



**SERVICE
TIMES**

SATURDAY 6:00 P.M. / SUNDAY: 8:00 & 10:45 A.M.
LIVESTREAM AVAILABLE 8 A.M. AT TRINITYPEORIA.COM

MESSAGE BOARD

August 15-16, 2026

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NEW SEASON OF JUBILATION & JR CONFIRMATION

Jubilation Family Meeting (Sanctuary Basement) AND Jr. Confirmation Meeting (Walther Room), BOTH on Sunday, August 23, 9:30 am. Come and find out how we are continuing to disciple and train our children and youth in following and confessing who Jesus is in our lives. Children and youth are asked to come with their parents to their respective meetings.



CHRISTIAN EDUCATION THIS WEEK

- **Adult Bible Study:** There will be no Adult Bible Study this Sunday. Looking forward, the next Adult class will be **Financial Capital Q & A Study** on Sunday, Aug. 31, at 9:30 a.m. in Walther Room - led by DCE Scott Rauch. This is a good opportunity for all adults, no matter what financial shape you are in, and for JH & SH youth as well to come and ask any and all questions about taking care of God's financial capital so it can be a blessing to family, church & community. Come with any question but especially anything having to do with budgeting, understanding wills, being generous, debt-relief, credit, etc.
- **Wednesday Bible Study:** "Cross and Crown - Paul's letters to the Corinthian Church" - 7:30-8:30 a.m. on Google Meet (find the link on the Trinity website calendar). DCE Scott Rauch will lead the group through 1st & 2nd Corinthians from the perspective of the foolish wisdom of Christ's cross into the crown of His victorious resurrection. Come and join in for a good start to a Wednesday morning.

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IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS

Those Serving In The Armed Forces

Aslan Fountain (grandson of Ralph Reichert)

Jeremy Thrane (grandson of Phyllis Basquin)

Madison Raistrick (granddaughter
of Donna Winkler)

Trinity Shut-Ins

Marlene Cook ~ Max Wessler Carol Hinton

Alice Clark ~Annette Smith ~ Flo Burns

Dinah Turner ~ Emma Ott ~ Barbara Cullen

Phyllis Basquin ~ Don & Pat Hagar

AUGUST WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

40 Years: Terry and Lynn Isbell (2)

30 Years: Rich and Kim Book (31)

JULY 2026 STATEMENT

Income: \$56,025

July Loss: -\$52,401

Expenses: \$108,426

YTD: -\$141,073

AUGUST MISSION OF THE MONTH

TRINITY FOOD SUPPORT

Trinity's Food Pantry & Snack Pack Mission provides short-term food support for Trinity members and the local community, including the Franklin Primary School community. We appreciate the leadership of Diana Martino (Food Pantry) and Pam Jenkins (Snack Packs) and our connection with Midwest Food Bank (midwestfoodbank.org/) in these mission efforts.

TRINITY FOOD PANTRY

If you wish to donate to the Trinity Food Pantry, contact Diana Martino or Scott Rauch with questions. For September, which must be at Trinity by September 13, they are asking for spaghetti noodles, spaghetti sauce (not glass) and Jiffy Cornbread Mix. In July, the Trinity Food Pantry served 19 people.

The food pantry has an ongoing need for the following items: Ramen Noodles, Soup, Canned Fruit, Boxed Macaroni & Cheese.

Coming Up August 22-23

12th Sunday after Trinity

Readings: Is. 29:17-24; 2 Cor. 3:4-11; Mark 7:31-37

Hymns: LSB 704, 545, 551

Preacher: Pastor Mark J. Nelson

TRINITY MEMBERS ON CONCORDIA

LUTHERAN SCHOOL STAFF

Eric Hipple, Fine Arts Director

Marriah Pummill, teacher

Mary Farley, teacher

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RAMSEY
FinancialPeace
UNIVERSITY

HAVE YOU BEEN LOOKING FOR A WAY TO GET ON TOP OF YOUR MONEY?

This. Is. Your. Time.

Everyone is invited and encouraged to join Trinity Lutheran Church's (135 NE Randolph Ave.) nine-session Financial Peace University class starting on Wednesday, September 2, 6-8 pm. Make today the day you decide to own your money—not the other way around. Free childcare will be provided as needed. Contact Trinity Coordinator Scott Rauch at scottmrauch@gmail.com or (309) 676-4609 for more information or to register. Co-coordinator for the event will be Jacob Mol.

WEEKLY TRINITY PRAYER SHEET

Submitting Prayer Requests:

Call, text or email Pastor Nelson (309) 453-7231; pastornelson@trinitypeoria.com

SIGN UP TO RECEIVE TRINITY MESSAGE BOARD BY EMAIL

If you or someone you know would like to receive the new Message Board by email, just contact Kerri in the church office 309-676-4609 or email tlc@trinitypeoria.com.

We can get the names added to the list.

You can also call the office to receive a paper copy of the Message Board if you do not have digital access.

ALL-YOUTH PARTY AT REDEEMER

All-Youth "End of Summer/School's Started Party" @ Redeemer, Sunday, August 30, 5:00-8:00 p.m. We'll have a cookout dinner, have fun with yard games like Gaga Ball and Nine-Square, and an end-of-the-evening devotion with s'mores! Friends are invited. Let DCE Scott or Pastor Matt know if you are able to come. This is a joint event with our Peoria-sister congregations!

CLEANING OUT LOST AND FOUND

Please take a moment to check the foyer coat racks for items you may have left behind. In September, we will be cleaning the racks and donating all remaining items to the Garage Sale.

JR. CONFIRMATION FAMILY MEETING/AUGUST 23, 9:30 A.M.

This is a meeting for all 7-8th grade confirmation families with Pastor Matt in the Walther Room to discuss the Confirmation process and KEY calendar dates for the 2026-27 year. At least one parent, along with their confirmation youth, are expected to attend this informational meeting. You won't want to miss this!

JH JAM MINI-GOLF NIGHT / AUGUST 16, 6-7:30 P.M.

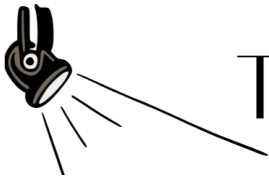
This is our annual JH Play & Pray Mini-Golf night at ROC Putt in East Peoria. The cost is only \$12/person for a round of golf and one scoop of ice cream! Just pay when you come. We'll need to reach 8 people to meet our group rate, so parents and friends are invited!

LWML CID ZONE FALL RALLY

The 2026 LWML CID Combined Zone Rally for the Peoria and Pekin, as well as the Bloomington and Lincoln, zones is scheduled for Wednesday, Sept. 9, at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 101 E. Garfield, Minier. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. with drinks served. The rally will begin at 10:00 a.m., and brunch will be served during that time. The speaker for the day is the Rev. Williams Jensen, who is Campus Pastor at Wittenberg Lutheran Center, Illinois State University, Normal. LWML CID Counselor, the Rev. Steven Sommerer will lead a Bible study from Psalm 145:4, and LWML CID president Cheryl Long will share information from the district and National LWML. Registration is \$15 and must be submitted by Aug. 24. Registration forms can be found on the bulletin board opposite the foyer bathrooms. Rally organizers are asking for Gifts from the Heart donations of: cash (no checks), Keurig K-Cups, microwave single serving foods and packaged single-serving snacks such as chips, energy bars and granola.

KEEP THOSE GARAGE SALE ITEMS COMING!

We are currently accepting donations for our annual Trinity Garage Sale, which runs Oct. 9-10. Categories for donation include, but are not limited to, clothing, kitchenware, books, toys, home decor and furniture. Please contact DCE Scott Rauch (scottmrauch@trinitypeoria.com) or the church office (309-676-4609) with questions.



TRINITY MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

BEN, KATY, VIVIAN AND CORALYN LIGHT

1. What do you do for work:

Katy is currently on maternity leave but works part-time at an accounting firm. Ben works in public works administration for the Village of Morton.

2. What are your interests and hobbies?

Katy enjoys reading a good book, spending time with family, and listening to music. Ben enjoys cooking, working outside, doing house projects, and singing with his barbershop quartet. Mutual love of music, especially singing, was one of the main things that first brought us together.

3. Which service do you regularly attend:

We attend the 10:45 service.

4. What brought you to Trinity and what do you enjoy at Trinity:

After moving to Tremont in late 2024, we began looking for a faithful LCMS church closer to home where we could foster relationships with other Lutheran families in our same station of life. We began attending Trinity in early 2025 and later transferred membership in October. We enjoy the traditional liturgy, the sound



doctrine, and the fellowship of all believers that we experience here at Trinity which holds us steadfast against the tides of a fallen world.

Stay tuned as we continue to shine the spotlight on our new and longtime members.