**Announcements**

**Meetings & Events**

Sunday, July 30th Voters after worship

Friday, August 4th VBS Night 5pm – 7:30pm

Saturday, August 5th Onekama Days

Tuesday, August 8th Evangelism 4pm

Tuesday, August 8th Trustees 7pm

Wednesday, August 9th Elders 7pm

Saturday, August 12th Donuts in Manistee

**PLEASE LEAVE ATTENDANCE SHEETS**

 Please remember to fill out the attendance sheet you will find in your bulletin and leave it on the pew when you leave today. Even if you don’t use the attendance sheet, please leave it on the pew and the elders will collect them after the service. The blank sheets will be reused.

**VOTERS MEETING TODAY**

 We have a regular quarterly Voter Meeting following the worship service TODAY. There will be a recommendation from Council that some of our money in savings should be invested to earn more interest. The Board of Stewardship is providing a simple luncheon meal to enjoy as part of the meeting, so please plan and join us.

**VBS IS THIS FRIDAY**

 Join us on Friday, August 4th from 5:00pm - 7:30pm for a Family Fun VBS night! Dinner will be served at 5:00pm. Registration forms can be found on the ledge in the back of the church or online on the church website or Facebook page. If you’d like to volunteer or donate for the meal, please contact Jessica Sherry.

**EVANGELISM HELPERS**

 Evangelism is going to have a table at each donut event with free materials to hand out and a special “donut game” to be played by customers. We would like to have 2 people at each event to encourage people to try the game and take some materials. If you could be a helper for a few hours either Saturday, August 5th for Onekama Days or at the Manistee Farmer’s Market on Saturday, August 12th, please contact Kathi McNeil (231-299-4640) or Jan Chandler (231-735-1610). There is a sign -up sheet for Fair Week as that will be multiple consecutive days. Any help, even just for an hour, is appreciated.

**TRINITY PRESCHOOL STAFF OPENINGS**

 Trinity Manistee is seeking to fill Christian staff positions in its Early Childhood Ministry. We need a Pre-School Teacher and Director and an Aide for the 2023-2024 school year. Full-time and part-time positions are available. Resumes may be sent to Trinity Lutheran School, 420 Oak St., Manistee, MI 49660. Questions regarding these positions may be directed to Pastor Dennis Rahn at 231-723-8700 or emailed to drahn@trinitymanistee.com.

**SYNODICAL CONVENTION**

The LCMS Synodical Convention is being held in Milwaukee, WI from Saturday, July, 29th through Thursday, August 3rd. Dave Johnson was selected by our Circuit to be the lay representative for the convention. Please keep Dave in your prayers as he travels to Milwaukee and back. We look forward to his personal report concerning actions taken by Synod at the convention.

**AUGUST BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

Helmi Schimke’s Birthday August 21st

Pastor & Jessica Sherry’s Anniversary August 21st

**SERVING THIS MONTH**

**Greeters:** Steve & Karen Myers

**Altar Guild:** Rodney & Jerilyn Schimke

**SERVING TODAY SERVING NEXT WEEK 8/6/2023**

**Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry **Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry

**Elder:** George Kahl **Elder:** Jim Poellet

**Accomp:** William Bankstahl **Accomp:** William Bankstahl

**Acolyte:** Sarah Sherry **Acolyte:** Connor LeSarge

**Reader:** Pastor **Reader:** Pastor

**ATTENDANCE**: 7/23/2023

WORSHIP: 57 BIBLE STUDY: Break until Sept.

**FIRST FRUITS TRACKER WEEK ENDING:** 7/23/2023

Offering Receipts: $1,664.00 YTD Budget Receipts: $84,352.25

Weekly Budget Needs: $2,954.57 YTD Budget Needs: $88,637.10



**Special Prayers**

Bill Bankstahl Lavonne Miller Steve Schimke

Lois Bentley Jim Poellet Phyllis Schramski

Bill Erickson Shirley Poellet Terri Vertalka

Scott Gill

**Prayers for Our Military**

**Capt. Tim Brandt** at Madigan Medical Center, Fort Lewis, WA, son of Bruce & Debbie Brandt

**Andrew Burch**, **Jr**., grandson of John & Loree Sprawka.

**Alyssa & Trevor Eisenlohr** siblings both with the U.S. Navy, friends of Janette & Fred May

**Jordan Fink**, grandson of Bill and Lila Fink

**Mark Granzotto** with U.S. Navy in Bahrain, grandson of Rita Merkey

**Ian Nelson,** nephew of Jack Nelson

**Tyge Nelson & family,** nephew of Jack Nelson

**Derek Sprawka,** grandson of John & Loree Sprawka

***If you wish to add someone’s name, please call or e-mail the church office.***