

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

June 23, 2024

WELCOME TO TRINITY We are glad to have you worship with us today!
We ask visitors who wish to participate in Holy Communion to visit with the Pastor or an Elder before the service. Thank you.

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SUNDAY DIVINE SERVICE 9:00 A.M.
BIBLE STUDY 10:20 A.M.

SERMON: *Questions to Live (and Suffer) By*

SERMON TEXT: Job 38:1-11

SERMON HYMN: 726 *Evening and Morning*

SERVING TODAY: Elder: Mike Koch

Altar Guild: Diane Koch

Schedule: **June 24, 25, & 26 is VBS** starting at 5:15 meal, 5:45 classes

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Altar Flowers: are given by Jeff and Diane Koch to the glory of God and in honor of the blessing of the children in the congregation and those children that attend VBS.

Our Prayer Requests:

- † Lori Hill, cousin of Sharon Tyler receiving treatment for breast cancer.
- † Sheila VerStraeten, recovering from a seizure.
- † Gary Smith, has cancer receiving treatment.
- † Steve Rutz & Bruce Rutz, brothers of Sue Coon, undergoing cancer treatments.
- † Clark Brittain, has cancer and receiving treatment.
- † Marilyn Van Zee, sister of Dennis Smith & Gray Smith, for healing.
- † Mary Haglaud, cancer, friend of Dennis Smith.
- † Linda Marquardt for the trials and tribulations she faces with her MS.

If you have Thrivent, remember to designate your Thrivent Choice Dollars

VBS is scheduled for Jun 24, 25, and 26 so get your kiddos, grandkiddos, and/or neighbor kiddos signed up to Celebrate the Savior with us. We are geared towards kids from 3-11ish years old but please see me if you know of some older kids that would like to be a part of VBS. A light meal will be served each evening starting at 5:15 with VBS starting at 5:45. Registration is online at <https://vbsmate.com/events/TrinityLCMSVanMeterIA/29043>. Let me know if you have troubles getting registered or don't have access to a computer and I'll get you signed up. Diane Koch

Volunteers needed for VBS!!! Please see the sign-up sheet in the Narthex to sign up or talk to Diane. It really is such a great experience and easy opportunity to share your love of Jesus with these kids. It's just a few hours in the evening for 3 nights. Thank you!

Building Healthy Families: Attention parents, grandparents and pew buddies--when involving little ones in the worship service, take baby steps! It's tempting to have an all or nothing mentality. That, however, can easily become discouraging. Saying "Amen" is a great place to start, as it comes up numerous times throughout a given service. Try having your child repeat the name of the book of the Bible where we find the weekly Scripture reading(s). Responses like "Thanks be to God!" following "This is the Word of the Lord." or "Let us bless the Lord!" are also very accessible to younger worshippers. With continued exposure, encouragement and, ultimately, the work of the Holy Spirit, children will know that God's house and being in worship is for them, too! **Lutheran Family Service** www.LutheranFamilyService.org

A Life Thought in the Church Year for June 23 – Pentecost V (Proper 7B): "Widen your hearts," the Apostle exhorts his Corinthian companions (2 Corinthians 6:13). He has just instructed them how God's grace prevails to make life worthwhile without regard to anyone's size, skills, or circumstances. Doesn't His love expand our imaginations and affections to receive every human life as a gift and privilege? Won't our voices offer the same opportunities to neighbors in surprise pregnancy and terminal diagnosis?

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS: Theron Albrecht, Clay Ory, & Willis Jones

CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES: Larry & Yvonne Ory

Giving Report 06/16/2024: General \$1190.00, Mission \$50:00, Total Greenfield door offering \$1050.00

Attendance 06/16/2024: 38

Divine Service

(Setting One)

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