

**TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
AND PRE-SCHOOL
128 South 7th Street, Zanesville, Ohio 43701
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Church E-mail: telcz@sbcglobal.net
Worship Services 8 AM & 10:15 AM
Church School 9 AM
September 24, 2006 - The 16th Sunday After Pentecost**

WELCOME TO ALL THOSE IN GOD'S HOUSE THIS MORNING!

It is a pleasure to have you worship with the family of God at Trinity. Please sign the red attendance book at the end of each pew. If you are a visitor, please include your address and phone number. We hope that this worship service will strengthen you in your faith as you live each day in Jesus. Join us again soon.

8 AM: Greeters at the front doors: Mrs. Janet Bone; at the parish hall door: Mrs. Patsy Koehler. Acolytes: Eric Dudley and Brandon Hatfield. Organist: Mr. John Chalfant.

10:15 AM: Greeters at the front doors: Mr. & Mrs. Neil & Viki Hall; at the parish hall door: Mr. & Mrs. Jim & Edda Varner. Acolytes: Felicity LeFevre and Alivia Swiney. Nursery Attendants: Mariah Smith and Nicole Tanner. Organist: Mrs. Helen Porter.

INTERCESSIONS: Mr. & Mrs. Ben & Erin (Schultheis) Kinsey blessed with a baby boy, Owen Anderson, on September 21; Mr. & Mrs. Bob & Betty Fell's 57th wedding anniversary today; Mark; Sue Fulkerson; Ruth Garich; Miriam Spencer; Sandy Procacci; Mr. and Mrs. Russell and Betty Glaub; Mrs. Betty Miller; Mike O'Brien (husband of Shirley O'Brien); Maxine Noyes (sister-in-law of Jack & Millie Neal); Margaret Ann McFarland (niece of Gene & Edna Menhorn); Ginny Carey (sister of A.I. Bell); Regina Stevens; Hunter Stephenson, 8 year old Great Grandson Faye Dunn. Those in the hospital at Good Samaritan: Mr. Thomas Williams, 716.

The flowers today are to the glory of God. Those on the altar are in memory of Lou Edwards by Sue Edwards and family; those on the piscina are in honor of Evelyn Rittberger's 90th birthday on September 28 by her family.

Our Proclaimer today is Mr. Pete Grana. He is a fourth year Seminary student from Concordia Theological Seminary in Fort Wayne, IN, and has been sponsored by our Ladies' Aid group. He and his wife, Christine, are from Nags Head, NC, and have three children; Christopher, Jen and Liz.

If you are in need of pastoral care, please contact the church office or one of our Elders: Bruce Lee 740-454-7537; Dave Donahue, 740-453-3071; Chuck Jacob, 740-452-0869; Tom Frampton, 740-452-6003.

The evening Communion service on October 8, has been cancelled.

SCHEDULE OF CHURCH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK:

Today - 9/24	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION SUNDAY <i>Portals of Prayer</i> door offering Elder's meeting- open to the congregation , 9 AM, Quilter's Room Children's Sermon Sunday School Pins Sunday School Choir sings during 10:15 AM service
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Monday - 9/25	Scouts, 7 PM
Tuesday - 9/26	Trustees, 7 PM, Parish Hall
Thursday - 9/28	Quilters, 10 AM Altar Guild, 2 PM, Parish Hall

Next Sunday - 10/1/06	HOLY COMMUNION: both services; please register STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY Love Loaves available at the exits Pre-School Light Bulb Sale Thrivent Wiener Roast, 4 PM, Church Park
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Attendance last week: 155 + 180 = 335. Offering: \$5,266.92 + Parish Hall Rental, \$50 + Pre-School Fund, \$25. Total: \$5,341.92.

The Elders will be available **TODAY** at 9 AM in the Quilter's room for anyone who would like to meet with them. This meeting provides the congregation with an opportunity to meet with the Elders in a confidential manner. As always, you may contact an Elder at any time. They are: Bruce Lee 740-454-7537; Dave Donahue, 740-453-3071; Chuck Jacob, 740-452-0869; Tom Frampton, 740-452-6003.

Our Christian sympathy to Christine Matesich (sister) and Nancy Toth (brother) and their families at the death of loved ones.

Confirmation classes will begin sometime in October. Please watch the [Newline](#) and bulletin for more information.

Trinity Lutheran and Thrivent Financial are sponsoring a service project to help the Muskingum County Sheriff's Department. We are collecting NEW small stuffed animals, coloring books, and crayons. Donations may be placed under the coat rack in the narthex. The deadline is Sunday, October 1. Thank you and God bless!

The Sunday School Choir will sing **TODAY** at the 10:15 AM service. This is for Pre-School through 6th grade classes. The students will sit with their teachers during the service.

The following Sunday School students will receive their attendance pins today at both services: 6 years, Abbey Carrel, Andrew Lingsch; 5 years, Kyle Lones; 2 years, Kyle McCarthy. Congratulations!

Addresses:

Pastor Lingsch - Radisson Hotel, Rev. Keith Lingsch, Room 227, 9100 Basil Court, Largo, MD, 20774.
Email address: keith.lingsch@ohcolu.ang.af.mil.

Lori Lingsch - Mrs. Edith Corbett, c/o Mrs. Lori Lingsch, 407 Elizabeth Street, Munhall, PA, 15120.

Thrivent Financial for Lutherans is planning a wiener roast on Sunday, October 1, at 5 PM at the Church Park. All food and table service will be provided.

The new *Portals of Prayer* are available on the ledges as you exit the church. The door offering for them is **today**.

Mrs. Amy Pinson is now teaching the Sunday School Nursery Class (2 year old class). Our thanks to Miss Jennifer DeLong for teaching this class during the past year. If you are interested in being a substitute for this class, please contact the church office.

The Fellowship Club is planning a trip to Terra Cotta Winery in New Concord on Saturday, October 21, at 6 PM. The cost is \$45 per couple. There is a sign-up sheet available in the Narthex.

The Children of Service group is asking for donations of small puzzle pieces for their next project. Donations may be left in the church kitchen. Thank you for supporting the Children of Service group!

Are you leaving for college? Make sure the church office gets your address at school? Are you in college but still living at home? Tell us that, too! We'd like to keep in touch with you during the school year.

The Ladies' Aid will be taking a trip to Frankenmuth, MI., on October 23-24. Please sign up on the sheets near the office if you are interested.

The Pre-School is in need of 5 oz. drinking cups. Donations would be greatly appreciated. Please leave donations in the church office.

Trinity's Youth Group will offer a fall yard clean-up to our elderly members. This will be a servant event and also a fund-raiser to earn money for the 2007 National Youth Gathering that will be held in Florida. For more information, contact Jon Dudley at 740-452-9224 or email at Jon_Dudley@irco.com

Headsets for the hearing impaired and large print bulletins are available from the

Deacons.

ORDER OF MORNING SERVICE

A Silent Prayer Before Worship

Almighty, ever-living God, grant that I may gladly hear Your word and that all my worship may be acceptable unto You; through Jesus Christ, my Lord. Amen.

Opening Hymn

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Liturgy

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Sermon Hymn

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Sermon

“Be Opened!”

Offering Hymn

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Responsive Prayer

P: let us pray to the Lord:

C: Lord, have mercy.

Closing Hymn

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Choral Benediction

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A Silent Prayer After Worship

Grant, I pray You, Almighty God, that the Word which I have heard this day may through Your grace be so engrafted in my heart that I may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit; through Jesus Christ, my Lord. Amen.