

June 2021

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Altar Guild: Jon & Mindy Burt
Stewardship: Sharilyn Buryanek



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
EVERY SUNDAY: 9:15 am Bible Class 10:30 am Worship Communion on 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays Website: www.trinityhawarden.com Facebook: Trinity Lutheran Church Hawarden		1	2	3	4	5
		[-----Pastor Lowe and family on vacation this week-----]				
			No Bible Study			6 pm Worship *
6 See Every Sunday Usher Team: Bill Buryanek Acolytes: Tristen Camera: Katrina Burt A/V: Dan Tentinger Accompanist: Peggy Christensen	7	8	9 9:30-11am Social Club 7 pm Bible Study 8 pm Youth Bible Study	10	11	12 6 pm Worship
13 See Every Sunday 8:30 am Elders Meeting 11:30 am VBS Volunteers Usher Team: Dave Aldrich Acolytes: Addison Camera: Dakota Allen A/V: Derek Allen Accompanist: Peggy Christensen	14	15	16 7 pm Bible Study 8 pm Youth Bible Study	17	18	19 6 pm Worship *
20 No Bible Class today See Every Sunday Usher Team: Denny Peters Acolytes: Jessen Camera: Katrina Burt A/V: Tom Murren Accompanist: Sharon Wakeman	21	22	23	24	25	26
	[-----VBS-----Monday-Friday-----6 pm-7:30 pm-----VBS-----]					
			No Bible Study			6 pm Worship
27 No Bible Class today See Every Sunday 11:30 am Planning Committee Usher Team: JP Breugem Acolytes: Karlee Camera: Derek Allen A/V: Mary Ortner Accompanist: Tracy DeBruin	28 7 pm LWML	29	30 7 pm Bible Study 8 pm Youth Bible Study			



Trinity's website has had a refreshing facelift! You can still view/download the most recent bulletin, newsletter and sermon. There are links to Trinity's monthly calendar, Facebook page and to online giving. Check us out! www.trinityhawarden.com

THE CHRISTIAN FAITH INCLUDES BOTH BELIEVING AND DOING.

"So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead" (James 2:17)

Faith
in GOD
changes
everything

LWML

Monday, May 17, 2021 • 7pm

Pastor led a Bible Study from Philippians 3:12 - 4:1.

Jeanette gave the devotion entitled "God Can't".

Roll call and minutes were read and approved. There were 9 members present.

Treasurer's report shows a balance on hand of \$838.20.

Old business: Spring Rally that we hosted went well.

(Dues of \$15 per year from each member covers expenses and zone obligations. The offering taken each month is for our mission projects.)

New business: Discussion on which project to give mission money. It was motioned by Lycia and seconded by Audree to send \$200 to Pastor Flo at Siouxland Hispanic Ministries, \$300 to Mission Central for the Naumann's in the Dominican Republic, and \$200 to St Louis Seminary for a seminary student. (Jacob Barber)

Discussed inviting St Paul's Ireton LWML to join us. Pastor Lowe will contact Pastor Boothby.

Moved our LWML meeting for June to Monday, June 28 at 7 pm, to avoid conflict with VBS week.

May project is for Lutheran Prison Ministries.

We thank Carol and Karen for serving tonight. Kay and Ruth serve in June.

We said the Pledge and prayers.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Lycia Anderson

Help for the Homeless

LWML is collecting items to send to homeless shelters/homeless through the LCMS "IOWAY" program. A box has been placed in the narthex for donations. Needed items are:

1. Hotel soaps, shampoos, conditioners, lotions
2. Hats, scarves, gloves, mittens (can be mismatched)
3. Pop tabs for Ronald McDonald House
4. Box Tops for Education
5. Used church materials, like Portals of Prayer

Thank you for helping collect these things!



Bible Study

Wednesdays at 7 pm : Finishing the book of Matthew.

Next: Denominations: Understanding how your Christian neighbor believes and thinks.
You can join us at any time!

Wednesdays at 8 pm : ***NEW!*** Youth Bible Study
Various topics youth face today.

Sundays at 9:15 am: ***NEW!*** Apologetics- explaining and defending the Faith.

**OUR THOUGHTS, WORDS AND
ACTIONS BECOME CHANNELS FOR
OUR HEAVENLY FATHER'S LOVE.**

"Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another" (1 John 4:11).



June at Trinity

Trinity Vacation Bible School

Mark your calendars for a trip to the rainforest with Jesus! VBS will be held June 21-25 from 6-7:30 pm.

Register at www.vbsmate.com/trinityhawarden or talk to

Kara Vander Hamm. VBS Volunteers meeting 11:30 am on Sunday, June 13.



Youth Group

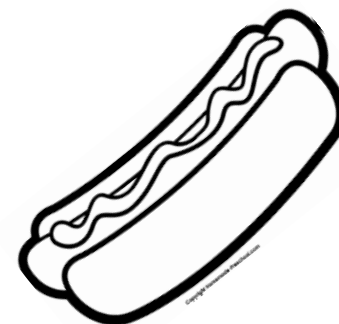
New Youth Group Bible Study- We will study various topics youth face today.

Wednesday Evenings at 8:00 beginning June 9.

Baseball Concession Stand

Trinity has signed up to serve in the West Sioux Baseball concession stand 6 evenings during the baseball season.

We need four people to work each night. Please considering volunteering to help youth programs and promote Trinity's involvement in the community. Talk to Jon Burt for times and to sign up or look for the sign-up sheet!



Hymn of the Month

LSB 507 "Holy, Holy, Holy" LSB 507 This hymn is written by Reginald Heber an Anglican pastor and later bishop in India

based on the text of the Nicene Creed. It is paired with the tune composed by John B. Dykes also an Anglican pastor from the 19th century. The tune name is Nicaea which corresponds to the content of the hymn. It's popular and people love to sing it.

“Main Street Living” and “This Is the Life” programming information for June, 2021

June 6

This is the Life – “Some People Need Help” – (1975) A crusty amputee from a Veteran’s hospital must learn that hurting others will not help him.

Worship Service – Rev. David Daumer of St. John’s Lutheran in Ireton, IA, and Faith Lutheran in Orange City, IA, delivers the message “D-Day” based on Genesis 3, Corinthians 4, and Mark 3.

June 13

This is the Life – “Jeremy” – This episode deals with the relationship between a mother and a mentally challenged son who lives at home.

Worship Service – Rev. David Doellinger of Trinity Lutheran Church in Marcus, IA, delivers the message “The Word of God is Planted and Grows to Give You Life” based on Mark 4:26-34.

June 20

This is the Life – “The Other Wiseman” – The story of Artaban, the Persian scholar, who sets out to meet his friends with three precious jewels as gifts for the newborn King.

Worship Service – Rev. Ricky Jacob of Jesus Our Savior Lutheran Church in Winnebago, NE, delivers the message “A Win-Win Situation” based on 1 Peter 5:6-11.

June 27

This is the Life – “Amazing Grace” – a man who has come from a poor beginning to a rich and full life must learn not to forsake his Christian faith.

Worship Service – Rev. James Travis of Calvary Lutheran Church in Sioux City, IA, delivers the message “Does God Want Me to Have a Better Job?” based on Psalm 84.

Additional information is available on the web site:

www.mainstreetliving.com.

Guided by the Eyes of the Heart

In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus spoke about two treasures (Matthew 6:19-20). We either seek *“treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal”* or *“treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal.”* We are all treasure seekers because we either want to enjoy treasures on earth or treasures in heaven. Our choices, decisions, and actions are dictated by what we hold dear. What we treasure dictates how we think about ourselves and our relationships with others and most important with God.

So what is your treasure? What causes you to love the treasures or the things of this world or the treasure that God offers? Why do some of us follow one path and others a different one? God gives us two eyes to see, and they are an enormous help for our existence. However, they do not provide help as to which treasure we serve. In his book *Redeeming Money*, Paul David Tripp suggests that we have another pair of eyes and those eyes are eyes of the heart. This set of eyes makes up an important part of our vision system. He wrote:

The eyes of the heart are always envisioning something. They are always fixed and focused on some hope, some dream, something you value. What the eyes of your heart envision will shape what your physical eyes look for and notice. Your physical vision is not neutral. No, it is guided by the eyes of your heart...What, for you, is the treasure dream that shapes the way you see your world? What physical things get your focus because they connect to the treasure that has already commanded the focus of your heart?...The treasures of your heart will always shape the way you see.

Later in the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus said, *“No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money”* (verse 24). Jesus is telling us that either God or money will be our treasure and become the master in our hearts. We are told that we can’t serve both God and money. In this verse, Jesus points out that money above everything else can keep our hearts from making Him their treasure. We can say that no heart is free. As Jesus said, we either seek treasures on earth or in heaven.

As sinful people, our hearts are inclined to seek treasures on earth. Only with God’s Word working through the Holy Spirit can the grip that money and material things have on us be broken. In our prayers, let us ask God not only to give us good eyesight, but, more important, to give us even better vision with the eyes of our hearts so that we can clearly see the treasures in heaven which will give us joy and peace on earth and life eternal with Jesus.

From Pastor's Desk

Summer is here! After winter and a cool Spring we can finally enjoy the warmer weather and watch creation grow. With school being done, there's a feeling that summer is a time of rest and rejuvenation. I hope that happens for you this summer. We need to rest and reset, and summer goes by fast.

We need rest because life is hard. We work hard, we keep busy schedules, we have to. Bills must be paid. Income is needed to make it through. We want our families to have the best we can give. We may even find pleasure and fulfillment in work. We also need to slow down and enjoy the long warm days. But what gives you real rest? If you're like me, everything that I say brings me rest, also feels like lots of work sometimes. Vacation, as much as we want it, is lots of work, too (new beds, new places, crowds, hectic schedules, you know the drill). And we get tired and cranky and need rest!

Jesus says, "Come to me all you who are heavy burdened, and I will give you rest" (Matthew 11:28). The rest Jesus gives is the rest achieved on Good Friday- It is finished! The curse of Adam which brought sin, sickness, division, stress, and hard work is overcome. But we still wait for the final end to all that. In the meantime, we need rest. Here's a short list of ideas to keep resting this summer.

Come to church- not online, but in person. It's only an hour. We need Jesus' forgiveness and life that brings what we can't give ourselves.

Read a bible passage a day or maybe even a small section of one of the Epistles or Psalms- Go slow- soak it in!

Take a prayer walk- walk and pray- I myself find this to be a huge blessing (BTW if I don't notice you when I'm walking this might be why.)

Come to Bible Class- and learn and grow. It's good to feel accomplished and know that the Lord has done big things in His Word for you.

Put technology away- As much as it is useful, it's a terrible addiction that drains us and most of the time produces nothing. Learn to relax and let go of the drama.

Read a book. A real one with pages. I have recommendations for you. Excite your imagination.

Learn to make memories by doing the small things.

Grow a garden or just plant something. It's fun to watch things grow.

Take a Sunday drive- I know the price of gas is high, but see the countryside. We live in a beautiful place.

Neighbor- older generations speak of "neighboring" where neighbors and families got together to eat and visit. Try it out.

There are infinitely more opportunities but here are some things to think about and try. Winter comes quickly. Get some rest in Jesus this summer- you need it.

June Birthdays

- 1 Mandie Allen
- 2 Jill Jacobs
- 3 Ashley Bultman
- 4 Kim Waterman
- 5 Amy Huebner
- 6 Dave Aldrich
- 7 Analiese Topete
- 8 Madison Aldrich
- 12 Brenda Finch
- 13 Jim Petry, Avis Sunderman
- 14 Deb Kratochvil,
Sherry Schuerkamp
- 17 Mindy Burt, Zander Utesch
- 18 Eric Graves
- 20 Don Bultman, Michelle Klaus
- 21 Austin Benda
- 22 Calvin Hurtado, Hannah McVay,
Tracie McManaman,
Corey Utech, David Weinmann
- 24 Crew McVay
- 27 Shelly Schurman, Angel Topete



June Anniversaries

- 2 Dale & Joyce Boerma (54 yrs)
- 3 Brian & Karen Engleman (42 yrs)
- 6 Chet & Morgan Utesch (6 yrs)
- 7 Roger & Audree Olson (35 yrs)
- 11 Scott & Shelly Schlumbohm (33 yrs)
- 12 Jerry & Jean Toft (68 yrs)
- 13 Eric & Mary Ortner (12 yrs)
- 16 Duane & Teresa Sperle (20 yrs)
- 20 Evan & Jill Vander Feen (34 yrs)
- 21 Bill & Sharilyn Buryanek (41 yrs)
- 26 Josh & Holly Breugem (17 yrs)
- 27 Duane & Carol Aldrich (57 yrs)
- 27 Tom & Janie Murren (6 yrs)
- 28 Don & Marge Dimmick (62 yrs)
- 29 Jim & Annabel McKee (25 yrs)

HAPPY
Wedding
ANNIVERSARY

Read the Bible in one year by reading the following passages...

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| 1. 1 Samuel 2:1-10 | Titus, Philemon |
| 2. Psalm 121 | Hebrews 1-4 |
| 3. Psalm 122 | Hebrews 5-7 |
| 4. Psalm 123 | Hebrews 8-10 |
| 5. Psalm 124 | Hebrews 11-13 |
| 6. Psalm 125 | James 1-3 |
| 7. Psalm 126 | James 4-5 |
| 8. Psalm 127 | 1 Peter 1-2 |
| 9. Psalm 128 | 1 Peter 3-5 |
| 10. Psalm 129 | 2 Peter |
| 11. Psalm 130 | 1 John 1-3 |
| 12. Psalm 131 | 1 John 4-5 |
| 13. Psalm 132 | 2 John , 3 John, Jude |
| 14. Psalm 133 | John 1-2 |
| 15. Psalm 134 | John 3-4 |
| 16. Psalm 135 | John 5-6 |
| 17. Psalm 136 | John 7-8 |
| 18. Psalm 137 | John 9-10 |
| 19. Psalm 138 | John 11-12 |
| 20. Psalm 139 | John 13-14 |
| 21. Psalm 140 | John 15-16 |
| 22. Psalm 141 | John 17-18 |
| 23. Psalm 142 | John 19 |
| 24. Psalm 143 | John 20-21 |
| 25. Psalm 144 | Acts 1-2 |
| 26. Psalm 145 | Acts 3-4 |
| 27. Psalm 146 | Acts 5-6 |
| 28. Psalm 147 | Acts 7-8 |
| 29. Psalm 148 | Acts 9-10 |
| 30. Psalm 149 | Acts 11-12 |
| 31. 1 Samuel 2:1-10 | Acts 13-14 |



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