Please pray for...

Our Church Family: Week of 9/22/24—The Popovich and Possel Family, Pastor Ken; 9/8/24—Don Beck, Jennifer Fischer—Patricia Morgan, 9/1/24— Mo White, Carol Civitella, Hal Jandola, Bob Griffin and Family, Susan Leroux, Marlys Anderson, Norma Bennett; 8/18—family of Lois Deland, Pat Griffith, Carol Dohrmann



Our friends and relatives: Week of 9/22/24—Robert Gray, Paul Chambers and family, Luke Boettcher, Mary Pat Freund, Sean Murry, Teresa Cornell, Angie Picatagi, Warren Plowden, 9/15/24 Joe Chacon; 9/8/24 Hailey Popovich, Jerry Anderson, Dennis Fischer, Yvonne Cambray, Mary Roberts, Stephanie Kerzelis, Ruth Warrick, Ashley King and Family, Brian Murray, Tyler Murry, Steve and Ericka Giroux, Dorothy Woodcock, Jasmine Torres, Gabby Goncalves 8/25—Linda Fiesel, Jennifer Ridenhour, Blaine Nix, Audrey & Lewis Brazell 8/18/24 Sharon Faulkner, Caleb, Julie, Reagan; 8/11—Tom Moore, Carlynn Henry, family of Daniel Smalley, Cynthia Reimann, Fran Fleming, Ashley King & family, Ruth Warrick, Yvonne Cambray, Mary Roberts, Noah, Jacob & Aaron Mendez, Tyler Murray;

Ongoing church family, friends and relatives: Lori Allen, Tom Coe, Peggy Torgerson, Keira De Oliveira, Mary Ann Kraft, Diane Massa, Jackie Walsh, Ed Palmer, Pat Berthiaume, Joan Forreidor, Fred & Ruth Eskuri, Sharon Faulkner, Mary Lou Burke, Chester Sulinski, Carolynn Chamberlain, Doreen Panyard, Mona Argentini, Larry Thomas, Dietmar Bennett, Jon Dickey, Margot Simmons, Sean Costa, Don Randolph, Karen Smith, Audrey Stamps, Piper Jandola, Margo Kiepert, Amy Meyer, Annette Morden, Frances Fenwick

In Hospice care: Becky Burrows

Please also pray for our Homebound members, Ministry of Faith Preparatory School, Ministry of Valerie's House, Ministry of Tender Hearts, all who serve in the military and their families, all law enforcement officers and first responders



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WELCOME TO WORSHIP! We are glad YOU are here!

Are You a Visitor or Guest? We welcome you in the name of our risen Savior and we rejoice that you are here today to praise God with us. Please complete a **CONNECTION CARD** in your pew. Either place it in the offering plate or give it to one of our pastors so we can serve you better.

Holy Communion—We believe that Christ is present in this meal freely given to all who are baptized. Please approach the altar as directed. Receive the host and then dip the host (gluten free wafers are available for the asking) into either the red wine or the white grape juice and eat, or place the host in your mouth then pick up a cup of either the red wine or the white grape juice and drink. Deposit your empty cup in the basket at the end of the line. All children are invited to come forward for a blessing if they do not normally receive communion.

Return to your seat (or pause at the altar) for a time of prayer. If you are unable to come to the altar and would like

<u>Large Print Service Slide Booklet</u>—do you have trouble seeing the screens? We do have the slides printed in a notebook for those who need it. Please ask an usher by the sanctuary doors for the notebook. Please return the notebook at the end of worship.

communion in your pew, please let an usher or a pastor know.

<u>Hearing Assistance</u> – We have a limited supply of hearing devices available for use. If you feel you need one, please see the sound booth attendant at the back of the sanctuary.



TODAY'S SERVICE VOLUNTEERS

9:00am: GREETER: BULLETINS: Rosemary Conklin

Reader: Andrew Stiemke

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Andrew Stiemke, Marie Stiemke, Julie Arenz, Hannah Barrios

1045: GREETER: Janet Nuse BULLETINS: Tom Rickey

READER: Dick Vercruysse **OFFERING:** Tom Mount, Richard Schnur

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Connie Wuckert, Steve Wuckert, Nancy Rickey, Richard Schnur

COFFEE HOUR HOSTS: Early: Maryanne Gravy Late: Barb Hilb

SIGN-UP SHEETS FOR NEXT MONTH ARE POSTED IN THE NARTHEX

TODAY'S WORSHIP:

Our 9 and 10:45 services are projected on the screens—The congregation responds with the bold, black print.

HYMNS @ 10:45am:

Opening: ELW 731 Sermon: ELW 461 Sending: ELW 542

Bible Readings: Exodus 12:1-13; 13:1-8; Luke 22:14-20

Next Week: Exodus 32:1-14, Luke 23:34

Church Council Members

You can recognize a church council member by their "YELLOW" nametag.

President –Theda Bunker, Vice-President-Phil Deel, Secretary-Jeanne Gaston, Treasurer-Shawn Hernandez.

At large: Beau Beaudine, Mike Felt, Richard Schnur, Sandi Witzke

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Monday - Sept. 30

9:00a—Food Pantry 6:30p—New Member Class

Tuesday—Oct. 1

10:00a—Bible Study

Wednesday - Oct. 2

9:00a—Food Pantry 6:30 p—Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday - Oct. 3

9:00a—Quilters 9:00a—Men's Breakfast 5:30p—Fish, Shrimp, Chicken Fry 6:30p—Praise Team Rehearsal

Friday—Oct. 4 Office Closed

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Saturday -Oct. 5

Office Closed

Sunday - Oct. 6

9:00a - Celebration Worship 10:45a - Traditional Worship 9:15a —Let's Talk

Our Financial Stewardship

Donations YTD: Actual donations compared to spending plan. Each week is added to give a cumulative total. (000s)

AUG Actual \$382.1 <u>Needed \$401.7</u> (Under) (\$ 19.6)

ACTUAL NET YTD: AUG 24 \$4.2

15 year Mortgage

as of 1/1/24 \$293.4

as of 8/31/24 \$224.8

YTD reduction \$68.6



Today's altar flowers are presented by

family and friends

In memory of Sandra Santello

Tammy Wieshoff

In loving memory of Russell Schalller



The communion wine is presented by family and friends of

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THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS

Sept. 29— Andrew Stiemke
Oct. 2— Pam Hrivnak
Oct. 3 — Roger Stone

Paula Weidewitsch

Oct. 5— Ron Dafoe Kim Simon





THIS WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES

Oct. 3— Richard and Heather Williams

60 yrs

In-person Attendance

September 22, 2024— 238 Last year 2023— 226

TRINITY'S CULINARY BISTRO PRESENTS

Fish, Shrimp and Chicken FRY

On October 3, 2024

Doors open at 5:30—Dinner 6:00

Free Will offering—BYOB (wine or beer)

Menu

Cheddar and Beer Dip

FRIED FLAKY White Cod Fish

GOLDEN FRIED DIP Butterfly Shrimp

BONELESS FRIED Chicken Breast

CHICK-FIL-A STYLE COle Slaw

OVEN BAKED SEASON Tater Tots
(KICK THEM UP HTLC ALFREDO SAUCE)

CHEF MARK'S SPECIAL

Apple Cobbler





A heartfelt thank you to all the volunteers who helped during the move to accommodate the new flooring in the classrooms, office and sanctuary. It was a massive job to move all the furniture, then move it back. Their efforts will not be forgotten. They know who they are, but in case you don't:

fd Barnes, Mike Felt, Steve Wuckert, Phil Deel, Bill Rose,

Cecil Buchinger, Marianne Click,

The Quilting Group, Margaret Rose

and Pastors Andrea and Ken.







Bible Study with

Pastor Ken

will resume on

Tuesday

October 1st.

We will be studying the

Book of Daniel!

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS

First Sunday of the month (Oct. 6th) in the narthex. Blood pressures will be taken by trained nurses from our congregation.





Women in Stitches!

October 17th!

More information to come!



Council Highlights from September 2024

Motion to accept the revised minutes from August was unanimously carried. **Motion** to accept the proposal for tree trimming of all trees for this year on church property by our landscaper in the amount of \$2100.00 was carried. **Motion** to accept the proposal for gutters in courtyard south side of sanctuary (no gutters currently) for \$7750 and for Fellowship Hall including offices for \$8750, was carried.

Year to date through August, donations are above spending, envelope offerings above last year, mortgage offerings are up. Finance committee opted to add \$143,672.05 from the Endowment Fund to the Church balance sheet. These funds will remain restricted and managed by the Endowment fund committee. In October, council will be reviewing the 2025 budget plan.

Grateful thank yous were extended to: Sonja Rozier, Jackie Possel, Corrye Hatchell, Barbara Peterson, Cindy Ezell, for organizing the choir inventory, stamping file numbers on 30 copies of 395 pieces of music! We would also like to thank Heidi Beaudine for being the music librarian.

Staying Healthy as we get more beautiful and handsome is important! Always consult with you doctor.
Here are some:



- 1. Keep Moving
- 2. Eat more protein
- 3. Get regular checkups
- Reach out and stay connected with people
- 5. Get enough sleep
- 6. Make time to de-stress
- 7. Lean into today

More on these to come.



MEN'S BREAKFAST!

Join us for a fellowship breakfast on Thursday, **October 3rd** at the **IHOP** on Tamiami Trail . No reservations necessary. We gather for food and fellowship at **9am**.