 Thank you for being a part of today's worship service. Please help us know each other by entering your name addresses and the names of all family members who are present in the Friendship Pad. Please pass the pad from the inside (center) aisle to the outside aisle and back again to the center.

Please inform the church office with updates on the prayer list

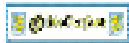
CANCER TREATMENT	CANCER TREATMENT	PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND COMFORT
Jean Adams Allison Schaff (brain tumor) Joe Burttschell Nita Bruemmer Milburn Robison Jimmie Szymanski (radiation treatments) Nathaniel Wendt (3 yr. old leukemia) Don Chilton (prostate cancer) Laura Clark (pancreatic cancer) Lucy Barrios (wide spread cancer) Frank Vecera (Grace Care of Katy) Robert Plocek (brain tumor) Sharon Brandes Debbie Jaloway (breast cancer) Ruth Peters (breast cancer) Steve Smith (Colon/prostate cancer) Charles Hinze Kathy Ellis (Breast Cancer) Mary Francis Deibert (breast cancer) Kimberly Jones (Brest Cancer) J. C. Kloss Kenneth Burnette (Brain Tumor) Lucy Clifton (mass) Gladys Willard Karen Briscoe (Breast Cancer) Samai Srihanard Pat Bryant (breast cancer) Connie Kilpen Heather Schavrda Gabbi (Ovarian) Elaine Sharp Colleen Ritter	Lisa Vega (cyst on liver & kidney) Darryl Stell (leukemia) Nell Beckman Turk (breast cancer) Norma Massey (lung cancer) Rodney Jalufka (liver cancer) Charley Holloway <u>Nursing Home Residents</u> Kirby Amthor Estella Heintschel Ellie Michaels Maydell Reichardt Eddie Svinky Lillie Wittenburg Walter Schneider <u>Shut Ins</u> Gladys Bolten Oridell Ekarius J. P. Gerhart Edd and Clara Gerstenberger Joe and Bernice Hintz Joyce Meyer Sharon Salyer LaVonn Schier <u>Military</u> Schyler Prentice (Marines)	Ruth Paben Susie Toellner (recovering) Dolores Cain Jerry Leiber (recovering) Geraldine Abel Wick Beane Betty Luedecke Amber Prentice (pregnancy issues) Nita Wolchik (recovering) Wilbert Janecek Jr. Shannon Johnson Fay Johnson Mark Sheffield (Stroke) Donald Niemeyer Laurie Pavelka June Grigar (Heart Attack) Doyle McElroy (Stroke) George Kovar Sharon Graham George Grigar Julie Scheibe Roger Buchtien (home dialysis) Charity Sistrunk (Spinal Bifida) Della Maler Rex Thumann Remington Reichardt



Pastor Vandercook is out of town today serving as the guest liturgist at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Bishop, TX as part of their 100th Anniversary celebration. Pastor Richard Goodwill from Food for the Poor joins us this morning to share God's Word with us and tell us more about the work of Food for the Poor. Welcome, Pastor Goodwill!



Beginning today, our options for Sunday morning adult Bible Class have expanded! Pastor will continue to lead his class in the regular Bible Class room next to the Youth Room. Pastor's class is continuing to study the beliefs of other Christian denominations. In addition, Alan Boehm is leading a study entitled "Go Fish" in the conference room upstairs right next to the elevator. Please take advantage of these opportunities to grow in your faith! Join us at 9:05am on Sunday mornings!



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 IS OKTOBERFEST AT TLC: Come celebrate Oktoberfest on Sunday, September 25. A lunch will be provided in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the worship service featuring sausage, sauerkraut, potatoes, and cole slaw, and other German food items. From 11:00 until 1:00, you can enjoy the Valina Polka Band who will be performing German-themed polka music (bring your dancing shoes if you like). There will be activities for both adults and children. **HOW CAN YOU HELP?** Please bring your favorite German type dessert to share with all (such as German chocolate cake, apple strudel, kolaches, cheese rolls, black forest cake, etc.). A sign-up sheet for desserts will be located on the bulletin board in the narthex. See you there!



Flowers on the Altar are given for the Glory of God from Robert and Betty Richter for Observance of Patriot Day and in Honor of Grandparents Day and their grandchildren Paul, Phillip, Luke and Jack.

Our Stewardship for our Lord September 4, 2011.

September 4, 2011	September 4, 2011	September 4, 2011	September 4, 2011
SS.....15	General Fund.....\$5,181.00	G/Fund Contributions	<u>General & Building</u>
High School.....1	Building Fund.....\$455.00	Needed Weekly to Comply	\$5,636.00
Visitors0	Food Pantry.....	with Budget:\$6,731.00	
Adult Class.....25	Sunday School.....	G/Fund Contributions	
Teachers.....6	S/Scholarship.....\$25.00	for 9/4/2011	
Staff2	Loose Cash.....\$27.00	\$5,181.00	
Total 49	Total \$5,698.00	Under Budget:	
Worship Service August 28, 2011 (128)		\$1,550.00	

Total Received General & Building Fund one year ago (9/5/2010) was \$5,607.05

Stewardship Corner... Choice Dollars through Thrivent Choice from participating members amount of deposit designated for the General Fund for the month of August was \$555.00.

Those Serving Today		Those Serving Next Sunday	
Elders:	Matt Rath Jimmie Meyer	Elders:	Matt Rath Jimmie Meyer
	Barry Wolf Carl Sebesta		Barry Wolf Carl Sebesta
Ushers:	Mark Hill Brad Biss	Ushers:	Mark Hill Brad Biss
	Stephen Stuessel Seth Hill		Stephen Stuessel Seth Hill
Greeters:	Jim and Renee Pursley	Greeters:	Bill and Linda Blume
Lay Reader:	Johanna Buechmann	Lay Reader:	Sue Kristynik
Acolytes:	Volunteer	Acolytes:	Volunteer
Nursery:	Renee Pursley	Nursery:	Stephanie Meyer
Media Team:	tiansen	Media Team:	Pam Epperly and Seth Hill
Videoing:	Jimmie Meyer	Videoing:	Jim Pursley

YOUTH AMPED-(A Ministry Producing Empowered Disciples) will meet again on September 11. We will be reaching out to troubled teens at the Krause center in Katy. Come join us for some fun! Please arrive at 5:30 pm tonight so we can carpool to Katy. Please contact Katie Thomas for more details.



The Ladies and Men's Bible Studies will resume on Monday, September 19th. These studies begin at 6:30 p.m. The Early Morning Bible Study is open to men and women and will resume at 5:15 a.m. on Wednesday, September 21st. It is never too late to join the studies. Open enrollment!!!!!! Please prayerfully consider joining these study groups.



Preschool Pancake Breakfast ! – Please come and support the preschool with a love donation and enjoy some pancakes and sausage tomorrow Monday September 12th, 7:45 am – 8:30 am. This will be designated for teachers training and fingerprinting.



SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED: If anyone is interested in teaching Sunday school for the 2011-2012 year, please contact Leslie Pacher or any Board of Education member.

AIM Meeting–AIM-(Apostles in Mission) is the name of our middle school ministry and biweekly program at Trinity! We will begin meeting again every 1st and 3rd Sunday evening from 5-7 pm beginning October 16th. Don't miss out! Please contact Katie Thomas for more details.



Mother/Daughter Orientation Meeting–All mothers participating in the Faith Stepping Stones mother/daughter retreat on September 23-24 are required to attend an orientation meeting after church **TODAY, September 11, 2011**. Pertinent materials and details will be discussed at this meeting that is necessary to know prior to this faith shaping event. We hope to see you there as we work toward helping your family grow spiritually. Please contact Katie Thomas for more details.

Mother/Daughter Retreat–Please join us on an exciting faith based retreat September 23-24 at Trinity. 5th and 6th grade girls and their moms are encouraged to attend this event. Please register by September 15th. Please contact Katie Thomas for more details.



Faith Stepping Stones – is starting again for this school year. The “Faith Chest” class for parents of children under the age of two will meet on September 11th, 18th, and 25th, during Sunday School. Confirmation for 6th graders will be held on September 7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th at 6:30 pm. There will be a 5th and 6th grade Father/Son retreat to Camp Lone Star on September 23-24 and 5th and 6th grade Mother/Daughter Retreat here at Trinity on September 23-24. Contact Pastor or Katie for more details on any part of the Faith Stepping Stone Program. Let us help you grow your family spiritually!



Faith Chests – are available for purchase. Contact Pastor if you would like one. These are presented at the end of the “Faith Chest” Parent Education Class, but may also be purchased separately for older children.



The TLC Junior High and High School youth groups will be having a canoe trip outing on Saturday, **September 17th**. We will leave the church at 9 am sharp, so be there by 8:45 to have all your **permission slips** signed and turned in. Please contact Jimmie Meyer for additional details and information.

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September 11, 2011 THIS WEEK FOR THE LORD

Sunday September 11 th <i>Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost Holy Cross Day</i>	Fellowship..... Sunday School& Bible Study..... Worship/Celebration Sunday (Food for the Poor)..... Colonial Belle..... AMPED.....	8:45 AM 9:05 AM 10:15 AM 11:30 AM 5:30 PM
Monday September 12 th	Preschool Pancake Breakfast..... Prayer Shawl/Knitting..... Church Council Meeting..... Quilt Guild.....	7:45 AM-8:30 AM 6:00 PM-7:00 PM 7:00 PM 7:00 PM
Tuesday September 13 th	Volleyball.....	6:30 PM
Wednesday September 14 th	Ladies Sewing..... 6 th Grade Confirmation.....	8:30 AM 6:30 PM
Thursday September 15 th	NEWSLETTERS DUE.....	5:00 PM
Friday September 16 th		
Saturday September 17 th	Gym Rented (Maggie Kent Birthday Party).....	10:30 AM-1:30 PM
Next Sunday September 18 th <i>Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost</i>	Fellowship..... Sunday School& Bible Study..... Worship/Communion Sunday.....	8:45 AM 9:05 AM 10:15 AM

Notice to Members and Visitors: Trinity Lutheran Church photographs and video tapes events directly and indirectly associated with the church. You or members of your family may be photographed or video taped during an event for publicity and/or for event activity archives. These photographs may be placed on bulletin boards, web pages, and promotional flyers and videos. Every effort will be made to limit or exclude personal information of minors for any public posting of event photographs and video. If you wish to exclude yourself or members of your family from any photographs or video please contact the church office. Thank you.

Notes for our worshipers: Nursery care for children, age 3 and under, is in a preschool classroom. Ask an usher for directions.

Hearing Assistance Receivers to enhance hearing of today's worship service are available in the narthex. Ask an elder for assistance.

Restrooms are located in the church narthex.



"Forgiven Forgivers - That's What the World Needs Now"

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Gregory Seltz. God's justice may keep evil at bay, but only God's grace can overcome sin and reconcile enemies. "Forgiven forgivers" become extensions of God's grace to others. (Matthew 18:21-35) Listen to the "Lutheran Hour" or go to their web at www.lutheranhour.org. This may be heard on Sundays, KHCB 105.7 FM at 4:00 am and at 12:30 pm or KSEV 700 AM at 6:30 am



Adult Instruction will resume next Sunday,

September 18th at 7:00 PM

