

Grace Notes

November 1, 2026

Trinity Lutheran Church

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Check your Narthex mailboxes, please

Sunday – 11/01/2026 ~ All Saints' Day

8:30a Sunday school & Adult Bible study

10:00a Divine Service

Duty Elders ~ Shawn Shaw / Ron VanVoast

Audio/Video/ Music ~ Denise Rutledge

Monday – 11/02/2026

Nothing scheduled

Tuesday – 11/03/2026

5:45p Hand Bell Choir practice

6:30p Board of Early Childhood Education

Wednesday – 11/04/2026

9:30a Ladies Bible study

5:30p Adult Choir practice

6:30p Mid-week Divine Service

Duty Elder ~ Ron VanVoast

Thursday – 11/05/2026

8:30a Men's Bible study

Friday – 11/06/2026

Church Office Closed

Saturday – 11/07/2026

9:30a LWML Group Gathering

Sunday – 11/08/2026 ~ Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30a Sunday school & Adult Bible study

10:00a Divine Service

Duty Elders ~ Martin Bauer / Scott Broberg

Audio/Video/ Music ~ Denise Rutledge

Organist ~ Gloria Creek

Don't forget....

LWML Dues ~ The LWML is collecting their annual subscription fees and membership dues. If you would like to receive the national LWML magazine, *The Quarterly*, or our Montana District newsletter, *The Missive*, you can order those for \$6.50 and \$4.00 respectively. If you are an active member of the LWML, the total dues this year are \$17.50/person, which includes the magazine and newsletter, plus a \$7.00 district fee to help send Montana ladies as delegates to the national LWML conventions. Please contact Sherri Van Vleet for more information or to pay for subscriptions and dues.

Peace Lutheran LWML - Our next meeting and Bible study will be **Saturday, November 14th at 11:00a.m.** Lisa Owens from the *Dandelion Foundation* will be our guest speaker. Our ingathering will be blue and orange cans of formula and newborn or size 3 and larger diapers for Toby's House. All ladies and gents are invited to join us!

Snow Removal Sign-up ~ Help is needed for the winter to remove snow from the sidewalks before church on Sunday mornings. If you would be willing to help, there is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board outside the church office.

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

Offering Counters needed ~ Please call the Ron VanVoast (307-631-5949) or the 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).

A/V Help Needed ~ If you would be interested in helping, contact Pastor (406-402-2081) or the church office (406-452-2121) for more information.

Trinity Scholarships ~ The application is available on our website (www.trinity-mt.org) or in the church office. There are special envelopes in the back of the Sanctuary to place your donations in.

Roof Replacement Fund ~ The project will include the Sanctuary roof, Narthex roof, flat roof and seamless gutters. We have scheduled this project for June 2027. Members are encouraged to continue contributing to the Roof Replacement Fund. There are special envelopes in the back of the Sanctuary to place your donations in. If you have questions about this project, please talk to James Neumann, Cheryl Bauer or Pastor Schultz.

Undie Sunday ~ **December 6th** the LWML will be collecting underwear to donate to the Rescue Mission. Packages of new undies for men, women and children can be donated at the display in the Narthex - all styles and sizes. (We will also be gathering more donations at our Advent Brunch on December 12th and taking our donations to the Rescue Mission that afternoon.) Please help us provide for the needs of others and bring new underwear on Undie Sunday!

They're Back!!

Cards ~ (both Christmas and all occasion)
and **calendars!**



Price:	All Occasion Cards	\$8.00
	Christmas Card	\$8.00
	Calendars	\$10.00

Check with the Youth Group
to get yours today!

2ND ANNUAL CENTRAL CIRCUIT

YOUTH MEET - UP



Meet Lutheran Kids!

Sun. Nov. 15th – 4:30-6:30pm – Ages 5-18

1202 13th Street, Fort Benton, MT 59442 – More Info: 406-390-2689

The week of November 1st through November 8th

Celebrating their Wedding Anniversaries this week

None

Celebrating their Birthday this week

<i>November 3rd</i>	<i>Tyson Wheeler</i>
<i>November 5th</i>	<i>Mick Jones</i>
<i>November 7th</i>	<i>Patrick Norris</i>
<i>November 8th</i>	<i>Evie Tanksley</i>

Celebrating their Baptismal Anniversaries this week

<i>November 1st</i>	<i>Charlotte Morrison</i>
<i>November 5th</i>	<i>Caleb Bicsak</i>
	<i>Treve Mans</i>
<i>November 6th</i>	<i>Barb Going</i>
<i>November 8th</i>	<i>Jim Going</i>
	<i>Jonathan Schultz</i>

Celebrating their Confirmation anniversaries this week

None

Contribution and Attendance Numbers **for the week of 19th through October 25th**

Mid-week Service	16
Adult Bible study (<i>Ladie's, Men's, Sunday</i>)	39
Sunday School	13
Divine Service	89
Offerings	\$2700
Vanco	\$95
Roof Replacement	\$140
Paul newsletter	\$30

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

Judy Boyce	Joyce Bush
Ellen Carpenter	Michael Garver
Neil Hamm	Larry Homen
Lidia Neumann	Kirk Norris
Myrna Philipp	David O'Meara

We pray for friends and family of our members

Martie Curl (VanVoast's friend)
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)
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)
Ryan VanVoast (Ron VanVoast's son)
Tom & Nancy Wheeler (Seth & Clint Wheeler's parents)
Fred & 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)	Joyce Bush (at home)
Ellen Carpenter (Golden Eagle)	Anita Erickson (at home)
Lucy Ann Hall (at home)	Ed Hickel (at home)
Arleen Nelson (Rosetta Assisted Living)	Joy Suek (at home)
Barbara Zafft (The Lodge)	
Bob Blomstrom (Helena)	Darlene Murray (in Kansas)

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 the pastors of the Montana District with health concerns

Pastor Robin Fish (pastor at Power/Fairfield)

Pastor John Valle (former member of Trinity)

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

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