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## September 1, 2024

### *We Are Cleansed and Sustained by the Word of God*

Wickedness and evil come *“from within, out of the heart,”* and that is what defiles a person (Mark 7:21–23). Hence, we cannot save ourselves, because we are sinful and unclean from the inside out. But the Lord cleanses us by His Word, the preaching of repentance, and the forgiveness of sins. Therefore, *“listen to the statutes and the rules”* of the Lord, *“and do them, that you may live”* (Deut. 4:1). For His Word is righteous, and to live according to it is *“your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the peoples”* (Deut. 4:6). Cling to His Word, and also teach it *“to your children and your children’s children”* (Deut. 4:9). Put on this *“armor of God”* by hearing and heeding what He speaks to you, that you may *“stand firm”* in the evil day (Eph. 6:11–13). Gird yourself with the righteousness of Christ, by faith in the *“gospel of peace,”* and take up *“the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God,”* by confessing Christ Jesus and *“praying at all times in the Spirit”* (Eph. 6:14–18).

### DIVINE SERVICE

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB* 184  
 Creed: Apostle’s

**PRAYER RESPONSE:** “Hear our prayer.”

#### HYMNS

Opening Hymn:  
*LSB* 905 “Come, Thou Almighty King”  
 Sermon Hymn:  
*LSB* 761 “Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me”  
 Offering Hymn:  
*LSB* 781 vv. 1–2 “We Give Thee But Thine Own”  
 Distribution Hymn:  
*LSB* 729 “I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus”  
 Closing Hymn:  
*LSB* 924 “Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing”

#### SERMON TEXT AND THEME

Mark 7:14–23  
 Evil Hearts Made Clean

### IN OUR PRAYERS \*\*

**FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF OUR MEMBERS:** SP: Justin Everson, Jean Gerlach, Jerry Boyd, Chris Heismeyer, Kendra Will, and Cheryl Miller. TR: Pam Hallman, Deb Pope, Diana Kieffer, Alice Johnson, and Dan Meier.

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**TRINITY BIRTHDAYS:** Bev Miller 09/04; Rachel Thompson 09/06

**TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES:** none

**ST. PAUL’S BIRTHDAYS:** Raeleigh Haiar 09/02; Jessica Baumiller 09/04; Will Tobin 09/06

**ST. PAUL’S ANNIVERSARIES:** none

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **September newsletter** is available this morning.

**Trinity LWML Joint Annual Meeting** will be Wednesday, September 4, 2024, at 5:30 p.m. **Gifts from the Heart** collection will be new underwear for Orphan Grain Train. Men’s, women’s, boy’s and girl’s; all sizes.

Trinity Lutherans For Life will be gathering a **free-will offering September 8, 2024**. This offering will go to the Southeastern LFL Chapter’s **Ultrasound Fund** which supports the Alpha Center’s limited ultrasound service. ([alphacenter.org/services/limited-ultrasounds/](http://alphacenter.org/services/limited-ultrasounds/)). This fund maintains the donations previously received for Bike for Life.

**Mitchell Circuit Forum** will be Sunday, September 8, 2024, at Zion Lutheran Church in Mitchell. Supper begins at 6 p.m. The main order of business is to elect a circuit visitor. Contact Pastor, Dean, or Rodney for more information.

**7th and 8th grade students who will be taking Catechism classes** this year, please see Pastor McKillop to set up day and time for classes. The first Catechism class for St. Paul’s will be Tuesday, September 10, 2024, at 6 p.m. The first Catechism class at Trinity will be Wednesday, September 11, 2024, at 4 p.m. **Parents and students** are asked to come to these first classes.

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## 2024-09-01 Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH † TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH CALENDAR

Sun. Sept. 1	8:30 a.m.	Divine Service at Trinity
	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service at St. Paul's
Wed. Sept. 4	2:15 p.m.	Release-Time at Trinity
	5:30 p.m.	LWML Trinity Annual Joint Meeting
Sun. Sept. 8	8:30 a.m.	Divine Service at Trinity
	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service at St. Paul's

### SERVING THE LORD'S CHURCH SEPTEMBER 2024

#### St. Paul's

Elder: Mike Tuschen  
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Acolyte: Jenna Haak  
Altar: Cathy Albrecht  
Greeter Sept. 1: Marv Jira  
Sept. 8: Peg Hoffman

#### Trinity

Elder: Scott Meier  
Ushers: Ron Steffen  
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Altar: Barb Gilbertz

#### LAST SERVICE'S NUMBERS

	St. Paul's	Trinity
Attendance Sun. Aug. 25	35	26
Offering Sun. Aug. 25	\$960	\$1778

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or elder.

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## September 8, 2024

### ***Our Merciful Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, Does All Things Well***

The Lord comes not only with threats of “*vengeance*” and “*recompense*,” but with His gracious salvation (Is. 35:4). He opens “*the eyes of the blind*” and “*the ears of the deaf*,” and He loosens “*the tongue of the mute*” to “*sing for joy*” (Is. 35:5–6). Like water on thirsty ground, He speaks His life-giving Word to people of all nations. With His Word and the touch of His hand, He does “*all things well*,” so that you may now speak “*plainly*” (Mark 7:31–37). You confess the truth of God in Christ to the glory of His holy name, and you call upon His name in every trouble, confident that He will hear and answer. As you pray and confess with your tongue, so also “*love your neighbor as yourself*” (James 2:8). Show your faith “*in our Lord Jesus Christ, the Lord of glory*,” by loving without partiality. For God has “*chosen those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom*” (James 2:1–5).

## DIVINE SERVICE

### ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB* 184  
 Creed: Nicene

**PRAYER RESPONSE:** “Hear our prayer.”

### HYMNS

Opening Hymn:  
*LSB* 480 “He’s Risen, He’s Risen”  
 Sermon Hymn:  
*LSB* 537 “Beautiful Savior”  
 Offering Hymn:  
*LSB* 781 vv. 1–2 “We Give Thee But Thine Own”  
 Distribution Hymn:  
*LSB* 618–619 “I Come, O Savior, to Thy Table”  
 Closing Hymn:  
*LSB* 670 “Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones”

### SERMON TEXT AND THEME

Mark 7:31–37  
 Good Works of a Believer

## IN OUR PRAYERS \*\*

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**CHRISTIAN LOVE AND CONDOLENCES** to the family and friends of Dennis Peters. May our heavenly Father grant comfort and peace in the blessed assurance of eternal life for His children. The funeral service for Dennis Peters will be September 12, 2024, at 10:30 a.m. Visitation will be September 11, 2024, from 5–7 p. m. with the prayer service at 6:30 p.m.

**TRINITY BIRTHDAYS:** Karen Pfitzer 09/09; Malcom Janis 09/09; Kyle Everson 09/12; Jayna Doering 09/13; Dawn Fredericksen 09/14

**TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES:** none

**ST. PAUL’S BIRTHDAY:** Halley Haak 09/08

**ST. PAUL’S ANNIVERSARIES:** none

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## 2024-09-08 Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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Sun. Sept. 8	8:30 a.m.	Divine Service at Trinity
	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service at St. Paul's
Tues. Sept 10	2 p.m.	LWML SP Dorcas Circle
	6 p.m.	St. Paul's Catechism Class
Wed. Sept. 11	2:15 p.m.	Release-Time at Trinity
	4 p.m.	Trinity Catechism Class
	6:30 p.m.	Prayer Service for Dennis Peters, TR
Thurs. Sept. 12	10:30 a.m.	Funeral Service for Dennis Peters, TR
Sun. Sept. 15	8:30 a.m.	Divine Service at Trinity
	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School at St. Paul's
	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service at St. Paul's
	11:45 a.m.	Pastor Welcome/Sunday School Potluck

### SERVING THE LORD'S CHURCH SEPTEMBER 2024

#### St. Paul's

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Elder: Scott Meier

Ushers: Ron Steffen

Dan Meier

Acolyte: Karter Clark

Altar: Barb Gilbertz

#### LAST SERVICE'S NUMBERS

	St. Paul's	Trinity
Attendance Sun. September 1	23	25
Offering Sun. September 1	\$640	\$1443

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## September 15, 2024

### *Christ Jesus Delivers Us from Sin, Death and the Devil*

Those who teach the Word of God “*will be judged with greater strictness*” (James 3:1) because it is by the Word that saving faith is obtained, whereas false doctrine always threatens to destroy Christian faith and life. The tongue “*boasts of great things,*” whether for good or evil (James 3:5). But anyone who bridles his tongue with the Word of God, who “*does not stumble in what he says, he is a perfect man*” (James 3:2). It is Christ who opens His ear to the voice of His Father, so that, with “*the tongue of those who are taught,*” He is able to sustain the weary “*with a word*” (Is. 50:4–5). Entrusting Himself to His Father, even to death, He is not put to shame but is vindicated in His resurrection (Is. 50:6–9). By His faith and faithfulness, He casts out the “*mute and deaf spirit*” from us (Mark 9:25). He has compassion on us and helps us, so that we are not destroyed but cleansed from every evil and raised up from death to life (Mark 9:22–27).

### DIVINE SERVICE

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB 184*  
 Creed: Nicene

**PRAYER RESPONSE:** “Hear our prayer.”

#### HYMNS – TRINITY

Opening Hymn:

*LSB 571* “God Loved the World”

Sermon Hymn:

*LSB 525* “Crown Him with Many”

Offering Hymn:

*LSB 781* vv. 1–2 “We Give Thee But Thine Own”

Distribution Hymn:

*LSB 657* “A Mighty Fortress”

Closing Hymn:

*LSB 784* “Take My Life”

#### SERMON TEXT/THEME — TR

Mark 9:14–29

“Jesus’ Power Over Evil Spirits”

#### HYMNS — ST. PAUL’S

862 “Oh, Blest the House”

864 “Shepherd of Tender Youth”

867 “Let Children Hear”

921 “On What Has Now Been Sown”

#### SERMON TEXT/THEME — SP

Exodus 20:8

“Remember the Sabbath Day”

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**TRINITY BIRTHDAYS:** Kaedon Dalldorf 09/15; Dan Meier 09/17; Michelle Contreras 09/19; Marcella Thompson (98) 09/20; David Markhardt 09/20

**TRINITY ANNIVERSARY:** Jay & Terri Thompson 09/16

**ST. PAUL’S BIRTHDAYS:** Kendra Will 09/17; Marv Jira 09/20

**ST. PAUL’S ANNIVERSARIES:** none

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### LUTHERANS FOR LIFE QUOTE



Scripture and prayer are our strongest weapons to change hearts, and we must persist and never give up, no matter how disappointing things get with evil laws being enacted or evil intent coming our way.” *Virginia Flo, Director of Volunteer Relations, Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org*

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Paul’s Sunday School begins today with their first class of the school year, an education-themed service, and a Sunday School Kick-Off Potluck. This potluck is for both congregations as it is also a Welcome Pastor McKillop event.

**Thank You** to all who contributed to Trinity Lutherans For Life’s collection for Alpha Center’s limited ultrasound service. Your generous offerings of \$263 are greatly appreciated!

At the **Mitchell Circuit Forum** last Sunday, Rev. Ryan Loeslie was nominated to continue serving as our circuit visitor. Ratification of all LCMS South Dakota District Circuit Visitors will take place at the district convention in Sioux Falls February 16–18, 2025.

The next class to be offered by the **Lay Leadership Institute** (LLI) will be the “Old Testament” taught by Rev. Tim Rynearson. The first session will meet Sat., Sept. 28, 2024, at Faith Lutheran, Pierre at 9 a.m. Cost of the class is \$200. For more information visit *sddlcms.org/event/lli-class-old-testament*.

## 2024-09-15 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH † TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH CALENDAR

Sun. Sept. 15 8:30 a.m. Divine Service at Trinity  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School at St. Paul's  
10:30 a.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's  
Tues. Sept 17 6 p.m. St. Paul's Catechism Class  
Wed. Sept. 18 2:15 p.m. Release-Time at Trinity  
4 p.m. Trinity Catechism Class  
Sun. Sept. 22 8:30 a.m. Divine Service at Trinity  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School at St. Paul's  
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Greeters Sept. 15: Lennis/Sandy Titze  
Sept. 22: Mike/Sandy Tuschen

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Elder: Scott Meier  
Ushers: Ron Steffen  
Dan Meier  
Acolyte: Karter Clark  
Altar: Barb Gilbertz

#### LAST SERVICE'S NUMBERS

	St. Paul's	Trinity
Attendance Sun. September 8	15	33
Offering Sun. September 8	\$720	\$609.47

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## September 22, 2024

### *Our Father Cares for His Children with the Gospel of His Son*

God “opposes the proud” with His Law, in order to humble them unto repentance; He “gives grace to the humble,” in order to exalt them by His Gospel of forgiveness (James 4:6–10). This true “wisdom from above” is found in the gentleness, mercy and peace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, who humbled Himself and sacrificed Himself for the salvation of sinners (James 3:17). He was “like a gentle lamb led to the slaughter,” committing Himself to God, His Father, “who judges righteously, who tests the heart and the mind” (Jer. 11:19–20). Therefore, “after three days,” His Father exalted Him by raising Him from the dead (Mark 9:31). In Holy Baptism, He takes disciples of all ages into His arms like little children. In receiving Him through repentance and faith in His forgiveness of sins, they receive from His Father a share in the glory of His cross and resurrection (Mark 9:36–37).

### DIVINE SERVICE

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB* 184  
 Creed: Nicene

**PRAYER RESPONSE:** “Hear our prayer.”

#### HYMNS

Opening Hymn:  
*LSB* 554 “O Jesus, King Most Wonderful”  
 Sermon Hymn:  
*LSB* 575 “My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less”  
 Offering Hymn:  
*LSB* 781 vv. 1–2 “We Give Thee But Thine Own”  
 Distribution Hymn:  
*LSB* 644 “The Church’s One Foundation”  
 Closing Hymn:  
*LSB* 922 “Go, My Children, with My Blessing”

#### SERMON TEXT AND THEME

Mark 9:30–37  
 “Servant of All”

### IN OUR PRAYERS \*\*

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**TRINITY BIRTHDAYS:** none

**TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES:** none

**ST. PAUL’S BIRTHDAYS:** Ann Harless 09/22; Erik Thomas 09/23; Addisyn Everson 09/24; Isabelle Albrecht 09/29

**ST. PAUL’S ANNIVERSARY:** Tucker & Brittney Greene 09/22

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### LUTHERANS FOR LIFE QUOTE



“All of us who die in Christ are going to come up like cherry tomatoes in July—‘a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb’ (Revelation 7:9b). I’ll be there, and so will you, all of us celebrating the Lord who loved us and gave Himself for us—He who died like a single seed falling into the earth, and now ‘bears much fruit’ (John 12:24b).” *Dr. Kari Vo, Lutheran Hour Ministries*

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Trinity’s **Adult Bible Class** and **Children’s Wednesday School** will begin Wednesday, October 2, 2024, at 5:30 p.m. The first Bible Class lesson will be on Law and Gospel.

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It is once again time to replenish **Trinity’s Church Cleaning Fund**. Please remember what a convenience it is to have someone perform this service for us. For your convenience, a self-addressed envelope is provided in the narthex of the church. You may make your donation in any amount to Trinity Lutheran Church and mail it to P.O. Box 6, White Lake, SD 57383, or simply drop it in the offering plate at White Lake. Please mark “Cleaning” in the memo. Thank you!

## 2024-09-22 Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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#### Trinity

Elder: Scott Meier

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	St. Paul's	Trinity
Attendance Sun. September 15	34	27
Offering Sun. September 15	\$920	\$1840

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<p>Rev. Don McKillop, Vacancy Pastor          605-840-0554 (mobile) or email: <a href="mailto:prdomc5897@yahoo.com">prdomc5897@yahoo.com</a>  <b>NEW: Office Hours</b> 9–11:30 a.m. Tues. at St. Paul's and Wed. at Trinity</p>	

## September 29, 2024

### *Christ Jesus, the Son of God, Cares for Us and Serves Us*

When the people of Israel wept, complaining that they had no meat to eat (Num. 11:4), Moses cried out to the Lord that *“the burden of all this people”* was too heavy for him and that he was *“not able to carry all this people alone”* (Num. 11:11–14). So the Lord had Moses gather *“seventy men of the elders of Israel”* (Num. 11:16), and the Lord *“took some of the Spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders”* (Num. 11:25), so that Moses would not carry the burden alone. All who thus labor are honored, and all the people are cared for, in the name of the Lord (Mark 9:39–41). Everything is done with reference to Christ Jesus. So we cling to Him, and we flee from all sins that would separate us from Him (Mark 9:42–48). The life of the Church is one of repentant faith in Christ. Christians confess their sins to one another, and they *“pray for one another,”* that each would be raised up and healed by the Lord Jesus, who covers *“a multitude of sins”* and saves our souls from death (James 5:15–20).

### DIVINE SERVICE

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB 184*  
 Creed: Apostle's

**PRAYER RESPONSE:** “Hear our prayer.”

#### HYMNS

Opening Hymn:  
*LSB 822 “Alleluia! Let Praises Ring”*  
 Sermon Hymn:  
*LSB 516 “Wake, Awake, for Night Is Flying”*  
 Offering Hymn:  
*LSB 781 vv. 1–2 “We Give Thee But Thine Own”*  
 Distribution Hymn:  
*LSB 508 “The Day Is Surely Drawing Near”*  
 Closing Hymn:  
*LSB 670 “Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones”*

#### SERMON TEXT AND THEME

Mark 9:38–50  
 “Heaven or Hell”

### IN OUR PRAYERS \*\*

**FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF OUR MEMBERS:** SP: Justin Everson, Jean Gerlach, Jerry Boyd, Chris Heismeyer, Kendra Will, and Cheryl Miller. TR: Pam Hallman, Deb Pope, Diana Kieffer, Alice Johnson, and Dan Meier.

**FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS IN A NURSING HOME:** SP: Hazel Kern. TR: Florence Meier; LeRoy Bradwisch in White Lake and Linda Smith in Marion, SD.

**FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS:** SP: Lynn Anderson, Tina Gerlach, Lenora Hoffman, and Anna Cranny. TR: Alicia Huber (granddaughter of Lorraine Mosemann) and Rocky Hauge.

**CHRISTIAN LOVE AND CONDOLENCES** to the family and friends of Don Curtis, brother-in-law of Larry/Peg Hoffman. May our heavenly Father grant comfort and peace in the blessed assurance of eternal life for His children.

**TRINITY BIRTHDAYS:** Riann Byrd 10/02; Matthew Fey 10/03

**TRINITY ANNIVERSARY:** David & Nancy Bogenhagen 09/30

**ST. PAUL'S BIRTHDAY:** Cathy Albrecht 10/04

**ST. PAUL'S ANNIVERSARY:** Jeremy & Lori Haak 09/30

\*\* Please contact Nancy at [trinitywlsd@gmail.com](mailto:trinitywlsd@gmail.com) or 605-249-2570 for any updates to this bulletin prayer list. Thank you.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Trinity's **Adult Bible Class** and **Children's Wednesday School** will begin Wednesday, October 2, 2024, at 5:30 p.m. The first Bible Class lesson will be on Law and Gospel.

The next class to be offered by the **Lay Leadership Institute (LLI)** will be the “Old Testament” taught by Rev. Tim Rynearson. The first session will meet Sat., Sept. 28, 2024, at Faith Lutheran, Pierre at 9 a.m. Cost of the class is \$200. For more information visit [sddcms.org/event/lli-class-old-testament](http://sddcms.org/event/lli-class-old-testament).

**LWML Mitchell Zone Fall Rally.** October 6, 2024 at Zion Lutheran Church, Delmont, SD, beginning at 1 p.m. (Preceding the rally, at 11 a.m., Zion's mission festival speaker, Rev. Michael Wolfram, Lutheran Family Services, will give a presentation. A noon meal is being offered for the congregation and LWML zone rally attendees.) LWML Fall Rally Guest Speaker: Cathy VandeBraak, Lutheran Family Services - Adoption. Gifts from the Heart will be items for LFS. There will be a silent auction, with proceeds going toward mite offerings.

It is once again time to replenish **Trinity's Church Cleaning Fund**. Please remember what a convenience it is to have someone perform this service for us. For your convenience, a self-addressed envelope is provided in the narthex of the church. You may make your donation in any amount to Trinity Lutheran Church and mail it to P.O. Box 6, White Lake, SD 57383, or simply drop it in the offering plate at White Lake. Please mark “Cleaning” in the memo. Thank you!

**2024-09-29 Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH † TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH  
SEPTEMBER 29–OCTOBER 5, 2024 EVENTS**

Sun. Sept. 29 8:30 a.m. Divine Service at Trinity  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School at St. Paul's  
10:30 a.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's  
Tues. Oct. 1 2 p.m. LWML Trinity Hope Circle  
6 p.m. St. Paul's Catechism Class  
Wed. Oct. 2 2:15 p.m. Release-Time at Trinity  
4 p.m. Trinity Catechism Class  
5:30 p.m. Trinity Adult Bible Class  
Trinity Children's Wednesday School  
6:30 p.m. LWML Trinity Ruth Circle

**SERVING THE LORD'S CHURCH SEPTEMBER 2024**

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Merlyn Haak  
Acolyte: Jenna Haak  
Altar: Cathy Albrecht  
Greeters Sept.29: Curt/Kathy Guindon  
Oct. 7: Howard/Sharon Weischedel

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