



**SERVICE
TIMES**

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

MESSAGE BOARD

October 10-11, 2026

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A BIG THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who donated items, volunteered or shopped at this year's Trinity Garage Sale that was Friday and Saturday. As always, there were so many great finds, with all profits going to support our youth and their attendance at the next LCMS Youth Gathering 2028 in San Antonio, Texas.



CHRISTIAN EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

- **Adult Bible Study:** 9:30 a.m. this Sunday, Pastor Nelson continues with the study series "Ethics and the Christian Life" in the Walther Room. Using Dr. Joel Biermann's theological insight and the Lutheran tradition's rich heritage, Pastor Nelson will look at ethics and their role in salvation.
 - **High School Bible Study:** 9:30 a.m. Sunday in the SH Room. Led by DCE Scott Rauch, Trista Crady and Eric Hipple.
 - **Women's Bible Study:** 9:30 a.m. in the Quiet Room at the rear of the sanctuary. Led by Cori Wong and focused on the book "Everyday Joys" by Tama Fortner.
 - **Jubilation At Church:** This Sunday is a Singing Sunday with opening fun song and prayer, and then singing rehearsal. October Jubilation at Home packet are currently available in the foyer. Contact DCE Scott Rauch if you would like to receive one for your family.
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- **Wednesday Bible Study:** The group is studying the book of Isaiah - 7:30-8:30 a.m. on Google Meet (find the link on the Trinity website calendar each Wednesday. DCE Scott Rauch will lead the group. Come and join in for a good start to a Wednesday morning.

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The 2-Minute Drill / Online Giving
Jubilation for families / And more

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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

OCTOBER WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

40 Years: Bob and Tammy Brown (30)

35 Years: Tim and Christine Copeland (12)

10 Years: Zak and Nicole Edmonds (8)

AUGUST 2026 STATEMENT

Income: \$58,221 **Aug. Shortfall:** -\$28,809

Expenses: \$87,030 **YTD:**-\$169,802

MISSION OF THE MONTH

OCTOBER: TRINITY WOMEN IN MISSION

Trinity's Women in Mission, as part of the Lutheran Women in Mission (lwml.org/home), joyfully proclaim Christ, support missions, and equip women to honor God by serving others. Sandy Linse & Rita Stuber provide leadership for Trinity's group as they collect mites, assemble/distribute quilts and take time for Bible study and fellowship.

TRINITY FOOD PANTRY

If you wish to donate to the Trinity Food Pantry, contact Diana Martino or Scott Rauch with questions. For November, which must be at Trinity by November 8, they are asking for Cream of Mushroom soup, boxes of Jello, and 4 oz. packages of instant mashed potatoes. In September, the Trinity Food Pantry served 23 people.

TRINITY MEMBERS ON CONCORDIA

LUTHERAN SCHOOL STAFF

Eric Hipple, Fine Arts Director

Marriah Pummill, teacher

Mary Farley, teacher

Destiny King, teacher's aide

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Coming Up Oct. 17-18

20th Sunday after Trinity

Readings: Is. 55:1-9; Eph. 5:15-21; Matt. 22:1-14

Hymns: LSB 789, 510, 912

Preacher: Pastor Matthew B. Synnott

THE LWML MITE COLLECTION AT TRINITY WILL BE ON THE WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 10-11. The featured mite grant is **LWML CID Mission Grant #2** - *Christ Centered Crisis Pregnancy and Adoption Support- CID -\$25,000*

Every year in Illinois, 40% of babies are born to single mothers. Being unprepared to parent and lacking essential support can lead young mothers to make a deadly decision to abort their children or be unable to adequately care for them after they arrive. Those who face unplanned pregnancy without support need attention, care, accurate information, and truth spoken in love provided through counseling, which offers life-affirming options of parenting or adoption, along with clear messages of God's love, grace, forgiveness, and salvation that are theirs in Christ. In partnership with the LWML CID, Lutheran Family Services (LFS) will grow its established pregnancy counseling and adoption services in Moline, to open a new office near the Bloomington/Normal area, and provide faith-infused services supporting pregnant women, their at-risk babies, and Christian adopting couples throughout the CID.

LHV CRAFT AND BAKE SALE

There will be a craft and bake sale at Lutheran Hillside Village from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 16 at the LHV Community Center. There will be baked goods, snacks, quilts, table runners, baby items and more. Proceeds will be used to purchase supplies for future projects that are donated across LHV. If you would like to donate baked items, please contact Kaylee Boyer (309-689-2127) for instructions.

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.



REFORMATION HYMN FESTIVAL

SUNDAY, OCT. 25
2:00 P.M.



BUILT ON THE ROCK

Under the direction of our Cantor Peter Wykert, the hymn festival theme is "Built on the Rock". Music selections will include festival hymn arrangements of Kevin Hildebrand and historic chorales from Martin Luther's era placed side-by-side with modern songs from The Songwriter Initiative (TSI).

*You are also invited
to join us for an*

OKTOBERFEST MEAL

SERVING NOON - 1:30 P.M.

**MENU: Sausage, Schnitzel, Potato,
Sauerkraut & Applesauce**

**IF ATTENDING THE MEAL,
PLEASE RSVP AT TRINITYPEORIA.COM
OR USE THE CODE BELOW BY OCT. 19.**



— you're invited to —
Fall Festival
 *TRUNK OR TREAT
 *HOT DOGS & DESSERT
 *CHILI COOK-OFF
 *PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST

October 17, 2026
 5:00PM - 7:30PM
 Concordia Lutheran School

Fall Concert
An evening of music presented by:
 Concert Choir
 Concert Band
 Concert Orchestra

Tuesday, October 20th
 Ruppert Center
 6:30pm - 8:00pm

CONCORDIA LUTHERAN
Golf Classic

Monday, Oct 12th, 10 AM Shotgun Start
 Country Club of Peoria
www.golfeventsguy.com/concordia
 Call Nate Gregg, 309-210-4656

Sign up

CONCORDIA SEEKING LONG-TERM SUBSTITUTES

Concordia Lutheran School is seeking candidates willing to fill long-term substitute positions of *Immediate Short-Term Medical Leave*: 3rd Grade Teacher for approximately 7 weeks, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. and *Spring Maternity Leave*: Jr. High ELA & 8th Grade Homeroom approximately March-May, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Long-term Substitutes should have, at minimum, an associate's degree with substitute experience; however, a bachelor's degree in education is preferred. All employees are expected to act in a manner that supports the Statement of Belief for the Lutheran Central School Association of Peoria, IL, and exemplifies the Concordia Lutheran School Christian Code of Conduct. Duties include lesson planning, grading, student supervision, and classroom management. Compensation is \$132/day. If you are interested, or know of someone, please contact Principal Emily Craine at ecraine@concordiapeoria.com or 309-691-8921.

LWGP PRESENT THE MOST WINE-DERFUL TIME OF THE YEAR!

Enjoy a Wine Tasting for adults (age 21 and above) at Mackinaw Valley Winery, at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 1. You'll taste several wines matched with samples of foods you can serve at your holiday parties. Enjoy door prizes, a Make-Your-Own Ornament Table, fun games, surprises, and a light supper of holiday hors d' oeuvres. There will also be a raffle of donated items and some great gift items for sale. Relax with live piano Christmas music by Don Bauer. Tickets are \$35 per person (write your checks payable to Lutheran Women of Greater Peoria). Proceeds will go to the LSSI Room at the Inn program that provides Christmas gifts for Children in their Foster, Mental health, and family Support program. **ADVANCE TICKETS REQUIRED!** To get yours, mail a check and your Email address to: Pepper Bauer, 5220 S. Cameron Lane, Mapleton IL 61547. We will send you an email receipt and hold your tickets at the door. We need your reservations by Monday, Oct. 26. Questions? Call Pepper at (309) 657-5726, or Email: pepperbauer@att.net.