

June 15th, 2025 E-Newsletter

Lend a Hand

Our Lend a Hand crew SHOWED UP & SHOWED OUT this week! John made sure their bellies were full of donuts and coffee and then they prepared the Community Center for our 10:30 summer worship services starting this Sunday. Thanks for all the help! Not pictured: David Raymo.

Also, special thank you to Russ Meckle who has been helping mow the lawn several times a week. You all are a blessing! Contact John at brintnell@trinitybismarck.com to get involved.



Recent Announcements

Funerals

We extend our congregation's sympathy to the families of:

- Beverly Blumhagen - funeral was Thursday, June 5th at Trinity.
- George Hertel - funeral was Saturday, June 7th at Trinity.
- Eugene & Yvonne Kroll - funeral was Saturday, June 7th at Trinity in the Community Center.
- Terry Kristensen - funeral was Monday, June 9th at Trinity.
- Wilbur Lippert - funeral will be Friday, June 20th @ 11 a.m. at Trinity.
- Cathy Hanson - funeral will be Thursday, July 3rd @ 11:30 a.m. at Trinity.

Please keep their families in your prayers.

Congratulations

Congrats to Beth Campbell who was elected Vice President of Synod Council at Synod Assembly. Many blessings to her as she serves in that position!

Church-to-Go Bags

Going away for the weekend? Pick up one of our Church-to-Go Bags. It includes a devotion, supplies for s'mores, and a fun activity! Bags can be found in the lobby/narthex or the church office.

'Blessed to Be a Blessing' Signs

If you pick up a Church-to-Go Bag you will get a 'Blessed to be a Blessing' sign. If you don't want the whole bag, please feel free to pick up a sign. Find a way to bless others whether that is volunteering at an organization or making cookies for a neighbor. Take a picture while you are doing your service with your sign and email or text it to Gracia (gjohnson@trinitybismarck.com or 701-471-4434) & we'll be sharing them throughout the summer.

Bags Needed

We are still collecting plastic grocery bags to use for our Loaves & Fishes ministry. Drop them off in the office.

Missouri Slope Hillview Cup

Thursday, July 10th @ 9 a.m.

Prairie West Golf Course

There's still time to sign up for the Hillview Cup - Missouri Slope's annual golf tournament! With 3 hole-in-one challenges, you have a chance to win a 13 foot Scamp Trailer, a Whistling Straights golf package for two, and a Yamaha Wolverine Side X Side!

Join us July 10 at Prairie West for a fantastic day of golf, food, prizes - and most importantly, purpose. ☐ Click the button below to register or click here for the [Facebook Event](#).

Registration

Win a 13 ft Scamp Trailer & More!



13'

7th Annual
Hillview Cup

 MISSOURI SLOPE
FOUNDATION

Children & Youth

Gracia Johnson - Youth and Children Ministry Coordinator; gjohnson@trinitybismarck.com, ext. 5

Vacation Bible School

Past Event: Sunday, June 8th - Wednesday, June 11th

We had a great week at VBS this summer! Our theme was 'Road Trip! On the Go with God!' The theme verse was from Joshua 1:9, "The Lord your God is with you wherever you go."

Each day we had a different Mile Marker & Bible Story:



Sunday: God is with us on the Journey! Abraham & Sarah Follow God (Genesis 12:1-9).

Monday: God is with us when we go off course! The Israelites take the scenic route (Exodus 13:17-22).

Tuesday: God is with us when we're lonely! Jesus visits Zacchaeus (Luke 19:1-10).

A big thank you to all of the volunteers who helped with VBS! You are appreciated!

Station Leaders: Erin Becker, Chris Narum, Kortney Fettig, JenaLee Narum, Amy Peterson

Music Leader: Marci Guenther

Crew Leaders: Angel Abdallah, Jax Abdallah, Everly Arlien, Olivia Arlien, Mitch Becker, Marci Guenther, Alexis Meckle, Nadalie Narum, Samantha Schaffer, Jennifer Stenerson, Ella Thompson

Snacks Servers: Jenell Gumke, Shila Leno, Lisa Kosel, Maggie Kosel

Lead Decorator: JenaLee Narum



Youth Happenings

We have many fun youth opportunities throughout the year! Information is also available on our website. Click on images to enlarge. Questions? See Gracia.

CAMP of the CROSS Ministries



Camperships

Because we believe in the value of Bible Camp, Trinity Lutheran Church will provide scholarships of half the cost of camp to anyone enrolled in Trinity Church School, Confirmation, or Youth Group attending an ELCA Bible Camp. See Gracia for more info.

Camp of the Cross Summer Camps

Check out the options at Camp of the Cross near Garrison, ND has to offer this summer! There are great options for kids & youth of all ages! Scan the QR Code to go to the Camp of the Cross website.



www.campofthecross.com



CAMP OF THE CROSS MINISTRIES

PRAIRIE LAKE FESTIVAL

Saturday, June 21, 2025

Viewing begins @ 9:30am


Auction to begin at 11:00am

CAMP of the CROSS Ministries | **Camp of the Cross**
1228 47th Ave NW
Garrison, ND 58540

info@campofthecross.com | **701-337-2246**

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Stephen Ministry

Submitted By: Karen Botine

Does time “heal all wounds”?

I read something recently that changes this message...

Time does not heal. It's what you do with the time that brings healing.

Dr. Kenneth Haugk, the founder of Stephen Ministry, points out that bottling up feelings gives them a tighter hold on you. (Think about the anger that still lurks in the pit of your stomach, even though the event which caused that anger happened many years ago.) Expressing strong feelings in a safe environment or to a safe person reduces their power over you.

Dealing with a strong emotion – such as grief – is a process. It may be different for you than for someone else who is grieving. Some grievors find that participating in a support group can be a helpful way to work through their feelings. A good support group is confidential. What you say during the group meeting stays within the group and is not reported or discussed outside the group meeting. It is also non-judgmental. The feelings you express are not “good” or “bad”. They are simply what you are feeling now, and they are accepted as such by the other group members. (And these feelings will change as you work through your grief).

Trinity has a grief support group. Any adult who is working through grief is welcome to attend. Your grief may be new, or it may be something you have been carrying inside you for years. If your grief is so new that you are not ready to talk about it, you can attend the group just to get a feeling for what happens and spend most of the time listening. If you are worried that you will cry – that is expected (and there are boxes of tissues on the table).

If you would like to find out whether this support group could be helpful for you – join us in the Trinity Conference Room on the first Saturday of every month @ 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.



Your Gifts

Brent Winkelman - Financial Director; winkelman@trinitybismarck.com, ext. 7

Electronic Giving - Trinity offers the option of Electronic Giving as a simple way to contribute. This would allow you the freedom from worry or concern whether you are out of town, on vacation or wondering how to budget your contributions. Giving forms are available in the office, at the Welcome Center or on Trinity's website.

At www.trinitybismarck.com, you can give electronically to the general fund, Capital Campaign and others. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact our Financial Director, Brent Winkelman at winkelman@trinitybismarck.com. Thank you again for your continued financial support.

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Congregational Relationships

Ministry Opportunities

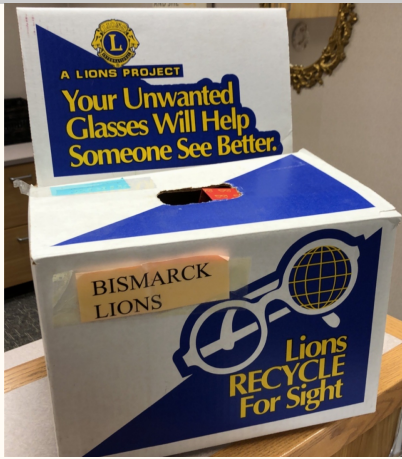
Ministry Opportunities at Trinity are available digitally. Please sign up to serve as Scripture Readers, Ushers, Greeters, Communion Servers and Tech online. **Sunday Readers should sign up by the Thursday before by 10 a.m.** (Holiday weeks may vary). Click below to sign up.

If you haven't served before or are not sure what type of opportunities are there for you, please fill out the "Ministry Opportunity Form." Click below and you will be contacted about serving.

Sign Up

Ministry Opportunity Form

Collection Items



Bismarck Lions Glasses

Drop off prescription glasses at the office. We will contact Bismarck Lions to come and collect them.



RMHC Pull Tabs

Pull tabs can be dropped off at the office or placed in these houses to be delivered to Ronald McDonald House.

Prayer List

Prayer is an essential part of our faith life. As part of the body of Christ we are called to pray for others who are sick, hurting or in need of healing. Names will be added only with the permission of the person being prayed for or an immediate family member.

If you would like your name added to this list, please contact the office or let one of the pastors know.

Please pray for: James Kalbfleisch, Dick, Wendy, Amy, Dennis, Rod, Hollis, Jim, Hal & Melissa.

Pastoral Acts

Baptisms

Funerals

Beverly "Bev" Blumhagen
George Hertel
Terrance "Terry" Kristensen

Weddings

Gifts & Memorials

Memorials will be shared in the next E-News.

Upcoming Events

Click on the images to enlarge.



ministry
ON THE MARGINS

Free Meal

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502 N 4th St.
Bismarck, ND 58501
(701) 223-3560

RE-ENTRY MEAL AND SUPPORT

1st Thursday of the month
@ 6:30 - 8 p.m.

Families are welcome to join
(18 yrs old and older)

All Are Welcome

Re-Entry Meal & Support

1st Thursday of the month @ 6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Fellowship Hall

We hold a re-entry meal with time for fellowship and support for people who are in re-entry and their families once a month.

We meet on the first Thursday of every month. We will continue to partner with Ministry on the Margins for this project. If you would like to help with this project, contact Pastor Martha.

Lend a Hand Ministry

Next Meeting: Thursday, July 10th @ 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Break Room

Lend a Hand Ministry enjoys some coffee and fellowship before breaking out into small groups to help with projects that care for the building. No special skills are required. All are welcome!

They meet the 2nd Thursday of each month @ 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Please contact our Facility Manager, John Brintnell, at brintnell@trinitybismarck.com if interested.



BIBLE JOURNALING IS A WAY TO COMBINE YOUR LOVE OF SCRIPTURE WITH YOUR CREATIVE TALENTS.

ALL ARE WELCOME:

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH

3RD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH

5:30 - 7:00

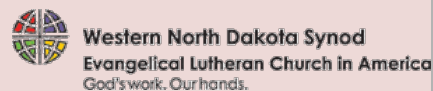
Bible Journaling

3rd Tuesday of the month @ 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Join us for Bible Journaling – where scripture & creative expression meet. We meet at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church on the 3rd Tuesday of the month @ 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m. All ages are welcome! Come & check it out! See Gracia with questions.



Partners in Ministry



ELCA Daily Discipleship

Click on the image to open the Daily Discipleship shared on

Missouri Slope

Check out available job openings here:

www.missourislope.com/careers

Check out their digital newsletter here:

<https://missourislope.com/hilltopper/>

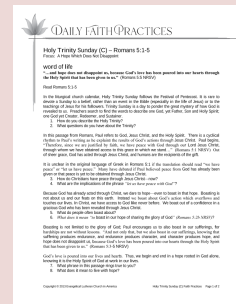
Ministry on the Margins

Ministry on the Margins is always looking for volunteers for their food pantry.

For information and to sign up visit:

www.ministryonthemargins.org

the ELCA's [website](#).



Worship Schedule

Sundays

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship

10:30 a.m. Blended Worship

Wednesdays

6 p.m. Contemporary Worship

We are happy to partner with Grace Lutheran in Driscoll.

Bulletins are posted on our [website](#) under [Bulletins](#) or click below:

Bulletins

Radio Broadcast

Sunday 8:30 a.m. Radio Broadcast on 1270 Super Talk or the [Listen Live](#) link on their [website](#). You can also click below:

Listen Live

Video Worship Links

Videos are posted on our [Facebook Page](#) and on our [YouTube Page](#).

- Congregational updates posted as necessary.
- Trinity To Go posted weekly by a pastor.
- Livestream available for worship services.



Head of Staff, Pastor Mark Narum
Pastor Martha HarriSon

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