

Sunday's Sermon: "The Gospel for ALL People"

Voters' Assembly

Sunday, October 25th @ 10:45 am

Topic: Approval of 2027 Budget

There will be no post-worship adult Bible Study.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS ON NOVEMBER 1ST!





SIGN UP AT THE NARTHEX INFO CENTER TO JOIN THE FUN & HOST A TRUNK!!!

Stewardship Corner

John 8:36 – "So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed." Today we celebrate Reformation Day! Luther is rightly remembered as a champion of the Gospel — but he also called himself "the apostle of good works." For, only by being set free by the Gospel, can we do good works. Jesus has set us free: His blood covers our sins, and now we stand before God as His beloved children, invited to live our lives to His glory for the good of His kingdom.





BOXES OF CEREAL for COMMUNITY IMPACT WEEKEND

AS PART OF OUR "FUELING KIDS' FUTURES" PROJECT, WE ARE COLLECTING BOXES OF BREAKFAST CEREAL UNTIL MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2nd.

PLEASE PLACE BOXES IN OUR COLLECTION GROCERY CART IN THE NARTHEX HELP US REACH OUR GOAL OF 200-BOXES!



RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE at ST. TRINITY
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28th
APPOINTMENTS FROM NOON TO 6:00PM

RESERVE YOUR SPOT TO DONATE TODAY

www.RedCrossBlood.org
or call 1-800-733-2767
Sponsor Code: SaintTrinity
Church Zip Code: 48348

American Red Cross
Together, we can save a life

St. Trinity Mitten Tree

Donations accepted until Nov. 11th

The St. Trinity Mitten Tree is up in the Narthex. We are collecting children's/teens mittens, socks, hats & scarves. Please leave your donations at the tree in the narthex. Sponsored by the Clarkston Rotary; all items go to children in need within our local community.



QR Code for Electronic Giving to St. Trinity

Online giving is easy and secure. Scan this QR code for online giving to St. Trinity. You can make either a one time gift or recurring gifts.

Poinsettias

Again this year as part of our Christmas celebration, St. Trinity members will be able to furnish poinsettias for the purpose of decorating the sanctuary. Make sure you include a check with your order form (forms at Info. Center in Narthex) and write “Poinsettias” on the check that is made out to "St. Trinity Lutheran Church". You may bring your order to the church office or place it in the basket provided in the Narthex. ***Red plants, $11.25 per 6” pot, orders with payment are due November 18th.***







CRAFTING WORKSHOPS FOR HOLIDAY MARKET



TUESDAY EVENINGS
OCTOBER 27th,
NOVEMBER 3rd & 10th
BEGINNING AT 6:00pm
We will be assembling craft items ahead of our 2026 St. Trinity Train Display & Holiday Market.
Dinners will be provided
Hosted by Carol Trudelle & C.J. Hahn.
All ability level of crafters are welcome!

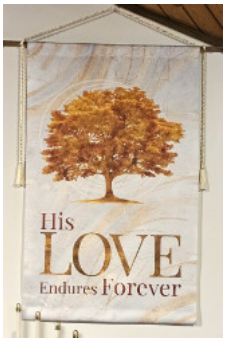
Please see Carol Trudelle or C.J. Hahn with any questions. (C.J. Hahn 248-332-9730)

We also welcome donations of already completed craft items & freshly-made baked goodies!

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHOM DONATED SUPPLIES. WE ARE SET FOR THIS YEAR!



Thank you to Richard & Marsha Karstensen for the wonderful new autumn-themed altar banners!





Would you like a ride to & from worship services or church events?

Can you provide someone rides for worship services or church events?

Please sign up at the Narthex info center



Saturday Mixed 55+ Pickleball will begin on November 7th from 8:00-11:00am in our gymnasium. No need to sign up, just bring your paddle and join the fun! Please see Fred Hohnstadt if you have any questions.



COMMUNITY IMPACT WEEKEND

St. Trinity Partners With Fueling Kids' Futures

Sunday, November 8 • 11:00 AM
St. Trinity Lutheran Church Gym

This Impact Weekend, we're helping provide weekend food bags for Clarkston students who may not have enough food at home. Donate or volunteer to support this organization.

VOLUNTEER

Sign up to help on Nov 8 after church!

We'll be packing 100+ bags of food. Each child volunteer will give out one food item to the adults who stop to collect them, adding the food to their bag. Together, we will pack 100+ bags for Clarkston students.

Come serve together, have fun, and show a little love to kids right here in our community. Lunch and t-shirts will be provided.



DONATE

Bring a box of cereal to St. Trinity!

We're collecting 200 boxes of cereal to add to the food provided by Fueling Kids' Futures.

Bring in your cereal by November 2.

Community Impact Team

Over 500 volunteers help with home repairs and yard cleanup and partner with local non-profit organizations to better the Clarkston community.

THE COMMUNITY IMPACT TEAM

Want to volunteer?

Part of Fall Community Impact Weekend, serving Clarkston area community.

Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child

Completed boxes must be turned in no later than Sunday, Nov. 15th. We will be delivering them to the local collection center after that.

Suggestions for filling the boxes include one "wow" item like a doll, stuffed animal, ball with pump, or toy truck; small toys; school supplies; non-liquid hygiene items like toothbrushes, combs, hair brushes; accessories like socks, T-shirts, hair clips; and a personal note and/or photo of you.

Please remember: NO food or candy, toothpaste, soap, liquids, gels, glue (solid glue sticks are allowed), aerosols, toys that resemble weapons, fragile items or used or broken items.

Postage is $10.00 per box. You may include cash or **checks payable to "Samaritan's Purse"** —on the memo line that the gift is for OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD. If you have several, you may place a check or cash for all shipping into one envelope.

Thank you in advance for your participation in reaching some of the world's neediest children and their families for Christ.

Please do not hesitate to contact Karen Smith at248-977-7002 or Pam Ferguson at 248-425-3434 with any questions you may have.

Samaritan's Purse OPERATION Christmas Child





INTRODUCING OUR NEW PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR

Hi! My name is Miss Paige, and I'm so excited to be the Director of St. Trinity Preschool! I have a bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education and 11-years of experience working with young children. I'm passionate about creating a warm, loving environment where children can learn, grow, and build a foundation in faith. I feel blessed to be part of the St. Trinity family and look forward to making wonderful memories with our children and families!

~ Paige Schlager

UPCOMING PRESCHOOL / PRESCHOOL-FRIENDLY EVENTS



Oct 29th:	Preschool Halloween Parade (begins at 9:15am)
Oct 29th:	Preschool Class Halloween Party (10:30-11:45am)
Oct 30th:	STELC Trunk or Treat (from 6:00-7:00pm)
Nov 8th:	STELC Impact Weekend Project (community service event)
Nov 19th:	Preschool Family Chapel
Nov 29-Dec 22nd:	Holiday Train Display, Holiday Market & Santa (Tues, Thurs & Sun)
Dec 6th:	Little Conductors Model Train Workshop (reservations to open soon!)

	SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES	
8:30-9:15am	OLD TESTAMENT BIBLE STUDY	FLC CLASSROOM
10:45-11:45am	CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL	FELLOWSHIP HALL
10:45-11:45am	GOSPEL OF JOHN BIBLE STUDY	FLC CLASSROOM
10:45-11:45am	SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY	L-ROOM



Weekday Bible Study Opportunities

* **Men's Bible Study** - 1st & 3rd Tuesday, 9:30am in the FLC Classroom
***Women's Bible Study** - 1st & 3rd Wednesday, 9:30am in the FLC Classroom

* A list of **weekday Bible Study Opportunities at sister LCMS churches** is available at the Narthex Information Center. Churches include: Good Shepherd in Lake Orion, Journey in Oxford, and Crown of Life in Rochester.



Sunday Ministry Assistants

AUDIO SCHEDULE

Oct 25	F. Irish
Nov 1	J. Yaeger
Nov 8	F. Irish
Nov 15	J. Yaeger

VIDEO SCHEDULE

Oct 25	R. Karstensen
Nov 1	J. Schorsch
Nov 8	J. Ashley
Nov 15	R. Karstensen

GREETERS

Oct 25	D./C.J. Hahn
Nov 1	D./C.J. Hahn
Nov 8	J./L. Thomas
Nov 15	D. Schneider

COFFEE SETUP

Oct.	R./C. Trudelle
Nov.	M./J. Spresney

DONUTS / BAGELS

Oct.	M./C. Schwartz
Nov.	R./C. Trudelle

LAY READERS

Oct 25	D. Dees
Nov 1	N. Ehlke
Nov 8	D. Dees
Nov 15	M. Ehlke
Nov 22	S. Pflieger
Nov 29	R. Trudelle

COUNTERS

Oct 25
A./J. Saunders
Ed Salter
Nov 1
Elaine Schultz
Margaret Miller
Jason/Julie Schultz

ALTAR CIRCLE

Oct. R./C. Trudelle
Carole Milton
Nov. Sharon Barrie
Judy Spresney



ELDER ON DUTY

Oct 25	Dave Hahn
Oct 28	Bob Altman
Nov 1	Dave Hahn
Nov 4	Bob Altman
Nov 8	Aaron Meyer
Nov 11	Mark Drennan
Nov 15	Mark Drennan
Nov 18	Aaron Meyer

2026 SATURDAY MOWING SCHEDULE

Oct. 24	F. Hohnstadt / K. Schroeder / M.Drennan
Oct. 31	A. Saunders / D. Hahn / F. Irish

ROAD SIGN

OCT.	**NOV.**
James Thomas	Joseph Ashley



October 25
Stella Shepherd, Capt.
Amy Costello
Kirk Costello
Jeff Feldmeyer

November 1
Rich Karstensen, Capt.
Paul Orler
Joseph Ashley
Kurt Schroeder

November 8
Fred Hohnstadt, Capt.
John Ehlke
Richard Meyer
Tim Hunt



The deadline for Trinity Times submissions is 12:00pm on Tuesday, for the upcoming Sunday's edition. Please send all items/information to Mary at OFFICE2@SaintTrinityLutheran.com THANK YOU!!