

**Dead Sea Scrolls**-The Board of Outreach & Social Ministry is planning a trip to the Milwaukee Museum to see this exhibit on Sun, May 16<sup>th</sup>. Carpool leaves church at 10:45am. Cost: \$24/adult (18-59), \$22/seniors (60 & over), \$17/child. Ticket price includes your admission to the exhibit & the rest of the museum. Please contact Laurel Wirth: [twirth1@new.rr.com](mailto:twirth1@new.rr.com) or (920) 722-6766.

**Annual Salad & Desert Luncheon**- set for May 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 for the Ladies Aid/LWML. Invite your daughters, sisters & friends! Please bring a dish to pass. The sign up sheet is on the bulletin board in the Narthex. Any questions contact Joan Reinke or Dottie Kraus.

### Our Sunday School

Jesus calls Himself our shepherd (John 10:22-30). The children will study how we are all like sheep who have gone astray. Talk about this Good Shepherd Jesus, who rescues, gathers, & cares for us through His Word & Sacraments.

**Traveling Trophy**- was won by the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> graders last Sunday with the highest class attendance of 63%. Keep up the good work!

**Sunday School to Sing**- on Mother's Day on Sun, May 9<sup>th</sup> at 9:00pm. Please plan to attend with your child(ren)!

**Mission for the Spring Quarter**- The Sunday school children have the opportunity to sponsor a child from Haiti to attend school. His name is Wilken Boyer & he's 15 yrs old & in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade. He wishes to be a doctor when he grows up. Please help us raise \$200 to cover his tuition for the entire school year. To date the children have collected **\$68.58**. Way to go kids!

### Our Youth Group

**Bible Class**- Come and join the Sunday Youth Bible Class (for all 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders) in Mr. Boettcher's room. Bring a friend-have some fun!

**Youth Car Wash**- Sun, May 2<sup>nd</sup> thru May 30<sup>th</sup> the Youth will wash your car. So bring your car between 11:30am & 1:30pm in the rear parking lot. All funds raised to help those going to the National Youth Gathering.

### Our Day School

**Spring Musical/Silent Auction**- "GO GO JONAH" Please mark these performance dates on your calendar: Fri, April 30<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm & Sun, May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 10:30am in our school gym. Please come join us!

**Members & Guests.....please don't forget to sign the pew pads!**

Monday: Lev. 9:1-24, Tuesday: Lev. 10:1-20, Wednesday: Lev. 16:1-24,  
Thursday: Lev. 17:1-16, Friday: Lev. 18:1-7, 20-19:8



## April 24 & 25, 2010-Weekly Bulletin

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Rev. Steven S. Billings, Pastor

Michael Stapleton, DCE

Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church & School, Menasha in the name of our Risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. A special invitation is extended to all who are visiting to return and worship with us again. If you are looking for a church home, please inquire about the mission and ministry of Trinity Lutheran Church & School by calling the Church office.

Weekly Bulletin and Order of Worship can be viewed online at [www.trinitymenasha.com](http://www.trinitymenasha.com)

### † Serving Our Lord This Weekend †

**Acolyte**- Carrington White

**Ushers**- 5:00 Buksyk  
9:00 Pomeranke

**Lector**- 5:00 Karen Zachek  
9:00 Larry Olsen

**Communion Assistants**-  
5:00 Manteufel/Buksyk  
9:00 Becker/Borchardt

**Greeters**- 5:00 Carl Riske  
9:00 Jan Bathke

### † Serving Our Lord Next Weekend †

**Acolyte**- Bernard Zimmermann III

**Ushers**- 5:00 Voigt  
9:00 Diesch/Maynard

**Lector**- 5:00 Roger Voigt  
9:00 Jan Bathke

**Communion Assistants**-  
5:00 Weinig/Drum

9:00 Borgen/Pomeranke

**Greeters**- 5:00 Judy Watkins  
9:00 Chad Hoffman

**April Elders**- 5:00 Alan Manteufel

9:00 Mark Becker

**Organist**- Nancy Lephart

**Choir Director**- Michael Peitsch

**Altar Flowers Have Been Given**- in memory of Emma Becker by Bruce & Mark Becker & Barbara Kester.

**Prayer Chain Coordinator**- Barbara Kester 722-3228 or [barbarakester@att.net](mailto:barbarakester@att.net)

**Parish Nurse**- Mary Howden 730-9521 or [mchowden@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mchowden@sbcglobal.net)

**Attendance Last Weekend**- 179 (Sat) + 161 (Sun) = 340

12 Ordinary: 5

Pastor's Class: 32

SS/Youth: 19/3

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, April 25<sup>th</sup>

9 am Worship  
Scrip Order Date  
10:30 am Education Hour  
11:30 am SS Teacher Meeting

### Monday, April 26<sup>th</sup>

*Pastor's Day Off*  
6:30 pm Women's Bible

### Tuesday, April 27<sup>th</sup>

3:30 pm Faculty Meeting  
6 pm Art Fair

### Wednesday, April 28<sup>th</sup>

6 am Women's Bible Study  
8:45 am Chapel  
10:30 am Adult Catechism  
4:30 pm Confirmation  
7 pm Choir

### Thursday, April 29<sup>th</sup>

6 am Men's Bible  
6:30 pm Adult Discipleship Class

### Friday, April 30<sup>th</sup>

6 am Men's Bible  
6:30 pm Spring Musical/Silent Auction

### Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup>

11 am Senior Social  
5 pm Worship

### Sunday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>

9 am Worship  
10:30 Spring Musical/Silent Auction  
11:30 am Youth Car Wash

## Pastor's Notes †

Pastor Billings is on campus 6 days a week, maintaining the days and hours of Tuesday-Thursday from 8:00am-4:00pm. He is also available Fridays & Saturdays by appointment. If you would like to contact him, please call the church office. In an emergency he can be reached on his cell phone at (920) 385-8170.

## Weekly Bulletins, Orders of Worship & Monthly Newsletters

Can be viewed on our website [www.trinitymenasha.com](http://www.trinitymenasha.com) or pick up your copy of each at church. A recorded copy on CD of worship can also be checked out through the office. See what is new & improved on the website & please don't forget to register! **Registering will give you access to church & school calendars as well as updates to the church directory. Check it out today!!!**

## Year to Date Finances \$\$

(January 2009 thru April 18, 2010)

**Trinity Offerings: \$962,408**

**Trinity Expenses: \$1,040,370**

## News, Events, Requests, Etc.

**Mail Boxes-** Please check yours weekly. Concerns about your mailbox, please contact the church office.

**Scrip Order Dates-** April 25<sup>th</sup>, May 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>

**Please Turn Off or Silence- ALL cell phones and pagers during worship!**

**Notice to Congregation-**The BOD has approved a recommendation from the Brd of Ed to pursue the call of a principal who would also teach part-time. **There will be a Congregation Meeting on Tues, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm to vote on this.** For more information, see the display located in the Narthex.

**Life Quotes from Lutherans for Life-** "Sometimes our lives can get pretty dark-crisis pregnancies come into our families & lives & illness comes into our lives & death comes into our lives & sometimes we wonder where the shepherd is but the Good Shepherd comforts us with His rod & His staff. Our Good Shepherd gives us promise after promise, 'I will never leave you or forsake you.' 'I am with you always.' 'I go ahead of you.' Someday He will lead us into His eternal dwelling where we will dwell with Him forever." -Rev. James Lamb

**Spring Clean Up-** inside & outside of the Church & School is set for Sat, June 12<sup>th</sup> beginning at 8am. Please bring a rake and/or wheelbarrow if you can. This is a great opportunity for those kids that need community service hours.

**Thrivent Challenge Grant Program-** Thrivent has developed a program to help assist Churches & Schools until a new Thrivent Choice Program begins later this summer. Challenge Grant requirements are for us to raise x-number of dollars & Thrivent will give us half of what we raise. Anyone from the church or school can give. We have until June 30<sup>th</sup> to submit the grant application with funds raised. Contact Michael Stapleton with questions.

**Paper Grocery Bags** are needed in the food pantry. If you have a "stash" you would like to get rid of, please drop them in the food barrel or put them on the stage in the LFH. Thank you! -Food Pantry Coordinators

**Let's Keep Walking to Jerusalem-** to date a group of members has walked 2,096 miles! Let's keep going to see if we can reach Jerusalem before Ascension Day on Thurs, May 13<sup>th</sup>. Every mile we walk = 5 miles toward our trip!

**Men's Monday Night Softball-** to begin Mon, May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm at Southview West (corner of Bell & Marathon) in Neenah. Contact Tom Camann (722-3829).

**Volunteer Appreciation-** ALL school volunteers will be recognized by our Trinity Teachers at our Spring Musical on Fri, April 30<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm & Sun, May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 10:30am. We couldn't have done it without you!

**Attention Singers-** Would you like to join the Ascension Choir for the Ascension Service being hosted by Trinity on Thurs, May 13<sup>th</sup>? Rehearsals are Wed nights at 7pm starting April 28<sup>th</sup>. Questions, contact Mike Peitsch (733-2118).