org
Also visit & “like” our Facebook page	
Montana District LCMS	www.mtdistlcms.org
LCMS	www.lcms.org
Concordia Publishing House	www.cph.org
Higher Things	www.higherthings.org
Issues, Etc.	www.issuesetc.org
The Word of the Lord Endures Forever	thewordendures.org
Lutherans for Life	lutheransforlife.org
LWML	www.lwml.org
The Lutheran Witness	www.lcms.org/witness
LCMS Radio on the web	www.kfuoaam.org
Lutheran Hour Ministries	www.lhm.org
The Reporter	www.lcms.org/reporter