

EDUCATION MINISTRY

Trinity Book Club. Our July book is Kathryn Stockett's stunning fiction debut, **The Help**. Stockett creates three extraordinary women whose determination to start a movement of their own forever changes a town, and the way women - mothers, daughters, caregivers, friends - view one another. A deeply moving book filled with poignancy, humor, and hope, *The Help* is a timeless and universal story about the lines we abide by, and the ones we don't. We'll meet at the home of Kathy Blouch, 12965 NW Ridgeview Dr. Platte City, MO. on Saturday, **July 31, at 6:30 pm.** Kathy will also be our discussion leader. We'll meet at Trinity at 6 pm to carpool. We'd love to have you join us.

Can You Help Keep Us Afloat????

This year's Vacation Bible School theme is "High Seas Expedition". Together we will be exploring the mighty love of God. Our week long VBS adventure will be **July 26-30, 9:00am -12:00pm.** So we are getting ready for a swashbuckling adventure through God's word. Trinity is known for going all out in our preparations and we need your help. We are looking for decorating props that we could use just for that week. Items that would help us out include **empty paper towel rolls, small boxes (around the size of shoe boxes),** empty 2 liter bottles, wooden barrels, sea chests, footlockers, spy glasses, heavy rope, large fishing nets (without the handles), or nautical items that make you think of the high seas. If you have any questions or items please contact Denise Sprengeler or Laura Gray.

High Seas Mission Project:

We do not charge any fees for our week of VBS but we do select and encourage a mission project each year. This year we will be doing two missions. Food for Trinity house will be collected. Each month families are welcomed to come and receive food items to help meet their food budgets. We will also be making baby blankets for "Lambs Inn" during our craft time and one day of collecting baby items for this crisis pregnancy center for teen mothers. Please help us in being a blessing to others.

- Monday - a can of soup
- Tuesday - a can of tuna
- Wednesday - a jar of peanut butter
- Thursday - a box of cereal
- Friday - a baby item (baby wipes, diapers, diaper cream, lotion etc.)

VBS Snacks Needed: At the Welcome Center we have sign up sheets for Days 1 & 2 of our VBS week for snacks. If you could donate a snack item it would be greatly appreciated. Thanks!

Trinity Preschool North Campus 2010 Fall Registration - Please call Tobye Baeuchle at 682-4747 or email tleccc@gatheringinchrist.org. Please go to our website at www.gatheringinchrist.org for information about classes offered and registration/tuition prices. Tobye Baeuchle

EDUCATION MINISTRY cont.

Vocation-God Serves Through Us: This is a new topical Bible Study that will begins today during the Education Hour on Sunday mornings. Denise Sprengeler will be teaching this class in the East Room. Vocation includes more than just one's occupation. How can I live a Christian life in a secular workplace? Is my job God pleasing? How can I balance my calling as a Christian with my calling as a citizen of this community? Join us for discussion & learning together. Bring your Bible & Small Catechism.

COMMUNITY NEWS

"Saints Alive After 55" - "Me and My House" The 22nd gathering of "Saints Alive After 55" will be July 25, 26, & 27, 2010 at the Spiritual Life Center, 7100 East 45th St. North, Wichita, KS. The itinerary & registration forms are on the Community Bulletin Board outside the Fellowship Hall. The deadline for Registration is **July 9, 2010.**

THIS WEEK

Elder	(5:30) Larry Dedeke, Ron Garner (8:00) Doug Roth, Tom Sedlock, Ron Romig, Bill Stuckwisch, Lee McGuire, Andy Dedeke (9:30) Kent Hamilton, Jeff Bachtel, John Lange, Barry McLeod, Scott Schimke (10:45) Dave Goebel, Keith Melick, Bruce Nelson, Jimmy White
Greeters	(8:00) Patricia Klima (9:30) Rose Mayes (10:45) Sandra Ramsey
Lay Readers	(8:00) Chuck Elliott (10:45) Laura Gray
Organists	(5:30) Marsha Denney (8:00) Marsha Denney (9:30) Marsha Denney (10:45) Gina Garner
Praise Team	(Keyboard) Marsha Denney (Vocalists) Lorraine Cott, Sue Wolfe, Jack Ericson, Nadine Roth, Jean Romig, Phyllis Smith
Ushers	(8:00) Chuck Elliott, Steve & Bob Summers (9:30) Barry & Lou McLeod (10:45) Chris Endriss, Jean Fluevog

The Lutheran Hour can be heard on the radio Sunday mornings: KCMO (Kansas City) 710 8 AM; KFEQ (St. Joseph MO) 680 8:30 AM; WIBW (Topeka) 580 7:30 AM.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LOCATIONS

ADULT CLASSES
(9:30 AM)

Lectionary Bible Study John Davito (ERS)
Vocation-God serves Through UsDenise Sprengeler (ERN)

YOUTH CLASSES
(9:30 AM)

Grades 7 & 8Keith Melick (Jr. High classroom)
Sr. High.....John Gray (YR)

CHILDREN'S CLASSES
(9:30 AM)

Pre KindergartenBrandy Hamilton & Diane Hammell (Blue Classroom)
Kdg./Grade 1Jimmy White (Green)
Grade 2Suzanne Nelson (Teal)
Grade 3Christine Bachtel (Purple)
Grade 4Richard & Melissa Barrette (Orange)
Grades 5 & 6Andy Dedeke (Yellow)

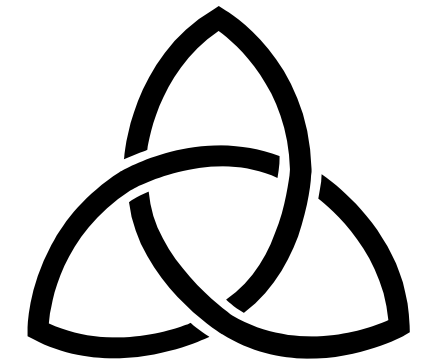
Key to locations can be found at the bottom Of the "Please Join Us This Week" column.

HOW WE RESPONDED June 27

Total Receipts	\$22,902.94
Average Weekly 2010 Work Program Expenses	\$23,153.98
Total Income 2010 YTD	\$597,428.25
Total Expenses 2010 YTD (Difference between income and expenses will vary depending upon when expenses are received).	\$567,925.23
District Synod Support Sent YTD	\$17,300.02
Synod Commitment 2010	\$34,600.00
Sunday School/Bible Class	Leavenworth 65 Basehor 25/13
Worship Attendance	Leavenworth 5:30 PM 43 8:00 AM 59 9:30 AM 75 10:45 AM 94 Basehor 8:00 AM 20 10:30 AM 70
Total attendance	361

* numbers not reported

Trinity Lutheran Church



Welcome!

If you are visiting today, we are delighted that you have chosen to worship with us. Our hope is that you will hear the Word of the Lord Jesus Christ as we worship together and experience His grace in our fellowship.

Trinity's Mission:

To gather people to build relationships in Christ.

July 4, 2010

INFORMATION FOR OUR GUESTS

NURSERY TALES....Parents of small children, do you need a moment of peace in worship? Child care is provided for children ages birth to 5 years at all services on Sunday mornings.

"**BUSY BAGS**" are available in the narthex for young children while ushers have the children's bulletins.

CHANGING TABLES are located in the nursery and the handicap restrooms. Ushers or greeters can direct you to the nearest location.

Whether guest or member, please sign the **ATTENDANCE CARD** at the back of each pew and place it in the offering plate.

If you are attending **HOLY COMMUNION** today please read through the ivory insert card in the hymnal to review our teaching concerning the Lord's Supper. If you have questions, please speak with our pastor or one of our elders.

Children ages 2 through 5 are invited to **CHILDREN'S CHURCH** during each Sunday worship service. Children go to the Fellowship Hall before the sermon for Children's Church, then return after the sermon.

LARGE PRINT trifolds, hymnals and Bibles are available from our ushers.

GETTING TO KNOW YOU

Our Welcome Center is open in an effort to help our guests feel welcomed and informed, and for our regular members to keep updated on activities here at Trinity. Look for us in the narthex.

Desire a hospital call? If you are entering a hospital, please contact the church office. We would like to have the opportunity to minister to you. Due to changes in privacy policy in area hospitals, the church often will not know you are in the hospital.

Everyone is welcome to participate in the life of our parish. If you would like to become a member of Trinity, mark the appropriate box on the worship attendance card, or speak with Pastor Snyder.

HOW TO REACH US

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PLEASE JOIN US THIS WEEK

Sunday, July 4

8:00 AMTraditional Worship/Holy Communion (S)
 9:30 AMCelebrative Praise (S)
 9:30 AMSunday School/Adult Bible Class
 10:45 AMTraditional Worship (S)

Monday, July 5

Office Closed

5:45 PMExercise (ER)
 7:00 PMSprenegeler Small Group
 7:00 PMOperations Committee (ER)

Tuesday, July 6

(Trinity House Open 10:00 AM-1PM)

9:45 AMWomen's Bible Study (ER)
 7:00 PMCampus Coordinating Committee (ER)

Wednesday, July 7

(Trinity House Open 10:00 AM-1PM)

11:00 AMBible Study (ER)
 5:45 PMExercise (ER)

Thursday, July 8

(Trinity House Open 10:00 AM-1PM)

6:00 AMMen's Fellowship (IHOP)
 5:45 PMExercise (ER)

Friday July 9

Saturday July 10

5:30 PMWorship (S)

*BC = Blue Classroom (downstairs); ER = East Room;
 ERN = East Room North Side; ERS = East Room South Side;
 FHS = Fellowship Hall stage area; GC = Green Classroom (downstairs); L = Loft; N = Narthex; NS = Nursery; OC = Office Complex; OC = Orange Classroom (downstairs); PC = Purple Classroom (downstairs); PL = Parking Lot; S = Sanctuary;
 SCO = South Campus Office; YR = Youth Room (downstairs);
 YC = Yellow Classroom (downstairs); PP= Pullman Place Restaurant; IH= International House of Pancakes at the Legends
 PO=Pastor Office*

*Articles for our weekly bulletin are due by noon on Wednesdays.
 Articles for the Trinity Times are due by the 15th of each month.*

WELCOME

We appreciate our guests who worshiped with us these past weeks. We ask guests and members to sign the attendance cards and place them in the offering plate during the offering.

STEWARDSHIP MINISTRY

July 4th - 6th Sunday after Pentecost

Galatians 6:1-10; 14-18: God's stewards seek to use every opportunity to do good to others, especially for fellow Christians. By our words and actions we show that we really are the children of God who delight in doing the right things for the right reasons. How sweet life is when we and others live in such selfless ways!

FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by J.D. & Judy Cain in celebration of their 26th year wedding anniversary on June 30.

THANK YOU

Thank you very much to everyone who worked to make the Summer Community Choral Festival last Sunday a success. It's always fun to sing with other area choirs and we are blessed and energized by Dr. John Leavitt and his many talents. A special thank you to our pianist, Mrs. Gina Garner, for her hard work and dedication to the Senior Choir. Also thank you to the Board of Worship, Senior Choir, and many members of the congregation for their help with publicity, equipment setup and cleanup, ushering, and the reception. It was a great afternoon! Jean Romig

CORPORATE NEWS

Lay Leadership-Trinity operates with a shared lay leadership plan, with a small team of corporate officers managing both campuses, along with coordinating committees (campus leadership) and functional boards at the North and South Campuses operating the ministries at their campus respectively. From now until mid-August we will be seeking out members to serve as board chairs, we will be asking Elders if they will continue their service, and we will be praying to discern candidates for a new parish President and 2 Vice Presidents.

If you are asked to serve on the nominating committee, please prayerfully consider it. With the Lords' guidance, you actively help determine Trinity's leadership. Likewise, if you are asked to serve as a parish lay leader, please prayerfully consider serving Him. ~ His Peace be with you, John Perkowski
 Chair, Nominating Committee

WOMENS MINISTRY

LWML RUMMAGE SALE

Start collecting your treasures for the annual LWML Rummage Sale. This year the LWML Rummage Sale will be August 5th from 4 pm—6 pm (Sneak Preview), August 6th from 8 am to 4 pm and August 7th from 8 am to noon.

LWML Hope Circle - COME AND SEE US!!!!!!

LWML Hope Circle meets the 2nd Monday of each month at 7 pm in the East Room. All ladies are welcome to attend each month, and we would love to have anyone interested in LWML join us. We have a devotion, collect our Mite offerings, have a short business meeting and study God's Word in a Bible study. We also have refreshments each month and enjoy great fellowship with each other. Our next meeting is July 12th and Lea Crim and Georgia Tisdell will be the hostesses. Lorraine Cott will give the opening devotion and Denise Sprengeler will lead our Bible Study that evening. Please join us for a wonderful evening!

Lutheran World Relief (LWR) Health Kits

This year LWML Hope Circle is collecting items through Sept. 26th to put together Health Kits to donate to LWR. We would really appreciate the congregation's help again this year. The following items are needed for these kits:

- ◆ One hand towel, darker color
- ◆ One washcloth, darker color
- ◆ One adult-size toothbrush in original packaging
- ◆ One sturdy comb
- ◆ One metal nail file or nail clippers with file attached
- ◆ One bath-size bar soap in original wrapping
- ◆ Six Band-Aids (1/2" to 3/4")

There will be a collection box in the Narthex. Thanks for your support!!