



Trinity Tidings

Trinity Lutheran Church and School

3000 35th Avenue

Greeley, Colorado 80634

MAY & JUNE 2025

Coming in May!

You are Invited!

Friday, May 2, 2025

at 6:00 pm

In the School Gym

*Silent Auction

*Bake Sale

*Texas Roadhouse peanuts for sale



Coming in June!

VBS



"True North:
Trusting Jesus in a Wild World"

June 9-13, 9 am to 12 pm

Kids are invited to join us for a great adventure filled with games, songs, and the discovery of God's love. VBS is not just about fun; it's an opportunity for children to build lasting friendships and learn about the incredible love of God.

To make this experience unforgettable, we need your support! Join us as a Crew Leader, Games Leader, Bible Adventures Leader, Snacks Helper, or in various other roles. Our training session will ensure you're well prepared for the adventure ahead.

Visit vbspro.events/p/trinityvbs25 or scan the QR code for more details and to sign up as a volunteer or register your child.





May
~ Thursday, May 1st ~
@ 10:00 am

Mite Devotions

Program: National Day of Prayer
Presented by Pastor Joshua Vanderhyde

Hostess: Carolyn Cowherd

MITE SUNDAY, May 4th—The first Sunday of each month the Mite box will be available for you to bring your Mites. (Suggestion: put your coins in a zip lock bag - keep your mite box).

A big **THANK YOU** to all who given 'mites' on Mite Sunday. Our MITES added to those around the District will help meet our goal so the last grant will be paid. Again Thanks!

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

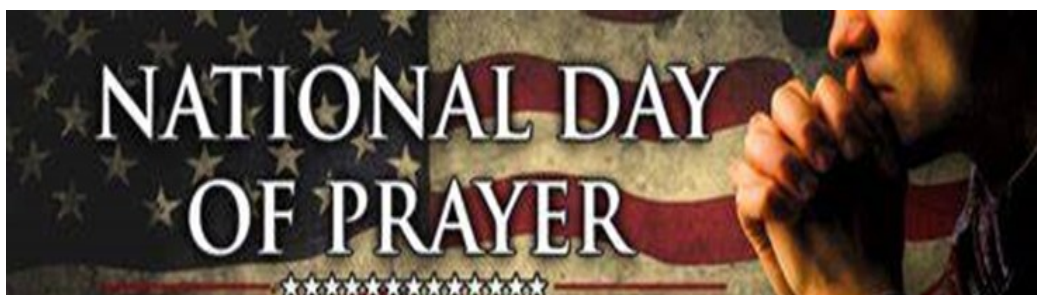
THURSDAY, MAY 1ST **10 AM PRAYER SERVICE**

Thursday, May 1st is National Day of Prayer.

Please come to the 10 am Prayer Service and encourage others to take time out of your day to pray for our church, for our community and for our nation.

This is an opportunity to come together to unite our hearts and minds in prayer for our country and for all the people of the world. Please join us for this prayer service led by Pastor Vanderhyde. After the service, please stay for a salad luncheon and fellowship.

“Grace, Mercy, and Peace”
Invite your family, friends and neighbors.





June

~Thursday, June 5th~

@ 11:00 am

Ladies Lunch Out

Venue TBD

Program: Fellowship, Installation of officers
Birthday Acknowledgement for April, May, and June

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LWML/Ladies Guild will not formally meet during July and August. There will be a planning meeting for 2025-2026, date TBD.



Remembering Our Homebound Members

The following members of our church are currently either living at home or in a care facility and have limited capability of joining their church family at worship.

- *Richard Beitz-Home
- *Ellen Colegrove- Grace Point
- *Elaine Daubert-Home
- *Melanie Davis - Home
- *Teresa Detterer-Home
- *William Heldt-Meadowview
- *Rachel Einspahr- Grace Point
- *Verne Einspahr –Grace Point
- *Mary Henneck-Home
- *Ruth McGhghy - Life Care
- *Mark McKinley -Home
- *Ron Otto- Grace Point
- *Karen Rutt-Greeley Village
- *Dave Schoneck –Home
- *Esther Specht-Home
- *Lorene Steele –Home
- *Don & Dixie Wacker –Home
- *Earl Weiss –Grace Point

Please keep them in your prayers and consider calling or sending cards or letters to let them know you are thinking of them. If you need an address or phone number, call the church office or pick up a directory at the church.

School Happenings

Preschool & K-8

Trinity family,

May 21 will be school day 172 and the 2024-25 school year will be done! There were many new things (math & religion curriculum, a new teacher, new students) – many challenges – and many, many joys. I just completed my 43rd year in the teaching ministry and it's why I keep on going – the joys are much more powerful than the change and challenge. Much of that joy comes from seeing the Holy Spirit working in the lives of our staff, students and their parents.

After 11 weeks – which will fly by quickly – we will be back to school on August 13. We will be guided by our new principal, Pastor Vanderhyde. We will welcome a new elementary teacher – Erin Butterworth (who will teach grades 5 & 6). The early childhood staff will have an additional person because Mrs. Angela Riemer is moving away. We will have new reading curriculum materials. Our preschool will be part of the Colorado Universal PreK Program. Our elementary school will be part of the Foundry program (watch for details about that from Pastor Vanderhyde). We will also have new students in the building. It's a lot to think about, but it is exciting to be part of a ministry program that strives to improve and expand.

But our building won't be totally quiet this summer. We will still have summer preschool/childcare. The program is staffed by Mrs. Ewald, Miss Jady, Miss Abby and me, Miss Marshall. We have just one classroom in the summer, but it makes it easier to plan fun activities like water days and cooking projects. Summer is also a time for extended recess time; pray that we don't get a lot of heat or mosquitos this year! Otherwise, we will spend most of our time in the preschool classrooms in the southeast corner of the building.

Pray for all of our staff to have a refreshing summer – especially the ones who still work at Trinity or other places during the summer months. Let everyone “fill their buckets” to be ready when August rolls around.

Continue to pray for more students and families. I just finished giving a preschool tour before sitting down to write this. The family was very impressed with our facility, the people they met and our program. They were also excited when I told them we have an elementary school so their little boy could continue a Lutheran education when he was ready for kindergarten. They hadn't realized that a school was even here!

On a personal note – I have friends throwing a 65th birthday party for me on Saturday, June 7, beginning at 1:00 p.m. I asked that the party be at Trinity so that my church and school family can easily join the celebration. A reminder invitation will be in the bulletin as the date gets closer, but put it on your calendar now.

Gwen Marshall
Preschool Director



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RESOURCE CENTER – BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

MOTHER’S DAY TO FATHER’S DAY 2025



The annual fundraiser benefitting The Resource Center (TRC), and their valuable work in Greeley, and its surrounding communities is about to begin. This campaign helps to fund TRC as they continue to provide help (at no charge) to women who don’t know which option to take. They are a Christian organization that shares Christ’s love with all who will listen.

Recently TRC shared their goals for the coming year. They include:

1. To expand our current services (adding one evening clinic per week to include our usual medical services; parenting classes, and abortion recovery support groups; research housing options for clients who need them, and explore the idea of a “pop-up” clinic once a month in various parts of the Weld County)
2. Encourage more adoptions
3. Strengthen our partnerships with churches to include training for church housed “Embrace Grace Groups” and abortion recovery support groups
4. Increased engagement with younger generations especially millennial and Gen Z.

You might be wondering how much does it cost to provide assistance to one TRC client. Pregnancy test, STD test/treatment, and an ultrasound per client costs \$1357.00. Last year Trinity donated \$10,074. That equates to almost 7.5 ultrasounds provided by our community.

Please consider giving to this organization so that they can continue to provide for our community. Sadly, our laws in Colorado continue to make it too easy and acceptable to take the other option. For additional information, contact Londa Polzin, 970-656-3499.

Thank you in advance for your prayers and financial support to this campaign.

Londa Polzin
TRC Church Ambassador



SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

We need your help this summer in order to have Sunday school for our TLC children!

Please consider teaching a few Sundays in June, July, or August. See Lance or Londa Polzin to sign-up or ask questions. Thanks!

PLAN AHEAD! Summer is here and that means vacation time. Debi will be taking some time off in June and July. Dates have not been confirmed yet. Bulletins will be made in advance, please send items that you want in the bulletin asap as they may miss this week and need to go into next week. There will not be a July Newsletter, so take that into consideration. More information will be in the bulletin as dates are confirmed. There will be volunteers in the office to answer the phones and the door.
Thank you in advance for your assistance.



Beginning Friday, May 23rd:

Monday thru Thursday
8 am to 4 pm

Fridays: CLOSED

Debi will be out of the office on Fridays
now until the end of June.

DONATING IN **MAY, IS A GREAT WAY!**

DONATE

NON-PERISHABLE DONATIONS

for the

WELD FOOD BANK

CANNED VEGETABLES

CANNED FRUIT

SOUPS

BOXED POTATOES

CANNED HAMS

PASTA

CANNED MEATS

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RICE

FRUIT ROLLUPS

FLOUR

SUGAR

GIFT CARDS (Please give directly to Barb Perusek)

Drop off your donations at the school

Mon—Friday 8 am –4 pm or the church on Sunday mornings.



HELP US REACH OUR GOAL

OF 1250#

FOR 2025

CURRENTLY YOU HAVE DONATED 865#



MAY



Birthdays

1-Linda Korf
 5-Rose Allmann
 5-Roxanne Schlichenmayer
 7 –Matthew Dietrich
 7 –Asa Ewald
 7-Kyra McKinney
 8 –Harold Dietrich
 8 –Rachel Dietrich
 8-Greg Hiller
 9 -Jaylee Boxum
 9 –Amy Brech
 14 –Elaine Kenan
 14– Ruth McGhghy
 15 –Joshua Vanderhyde
 16 –Geoffrey Dietrich
 17 –Oakley Brown

19 –Michael Thuener
 20 –Bendon Butterworth
 20 –Barb Perusek
 23 –Renee Ortado
 23-Dale Schlichenmayer
 26-Tonaira Ewald
 26 –Suzanne Fricke
 26 –Chloe Herold
 26 –Jeff Junker
 26 –Jacquelyn Stuht
 27 –Toni Harvey
 27 –Paul Henneck
 27 –Angela Riemer
 27 –Esther Specht
 28 –Kristina Haberman
 29 –Irene Mews
 31 –Kimberly Munsterman



Jim & Jacquelyn Stuht—9 yrs.
 Jennifer & Michael Lenderink –14 yrs.
 James & Ashley Roohr –17 yrs.
 Jeff & Diana Leschinsky –23 yrs.
 Ron & Tammi Gemaehlich –47 yrs.
 Scott & Mary Tyrell –34 yrs.
 Doug & Candy Reed –35 yrs.
 Lance & Londa Polzin –45 yrs.
 Ron & Arlene Otto –64 yrs.
 Verne & Rachel Einspahr –65 yrs.

(If we missed your special day, please let the office know.)



JUNE



Birthdays

1-June Martin
 2-Jennifer Lenderink
 3-Tori Foster
 3-Rebecca Kelly-Watson
 3 -Gwen Marshall
 4-Ashley Roohr
 5-Reilly Russel
 6-Dixie Wacker
 7-Alex Sackschewsky
 8 -Henry Thuener II
 9 -Brenda Chartier
 9 -Sabrina Pittam
 9 -Jason Reiter
 9 -Larry Seegrst
 12 -Tim Turner
 13-Scott Zielske
 14 -Janel Marolf
 14 -Susan Pelis
 15 -Thea Hammers
 17 Janice Wiedeman

18-Julie Bischoff
 19 -Amanda Zielske
 20 -John Kruger
 21 -Daniel DeLange
 22-Lois Rothe
 24 -Cheri Carsten
 24 -Logan Soto
 24 -Cathy Turley
 24 -Micah Wacker
 24 -Sandran Wagner
 25 -Stephen Cooper
 26 -Amanda Thuener
 28 -Ron Gemaehlich
 28 -Elijah Schwartz
 28-Todd Whitmore
 28 -Fran Zielske
 30 -Wanda Anderson
 30 -Richard Beitz
 30 -Richard Geisert



John & Cathy Kruger -7 yrs.
 Richard & Emily Russel -10 yrs.
 Joshua & Virginia Vanderhyde -12 yrs.
 Jason & Laura Reiter - 14 yrs.
 Michael & Amanda Thuener -14 yrs.
 Robert & Karen Moline -35 yrs.
 Scott & Teri Morrow -36 yrs.
 Todd & Karla Whitmore -36 yrs.
 Larry & Rexene Whitney - 52 yrs.
 Toni & Carl Harvey -53 yrs.
 Robert & Carolyn Cowherd -63 yrs.

(If we missed your special day, please let the office know.)

Ministry Assistants—May Schedule

May 4

Elders – 8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

Sound –8:00 am Dan Swanson; 10:30 am Dan Swanson

Video –8:00 am Mary Beitz; 10:30 am Terri Swanson

Organist– Ken Streeb

Security –8:00 am James Roohr; 10:30 am Lance Polzin



May 11*

Elders –8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

Sound –8:00 am Jeff Junker; 10:30 am Jeff Junker

Video –8:00 am Dan Swanson; 10:30 am Jeff Junker

Organist –Debra Schwartz

Security – 8:00 am Douglas Sterner; 10:30 am Lance Polzin

May 18

Elders – 8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

Sound –8:00 am Jeff Junker; 10:30 am Jeff Junker

Video –8:00 am Dan Swanson; 10:30 am Dan Swanson

Organist– Ken Streeb

Security –8:00 am Douglas Sterner; 10:30 am Bret Schmidt

May 25*

Elders –8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

Sound –8:00 am Dan Swanson; 10:30 am Dan Swanson

Video –8:00 am Terri Swanson; 10:30 am Terri Swanson

Organist– Debra Schwartz

Security –8:00 am James Roohr; 10:30 am Bret Schmidt

*Communion



Ministry assistants are always needed in each of the above areas.

If you are interested in serving, please call the following people.

Elders - Ken Clavir, 352-4608

Ushers - Ken Einspahr, 454-1626

Sound/Video - Dan Swanson, 351-8815

Ministry Assistants—June Schedule

June 1

Elders – 8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

Sound –8:00 am Dan Swanson; 10:30 am Dan Swanson

Video –8:00 am Mary Beitz; 10:30 am Terri Swanson

Organist– Ken Streeb

Security –8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD



June 8*

Elders –8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

Sound –8:00 am Jeff Junker; 10:30 am Jeff Junker

Video –8:00 am Dan Swanson; 10:30 am Jeff Junker

Organist –Debra Schwartz

Security – 8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

June 15

Elders – 8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

Sound –8:00 am Jeff Junker; 10:30 am Jeff Junker

Video –8:00 am Mary Beitz; 10:30 am Jeff Junker

Organist– Ken Streeb

Security –8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

June 22*

Elders –8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

Sound –8:00 am Dan Swanson; 10:30 am Dan Swanson

Video –8:00 am Terri Swanson; 10:30 am Terri Swanson

Organist– Debra Schwartz

Security –8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

June 29*

Elders –8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

Sound –8:00 am Jeff Junker; 10:30 am Jeff Junker

Video –8:00 am Dan Swanson; 10:30 am Dan Swanson

Organist– Debra Schwartz

Security –8:00 am TBD; 10:30 am TBD

*Communion



May 2025

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Apr 27	28	29	30	May 1	2	3
Mite Sunday 8:00am & 10:30 am Worship	9:00am Quilters Meet 6:00pm BOE Meeting			6:30am Men's Group 10:00am National Day of Prayer Svc.	6:00pm Young Marines 6:00pm Talent Show	
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9:20am SS & Bible Study	9:00am Quilters Meet 6:00pm BOE Meeting		10:00am Women's Bible Study 5:30pm Small Group	6:30am Men's Group 1:00pm FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE	6:00pm Young Marines	7:00am ELDERS Meeting 8:30am ZOOM-Church Council
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Baby Bottle Campaign Begins 8:00am & 10:30 am Worship	9:00am Quilters Meet		10:00am Women's Bible Study	6:30am Men's Group 3:00pm Newsletter Deadline	6:00pm Young Marines	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
8:00am & 10:30 am Worship	9:00am Quilters Meet	4:00pm Cook Nights Out	10:00am Women's Bible Study 5:30pm Small Group	6:30am Men's Group 12:00pm O.W.L.S.	6:00pm Young Marines	8:00am Property Team Meeting
9:20am SS & Bible Study						
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
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9:20am SS & Bible Study						

June 2025

July 2025

June 2025

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8 8:00am & 10:30 am Worship 9:20am SS & Bible Study	9 VBS 9:00am Quilters Meet	10 VBS	11 VBS 10:00am Women's Bible Study	12 VBS 6:30am Men's Group	13 VBS 6:00pm Young Marines	14 7:00am ELDERS Meeting 8:30am Church Council
15 Baby Bottle Campaign Ends 8:00am & 10:30 am 9:20am SS & Bible Study 3:00pm Newsletter	16 9:00am Quilters Meet	17	18 10:00am Women's Bible Study 5:30pm Small Group	19 6:30am Men's Group	20 6:00pm Young Marines	21
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May

ALTAR FLOWER
~Schedule~

Please sign up to bring flowers.
The chart is on bulletin board on the west wall of the narthex. Please call the church office, 970-330-2485 and let Debi know you added your name.

May 4
Available

May 11 (Mother's Day)
Brenda Jaynes

May 18
Available

May 25
Available



June

June 1
Available

June 8
Available

June 15
Available

June 22
Available

June 29
Available



*Haven Ramona Fisher
Ewald*

*(Daughter of Zachary &
Tonaira Ewald)*

Born 2-16-2025

Baptized 4-6-2025

*Joseph Randall Reiter
(Son of Jason & Laura Reiter)*

Born 3-3-2025

Baptized 4-27-2025

~ATTENDANCE~

March 23 Early-110 Late-47

March 30 Early-97 Late-50

April 6 Early-98 Late-75

April 13 Early-147 Late-62

April 20 Sunrise-45

Early-135 Late-75

Trinity Tidings

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Website: tlgreeley.org

Worship Services

Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 am
Adult Bible Classes
Sunday School - 9:20 am



"A Special Fitness Plan"

Read the words in 1 Corinthians 9:24-27. It talks about being in shape to "run the race" - to be a Christian. Below is a fitness plan to help.

Match the words from the list below into the shaped boxes to complete the sentences.

- ① your .
- ② about God's .
- ③ every .
- ④ Pray .
- ⑤ at for day.
- ⑥ to God in you do.

Do someone each Try Bible words
for everything one Read Think others
day please thing Pray least loving

Answer: 1. Read your Bible. 2. Think about God's words. 3. Pray every day.
4. Pray for others. 5. Do at least one loving thing for someone each day. 6.
Try to please God in everything you do.