



TRINITY

Lutheran Church

Bringing Jesus into people's lives.

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

SUNDAY, JUNE 7, 2026

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Lutheran Church

RAINFOREST FALLS VBS
June 29 - July 2 | 9:00 a.m. - Noon
Exploring The Nature of God

Kids PreK - 5th Grade
6th grade & up can volunteer!
Register at trinitylutherangi.org or use the QR code above.

Trinity Lutheran Church | 212 W 12th Street | Grand Island
(308)382-0753

VBS DONATIONS FOR RAINFOREST FALLS

Please help fill the tummies of our little ones and purchase supplies for this year's **Rainforest Falls** themed VBS where kids attending will be *Exploring the Nature of God!!* Pick up a blue envelope next to the office and return it to the office or drop it in the offering plate. You may also donate electronically by visiting trinitylutherangi.org and selecting *Give* at the top and then VBS from the next menu. Thank you for your support and commitment to these kiddos!



2026 VBS SERVICE PROJECT

This year, we will be supporting the Collage Center as our VBS service project. For 37 years, Collage Center has been a nonprofit, pro-life organization providing a safe and caring place for those facing the reality of unexpected pregnancies and struggles with past pregnancy decisions in the Kearney and Grand Island areas. They are also in the process of expanding this important mission to Columbus.

If you would like to help support this organization, please consider donating items from their wish list on page 6. You may also pick up a yellow donation envelope located next to the church office and return it to the office or place it in the offering plate.

Thank you for partnering with us as we support the life-changing work of Collage Center.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR JUDY BECKLER

Saturday, June 13 | 11:30 a.m.
Trinity Lutheran Church | Meal to follow

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY — WAYS TO GIVE



GIVE WITH PAYPAL



SET UP SCHEDULED GIVING



OFFERING PLATE

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

212 W 12th Street
Grand Island, NE 68801
Phone: (308)382-0753
Monday-Thursday 8:00am-3:30pm
trinitylutherangi.org

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Trinity Lutheran Church
and School— Grand Island, NE

CENTRAL NEBRASKA LUTHERAN SCHOOL

Pre k—12
Grand Island, NE
Phone: (308)382-5274
Tuesday-Wednesday 8:30am-12:30pm
tlsgi.org & cnlutheran.org



FOR YOUR INFORMATION...

TUESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE CLASS - Led at 9:15 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

WEDNESDAY WORSHIP - 6:00 p.m.

THURSDAY MORNING CHAPELS - Good Samaritan—10:00 a.m. the 1st Thursday of the month. **Primrose**—10:30 a.m. the last Thursday of the month.

FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE CLASS - Led at 7:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

SUNDAY WORSHIP - 8:00 a.m. Classic Worship & 10:30 a.m. Modern Worship

SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE CLASS - Led by Pastor Adam Snoberger in the fellowship hall every Sunday. *Meets every Sunday.*

SUNDAY MORNING C-CHAMPS - Led by Connie Hiegel/Beth Klemme at 9:15 a.m. in the church chapel (west of the sanctuary). A class for Challenged adults. *Will NOT meet on June 7/June 21/July 5.*

WORSHIP LIVE-STREAMING - Unable to get to church due to weather, sickness or travel? Go to our website and watch our services live or at a later time of your convenience. Our services that are live-streamed are Sunday's at 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

PROGRAMS ON SUMMER BREAK - Sunday School and Children's Church classes will reconvene in August. Adults can find many resources and kids can enjoy watching Christ based videos like Superbook and Holy Moly on Rightnow Media (QR code). Lutheran Hour Ministries is also a great place to find studies online - check them out with this URL:<https://www.lhm.org/resources/all-resources/Prayers> for a fun and safe summer!



SUNDAY 6-7

8:00 a.m. Classic Worship
9:15 a.m. Adult Bible Study
10:30 a.m. Modern Worship

MONDAY 6-8

10:00 a.m. LWML at OGT
10:00 a.m. Helmuth Stahr Funeral
7:00 p.m. Church Foundation

TUESDAY 6-9

9:15 a.m. Women's Bible Class

WEDNESDAY 6-10

6:00 p.m. Worship

THURSDAY 6-11

9:00 a.m. Sewing & Quilt Tying

FRIDAY 6-12

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study

SATURDAY 6-13

11:30 a.m. Judy Beckler Memorial Service & luncheon

SUNDAY 6-14

8:00 a.m. Classic Worship
9:15 a.m. Adult Bible Study
9:15 a.m. C Champs
10:30 a.m. Modern Worship

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE:

These are many opportunities to serve at Trinity. You can get involved by:

- ~Preparing and serving meals for Gathering Night this fall.
- ~Picking up & taking home a few members with the church van (3-5) on Sunday mornings.
- ~Running screens for worship services (training available).
- ~Helping with donut/coffee hour on Sunday morning.
- ~Helping with Vacation Bible School (June).
- ~Visiting members in the hospital (St. Francis and/or Grand Island Regional).

There are many other areas that can always use extra help as well including;

- ~Altar Guild, Sewing & Quilt tying and/or helping with funeral luncheons.

Please contact Rachel or Kendra in the church office to get involved.

WELCOME CARDS - Please fill out an attendance card in your pew and let us know if your address, phone number or email address has changed. Also please let us know of any prayer requests (let us know if this is a prayer to share or if you would like it kept private) or if you have a special need you would like us to know about. Thank you!

ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN WORKDAY - LWML will be working at OGT on **Monday, June 8** from 10:00 a.m. until noon. All are welcome to join the fun as we sort, fold and pack clothes! No training needed! If you've never been in the building, we encourage you to come and see this amazing ministry at work!

GOLDEN YEARS meets on **Thursday, June 18** at 11:30 a.m. We will have a hymn study on "Jesus Loves Me". Bring a summer dish to share. Any questions please call Mary Ann Niemoth at 402-705-4077. See you soon!

LWML JULY MEETING: Please join us on **Monday, July 6** at 1:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall as we welcome guest speaker; Adeline Johnson to our LWML meeting. Adeline will tell us about their mission in Hastings, Ne called "Our Place After School Care". This mission offers support and a nurturing environment for teens with special needs and their families. They are a \$69,500 LWML grant recipient. Come and hear how this national LWML grant is blessing a local community. Our offerings gathered will bless this ministry as well as our Mites.

SEWING & QUILT TYING - We will meet only once a month during the summer (Thursday, June 11, Thursday, July 9 & Thursday, August 13). Please join us!



GENERAL OFFERING INCOME:	ACTUAL	BUDGETED	% OF BUDGET
FYTD—JULY 1, 2025-JUNE 30, 2026	\$757,840.70	\$761,534.46	99.5%
WEEK MAY 26-JUNE 1, 2026	\$11,838.87	\$15,865.38	74.6%

If you would like to donate online, please visit our website at trinitylutherangi.org and go to the GIVE tab.

PRAYER REQUESTS

ONGOING HEALTH/LIFE ISSUES:

Jay Bauman, Craig Beers, Ray & Orletha Block, Vernon Bredthauer, Louis Fienhold, Myla Henson, Delvin Hoerth, Arlene Kelly, JoAnn Kemper, Irene Klein, Diane Lliteras, Doug Meier, Gayle Meyer, Annette Nabity, Mary Ann Niemoth, Susan Niemoth, Carol Quandt, Tom Reiss, Jolynn Scholz, Deb Smith, Jean Smith, Karsyn Soto, Barb Stark, Keaton Ward, Brad Watts, Becky Wheeler & Robin Wildauer

SPECIAL PRAYERS:

For those struggling with an illness, depression, those having surgery, or those going through cancer treatment.

For those struggling with Dementia and Alzheimer's.

For the family and friends of Helmuth Stahr who passed away.

Note: If you would like to add someone to our prayer list, please call the church office at 382-0753 during office hours. Names will remain on the list for 4 weeks, unless specified differently by the one who calls.

SERVING OUR COUNTRY:

Brandon Bennett, Elijah Cemper, Nate Clark, Michael Danenberg, Dominick Ewoldt, William Hartman, Sam Heider, Devin Hueftle, Ethan Keiper, Reid Knoepfel, Taylor Von Knorring, Shane Martens, Robert Mueller, Travis Muirhead, Dylan Price, Ben Reehl, Dustyn Rose, Brett Rowly, Marianne Salak, Mitchell Salak, Sean Salak, Marc Smaha, Jason Van Hoosen Jr., & Taylor VonKnorring

The Lord bless you and keep you; The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; The Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace. Numbers 6:24-26

TRINITY WEEKLY BIRTHDAYS

Members of our church family will be celebrating birthdays this week and we would like to take this opportunity to wish them God's richest blessings on their special day. Why not join us by giving them a call or dropping a line to let them know you care! If you are not listed, we apologize and ask you to contact the Church Office so we can update our records. Thank you.

Sunday, June 7: Jonathan Danek | **Monday, June 8:** Zachary Backus, Deb McDonald, Heather Redding | **Tuesday, June 9:** Tabatha Harders | **Wednesday, June 10:** Sara Bartling, Sadie Cemper, Maya Snoberger
Thursday, June 11: Emma Hughes, Doris Kaczor, Sydney Schmitt | **Friday, June 12:** Larry Kelly
Saturday, June 13: Raelynn Gohner, Sharon McShannon

SERVING THIS WEEK

June Altar Guild: Marilyn Vang, Donna Hibbard, Linda Kruse, Deanna Kamprath

Sunday, June 7

8:00 a.m. - Preacher: Pastor Adam Snoberger | Elder: Dan Leiser | Organist: Vic Peter | Reader: Chris Seim
Acolyte: Pastor/Elder | Screens/Sound/Live Stream: Eddy & Randa Felske | Ushers: Harlan Klein, Vic Clark, Larry Wilton, Russ Ropte, Chuck Schmidt, Dehn Renter

10:30 a.m. - Preacher: Pastor Adam Snoberger | Elder: Larry Koch | Keyboard: Tami Chandler | Vocals: Kenley Bogner & Naomi Ristvedt | Bass & Vocals: Dave Speck | Guitar: Roger Petersen | Drums: Jacob Theisen
Acolyte: Graham Laurent | Screens/Sound/Live Stream: Andrew & Erin Theisen | Ushers: Keith Rollen, Sam Spiehs, Larry Koch, John Harders, Justin Roehrich, Josh Meier

Wednesday, June 10

6:00 p.m. - Preacher: Pastor Adam Snoberger | Elder: Derek Lemburg | Keyboardist: Donna Blase | Acolyte: Elder/Pastor | Screens/Sound: Bulletin | Usher: Elder/Pastor

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Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ. Colossians 3:23-24

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS:

ROMANS 10:5-13: ⁵ For Moses writes about the righteousness that is based on the law, that the person who does the commandments shall live by them. ⁶ But the righteousness based on faith says, “Do not say in your heart, ‘Who will ascend into heaven?’” (that is, to bring Christ down) ⁷ “or ‘Who will descend into the abyss?’” (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). ⁸ But what does it say? “The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart” (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); ⁹ because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰ For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. ¹¹ For the Scripture says, “Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame.” ¹² For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. ¹³ For “everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

MATTHEW 22:34-40: ³⁴ But when the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together. ³⁵ And one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. ³⁶ “Teacher, which is the great commandment in the Law?” ³⁷ And he said to him, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. ³⁸ This is the great and first commandment. ³⁹ And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. ⁴⁰ On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.”

DEUTERONOMY 30:1-20 (SEMOM TEXT): ¹ “And when all these things come upon you, the blessing and the curse, which I have set before you, and you call them to mind among all the nations where the LORD your God has driven you, ² and return to the LORD your God, you and your children, and obey his voice in all that I command you today, with all your heart and with all your soul, ³ then the LORD your God will restore your fortunes and have mercy on you, and he will gather you again from all the peoples where the LORD your God has scattered you. ⁴ If your outcasts are in the uttermost parts of heaven, from there the LORD your God will gather you, and from there he will take you. ⁵ And the LORD your God will bring you into the land that your fathers possessed, that you may possess it. And he will make you more prosperous and numerous than your fathers. ⁶ And the LORD your God will circumcise your heart and the heart of your offspring, so that you will love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, that you may live. ⁷ And the LORD your God will put all these curses on your foes and enemies who persecuted you. ⁸ And you shall again obey the voice of the LORD and keep all his commandments that I command you today. ⁹ The LORD your God will make you abundantly prosperous in all the work of your hand, in the fruit of your womb and in the fruit of your cattle and in the fruit of your ground. For the LORD will again take delight in prospering you, as he took delight in your fathers, ¹⁰ when you obey the voice of the LORD your God, to keep his commandments and his statutes that are written in this Book of the Law, when you turn to the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul.

¹¹ “For this commandment that I command you today is not too hard for you, neither is it far off. ¹² It is not in heaven, that you should say, ‘Who will ascend to heaven for us and bring it to us, that we may hear it and do it?’ ¹³ Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, ‘Who will go over the sea for us and bring it to us, that we may hear it and do it?’ ¹⁴ But the word is very near you. It is in your mouth and in your heart, so that you can do it.

¹⁵ “See, I have set before you today life and good, death and evil. ¹⁶ If you obey the commandments of the LORD your God that I command you today, by loving the LORD your God, by walking in his ways, and by keeping his commandments and his statutes and his rules, then you shall live and multiply, and the LORD your God will bless you in the land that you are entering to take possession of it. ¹⁷ But if your heart turns away, and you will not hear, but are drawn away to worship other gods and serve them, ¹⁸ I declare to you today, that you shall surely perish. You shall not live long in the land that you are going over the Jordan to enter and possess. ¹⁹ I call heaven and earth to witness against you today, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and curse. Therefore choose life, that you and your offspring may live, ²⁰ loving the LORD your God, obeying his voice and holding fast to him, for he is your life and length of days, that you may dwell in the land that the LORD swore to your fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give them.”

365-DAY CHRONOLOGICAL BIBLE READING PLAN

WEEKLY READINGS: Sunday, May 31: 1 Kgs 3-4 | **Monday, June 1:** 2 Ch 1, Ps 72

Tuesday, June 2: Song 1-8 | **Wednesday, June 3:** Prov 1-3

Thursday, June 4: Prov 4-6 | **Friday, June 5:** Prov 7-9 | **Saturday, June 6:** Prov 10-12

~You can also go to our website for daily readings. For the readings

CELEBRATE LIFE—GIVE BLOOD

Friday, June 19 | 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

For an appointment, contact Jeri at (308)850-9791.

SUNDAY CLASSIC WORSHIP

Divine Service, Setting Three

Opening Hymn: LSB 000732, Sermon Hymn: LSB 703

Communion Hymns: LSB 623, 506, 545

Closing Hymn: LSB 733

SUNDAY MODERN WORSHIP

Opening Hymn: Great is Thy Faithfulness

Sermon Hymn: Because of Christ

Communion Hymns: The Lamb,

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Closing Hymn: As For Me and My House

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY DIRECTOR - RECEIVING CANDIDATES

We are seeking a Children's Ministry Director for our ministry team here at Trinity. Their focus will be to create opportunities for children, ages infant-5th grade, to spiritually develop as disciples of Jesus. If you have recommendations for this position, or if you are interested in this position, please contact Pastor Adam at pastoradam@tlcgi.org. This is a full-time position, and you can find the complete job description below. Most importantly, please pray to the Lord of the harvest that he would send us a faithful laborer for his kingdom!

Position: Children's Ministry Director

Description: Creates opportunities for children, ages infant-5th grade, to spiritually develop as disciples of Jesus.

Accountable To: Senior Pastor

Primary Responsibilities:

- Direct Sunday School and Wednesday Gathering Night activities for children.
- Direct Children's Church (during the sermon on Sundays).
- Coordinate Vacation Bible School.
- Coordinate community outreach activities (i.e. Easter Egg Hunt and Good News Club).
- Coordinate volunteers for the above areas.
- Foster faith in the home through communication and resources.
- Collaborate with lay leaders for middle school and high school discipleship.

Skills:

- Relates well to children and their parents.
- Able to manage children with a spectrum of behaviors.
- Proactive in approaching people to serve in a volunteer capacity.
- Able to train volunteers with clear direction.
- Creates an atmosphere where volunteers are organized, appreciated, and inspired to impact the faith of others.

Characteristics:

- Has a hunger for Jesus and his blessings.
- Committed to sharing the Christian faith in agreement with our congregation's confession.
- Models a lifestyle that is faithful to Christ while also recognizing his/her sinfulness and need for Jesus' forgiveness.
- Christ is central to the family life in his/her home.
- Approachable and has compassion for others, no matter their life situation.
- Has high regard for other members of the ministry team and works cohesively with them.
- Has a spirit of joy and positivity.
- Commits to love the congregation s/he serves.
- Empowers others to serve.
- Displays appreciation of volunteers and celebrates the contribution of others.
- Celebrates the good while pursuing ways to improve.

Compensation:

- Salary
- Health and retirement benefits
- Leave time

*Thank
you!*

THANK YOU to everyone who prayed for Ron and our family when he was seriously ill. Power of prayer and God's almighty hand saved him. To God be the Glory!

~Ron, Donna, Brittany & Alexa Blase

THANK YOU! We wish to thank everyone who helped us, in any way, to celebrate our 60th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, May 31st. You have richly blessed us beyond measure. Additional thanks to the Nutty Buddies Extension Club ladies, and the ladies from the Hargis House Woman's Club for setting up, serving in many ways, and cleaning up, allowing us to greet and visit with well-wishers & not worry about anything. Thanks to our parents, (deceased), who raised us to "hang in there" through thick and thin, to our children, grandchildren, & great grandchildren, who are always supportive & loving, & to God, who is always at the center of our lives.

~Bobby & Diane Mettenbrink

COLLAGE

For direct client needs while in the office or to take home (Immediate need):**

- **Baby Wipes (unscented)
- **Size 5, 6 & 7 Diapers (we're good on other sizes)
- **Pullups size 2T/3T & 4T/5T
- **Baby wash
- **Baby lotion
- Sippy Cups
- Teething Rings
- Wash cloths
- Burp cloths
- Bibs
- Small baby toys (rattles, keys, etc.)
- Cube size boxes of Kleenex
- Gift bags (medium size)
- Children's 'ARCH Books' (new)
- Gift Cards to Wal-Mart or Target (Any amount)
- \$25 Hy-Vee Gas Cards



For day-to-day use in the center, these items are always appreciated & needed:

- Printer/copy Paper
- Paper Towels (GI location)
- 13 gallon Trash Bags
- 8 gallon trash bags
- 4 gallons trash bags
- Bottled water
- Toilet paper

PRESENTED BY
thriver
Josh Meier, FIC

**SATURDAY,
AUGUST 22, 2026**
CHECK-IN: 8:00AM | SHOTGUN START: 9:00AM

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Central Nebraska Lutheran School
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INDIANHEAD GOLF CLUB, GRAND ISLAND, NE

1ST ANNUAL 5-8 GRADE BOYS OVERNIGHT BASKETBALL CAMP

Monday, July 27 at 2:00 p.m.—Tuesday, July 28 at 11:00 a.m. Cost is \$100 and includes 2 meals, snacks, drinks, & a t-shirt. Skill Development | Camp Competitions | Live Games | Device-free Experience | Bible Lessons | Movie Night. All boys entering 5-8 grade are invited to attend a fun-filled overnight camp experience! **Register Now!** **Grand Island Lutheran High** cnlutheran.org.

GRAND ISLAND LUTHERAN HIGH YOUTH CAMPS

K-6 Cheer Camp

Saturday, August 1 | 2:00-5:00 p.m. (\$30)

K-8 Volleyball

(3 days) July 13-15 (\$40) | Grades K-3: 9:00-10:30 a.m.
Grades 4-8: 10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

K-2 Boys & Girls Basketball

(2 day) July 20-21 (\$25) | Grades K-2: 1:30-2:45 p.m.

3-8 Girls Basketball

(2 day) July 16-17 (\$30) | Grades 3-8: 10:30 a.m.-12:00

3-8 Boys Basketball

(2 day) July 20-21 (\$30) | Grades 3-5: 9:00-10:30 a.m.
Grades 6-8: 10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

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