TRINITY TIDINGS~

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"Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms" 1 Peter 4:10

"PRAY, PRAY, PRAY"

Luke 10:2 And [Jesus] said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."

We have been praying for a new pastor for quite some time now. We repeat the prayer every weekend at our Saturday and Sunday services as a reminder that Trinity is looking for a new pastor. And yes, there are few workers and a harvest of plenty. We need to keep praying and praying and praying. God listens to our prayers, and He answers them. And in this He is preparing our congregation for our next pastor.

As we head into the relaxed time of the church year for Trinity Lutheran Church, School, and Early Learning Academy, I call it that because our school is out of session until August. This year they will have some summer tutoring by the teachers and our Principal Dr. Ibarra. Even so there still areas in our church and school that are in need of our prayers.

Here are a few of them:

- The Early Learning Academy needs teachers so that the number of children can be increased since there are children on the waiting list. We are restricted on the number of children per teacher. We have had some good responses to this prayer.
- We have a paid position for a person to be here during the time that our facilities are being rented out. (Facility Manager) At this moment no one is stepping up.
- There are a few positions on our Boards that are not filled:
 - o Vice President of the Congregation.
 - o Chairman of the Board of Evangelism.
 - o Chairman of the Board of Education.
- And as stated above a new pastor to serve you and equip you for the future.

JUNE/JULY 2025

In 1 Thessalonians 5:17 Paul reminds us to "*Pray without ceasing."*

I encourage you to pray every day for the needs of Trinity. Keep in mind that you need several laborers because the harvest is plentiful. Keep in mind that God has honored you with the gift of joining with Him to bring the Gospel message to our entire family of His Church and School and to the communities of Pueblo. I encourage you to prayerfully consider if Jesus is calling you to fill one of these laborer positions.

Our God will answer our prayers for the benefit of His church. The Lord bless your prayer throughout June and July and always.

In His Service,



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PLEASE NOTE: In the event of an emergency, and you cannot reach the church office, you may call Pastor Bob on his cell phone at 219-510-7288.

ADULT CONFIRMATION with Pastor Bob class church fellowship hall., continues each week at 10:40am. All are invited to join him studying the books of John, beginning with 1 John.

TUESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY meets each Tuesday evening at 6:30pm. "The Chosen" continues. All are invited to join us! For more information contact Jon Bush at ophiclide.tuba@gmail.com

JOIN US FOR WORSHIP

Saturday Evening 5:30pm Sunday Morning 9:00am

A time of fellowship follows each service

NEWS ABOUT OUR PEOPLE

Our prayers have been with the following members and friends who have been ill and/or hospitalized: Lorna Romero, Debby Daberkow, Isaiah Abraham and Mr. Abraham (Trinity's 4th & 5th grade teacher), Quincey Haebele, Donna and Glen Weisser, Kris Bruun, Dean Huth, Alice LaRose, Henrietta Voss, David & Connie Boden, Norma Larson, Linda Fenwick, Faralynn Koncilia, Shirleen Pape, Mindy, Roxann, Brad Ritter, Amy Coulson, Connie Elson, Cathy, Rich Graves, Jacob Freeman, Cindy Schmidt, Rose Sears, Rick & Anita Lawrenz, Marcie Wright, Victor Voss, Melanie Trujillo, Joyce Michelli, Lucille Cochran, Adella Schmidt, Sophia DeSalvo, Shirley Ranus. May God continue to strengthen and heal them.

Let us lift up in joy and thanksgiving to God our Heavenly Father all the families and children in Trinity Lutheran Church, School, and ELA.

Let us pray without ceasing...1 Thess. 3:16



\sim JUNE BIRTHDAYS \sim

1-Noah Halfacre 3-Andrew Cicerello II 7-Sherry Speier 8-Annaleigh Klopp 9-Nathanael Bolt 12-Leah Ahlin -Pastor Bob Hauter 15-Kelsey Marcum 17-Lisa Vannoy 18-Lorrie Mayes 19 Andrew Ranus 22-Evelyn Daberkow Sue Pavelski

~JULY BIRTHDAYS~

2-Dr. Scott Harberts
3-Jane Wolf
5-Andrew Trask
6-Elaine Klopp
7-Bill Giebel
-Eleanor Mayes
8-Adam Klopp
10-Susan Daberkow
-Adam Hesslegrave

12-Jon Bush

Lorna Romero

13-Lucky Schneberger
20-Catherine Coffey
21-Tom Gaide
22-Michelle Brunner
25-Joan Quintana
26- Alicia Montiel
30-Janelle Sheppard



GOD'S BLESSINGS TO YOU!

June 14 Carl & Terri Beeman (39) June 16 Kris & Carrie Fetty (31) June 28 Pastor Gregg & Sue Pavelski (51)

JULY ANNIVERSARYS

July 9 Dr. Scott & Mia Harberts (20) July 16 Gary & Carole Kasza (59) July 24 Mikey & Samantha Gibson (4) July 24 Dean & Terra Gray (26) July 24 John & Shelley Aggson (28)

CONGRATULATIONS AND GOD'S BLESSINGS AS YOU CONTINUE YOUR WALK WITH THE LORD!



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GRADUATION CONGRATULATIONS!

Adriane Walmer-Miller Central High School
 Matthew Avis High School in Iowa
 Brooke Brey Fort Jacks Basic Training
 Continues to Fort Greg Adams for culinary training
 2 Lt. Alliah Raine Bourne USAF Academy
 Continues to Fort Novosel for helicopter pilot training

Trinity Kindergarten Graduating Class of 2025

Brooklyn Abraham***Daxton Casias Audrey Chukwuma***Camden Gaskell Yaneli Gutierrrez***Noah Hunter Jordan Ibarra***Cecilia Lucero Barrett Marion*** Augustus Meisner Adalyn VanManen***Eliyanah Wendorf

Go with God as your journey continues!



TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL &

JUNE ANNIVERSARYS

EARLY LEARNING ACADEMY

"Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it." ~Proverbs 22:6

The Last Week of School May 27th-30th was very busy for Trinity.

Monday May 26th-- Memorial Day---No School.

Tuesday May 27th—*Bike to the Park*. The children participated in fun field day activities and a picnic. (Early dismissal too!).

Wednesday May 28th—Final chapel for the school year and <u>**Clean the School**</u>: desks, lockers, and classroom.

Thursday May 29th—**Epic Fun Day** at Epic Entertainment.

Friday May 30th—**Awards and Graduation** Ceremony began at 10:00 for all classes.

CAPTAINS MEETING, May 1, 2025

Next year the classes will be individual grades. The 2^{nd} and 4^{th} grade teachers have been hired.

Summer Trinity Student Volunteer Opportunity beginning May29th –June 23rd is making lap blankets for the Rocky Mountain Cancer Center. Blanket supplies will be distributed at the Epic Fun Day. These are NO sew blankets with easy instructions. Make the blankets at home at your pace and then return them to Trinity school office by June 23rd.

This project is dedicated to Mrs. Debby Daberkow, as she has dedicated 38 years to Trinity school, and is now battling cancer. Keep Mrs. Daberkow and her family in your prayers during her journey and treatment.

By the grace of God, Trinity School and Early Learning Academy continue to thrive! As we approach the final month of the 2024-2025 school year, we are both amazed and grateful for all that the Lord has done. Our students have been learning, growing, and flourishing, and we are committed to finishing this school year strong while preparing for what's ahead.

Trinity is offering summer school on Tuesday and Thursday beginning June 17th and ending July 31st. It is for current students and any others that might be interested in K-8th grade. The cost is \$20 an hour for non-Trinity students and \$10 an hour for current students.

We are excited to share that enrollment for the upcoming school year has nearly doubled! Praise God! Your faithful prayers and support have made such an impact. Please continue to pray for us as we prepare for this season of growth---with more students comes a greater opportunity to share the love of Christ and equip young minds for God's glory.

UPCOMING EVENTS & ANNOUNCMENTS

News from our Trinity Early Learning Academy!

May has been filled with all the busy-ness that one would expect with the end of our academic year fast approaching and the beginning of summer right on its heels. We will hold our UPK Completion Celebration on the 29th of the month for those students who are departing for the world of Kindergarten in the "BIG School"! We are praising God that we expect more than half of our Pre-K kiddos to be staying on to begin Kindergarten here at Trinity.

Our Summer Camp Program will begin on June 9th and will find us enjoying the sunshine with lots of exciting walks and some special guests and enrichments that are in the works.



The Fiesta Dinner and Auction had a wonderful turnout; the silent auction and live auction was able to raise \$3277 for the school building fund. Thank you to everyone who helped, especially Athena Garcia who collected many donations from many businesses to make the baskets for the silent auction. AND thank you to everyone who came to support the school and enjoy great food and fellowship. A great evening for all—adults and the children.

Fun Fact about the fiesta Dinner and Auction:

More than 50 people were involved in the making, set-up, and preparation of a successful Fiesta Dinner plus the people that participated in the fun, fellowship and food.

A HUGE THANK YOU to all the church members that have donated time, participation, energy and prayers to supporting Trinity School, the students, and teachers throughout the 2024-2025 school year. Your time and prayers were important and greatly appreciated by Trinity! Thank you to all!

CHURCH COUNCIL NEWS April 24, 2025

The meeting was called to order by President Tom Gaide to discuss the new salary schedule for 2025 – 2026 so teacher contracts can be completed. Members in attendance were Derion Ibarra, Janelle Sheppard, Emily Geibel, Tom Gaide, Jo Ann Russ, Evelyn Daberkow, and John Aggson.

Principal Derion Ibarra presented the 2025 - 2026 proposed salary schedule and student population numbers. We have received \$40,000 in grants this month and are waiting to hear from the El Pomar Foundation. Teachers have current licenses except for Mr. Abraham, who is working on his teaching certificate.

John Aggson stated he can start the process for the new roof any time. He also indicated that Mr. Schuster wants to put up signs identifying the parking spaces to be used by Concentura employees.

Tom Gaide is contacting the Lutheran Church Extension Fund to apply for a loan for the new roof.

A motion was made by Janelle Sheppard to approve the proposed teacher salary schedule as presented by Principal Ibarra. Evelyn Daberkow seconded the motion. The motion was approved. The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer. Respectfully Submitted,

Jo Ann Russ, Secretary



Monies for the *REPAIR THE ROOF* campaign are trickling in. To date Trinity has received \$11,200 towards the roof repair.

The estimate to complete the roof of God's house is nearly \$70,000. Please consider this opportunity to help the church if you are able. Make checks payable to **TRINITY ROOF REPAIR FUND**.

THOUGHTFUL THINKING

A father is someone who carries pictures in his wallet where his money used to be.

~Anonymous

To be of use in this world is the only way to be happy. ~Hans Christian Anderson People become really quite remarkable when they start thinking that they can do things. When they believe in themselves, they have the first secret of success. ~Norman Vincent Peale

I discovered I always have choices and sometimes it's only a choice of attitude.

~Abraham Lincoln.

If you think you are too small to be effective, you have never been in bed with a mosquito.

~Betty Reese

The glory of God is a human being fully alive. "Irenaeus, Bishop of Lyons, ca. 22 AD

PURPOSELY PRAYING:

Make a detailed and itemized list for praying. Be specific. Be purposeful. Be Bold. Be a warrior.

Please continue praying for Mrs. Daberkow as she continues her fight against cancer.

Summer break is beginning please pray for safety and a productive summer for all of our Trinity Families.

Building improvements to go smoothly, safely, and reach completion on schedule.

God leading us to our new pastor.

Thank you God being awesome and full of mercy, grace, and compassion for us.

Matthew 7:7-8..."Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.⁸ For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened.

