

The Welcome News

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

AUGUST 2010

RISING ABOVE

You intended to harm me, but God intended it all for good. – Genesis 50:20

Everyone faces adversity from time to time. A person is fired from his or her job. Bills are due, but there's no money to pay them. A beloved family member dies. How we handle these situations says a lot about our faith in the Lord.

In the case of Joseph, his problems began the moment he fell for his brothers' "we've got a really neat pit to show you" trick. They sold him as a slave to a group of Ishmaelites passing through the area in an attempt to rid themselves of "the dreamer" (read about it in Genesis 37:19). Eventually, Joseph was able to gain a good standing with Potiphar and was placed in charge of his house. But later, Potiphar's wife attempted to seduce Joseph and falsely accused him of adultery. Joseph ended up in prison as a result.



From Pastor Craig

Joseph had plenty of opportunities to cry out about the injustice he was facing. He had chances to complain about the treatment he had received from his brothers. He could have become bitter when the king's cupbearer was released from prison and forgot about him. These actions and attitudes could have reduced Joseph to hopelessness.

Instead, Joseph allowed himself to be used by God to interpret Pharaoh's dream. Pharaoh removed him from prison and placed him in charge of Egypt, where he organized a plan to store grain before the famine occurred. Finally, Joseph was reunited with his brothers. What was intended for bad was used by God for good.

Obstacles have a way of getting the best of us. But we also have the opportunity to rise above them. We can cry, complain, and live in misery because of our struggles. Or we can react like Joseph, allowing God, in his timing, to bring something good out of our circumstances.

How are you allowing God to help you land back on your feet?

Blessings as you spend time with God this summer.

Pastor Craig

Christian living first and foremost means getting the little things right:

1. LIVE by the Golden Rule
2. Go the Extra Mile
3. Be Positive
4. Put Others First
5. Learn to Listen

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH COUNCIL
DRAFT MINUTES ~ JULY 13, 2010

CALL TO ORDER: The monthly meeting of the Trinity Lutheran Church Council was called to order by Council President, Mike Krenek at 7:01 pm.

PRESENT: Ann Tucker, Diane Lorms, Jan Bentsen, Ken Paith, Mary Lonnevik, Loide Wasmund, Rolf Berg, Joyce White, Mike Krenek, Pastor Craig Sturm. **Absent:** Mert Janovec. Present for treasurer's report: Paul Wasmund.

OPENING: Pastor Sturm led the opening devotion and council members read the Devotional Litany.

MINUTES: The minutes of the June 8th meeting were approved.

FINANCIAL SECRETARY:

Jan Bentsen distributed the report of offering to date. Quarterly reports will be in everyone's mailboxes soon.

PASTOR'S REPORT:

Pastor reported that Vacation Bible School was very successful with 51 children and 35 helpers involved. Carol Pfeiffer and Marsha Powers have agreed to co-direct again next year. The date has already be set for June 20-24 with a theme of PANDAmonium: God is Wild About Us! Paul Wasmund spent much time repairing and updating our office computer systems. He solved our network issues by updating the operating systems. Dale Stein is making great progress on drafting an update of our church constitution. He should have a draft to present to Council around October. The first Pray and Play Kids Adventure will begin the last Saturday of July and registrations have already started arriving. Also, Frank Zinn has expressed interest in starting a Sunday School class for the Junior/Senior High aged students. The July 4th service was very well received and we are looking forward to the annual Christmas in July service on July 25. The average worship attendance for June was 108 and 19 in Sunday school.

TREASURER: Paul reported a mortgage balance of \$22,434.46 and \$142,623.41 as the mortgage balance.

Account Balances reported as of June 30, 2010:

Operating Account	\$22,434.46	(includes designated funds)
Building Fund -	\$ 7,499.50	
Community Programs -	\$ 292.29	
Endowment Fund -	\$ 2,883.42	
Memorial Fund -	\$ 2,413.99	
Men in Mission -	\$ 27.50	
Music Ministry -	\$ 480.51	
Youth Account -	\$ 229.34	
Total Special Accounts	\$14,179.70	
Total of all accounts as of 6/30/10:	\$36,614.16	

Motion passed accepting Treasurer's report.

OLD BUSINESS:

Banking issues – All signature cards are up to date at the bank.

Soup Kitchen – Jan attempted to gather more information regarding the new "Soup Kitchen" and what type of assistance they needed. Unfortunately, the e-mail addresses that we were given in the contact correspondence did not work and the telephone numbers were also problematic. She did e-mail Gail Utter who is associated with the project and is expecting a response. Jan will update us with more information at the next Council meeting.

4th of July Service – Thank you to Mary Lonnevik, Diane Lorms and Ann Tucker for the 4th of July Service. GREAT IDEA!!!

NEW BUSINESS:

Facilities Usage Request – Motion passed allowing the Grayson County Music Teachers Association to hold a concert, Saturday, December 11th from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm with a \$50 janitor fee and students donating canned goods.

Facilities Usage Request – Tamie Odem requested facility usage for the Advocate 24 day Challenge and other Advocate programs with a donation of all proceeds from the first meeting to the church as the usage fee. There was discussion about letting “for profit” types of programs use the facility - especially on a recurring basis. Motion passed to deny the facility usage request.

Request for Membership – Motion passed to accept Doug Berger and Terra Quick as members of Trinity Lutheran Church, Sherman. Pastor is conducting marriage counseling with the couple as they prepare for their October wedding.

Excess Software – Motion passed to give to Paul Wasmund the old software removed from the office computers when he updated the systems. He provided the new software and can use the old software when he is helping members and others with their computer issues.

Baptism Starter Fund – Motion passed to give a “\$50 per child Mission Kids Account” to any newly baptized youth (baptized in our church) who is part of our community. This has been approved previously at Council meetings, but was renewed to keep in the records.

CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS: None Expressed.**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

Worship – Mert – not present; no report.

Fellowship – Ann – appreciated all the help at the events.

Evangelism – Mary – 4th of July celebration went well. Thanks to everyone for making it happen so successfully.

Stewardship/Mission Support – Rolf – next meeting 4th Tuesday, July 27th.

Education – Loide – VBS has already been reported on and excited about possible new Sunday School class for Jr/Sr High age students.

Building & Grounds – Ken – Lawn Mower update – \$100 has been donated towards the purchase of a new lawn mower. Trinity was offered the gift of a used, zero turn mower. After much discussion, the Council decided that while the offer was generous, the mower was well used, so we might soon be back in a similar situation looking for a replacement mower. Because we ended the year with some extra funds, it was decided to purchase a new mower with a warranty, now while we can afford it. Ken recommended the purchase of a 22 HP John Deere for \$3,771.08. Motion passed to purchase this lawn mower using funds from the general fund.

Some discussion was held about the state of the doors on the south side of the church. Ken will look at bids for doors and report back at the next Council meeting. And painting will begin when the weather is slightly cooler.

TLCW – Diane – Bible Study was canceled for after church this month. It will start back again next month.

Men in Mission – Next meeting is this Saturday at 8:00 am.

ADJOURN: Motion passed to adjourn. Meeting was adjourned at 8:08 pm. Next Meeting: Tuesday, August 10, 2010 – 7:00 pm – Garden View Room in the Education building. Respectfully submitted: Joyce White, Secretary

* 10 THINGS TO REMEMBER ABOUT PRAYER *

1. **Prayer is communication.** It can be spoken or silent. It can be a song or a story. It can be a picture or a dance.
2. **Prayer can be done as often as you like.** Every week. Every day. Every hour.
3. **Prayer can be done however you want.** There's no right or wrong way to pray.
4. **Prayer can be shared, but doesn't have to be.** It can be done alone or with a favorite toy. It can be done with friends, family or pets.
5. **Prayer can be done anywhere.** It can be done in your room or at the kitchen table. It can be done out in your yard, at the park or even at the zoo.
6. **Prayer can be done in any mood.** You can be happy, sad, angry, scared or confused when you pray.
7. **Prayer can be for yourself or someone else.** If you know someone who could use a little help—add them to your prayers.
8. **Prayer doesn't need a certain structure, length or specific words.** Whatever words you use, long or short, however your prayer comes out is fine.
9. **Prayer doesn't need a special occasion.** There are certain prayers appropriate to special occasions, but you don't need to wait for a special time to pray.
10. **Prayer doesn't have to be a request.** It can also be used to give thanks for what you have already received. “Thank you” is a perfect prayer.

CHECK OUT WHAT IS HAPPENING IN OUR CONGREGATION AND THROUGHOUT THE CHURCH:

THE AUGUST OUTREACH IS THE ELCA DISASTER RESPONSE

— Any time Lutherans help their neighbors in need follow a disaster, they are being Lutheran Disaster Response for their community. This national fund helps bring God's comfort, healing and renewal to those affected by natural disasters by providing ongoing assistance to those in need. If you would like to donate towards this cause, place your offering in the collection plate on Sunday clearly marked, "Disaster Response." To find out more how this fund changes lives, check out: www.elca.org/disaster.

THE WOMEN'S GROUP needs packages of 10-15 needles for hand sewing and 1/2" to 3/4" white or black buttons for the Lutheran World Relief Sewing Kits.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH donated 255 pounds of food to Key Care in the month of July! Think of all the people we fed! *"So two good things will result from this ministry of giving — the needs of the believers... will be met, and they will joyfully express their thanks to God. As a result of your ministry, they will give glory to God. For your generosity to them and to all believers will prove that you are obedient to the Good News of Christ. And they will pray for you with deep affection because of the overflowing grace God has given to you. Thank God for this gift too wonderful for words!"* — 2 Corinthians 9:12-15

SYNODICAL WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION

CONVENTION Mark your calendar! The SWO Convention is being held October 8th thru 10th at the DFW Marriott. The speakers, sessions of interest, good food and an interesting business meeting will make this a memorable experience. For more information, regarding the convention, registration, or scholarships, contact Karen Bentsen at 254-597-2229 or klbentsen@gmail.com.

TROOP 23 has been camping in the summer heat and working on merit badges. August marks the end of the National Scout Jamboree in Virginia; there will be many new stories to be told! August is also, the kickoff of the new Scouting year of beginning with "Scouting on the Square" on August 28. The Troop is looking for adults to serve as Merit Badge Counselors. For more info, contact Duane Compton.

SHOW THE MILITARY we are grateful for their sacrifices!!! Come to the Fellowship Hall Sunday, Aug. 15th at 10am before Worship to sign a card and send your prayers and thanksgiving to a soldier who is overseas. Then following Worship, help address, stuff and mail the cards. For more info, contact Terry Krawitz at tkrawitz@cableone.net or 903-893-4026.

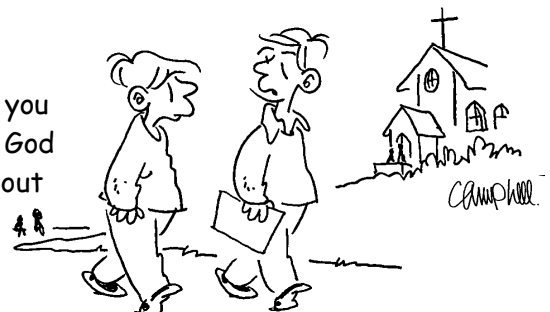
BACK TO SCHOOL BAGS

Trinity will be putting together school supplies for under-privileged children. If you would like to help, you may purchase items from the following list and place them in the school bus in the Fellowship Hall or place a donation in the offering plate, clearly marked "School Supplies."

LIST:

1. #2 Wooden Pencils (12 count)
2. Crayons (24 count, regular size)
3. Crayola Water-based Markers (Fat)
4. Crayola Water-based Markers (Thin)
5. Crayola Colored Pencils (12 count)
6. Expo Dry Erase Markers broad tip (primary colors)
7. Yellow Highlighters
8. Water Colors Paint Set
9. Fiskars School Scissors (Metal blades)
10. Ruler—12"
11. Pink Pearl Erasers
12. Glue Sticks
13. Glue (4-oz. bottles)
14. 9x12 Colored Construction Paper
15. 12x18 Manila Paper
16. Notebook Paper (wide ruled, 200 count)
17. Spiral Notebooks (solid, primary colors)
18. Composition Notebook (wide ruled)
19. Copy Paper (ream of plain white)
20. Index Cards (white 3x5)
21. Plastic Folder (2-pockets, brads, solid, primary colors)
22. Binders: 1 1/2" Hard and 1"
23. Dividers (5-count)
24. Pencil Box, Zipper Pencil Bag, and Plastic School Box (NO HANDLES)
25. Backpack (NO ROLLING BACKPACKS ALLOWED)
26. Ziploc Bags (Quart, Gallon, and Sandwich Sizes)
27. Brown Lunch Sacks
28. Tissues
29. Germ-X Hand Sanitizer
30. Baby Wipes

"He Googles you
... that's how God
knows all about
you." —

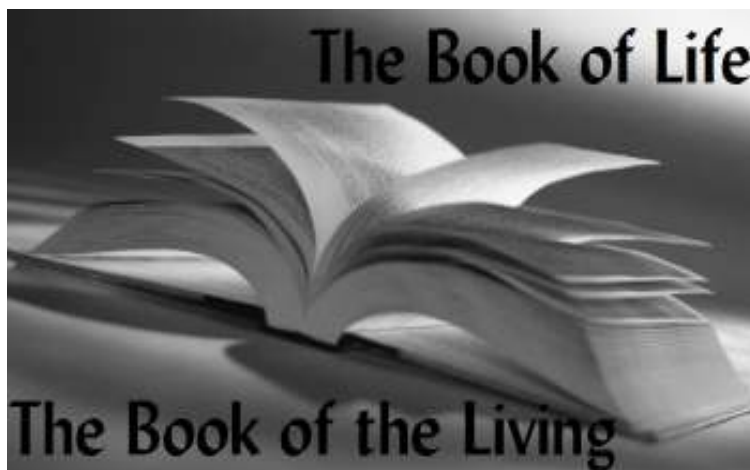


8TH LUTHERAN HYMN FESTIVAL

It's time for the 8th Lutheran Hymn Festival at the Morton H. Meyerson Symphony Center in Dallas, on Sunday September 19th at 7pm.

Tickets are \$15 each.

For more information, contact Tom Wood at 817-681-0535.



CONGRATULATIONS VANCE!



Vance Everett was recently named Director of Security for CCA, the nation's largest provider of security to federal, state, and local correctional facilities.

Vance and Edith will now be splitting their time between Nashville, TN and Sherman. May God bless you, Vance, in this new life venture!

Have something to submit to the *Church Mouse*? Send it to tlc_sherman@verizon.net.

ATTENTION JUNIOR HIGH & SENIOR HIGH KIDS!!!

A new fun, faith-filled Sunday School class is being created just for you. You and your Trinity friends will gather for the first time on Sunday, August 29 at 9:00am in the youth room.

This youth ministry will start by learning about the Scary, Gross and Weird Stories from the Bible. This series shows that some of the most unexpected and unusual stories come from the Bible. They are not for the faint of heart, and are truly sick and totally interesting!!! Come learn the disgusting truth!!!

The class will be led by Frank Zinn.

A Look Into The Past Of Trinity Lutheran Church

Submitted by Pastor William B. Johnson
From "The Shepherd's Staff" August 13, 1970

THE SHEPHERD'S STAFF

ICE CREAM SOCIAL THIS SUNDAY

Those who attended the ice cream party at the time of the last softball game had so much fun it was decided to have another one and encourage everyone to come. If you would like to enjoy a time of fellowship with other members of Trinity Lutheran Church, come to Fairview Park at 7:30 this Sunday evening, August 16. If you have an ice cream freezer, bring it (full of ice cream, of course). If you don't have a freezer, bring some cookies, cake, etc.

CONGRATULATIONS

Our softball team did not win the championship award in the church league, but they won the Fellowship Award, for good sportsmanship, which in many ways, is more desirable. Congratulations to all who played this year, especially, for being such good sports in a losing season.

PROTESTANT DAY SCHOOL

The Protestant Day School, which rents the upper section of our education building, still has a few vacancies for this fall. It is a private first grade which takes students whose sixth birthday comes between September 1 and December 31. If you know of anyone who might be interested, tell them about the school.



THREE NT-NL SEMINARIANS RECEIVE MAJOR AWARDS

In 2007 the NT-NL Synod Council embarked on a plan to expand the amount of money available in an endowed scholarship fund to support students from our synod in seminary. Now, due to the generosity of many, our fund has grown to more than \$60,000, and it is time for our first awards.

HEAR THE STORIES OF "GOD'S WORK. OUR HANDS" in our neighborhoods and around the world. Invite an ELCA Mission Interpreter to your congregation.

Info contact: MissionInterpreterCoordinator@ntnl.org

A NEW WORSHIPING COMMUNITY called Abiding Grace Lutheran Chapel is forming in the Grapevine, Colleville, Southlake area. For more info contact Ken Mingus at 817.915.8075.

THE 8TH ANNUAL LUTHERAN HYMN FESTIVAL is a celebration of music, featuring organ, a 150-voice adult choir and a 120-voice children's choir on September 19th at the Meyerson in Dallas.

For more info: <http://www.lutheranhymnfestival.org/MainMenu2010.html>

CONFLICT TRANSFORMATION SKILLS for Churches is a seminar offered by the Mediation and Wellness Team at Faith, Flower Mound, on September 11. Learn more by reading the seminar brochure.

THE DRAFT OF A NEW ELCA SOCIAL STATEMENT on Disabilities is available at:

<http://www.elca.org/What-We-Believe/Social-Issues/Social-Statements-in-Process/Human-Disabilities.aspx>

COLLEGE-BOUND HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS AND SENIORS might consider the proven differences in quality and experience between large state institutions and smaller church-related schools.

Learn more at <http://www.lutherancolleges.org>.

BISHOP KEVIN KANOUSE is hosting a tour of the Lands of Luther July 4-14, 2011. Learn more by reading the tour brochure.

For more details check out: www.ntnl.org



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LUTHERAN WORLD FEDERATION PRESIDENT SAYS ECUMENICAL COMMITMENT TO CONTINUE:

The Lutheran commitment to ecumenism will not end until members can share the Eucharist with other churches, said the Rev. Mark S. Hanson, president of the Lutheran World Federation (LWF) and presiding bishop of the ELCA, according to a news release from Lutheran World Information (LWI).

The LWF Assembly is the organization's highest legislative body, and it is meeting July 20-27. Speaking at a July 21 news conference following the presentation of his report to the LWF Eleventh Assembly, Hanson outlined progress made in ecumenical relations, but said that "we must continue the dialogue about theological issues that still prevent us from communing together," LWI reported.

ELCA SIERRA PACIFIC SYNOD TO RECEIVE SEVEN PASTORS BY 'RITE OF RECEPTION': The Sierra Pacific Synod of the ELCA is celebrating a "Rite of Reception" service for seven gay/lesbian pastors on July 25 at St. Marks Lutheran Church, San Francisco. "The service is being offered in the spirit of reconciliation and hope for the future of this church," said the Rev. Mark W. Holmerud, bishop of the ELCA Sierra Pacific Synod, Oakland, Calif., which serves Northern California and Northern Nevada.

In April the ELCA Church Council authorized a rite proposed by the ELCA Conference of Bishops designed to receive pastors from Extraordinary Lutheran Ministries onto the ELCA's roster of ordained ministers.

For more details check out: www.elca.org

Money Matters

Personal Financial Stewardship

Are You Saving Enough for Retirement?

From the wisdom of Solomon, God shows us the wisdom of ants that save their provisions (Proverbs 6:6). With our anemic personal savings rate in this country of approximately 1.5 percent, we may be showing less wisdom than the ants. The Bureau of Labor Statistics reports that, in twenty years, there will be a \$45 billion retirement income shortfall. Four out of five Americans do not have enough retirement savings.

One of our top financial goals should be a comfortable retirement. To live comfortably during retirement, we can project that we will need about 80-90 of our pre-retirement income. This income will come from Social Security, pensions, and private savings. For most people Social Security benefits will provide approximately one-third of their retirement needs. If you subtract your expected social security benefits from our desired annual retirement income, the result will be the annual income gap that will have to be covered by your pension income or savings.



Desired Annual Retirement Income:	Annual Social Security Benefits	Annual Income Gap
\$50,000	\$12,500	\$37,500
\$75,000	\$15,000	\$60,000

One of the greatest obstacles to a savings program for retirement is procrastination!



We fall into the trap of telling ourselves that retirement is a long way off, so we will start saving next month. The problem is that next month never comes. Procrastination is detrimental, because it eats up the time that money can be put to work for us.

As a general rule of thumb, if we start saving for retirement in our early 20's, we can set aside close to 10 percent of our incomes and have sufficient funds for retirement. As Solomon wrote, ". . . he who gathers money little by little makes it grow" (Proverbs 13:11). However, if we wait till we are in our 40's, our saving rate will have to increase to 30 percent or more.

FROM YOUR STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

August 2010

Worship Responsibilities

Sunday, August 1, 2010

Assisting Minister	Steven Mildward
Acolyte	Duane Compton
Lector	Bill Johnson
Children's Service	Michelle Cantu
(Assisting)	Baleigh Brockman / Stephanie Mayo
Communion Assistant	Dale Stein
Communion Bread	Joe & Kit Benson
Ushers	Leo & Billie Scheidt, Stan Simmons, Joyce White
Greeters	Rolf & Shar Berg
Flowers	Sturm Family: In Honor of Emma's Adoption Day
Fellowship	Sturm Family: In Honor of Emma's Adoption Day

Sunday, August 22, 2010

Assisting Minister	Krista Flinn
Acolyte	Harrison Flinn
Lector	Rolf Berg
Children's Service	Sharon Krenek
(Assisting)	Sierra Hayes / Eric Cantu
Communion Assistant	Kit Benson
Communion Bread	Curtis & Eileen Burrus
Ushers	Mike & Brandie Marlow Steven Mildward & Mark Nagel
Greeters	Bill & Cindy Quick
Flowers	Lorraine Nagel: Memory of Clem
Fellowship	Lorraine Nagel: Memory of Clem

Sunday, August 8, 2010

Assisting Minister	Sally Weber-Hawthorne
Acolyte	Holly Cantu
Lector	Amy Shojai
Children's Service	Jessica Wasmund
(Assisting)	Corinna Cape / Felicia Cantu
Communion Assistant	Roma Simmons
Communion Bread	Dave & Jan Bentsen
Ushers	Rolf & Shar Berg, Bob Cape and Eileen Burrus
Greeters	Joe & Kit Benson
Flowers	Peippo Family
Fellowship	Mayo Family

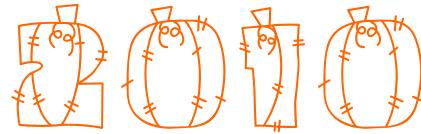
Sunday, August 29, 2010





Assisting Minister	Joyce White
Acolyte	Steven Mildward
Lector	Marsha Powers
Children's Service	Carol Pfeiffer
(Assisting)	Felicia Cantu / Lauren Hayes
Communion Assistant	Becka Johnston
Communion Bread	Bob Cape
Ushers	Dale Stein, BJ Manke Dave & Jan Bentsen
Greeters	Curtis & Eileen Burrus
Flowers	Delmar & Dolores Stange: Anniversary
Fellowship	Mayo Family

Sunday, August 15, 2010

Assisting Minister	Michelle Wasmund
Acolyte	Will Pfeiffer
Lector	Roger Hale
Children's Service	Debbie Allison
(Assisting)	Will Pfeiffer / Harrison Flinn
Communion Assistant	Joyce White
Communion Bread	Rolf & Shar Berg
Ushers	Joe & Kit Benson, Andy Carr and Duane Compton
Greeters	Jack & Lauren Pfeiffer
Flowers	Hayes Family: Summer's 20th B'day
Fellowship	

Altar Care	Shar Berg
Wine for Month	Marsha Powers
Head Usher	Andy Carr
Offering Counters	Jan Bentsen & Kathy Manning
Lawn Care	Don Hayes, Bill & Cindy Quick



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 9am-Sunday School 10am-Fellowship 10:30am-Worship Children's Church 	2 2:30pm-Piano Lessons 5pm-GNTX Choir 6:30pm-Sherman Evening Bee 7pm-Troop 23 7pm-AL Anon	3 8pm-AA Meeting	4 9am-Quilters 12pm-AI Anon	5 2pm-Piano Lessons 8pm-AA Meeting	6	7 8pm-AA Meeting 
8 9am-Sunday School 10am-Fellowship 10:30am-Worship Children's Church	9 2:30pm-Piano Lessons 5pm-GNTX Choir 7pm-Troop 23 7pm-AL Anon	10 7pm-Church Council 8pm-AA Meeting	11 9am-Quilters 12pm-AI Anon 1pm-Bible Study	12 11am-Prayer Circle 2pm-Piano Lessons 8pm-AA Meeting	13	14 8pm-AA Meeting
15 9am-Sunday School 10am-Fellowship 10am-Cards for Soldiers 10:30am-Worship Children's Church 6:30pm-Game Night 	16 2:30pm-Piano Lessons 5pm-GNTX Choir 6:30pm-Sherman Evening Bee 7pm-Troop 23 7pm-AL Anon	17 8pm-AA Meeting	18 9am-Quilters 12pm-AI Anon	19 9am-Twisted Stitches 11am-Prayer Circle 2pm-Piano Lessons 8pm-AA Meeting	20	21 8am-Men-in-Mission 8pm-AA Meeting
22 9am-Sunday School 10am-Fellowship 10:30am-Worship Children's Church 4pm-Sr High Youth Event	23 2:30pm-Piano Lessons 5pm-GNTX Choir 7pm-Troop 23 7pm-AL Anon School Resumes	24 7pm-Stewardship 8pm-AA Meeting	25 9am-Quilters 12pm-AI Anon	26 2pm-Piano Lessons 6pm-Sherman Quiltmakers 8pm-AA Meeting	27	28 8pm-AA Meeting
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September 2010

Worship Responsibilities

Sunday, September 5, 2010

Assisting Minister	Bob Cape
Acolyte	Sierra Hayes
Lector	Marty Burkart
Children's Service	Michelle Cantu
(Assisting)	Becka Johnston & Baleigh Brockman
Communion Assistant	Stan Simmons
Communion Bread	Curt & Eileen Burrus
Ushers	Chris Anderson, Eileen Burrus, Mike & Brandie Marlow
Greeters	Ann Tucker & Diane Lorms
Flowers	Carr Family
Fellowship	Carr Family

Sunday, September 19, 2010

Assisting Minister	John Lonnevik
Acolyte	Will Pfeiffer
Lector	Mike Marlow
Children's Service	Kerri Sturm
(Assisting)	Eric Cantu & Corinna Cape
Communion Assistant	Marsha Powers
Communion Bread	Billie Scheidt
Ushers	Ken Powers, Bob Cape, Bill & Cindy Quick
Greeters	Ray & Marlene Tillman
Flowers	
Fellowship	

Sunday, September 12, 2010

Assisting Minister	Sharon Krenek
Acolyte	Stephanie Mayo
Lector	Mert Janovec
Children's Service	Cynthia Zinn
(Assisting)	Holly Cantu & Will Pfeiffer
Communion Assistant	Barbara Rehtzigel
Communion Bread	Mert & Sherry Janovec
Ushers	Ute & Mark Mayo, Mark Nagel & Jack Pfeiffer
Greeters	Bill & Cindy Quick
Flowers	Howard & Kitty Strause: Anniversary
Fellowship	

Sunday, September 26, 2010

Assisting Minister	Carol Pfeiffer
Acolyte	Corinna Cape
Lector	Steven Mildward
Children's Service	Marsha Powers
(Assisting)	Baleigh Brockman & Becka Johnston
Communion Assistant	BJ Manke
Communion Bread	Mark & Bridgette Nagel
Ushers	Leo & Billie Scheidt, Stan Simmons & Don Hayes
Greeters	Jack & Laureen Pfeiffer
Flowers	Joe & Kit Bensen: Anniversary
Fellowship	

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<p>September Outreach: ABBA - A faith based community service organization that provides Pregnancy testing, Ultrasounds, Educational Resource classes, Peer counseling, referrals, miscarriage and abortion ministry, material resources and Family Crisis assistance. Spiritual assistance is provided through Christian peer counseling, weekly Scripture study, scheduled prayer meetings and referrals to local churches.</p>			<p>1 9am-Quilters 12pm-AI Anon</p>	<p>2 11am-Prayer Circle 2pm-Piano Lessons 8pm-AA Meeting</p>	3	<p>4 8pm-AA Meeting</p>
<p>5 9am-Sunday School 10am-Fellowship 10:30am-Worship Children's Church</p>	<p>6 Office Closed 2:30pm-Piano Lessons 5pm-GNTX Choir 6:30pm-Sherman Evening Bee 7pm-Troop 23 7pm-AL Anon</p> <p>LABOR DAY</p>	<p>7 1pm-Luther Grp 8pm-AA Meeting</p>	<p>8 9am-Quilters 12pm-AI Anon 1pm-Bible Study 7pm-Prayer Celebration</p>	<p>9 2pm-Piano Lessons 8pm-AA Meeting</p>	10	<p>11 8pm-AA Meeting</p>
<p>12 9am-Sunday School 10am-Fellowship 10:30am-Worship Children's Church</p>	<p>13 2:30pm-Piano Lessons 5pm-GNTX Choir 7pm-Troop 23 7pm-AL Anon</p>	<p>14 7pm-Church Council 8pm-AA Meeting</p>	<p>15 9am-Quilters 12pm-AI Anon</p>	<p>16 9am-Twisted Stitchers 11am-Prayer Circle 2pm-Piano Lessons 8pm-AA Meeting</p>	17	<p>18 8am-Men-in-Mission 8pm-AA Meeting</p>
<p>19 9am-Sunday School 10am-Fellowship 10:30am-Worship Children's Church 6:30pm-Game Night</p>	<p>20 2:30pm-Piano Lessons 5pm-GNTX Choir 6:30pm-Sherman Evening Bee 7pm-Troop 23 7pm-AL Anon</p>	<p>21 1pm-Luther Grp 8pm-AA Meeting</p>	<p>22 9am-Quilters 12pm-AI Anon</p>	<p>23 2pm-Piano Lessons 6pm-Sherman Quiltmakers 8pm-AA Meeting</p>	24	<p>25 8pm-AA Meeting</p>
<p>26 9am-Sunday School 10am-Fellowship 10:30am-Worship Children's Church</p>	<p>27 2:30pm-Piano Lessons 5pm-GNTX Choir 7pm-Troop 23 7pm-AL Anon</p>	<p>28 7pm-Stewardship 8pm-AA Meeting</p>	<p>29 9am-Quilters 12pm-AI Anon</p>	<p>30 2pm-Piano Lessons 8pm-AA Meeting</p>		