

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

- Sun 2** 8:00 a.m. Pre-service Rehearsal
- 9:00 a.m. Pre-service Refreshments
- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service
- 10:30 a.m. Refreshments & snacks downstairs
- 11:00 a.m. Christmas Program Practice
- 7:00 p.m. Sr. High Student Ministry

- Tues 4** 6:00 p.m. Consistory Dinner
- 7:00 p.m. Exalt Practice

- Wed 5** 6:00 p.m. Jr. High Student Ministry

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STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Fund	Weekly Need	Offering last Sunday
General	\$4,510.25	\$3,336.00

Congregational Attendance for Sunday, November 25: 167

TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH

524 Carrington Street, Waupun, WI 53963
 920-324-2400 www.trcwaupun.com

OUR VISION: To fully love God and sacrificially serve others.

OUR MISSION: To seek God daily, live in community, and love others as one’s self.

OUR STAFF

Brent Matzen	Pastor	brent@trcwaupun.com
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OUR CONSISTORY

Elders

Harland Harmsen, Glen Hesselink, Anne Kraintz, Kurt Neevel, Stan Neevel, Marcia Smit

Deacons

Paul Loomans, Craig Ruis, John Smits, Andy Stelsel, John Toutant, Scott Van Galen



***To fully love God and
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December 2, 2018 – 9:30 a.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME TO TRINITY!

To Our Guests: We want to take a moment and welcome you. We're thrilled that you have chosen to celebrate today with the community of Trinity Church. We hope that you will find your time with the community both welcoming and encouraging. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to speak with our pastor or leaders, or simply fill out a Connection Card located on the back of the pews. You can place your card in the offering plate, drop it in the prayer box, or hand it to a member and we'll do our best to help you get connected. Lastly, don't forget to enjoy some refreshments and make a new friend.

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME – GREETING ONE ANOTHER

*SONGS OF PRAISE

Joy to the World (Unspeakable Joy)

Mighty to Save

Advent Candle Lighting

I Will Not Forget You

PRAYER

MESSAGE: *The 10 Greatest Statements in History: Do Not Covet*

Scripture: Exodus 20:17

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Jesus Thank You

GIVING OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

Announcements

*BLESSING

**please stand if you are able*

***Sermons Online:** If you missed last week's sermon or want to introduce a friend to Trinity via the message, you can go to our website – www.trcwaupun.com – and listen to it! Click on the "Media" tab and scroll down to "Sermons".



The Annual Consistory Dinner is this Tuesday, Dec. 4 at 6pm at Helen's Kitchen. Current and newly elected Consistory members as well as their spouses are included. There will be a brief Consistory meeting back at the church after dinner.

Advent Devotions are available on one of the tables at the back of the sanctuary. If we run out, more can be printed.

Christmas Program Practice: The 2nd-8th graders will have practice for the Christmas Program on Sundays Dec. 2 and Dec. 16 at 11am in the sanctuary. The Christmas Program will be Sunday, Dec. 23. Any questions, contact Cindy Sullivan (920.763.4215).

Christmas Eve Service: There will be a service on Christmas Eve at 5pm. We hope you will plan to come and invite family and friends to come with you. Let's celebrate the Greatest Gift given to us!

OUTREACH

Winter Clothing Drive: From now through December 23rd, Trinity is collecting new/gently used winter gear and money to donate to Meadow View Primary (4k-1 building). Items can be put into the wooden box across from the elevator. Envelopes are available to put monetary donations in, which can be left on the desk in the church office. An offering will be collected at the Dec. 23rd Christmas Program service. Checks can be written out to Meadow View Primary or MVP (winter gear donation on memo line). Thank you for supporting our young students! Contact Rhonda Buchholz with any questions. (920) 517-9846 rbuchholz@waupun.k12.wi.us

Angel Tree: For several years, Trinity has participated in a ministry through Prison Fellowship where we purchase Christmas gifts for children on behalf of their parent who is in prison. This is an opportunity for the prisoner to connect with their child(ren) this Christmas. Angels are available on the tree in the back of the sanctuary and include a child's name, age, and specific gift requests. Gifts should be \$20-25 and returned under the tree, wrapped with the angel tag attached, by Sunday, Dec. 9. Don't forget to fill out the tracking form on the table next to the tree. Contact Megan Bruins (920.344.1647) with questions.

Yarn Donations: The Waupun Correctional Institution is looking for donations of yarn. The inmates crochet hats and mittens for Head Start School Children and baby blankets to donate to domestic abuse shelters. If anyone has yarn to donate (any color, weight, scrap or otherwise) to donate, it would be greatly appreciated. Yarn donations can be left in the plastic tote by the elevator.

If you have bulletin announcements for next Sunday, please contact the church office by 5 p.m. on Wednesday.

Sermon Notes:

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

At Trinity Church we value ministering to children in a way that is fun, safe, and age appropriate. While children are welcome to worship with their parent(s) in the sanctuary, we also offer Children's Church in the lower level of our facility during the entire adult service. Children's Church is completely designed around our youngest members from newborn to 5th grade. Parents/guardians are able to drop off their child(ren) before service begins and pick them up when service ends. Children's Church includes a time of worship, activities, a lesson, and fun time. If you have any questions please contact: children@trcwaupun.com or just head downstairs to Kid Zone!

Activity bags: For parents who prefer their children to worship with them upstairs, we offer activity bags located at the sanctuary entrance doors. There are also coloring sheets and bulletins located on the window ledge next to the activity bags.

STUDENT MINISTRY

Jr. High (6-8th grade) meets *September-May* on Wednesday night at 6:00 p.m. downstairs in the church parsonage, 420 Park Avenue. (Enter through the back door.) Friends are always welcome!

Sr. High (9-12th grade) meets *September-May* on Sunday night at 7:00 p.m. downstairs in the church parsonage, 420 Park Avenue. (Enter through the back door.) Friends are always welcome!

PRAYER

- Please continue to keep Sandee Bossenbroeck in prayer as she remains at the St. Francis Home in Fond du Lac recovering from knee surgery.
- Please pray for Harland Harmsen as he continues testing for chest pain. Previous tests reveal it is not his heart.
- Please pray for Jean Wessels as she recovers from surgery.

Prayer requests for the bulletin may be emailed to office@trcwaupun.com or call 324-2400. For inclusion on the Prayer Chain, contact Ruth DeYoung at 324-2919. All other needs may be communicated to your elder care group leader.