

Building solid foundations for life and learning

It is our mission to provide a quality Christ-centered early childhood education that builds a solid foundation for lifelong learning.

> For information on our Early Childhood Program, contact Nancy Gross: ngross@trinitylutheranmonroe.org

Trinity Lutheran School

We prepare Christian leaders for today and tomorrow.
We partner with parents.



National Lutheran School Accreditation

M N S A A A

Infant & Toddler Area

Cry space available downstairs in church basement. Service is televised. Feel free to use it and return to worship when able!

STAFFED NURSERY - during 11am service for infants through age 3 . Follow the footsteps.

Restrooms - Located downstairs in the church basement and in the rear of the Sanctuary near the balcony stairway.

Web Site

tlcmonroe.org

Church Office

• Email: info@trinitylutheranmonroe.org

Maintenance Ministry

• Email: maintenance@trinitylutheranmonroe.org



FaceBook

Trinity Lutheran Church Monroe
Trinity Lutheran School Monroe Michigan





Be sure to download our App - Trinity Lutheran Monroe

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

Staffed Nursery Available
During 11am Service

Sunday, December 9

8:30 a.m. Worship

9:45 a.m. Bible Studies

10:00 a.m. Family Time with Jesus

11:00 a.m. Worship HC & Kids Kingdom

Monday, December 10

6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry 7:00 p.m. Care & Keeping

Tuesday, December 11

10:00 a.m. 175th Planning 6:00 p.m. AA Meeting 6:30 p.m. Malotky Mission 6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry 7:00 p.m. Choir rehearsal

Wednesday, December 12

7:30 p.m.

8:10 a.m. School Worship 9:00 a.m. AGAPE a.m. 11:00 a.m. Advent Worship 6:00 p.m. Advent Worship 6:30 p.m. AGAPE p.m.

6:30 p.m. 2nd & 3rd Yr Confirmation

AA Meeting

Thursday, December 13

12:00 p.m. Ladies Aid/LWML

Friday, December 14

Saturday, December 15

9:00 a.m. Braille #203 Work Day 9:30 a.m. Youth Service Day 6:00 p.m. Worship HC

Sunday, December 16

8:30 a.m. Worship HC (PS/PK sing)

9:45 a.m. Bible Studies

10:00 a.m. Family Time with Jesus 11:00 a.m. Worship & Kids Kingdom

Community of Need Meal - This week prepared and served by **Ashley Prewitt family.** To volunteer or for information, contact Rickie (734) 625-6240, or Ashley (734) 790-6958.



In the name of Christ, we will:

Equip individuals to

Strengthen families to

Impact the world

Bulletin for December 9, 2018

Final Traditional Mid-Week Advent Service

Wednesday, Dec. 12

11:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

Join us in the Sanctuary for this final service as we continue asking, "So, Who is Jesus?"

Trinity School Children's



Wednesday, Dec. 19

10:00 a.m. or 6:00 p.m.

Please join us for a special treat as Trinity students present their Christmas Concert.

Please NOTE the special time for the morning presentation.

Recognized

Recently received into membership: Darlene Weisbecker, Paul & Debra Dushane, Chandler Davenport, Jack & Grace Richter, and David & Laura Ayala and children Aiden, Stephen and Allisyn. We pray God's blessings on all!

Commitment to Ministry

Ministry is strong when we do it together. Fill out a commitment card and place it in the basket— Let's be united in all we do that God might be honored.

Remodel Project

The project is almost completed. The fire alarm is being installed and the bleachers will be installed this week. The rest is just finishing everything off. Praise God the end is in sight!

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar this week are presented by the Mike & Laura Strube family in honor of **Myron & Nell Strube** whose 63rd wedding anniversary is December 10.

Stephen Ministry

New classes to begin in mid-January / Sign up by **Dec. 14** / Find out more about Stephen Ministry - www.stephenministries.org / About classes - Dave Bork, 242-5667

Ladies Aid-LWML Meeting

Dec. 13 ~ 12pm / Pot Luck luncheon in the Heritage Room / Hostesses – Bonnie Pillarelli, Cheryl Manor; Devotion – Mary Fuhlbrigge / White Elephant gift exchange / All ladies welcome!

Our Church Decorations

Special thanks to Erin Dowen who volunteered this year to decorate the church for Christmas. We greatly appreciate her and the team who helped!

~ Prayer & Praise Requests ~

ADD TO YOUR MONTHLY LIST:

- Jan Ryder, Betty Luft
- Surgery Pat Grove

PRAYER CHAIN For urgent requests, start our Prayer Chain by calling:

Sherry (242-4756) or Judy (242-8647)

A complete prayer list for December is available at the Information Centers.

AT INFORMATION CENTERS

- Poinsettia Order Form
- 175th Ornament Forms
- NOV JAN NEWSLETTER

 Dec. Calendar, Birthdays, Prayer List
- Electronic Giving Forms & Cards

Worship Attendance 12/1 & 12/2

Sat - 6:00 pm 111 Sun - 8:30am 11am 6:45pm **TOTAL** 88 154 ~~ **353**

Financial Information

Weekly Offering Goal \$ 16,000 Offering for 12/1 & 12/2 \$ 12,668

OFFICE HOURS

- School Office Mon-Fri / 7:30am – 4pm. Closed 11:30am—Noon for lunch
- Church Office
 Mon-Thurs / 8am Noon & 1–4pm; Fri / 8am Noon
- Finance Office
 Mon Thurs / 10am 3pm

SERMON NOTES

WAIT... WAIT... Jump for Joy! Luke 1:39-56

Think of one thing you had to wait for—and the waiting made it special. What has God made you wait for—that you still remember the joy when He gave it/them to you?

Consider one time you rushed things and it did not work out so well. God wants everything to be "just right" when He give is to you. Do you trust Him?

Special Gifts Given In memory of:

- Gloria Conner for Here We Stand...Too! from Joyce Ogdahl
- Loved Ones for Here We Stand...Too! from Vic & Bonnie Fleure
- Albert Copi whose birthday was Dec. 6 for Cemetery Fund from Evelyn Copi; for Here We Stand...Too! from Julia Copi
- Daniel Yensch whose birthday was Dec. 12 for Cemetery Fund from Evelyn Copi; for Here We Stand...Too! from Julia Copi

Lutheran Witness Subscriptions

Dec. 10 deadline /If interested in a subscription, turn in payment of \$11.60 to the Church Office; include name, address & phone number with payment

Blood Drive

Dec. 14 from 12:30-6:30pm /Zion Lutheran Church / Corner of Cole & N. Macomb

Pastor's Thoughts for the Day

This week we will read **Acts 26.** Catch my thoughts on our website or Facebook page. Pastor Heimsoth

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