



Happy FALL, Y'all!

September 2021

Pastor Bergelin's Message

Dear Christian
Friends,

It is with much emotion and thought that I write my final "Newsletter Article," as the Pastor of Trinity, Howards Grove. It seems almost impossible to me that 42 years have gone by since I first drove into the church driveway at the end of May, in 1979. None of us knew each other. In fact, I can boast about being at Trinity longer today than close to 85% of our membership. And yet it was the Lord's will that we would all get to know each other, serve the Lord in this place, and grow together in true Christ-centered love for each other. The Lord has allowed me to be a part of your lives at some of the most signifi-

cant times. There were many happy events where I could share in your joy. The birth and Baptism of your children, Your marriage and in a number of cases the marriage of your children. There were confirmations that I was able to be a part of, and you invited me to celebrations in your family of all types, from birthdays, to anniversaries, to retirements, and beyond. I am grateful for being included in being a part of them all. The love you have shown me is beyond words. There are a number of families here at Trinity where I have known five generations of family members. The Lord is so good to me. Of course not everything over the years has been joy-

ful. The Lord has also allowed me to be with you in some of the most difficult times of life. Family problems, sickness, hospitalizations, terminal illness, and death. Literally hundreds of each of these events have taken place over these years. Happy or sad, together we knew it was the Lord who gave us joy in the good days and comfort and strength and hope in the hard days. Here are the facts. I am simply a farm boy from Hilbert, Wisconsin. For some reason God in His mercy allowed me to be a pastor for 45 years, and on top of that granted me 42 of them to be spent with you. I couldn't imagine being any place finer. There is no doubt in my mind that the Lord has given me the opportunity to serve Him at the finest congregation in the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod. First to the Lord and then to

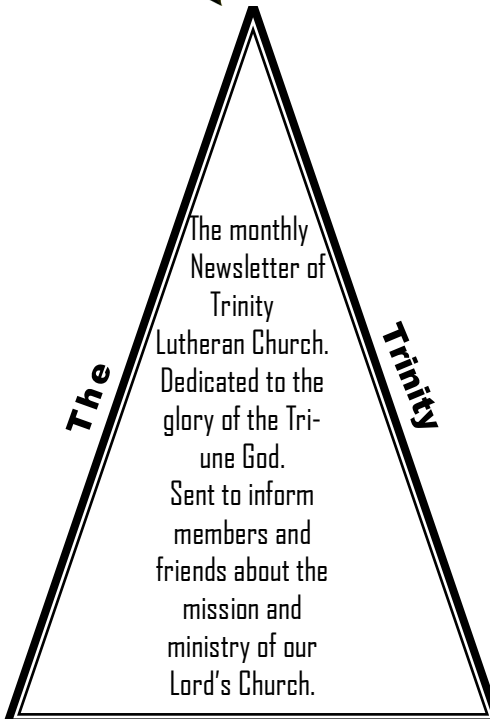
each one of you I am eternally grateful.

Of all things, this I know, when you have your Lord you have everything you need. He was here leading Trinity long before any of us were here and He will be here leading Trinity long after we are all gone. TO GOD ALONE BE ALL THE GLORY FOR THE YEARS WE HAVE SPENT TOGETHER. I simply want to conclude this article with one of my all time favorite Bible Passages. It has brought me comfort an untold number of times. "BE STRONG AND COURAGEOUS, DO NOT BE AFRAID....FOR THE LORD YOUR GOD GOES WITH YOU, HE WILL NEVER LEAVE YOU OR FORSAKE YOU." Deuteronomy 3:6 May the Lord Bless and Keep each one of you in His care,

Pastor Darrel
Bergelin



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The monthly
Newsletter of
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Dedicated to the
glory of the Tri-
une God.
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Lord's Church.

The

Trinity

Triangle

Flower Sponsors

The altar flowers on September 28th are sponsored by Dale and Linda Hopf in honor of their 43rd wedding anniversary. God's richest blessings to you Dale and Linda. Happy Anniversary!

The tall pedestal flowers are sponsored by Grandpa and Grandma Schorer in honor of Joshua Schorer's birthday. Happy birthday Josh!. To God be the glory.

The low pedestal flowers are sponsored by Dan and Connie Bitter in honor of their grandson Reed's 7th birthday. Happy birthday Reed!. God's blessings to you.



2nd. Tim and Donna Wolf (49)
4th. Kevin and Tonia Kolb (22)
4th. Jack and Carol Schroeder (67)
5th. Justin and Laura Koenig (23)
5th. Dale and Diane Nesse (57)
7th. Kari and Timothy LaPean (8)
8th. Justin and Beth Hopf (9)
14th. Bob and Nicole Peter (19)

19th. Renee and Elizabeth Landwehr (51)
22nd. Linda and Michael Senkbeil (42)
23rd. Paul and Dorene Koehn (60)
24th. Dale and Rita Milbrath (35)
26th. Donald and Susan Plier (34)
27th. Brittany and Martin Buckner (7)
27th. David and Karrie Jo Richter (24)
27th. Michael and Kathy Susen (41)
30th. Dale and Linda Hopf (43)



Fall worship times begin on Sunday, September 12. Worship times are: 8:00 & 10:30am. Bible Class and Sunday school are at 10:15am.



We welcome our Vacancy Pastor. Rev. Robert Steele. Rev. Steele is from Bethany Lutheran Church in Kohler. If you need Pastoral care, please call him at 920 918-9915.

We welcome Rev. Adam Barkley who will be teaching confirmation. Rev. Barkley is from Luther Memorial in Sheboygan. We thank both Pastor Steele and Pastor Barkley. To God be the glory.

September

BIRTHDAYS

Sep 2
Darren Horness
Sep 4
Austin Stelter
Sep 6
Jessica Allen
Nathaniel Ardell
Roberta Scharinger
Sep 7
Bryce Peter
Sep 8
Bryan Becker
Sep 10
Logan Cote
Sep 11
Carter Hopf
Katlyn Yinko
Sep 12
Nathan Cassity
Sep 14
Aaron Kuhlrow
Danielle Lindekugel
John Pelnar
Sep 15
Joshua Henschel
Sep 16
Kathleen Schmid
Harper Stephens
Sep 17
Larry Bender
Alice Perronne
Sep 19
Dale Neese
Sep 20
Blair Baumgartner
Madelyn Koenig
Sep 21
Kristen Bauknecht
Timothy Gessler
Joshua Schlegel
Sep 22
Cindy Hansmann
Sep 23
Dana Reinemann
Sierra Schobert
Nathaniel Wise
Sep 25
Wally Born
Sep 26
Eric Luecke
Sep 27
Ben Englebert
Dawn Hopf
Nicole Peter
Sep 28
Ava Grunewald
Justin Bertram
Phyllis Landry
Joshua Schorer
Sep 30
Janice Liefing
Caylee Winter

Elder's Corner

Elders Corner for September 2021

Change. Who really is good with major changes, especially the older we get. We get set in our ways.

September for our church has a major change coming, as our faithful Pastor has retired. One thing I try to remember as we all wonder, who will be our Pastor, how will we do this and that? Remember, the Lord already knows all the answers to our concerns. He knows exactly what is going to happen here at Trinity as well as in our lives. I find that so comforting. Yes, things will be different for a while but, The Lord has always been faithful to our church and will continue to do so.

Romans 8:28 says... *And we know that God works all things together for the good of those who love Him, who are called according to His purpose.*

Philippians 4:19 says ...*And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus.*

Matthew 6:26 says... *Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they?*

Philippian 4:6-7 says....⁶ Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. ⁷ And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Fall activities and fall worship times will begin soon, the weather will be changing, kids will be going back to school, graduates to college or the workforce, We all know each and every September all these things happen which means changes in our already busy schedules. **Remember your Lord first and foremost in your busy schedule.**

Never be too busy for our Lord. With all the changes in our life each and every day, isn't nice to know **Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. He never changes.**

The Lord has been so good to us. He has given us our Pastor for 42 years. He has been a blessing in all of our lives. He has faithfully preached God's Word in truth and purity. As we look for a new Pastor. Pray the Lord will give us patience, and strength, wisdom and guidance. Let us all remember through this change He is with us.

Dear Lord, Thank you from the bottom of our hearts, for Pastor Bergelin. Please be with him as he begins his new journey. Bless him with continued happiness, good health and as you promised, new mercies every morning. To God be the glory. In Jesus name, Amen.

Traveling Bulletins

Linda Senkbeil

Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer,
Sheboygan Falls

Susie Sixel

St. Paul Lutheran Church, Sheboygan
Falls

Gloria Hopf

St. John Lutheran Church, Plymouth.

Dale Hopf

St. John Lutheran Church, Plymouth.

Peter and Kathy Franz

Our Saviors Way, Ashburn, VA

Christian Women's resumes Monday, September 13th at 6:30pm.
We would love more members to join. If you are interested, you may attend a meeting or call the church office for more information.

Prayer Calendar

Submitted by Members of CWF.

1. Pray for Pastor Bergelin as he begins his retirement.
2. Praise and thank God for your many blessings.
3. Pray for the sick and the shut ins.
4. Pray for our Vacancy Pastor, Pastor Steele.
5. Pray for Pastor Scheblein as he leads our worship service.
6. Pray for our Missionaries all over the world.
7. Read the 23rd Psalm.
8. Read John 3:16
9. Pray for our Shut-ins.
10. Pray for all ill Members of our church and their families.
11. Pray for our Military.
12. Pray for Pastor Zick as he leads our worship services today.
13. Thank the Lord for our Organists and Pianists.
14. Prayer of thanks for the good harvest of the fields and gardens.
15. Pray for Pastor Barkley and our Confirmation Students.
16. Pray for Sheboygan Hispanic Ministry.
17. Pray the Lord guide your ways.
18. Pray for Medical Staff.
19. Pray for Pastor Blas as he leads our worship services today.
20. Pray for preschool and our preschool teacher.
21. Pray for our Elders and Council.
22. Praise the Lord today for all your blessings.
23. Pray for strength to overcome temptations.
24. Pray God will provide for our daily needs.
25. Pray for all Teachers as they teach our children.
26. Read Deuteronomy 3:6
27. Pray for confirmation classes.
28. Pray for people traveling.
29. Pray for Pastor Barkely and our Confirmation Students.
30. Pray for our Call Committee.

CHRISTIAN FUNERAL

A Christian Funeral was held on Saturday, August 7, 2021 for Donna Bramstedt. Pastor Bergelin officiated. May God send his strength and comfort to the Bramstedt Family.

WEDDING

Mariah Horn and Travis Grunewald were united in marriage on Saturday, August 14, 2021. May the Lord shower his blessings upon their marriage.

BAPTISMS

Emerson Fitzgerald Stange was baptized here on Friday, August 20th. Emerson's parent's are Cody Stange and Stephanie Stoltzmann. His sponsors are Adam Stange, Alexa Butler, Matthew Stoltzmann. Emerson was born on April 29, 2021. Pastor Bergelin officiated.

Elleona Marie Kluss was baptized here on Saturday, August 21st. Elleona's parent's are Victoria Stelter and Joseph Kluss. Her sponsors are Katie Stelter and Jake Schurr. Elleona was born on March 12, 2020. Pastor Bergelin officiated.

FANTASY FOOTBALL

Fantasy Football has begun. If you have a team, please make sure you play every week and watch for your injured players to replace and your players on byes. If you don't play it can make a huge difference in the standings for the other teams.



Preschool began September 1st , and we are very busy. We have 5 girls and 5 boys. We are blessed to have Julianna Kuzulka as our helper this year. She has been our substitute teacher the past several years. If she needs to sub, then Jenny Cassity will be our helper. We are learning about how God created the world. We had our first Chapel session with Pastor Steele. The weather has been great, so we are enjoying our time outside on our playground.



The Preschool kids having fun Outside and putting puzzles together.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Pre-school 8:30am	2 Preschool 8:30am 5-6:30pm Family Worship with Holy Communion	3	4
5- 9:30am Family Worship with Holy Communion	6 Labor Day	7 Preschool 8:30am	8 Pre-school 8:30am	9 Preschool 8:30am	10	11
12- 8:00 & 10:30am Family Worship	13 6:30pm CWF	14 Preschool 8:30am	15 Pre-school 8:30am Confirmation 6/7 Grade 4- 4:55pm 8th grade 5-6pm	16 Preschool 8:30am	17	18
19- 8 & 10:30am Family Worship with Holy Communion	20 Preschool 8:30am	21 Preschool 8:30am Education Meeting 6:00pm Elders Meeting 6:30pm Council meeting 7:30pm	22 Pre-school 8:30am Autumn Begins	23 Preschool 8:30am	24	25
26 8:00 & 10:30am Family Worship	30 Preschool 8:30am					

Acolytes	September 2 September 5 September 12 –8am September 12—10:30am September 19—8am September 19—10:30am September 26—8am September 26—10:30am	Mykenna Weigert Sam Parnitzke, Jameson Schmidt Allison Schobert Annika Liermann Jameson Schmidt Joseph Senkbeil Evan Erdmann Annika Liermann
Altar Guild	Sept. 1-12 September 19-26	Janice Lieftring, Kathy Shircel Donna Wolf, Viki Grunewald
September Ushers September Elders		6:30pm—Team 3 9:30am Team 6 6:30pm—Aaron Kuhlow 9:30am—Jim Post
Video Operators	September 5 September 12 September 19 September 26	Mark Scott Craig Jim