

**Trinity Lutheran Church**  
**402 Atchison, Sealy, TX 77474...wwwtlcsealy.org**  
**News and Notes for Sunday, September 6, 2026**

| Prayers for Cancer Treatments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Prayers for Healing and Comfort                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Prayers for Healing and Comfort                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
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| <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>LYMPHOMA</b></u></p> <p><b>*Dale Peikert</b> (Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia)<br/> <b>Brenda Robbins</b> (monitoring for growth)<br/> <b>James Lee</b> (aggressive B cell lymphoma)<br/> <b>Tatum Griffin</b> (Burkitt stage 3-6<sup>th</sup> grader at Bellville Jr. High N. Fullen)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>LUNG CANCER</b></u></p> <p><b>Stephanie McElroy</b> lung cancer in remission)<br/> <b>Kathleen Condel</b> E. M.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>BRAIN CANCER</b></u></p> <p><b>Robert Ploczek</b> M. B.<br/> <b>*Lynnlea Jo Johnson</b> (tumor shrinking) L.O.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>LEUKEMIA</b></u></p> <p><b>Jesse Watson</b> (recovering from leukemia) J.G.<br/> <b>Kellan Hilson</b> (3 yrs. Old) R. H.<br/> <b>Kendall Manna</b> (11 years old) K. Grigar</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>BREAST CANCER</b></u></p> <p><b>Cathy Adams</b> (breast cancer returned) sister to B. H.<br/> <b>Darlene Zubicek</b> (severe back issues) G. S.<br/> <b>Enola Provast</b> P. E.<br/> <b>Lenore Dronka</b> (on maintenance, no cancer cells after chemo surgery) P. E</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>LIVER CANCER</b></u></p> <p><b>*Carol Janes</b> J. W.<br/> <b>Cody Childress</b> (liver tansplant) R.J.<br/> <b>Matt Phillips</b> C. Rash.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>PANCREATIC CANCER</b></u></p> <p><b>Sheryl Macrae</b> (stepmom to M. Schiller)<br/> <b>Alan Boehm</b> B. Blume</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>COLON CANCER</b></u></p> <p><b>Tommy Kopecky</b> (colon cancer) D. T.<br/> <b>Joe Carr</b> N. H</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>BONE CANCER</b></u></p> <p><b>Sheri Anderson</b> D. Ashorn.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>KIDNEY CANCER</b></u></p> <p><b>Bev Ekarius</b> M. B.<br/> <b>*John Jackson</b> (taking treatments) G. W.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>BLOOD CANCER</b></u></p> <p><b>Katherine Hernandez</b> S.H.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>CANCER</b></u></p> <p><b>*Barry Blue</b> G. W.<br/> <b>*Linda Blume</b><br/> <b>*Alfred Tomasek</b><br/> <b>*Deanna Phillips</b> C. J. H.<br/> <b>*Bonnie Smith</b> J. A<br/> <b>Brett Bersche</b><br/> <b>Shannon Bergmann</b> (chemo treatments)<br/> <b>Carol Wenzel</b> D. E.<br/> <b>*Doyle Kornegay</b> (stem cell transplant) K.K.<br/> <b>Sylvia Hauerland</b> C. J</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>PRAYERS FOR NURSING HOME AND SHUT INS</b></u></p> <p><b>Joyce Meyer</b> – Avir<br/> <b>Lorrene Schiller</b> - Avir<br/> <b>Hilda Allison</b> – Shut-In<br/> <b>Larry Schulke</b> Kruse Village<br/> <b>Geraldine Stuessel</b><br/> <b>Lee Allen Palm</b><br/> <b>Joyce Amthor</b><br/> <b>Carol Pless</b> - Home</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>MILITARY</b></u></p> <p><b>Alex Castro</b> C. Wied<br/> <b>Tanner Hall</b> F. Drury<br/> <b>Preston Villalovoz</b><br/> <b>Lillian Villalovoz</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>RECOVERING FROM SURGERY</b></u></p> <p><b>*Shawna Speed</b> (recovering) J. W.<br/> <b>Dorothy Sliva</b> (pacemaker)<br/> <b>Shirley Schier</b> J. Schier<br/> <b>Loyce Orsak</b> (back surgery)<br/> <b>Leisa Aguliar</b> (recovery hip surgery improving very slowly) E. Machala</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>STROKE</b></u></p> <p><b>*Wayne Grigar</b> (mini strokes) C. J. H.<br/> <b>Vernell Kutra</b> J. Amthor<br/> <b>*Charles Havemann</b></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>Muscular Dystrophy</b></u></p> <p><b>Mark Tesch</b> (MS) C. J. H.<br/> <b>Paulette Plagens Helberg</b> (MS, using motorized wheelchair, J. w.<br/> <b>Sara Linder Harvel</b> (MS &amp; now developed asthma and diabetes) J.W</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>PRAYERS FOR HEALING</b></u></p> <p><b>Sarah Duval</b> (lupus &amp; rheumatoid arthritis) niece to Janice Weid<br/> <b>Gary Johnston</b> (father to Patrick Johnston)<br/> <b>Susie Zapalac</b> G. S.<br/> <b>*Hope Griffin</b> (fractured back &amp; now beginning to walk) J. G.<br/> <b>Wayne Mooer</b> (parkinsons) V. Schimdt<br/> <b>Becky Weber</b> G. S.<br/> <b>Rhonda Bruss</b> (aneurysm) S. O.<br/> <b>Delores Ditter</b> D. S.<br/> <b>Becky Kaminski</b> C. J. H.<br/> <b>Loradelle Nixon</b> G. Nixon<br/> <b>Larry Luedke</b> G. Nixon<br/> <b>Rylee Atchley</b> G. Nixon</p> <p><b>*Chris Peikert</b> (partial lung capacity, sinus &amp; hip/leg issues) D. T.<br/> <b>Ashley Esposito</b> (upper body strength is great but legs not working) J.W.<br/> <b>Kimbra Streit</b> (liver disease) P. Bersche</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">  </div> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Please keep the prayer list updated by notifying the church office. The ones with the asterisk* have been updated recently.</b></p> |



Prayer is a vital part of our church, and we rely on the prayer list to support one another. To ensure we're praying for everyone's current needs, we need you to help us update the list. Please contact the church office or Pastor Bersche for your updates.

**OFFICE CLOSED** Church Office Closed Monday, September 7<sup>th</sup> for Labor Day

# Holy Communion

All who commune today are encouraged to prepare themselves by using the “Christian Questions with Their Answers” section of Luther’s Small Catechism found on page 329 of the hymnal. As a congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, we celebrate communion believing that we receive the true body and true blood of Christ for the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of faith. As such, we invite all to our altar who share our belief and teaching concerning the Lord’s Supper. All are welcome to commune who:

Are Baptized Christians

Matthew 28:19-20

Able to properly examine themselves recognizing their sinfulness

1 Corinthians 11:27-29

Believe that they are eating and drinking Christ’s body and blood

1 Corinthians 11:23-25

Believe they need what is offered in this sacrament, namely the forgiveness of sin, the strengthening of faith, and the power to lead a godly life.

Ephesians 4:22-24

If you are unsure of any of these points or have questions, please speak with the Pastor or an Elder. Those who wish to participate in the Lord’s Supper at TLC are requested to register by circling their name(s) on the communion card in order that their participation in the Lord’s Supper is properly recorded. Individual cups containing grape juice are placed at the center of the tray for those who are sensitive to alcohol. Children and others not communing are invited to come to the altar to receive a blessing, indicate your desire to receive a blessing by crossing your arms over your chest.

During communion if you are not able to come to communion rail, you may remain at your pew and inform the Usher that you would like to receive communion at your seat.



Church office hours are 8–3 Monday through Thursday, and Friday until noon. Offerings may be dropped off or mailed to 402 Atchison, Sealy, TX 77474. *Titling is a way of giving back to God a portion of what He has given to you.*

**Thrivent Choice Dollars** – On August 13, 2026, the amount of deposit is \$338.00. Please call 1-800-847-4836 and appoint your funds to Trinity Lutheran General Fund.

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| <p><b>Sunday</b><br/><b>August 9, 2026</b></p> <p>General Fund-----\$13,369.00<br/>Building Fund-----\$55.00<br/>Total                   \$13,424.00</p> <p>Attendance ( 103 )<br/>General and Building Fund<br/>\$13,424.00</p> | <p><b>Sunday</b><br/><b>August 16, 2026</b></p> <p>General Fund-----\$4,268.00<br/>Building Fund-----\$25.00<br/>Total                   \$4,293.00</p> <p>Attendance ( 98 )<br/>General and Building Fund<br/>\$4,293.00</p> | <p><b>Sunday</b><br/><b>August 23, 2026</b></p> <p>General Fund-----\$2,559.59<br/>Building Fund-----<br/>HVAC-----\$195.00<br/>Total                   \$2,754.59</p> <p>Attendance ( 98 )<br/>General and Building Fund \$2,559.59</p> |
| <p><b>Sunday</b><br/><b>August 30, 2026</b></p> <p>General Fund-----\$7,843.01<br/>Total                   \$7,843.01<br/>General and Building Fund \$7,843.01</p>                                                               | <p><b>Attendance</b><br/>( 92 )</p>                                                                                                                                                                                           | <p><b>Sunday</b><br/><b>August 31, 2026</b><br/>Electronic Transfer</p> <p>General Fund-----\$2,650.00<br/>Total                   \$2,650.00</p>                                                                                        |

## Those Serving Today and Next Sunday (Thank you for serving our Lord)

### Those Serving Today

**Elders:** Stephen Stuessel      Joel Grigar  
James Gilliam

**Ushers:** Terry Hanks      Noah Hanks  
Jerry Grunke      Scott Einkauf

**Lay Reader:** Codi Konesheck

**Greeters:** Terry and Noah Hanks

**Acolytes:** Harvey Weishoff and Volunteer

**Media:** Pam Epperly

**Fellowship:** Joanne Dixon and Dorothy Coody

### Serving Next Sunday

**Elders:** Stephen Stuessel      Joel Grigar  
James Gilliam

**Ushers:** Terry Hanks      Noah Hanks  
Jerry Grunke      Scott Einkauf

**Lay Reader:** Johanna Buechmann

**Greeters:** Carol Jean Hauschild

**Acolytes:** Carson Bryant & Isaac Bryant

**Media:** Dorothy Coody

**Fellowship:** Karina Carr



## Flowers Gracing the Altar are given for the Glory of God from the Altar Guild in Honor of Labor Day



### Collecting Personal Care Kits for Lutheran Relief.

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF needs your help collecting personal care kit items. Please bring and place your items in the container located in the narthex.

#### INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING IN EACH PERSONAL CARE KIT

ONE light-weight bath-size towel (between) 20" x 40" and 52" x 27"), dark color recommended

TWO or three bath-size bars of soap equaling 8 to 9 oz. any brand, in original wrapping

ONE adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging

ONE sturdy comb, remove packaging

ONE metal nail clippers (attached file optional), remove packaging

Let's see how many personal care kits from Trinity Lutheran Church, Sealy, we can send.



## RALLY DAY



## COME ONE COME ALL AGES AND ENJOY

**Sunday School Rally Day on Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am Join us for Breakfast**

**9:00 am Come and Enjoy Pastor's  
Congregational Bible Class**

**11:00 am After the Worship Service**

**Meet in the Gym for 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Ice Cream Social**



**PRESCHOOL PANCAKE BREAKFAST!** – Please come and support the preschool with a love donation and enjoy some pancakes and sausages on Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, 7:45 am – 8:30 am. This will be designated for FBI criminal background checks. Even if you cannot make it to eat, you can make a love offering cash or check and drop in church offering plate. Make check payable to Trinity Lutheran Church.



**WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY:** Wednesday Morning Bible Study continues on Wednesday mornings 10-11 am. We meet in the glass room by the church office, depending on how many attending. Come join us each Wednesday!



**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL** - Our study continues during Adult Sunday School on St Paul. Please join us on Sunday Mornings for morning

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## September 6, 2026 THE WEEK FOR OUR LORD

**Notice: Members and Visitors:** Trinity Lutheran Church photographs and video tapes of events directly and indirectly associated with the church. You or members of your family may be photographed or videotaped 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.

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| <b>SUNDAY</b><br>September 6 <sup>th</sup><br>Fifteenth Sunday<br>after Pentecost      | Morning Fellowship-----<br>Sunday School – All Ages-----<br>Worship/Holy Communion-----<br>Elder's Meeting-----           | 8:30 AM<br>9:00 AM<br>10:00 AM<br>11:00 AM       |
| <b>MONDAY</b><br>September 7 <sup>th</sup>                                             | Church and Preschool Office Closed for Laboe Day-----                                                                     | Closed                                           |
| <b>TUESDAY</b><br>September 8 <sup>th</sup>                                            |                                                                                                                           |                                                  |
| <b>WEDNESDAY</b><br>September 9 <sup>th</sup>                                          | Morning Bible Study-----<br>Blessing Box-----                                                                             | 10:00 AM<br>1:00 PM                              |
| <b>THURSDAY</b><br>September 10 <sup>th</sup>                                          |                                                                                                                           |                                                  |
| <b>FRIDAY</b><br>September 11 <sup>th</sup>                                            |                                                                                                                           |                                                  |
| <b>SATURDAY</b><br>September 12 <sup>th</sup>                                          |                                                                                                                           |                                                  |
| <b>NEXT SUNDAY</b><br>September 6 <sup>th</sup><br>Sixteenth Sunday<br>after Pentecost | Morning Fellowship-----<br>Sunday School – All Ages-----<br>Worship-----<br>Preschool Board will meet September 20th----- | 8:30 AM<br>9:00 AM<br>10:00 AM<br>Canceled Today |



**THE BLESSING BOX** is this week, Wednesday, September 9, 2026.



**PLEASE CONTINUE TO BRING DIAPERS FOR THE DIAPER BANK**  
 for the Sealy Pregnancy Center. This is a need just like baby lotion,  
 baby body wash, pacifiers, baby wipes, baby socks, etc.

**Coming Soon: “Know the Difference”**