

# The Trinity Trumpet

## October 2018

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### **Wrestling with Life's Agonies**

Anyone who is concerned with life's agonies and pains and who is wrestling with the problems of the ultimate justice of the world in which we live will learn a lot from the message of Habakkuk. Those sensitive to whom the injustice of this created world is an increasing burden cannot avoid the issue that this prophet raises.

Every compassionate person should be grappling with questions similar to these: Why should there be disease and suffering? Why should a child be born with a physical or mental handicap? Why must the innocent suffer? Why are there famines, earthquakes, tidal waves, and devastating hurricanes? In every generation of mankind's existence these issues have plagued our conscience.

That classic gem in the Bible, Job, is a voice railing against God because of the suffering and injustice placed upon him.

Florence Nightingale faced these questions when she wrote in her diary; "In my thirty-first year, I saw nothing desirable but death."

The Russian novelist and social reformer, Leo Tolstoy, experienced an unrelenting despair as he contemplated the issue of suffering.

Even Jesus voiced his agony with the piercing cry from the cross: "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?" Jesus was wrestling with the same perplexing and bewildering problem. He was voicing an age-old question and finding the answer shrouded in an impenetrable mystery. There are those, today, who are suffering, and they see that slur upon the divine.

Habakkuk is the initiating author of this interrogative mood in Israel's religious development and conscious. For the first time, as far as we know Israel's history records, an inspiring writer is faced with the kind of situation that made some resolution of the problem a necessity. He is forced to grope with the perplexing issue because of the particular and unique historical moment in time he occupied.

Amos, Isaiah, Micah, and others had dwelt at length on the understanding of Israel's God as he who acts justly and righteously toward his people.

Amos had condemned any religious institutionalism that substitutes a cultic and ritual for integrity of character and justice in personal relationships. His renowned word, "Let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream," is not merely passionate, inflammatory speech. It is a claim that God lays on his children!

Isaiah of Jerusalem enfolded a vision of an exalted Lord whose universal purpose included a newly structured society in which the stability of a faithful, remnant people would be the adhesive for a new order in a new age. This remnant would be moored so securely to a deep and abiding remnant to God that idle worship would be an impossibility.

Micah had preached a faith that had its rootage in integrity of character, that was nourished by sympathy and compassion of heart, and that was sustained by a genuine reverence of the spirit.

In this kind of response of openness to God, one is liberated from the brooding silence of humanity's agonies to a new quality of surrender to life's infectious serenity. In the company of the Master, there is renewed strength to wrestle with life's agonies, and to come from the struggle to victor in Christ!

Together in Christ Jesus,

Pr. Eric



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## CELEBRATION 25 YEARS OF SHOEBOXES TO CHILDREN

SINCE 1993 OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD THROUGH SAMARITANS PURSE, HAS PARTNERED WITH CHURCHES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS AROUND THE WORLD TO DELIVER 157 MILLION OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX GIFTS TO CHILDREN IN NEED IN 160 COUNTRIES. EACH SHOEBOX FILLED WITH TOYS, CLOTHING, SCHOOL SUPPLIES, ART SUPPLIES AND HYGIENE ITEMS BY A FAMILY, INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP IS SENT WITH PRAYER THAT THE CHILD WHO RECEIVES IT WILL EXPERIENCE GOD'S LOVE THROUGH THIS SIMPLE GIFT.

FOR EXAMPLE: ONE CHRISTMAS, AN 8-YEAR-OLD GIRL NAMED FELICIA ON THE ISLAND OF TRINIDAD RECEIVED A SHOEBOX GIFT PACKED WITH A DOLL, STATIONERY, COLORFUL SOCKS, AND A TEDDY BEAR. I DIDN'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT JESUS BECAUSE I HAD NEVER BEEN TO CHURCH BEFORE, SO I WAS REALLY CURIOUS, FELICIA SAID.

AS A RESULT OF HER SHOEBOX GIFT, SHE BEGAN ATTENDING CHURCH WITH A FRIEND. WHEN HER SISTER RECEIVED A SHOEBOX GIFT THE FOLLOWING YEAR, HER FATHER WAS AMAZED AT THE LOVE HE SAW IN THE SHOEBOXES. SINCE THEN THE WHOLE FAMILY HAS ACCEPTED CHRIST AND THEY ARE WORKING TO PLANT A CHURCH IN THEIR OWN COMMUNITY. FELICIA IS AMONG COUNTLESS CHILDREN WHOSE LIVES HAVE BEEN CHANGED FOREVER THROUGH THE POWER OF GOD'S LOVE AND A SIMPLE SHOEBOX. AS FELICIA SAID : " IT CHANGED MY LIFE FOREVER".

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD BEGAN IN 1993 WHEN A MAN IN ENGLAND REQUESTED HELP FROM FRANKLIN GRAHAM FOR CHILDREN IN BOSNIA SUFFERING FROM A CIVIL WAR. FRANKLIN GRAHAM PUT OUT A REQUEST FOR HELP FROM SEVERAL AREA CHURCHES AND OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD WAS FORMED. 28,000 SHOEBOXES WERE DELIVERED TO BOSNIA THAT FIRST YEAR.

TODAY, THROUGH THE COUNTLESS PRAYERS OF MANY AND THE SERVICE OF VOLUNTEERS AROUND THE GLOBE, THE PROJECT HAS GROWN TO INCLUDE EIGHT SHOEBOX-PACKING COUNTRIES IN ADDITION TO THE 160 COUNTRIES THAT HAVE RECEIVED SHOEBOXES. THROUGH GIFT-FILLED SHOEBOXES, WE ARE BRINGING GOOD NEWS AND GREAT JOY TO CHILDREN IN AFRICA, ASIA, EUROPE, CENTRAL AMERICA, AND SOUTH AMERICA. BOYS AND GIRLS ARE COMING TO CHRIST AND LEADING THEIR FAMILIES TO FOLLOW HIM. CHURCHES ARE BEING FORMED AND NEW GENERATIONS OF EVANGELISTS ARE RISING UP THROUGH THE GREATEST JOURNEY, A DISCIPLESHIP PROGRAM FOR SHOEBOX RECIPIENTS.

HELP US CELEBRATE THE 25<sup>TH</sup> YEAR OF THE SHOEBOX MINISTRY BY PACKING A SHOEBOX FOR A NEEDY CHILD. IN JESUS NAME, WE LOVE YOU.

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CHURCH  
BUSINESS

Weekend of	Total Attendance	Total Gifts Received
09/02/2018	131	5502.40
09/09/2018	167	3146.04
09/16/2018	224	4090.00
09/23/2018	219	2894.40



**Clarence Holtz**— Don & Dorothy Nelsen, Richard & Jan Holtz, Bob & Connie Jorgensen, Jim & Karen Hansen, Dennis Osborn, John Yeager

**Mildred Petersen**— Ronald & Barbara Vredevelde, Don & Loleta Hansen, Bob & Julie Kixmiller, Betty Oehlertz, Jerry & Donna Rold, Norma Pattee, Janiece Schroder, Virginia Nelson

**Bernice Woltmann**— Robert & Linda Andersen, Janiece Schroder, Don & Dorothy Nelsen, Normallee Krohn, Darlene Eggerts

**Woody Rogers, Evelyn Rogers, Derald Rogers**— Judith A. Rogers

Trinity Lutheran Church Women met on September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018 in the fellowship hall. Each lady told about their school days. Bonnie Kardell read "No More Bad News".

President Jeannie Klindt called the meeting to order. Secretary's report was read and approved.

Treasurer's report was read and approved.

One bill was presented and LaDonna Conroy made the motion to pay it and Nancy Kelly seconded. M/C

Correspondence was read.

Christian Service will meet on September 11<sup>th</sup>. No meeting on the 25<sup>th</sup> because of the Rummage Sale.

Mission Community: One more cross was given to newlyweds.

Bible Study Group: Met with Dolores Harder and will meet with Ann Roof next.

New Business: Discussed Aebelskiver Supper. Will be selling Quilt tickets at the Rummage Sale.

Next meeting will be October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

Motion to adjourn was made by Janiece Schroder and seconded by Bonnie Kardell.

Preamble was recited.

Happy Birthday was sung to Karen Pope.

Table grace was sung.

Laura Ann Allen, Secretary.



## Alexis May Crees

Alexis May Crees was baptized during the 10:15 a.m. service on Sunday, September 16th. Alexis is the daughter of Jason & Amanda Crees. Her sponsors are Shannon Goetzinger and Travis Crees. We welcome you, Alexis, into the family of Christ!



October 02	Frank	Nelsen
October 03	Margaret	Schenck
October 05	Max	Scheffler
October 05	Anthony	Wade
October 06	Justin	Woltmann
October 07	Justin	Kelly
October 07	Donald	Langer
October 08	Connie	Jorgensen
October 08	Charles	Pattee
October 09	Ashtyn	McCarthy
October 09	Macy	Thornton
October 10	Marlin	Andersen
October 10	Duane	Carroll
October 10	Amy	Goetzinger
October 10	Jaelyn	Johnson
October 10	Dale	Kardell
October 11	Rilon	Hilgenberg
October 12	James	Schueman
October 13	Jerry	Espeseth Jr
October 13	Gemma	Rold
October 13	Arlene	Roush
October 14	Amy	Buboltz
October 14	Nancy	Collins
October 14	Kevin	Jorgensen

October 14	Duane	Nielsen
October 15	Kitty	Barlow
October 15	Kimberly	Gress
October 15	Kathy	Nelson
October 15	Jeffrey	Schmidt
October 15	Valdine	Schueman
October 16	Chelsie	Madden
October 17	Kendal	Best
October 17	Kasen	Krummel
October 17	Jaden	Luth
October 19	Janet	Pattee
October 19	Jacob	Roush
October 19	John	Scott
October 19	Lori	Winter
October 21	Gayle	Carroll
October 21	Norma	Pattee
October 23	Kevin R.	Jacobsen
October 24	Lavonne	Bargenquast
October 24	Olivia	McCarthy
October 26	Jo Ann	Schuemann
October 27	Adryan	Bruce
October 27	Collin	Harder
October 29	Donna	Rold
October 30	Don	Buboltz
October 31	Mark	Bornholdt

# YOUTH GROUP News

Youth group has started their year off to a great start! September 9th's Fall Kickoff was held at Terry and LeAnne McCarthy's home. Food, games, and devotions were enjoyed by all. On September 23rd, 22 youth group members and friends, and four adults traveled to Mt. Crescent to ride the zip line. This year's theme is "Anointed." We'll be studying and talking about how God has chosen us!





On Sunday, October 28th, the eight students listed below will affirm their baptism through the Rite of Confirmation. The confirmation ceremony will take place during the 10:15 a.m. service. Confirmands will be practicing for their ceremony on October 21st after the 10:15 service. Please join us on the 28th, as we gather to worship and to congratulate these students on their next step on their journey of faith!

### **Aaron Roloff**

I believe God made everything, such as, earth and heaven. I believe Jesus died to save us from death and to let us be free up in heaven. I believe the Holy Spirit helps us make choices and helps us go through life, not alone.

### **Adryan Bruce**

I believe that Jesus was born of the Virgin Mary and God. That He came down to earth and died to protect us from our sins. I believe that one day he will come back. If I'm here or not, he will come back. I believe in Jesus Christ.

### **Abbie Willett**

I believe that God sent his son as our redeemer. I believe that God created heaven and earth and sent his only Son.

### **Darian Hansen**

I believe that God sent his only Son down to earth to die on the cross to save us from our sins, the devil, and death. Since he sent His son, I believe that I will have eternal life in heaven with Him.

### **Jordan Blotzer**

I believe that there is one God, who has a Son that was sent to die for everyone. I believe that Jesus surrendered under Pontus Pilot's torture, and got nailed to the cross to die for everyone's sins. I believe that there is a Holy Spirit living in all of us, helping to guide us.

### **Ashtyn McCarthy**

I believe that there is one God and He died for our sins to be forgiven. He went to heaven and on the third day he was resurrected. I believe in Jesus Christ. He was born of the Virgin Mary. He gives us his body and blood through the breaking of bread and wine. He also gave us the gift of holy baptism. That's when your baptized in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. I believe He is looking out for us in everything we do and one day He will come again.

### **Ally Meyers**

I believe in one God. I believe that He sent his one and only Son to die for our sins. Since he died for us, I believe that he forgives us through our wrong doing. I believe that I will have eternal life. We remember Him when we take Holy Communion for what he did for us.

## TRINITY'S FIVE & DIME



Welcome to “Trinity’s Five & Dime”. This section is dedicated to stories, experiences, and devotionals where together we can share God’s spiritual candy. Thanks be to God for his never-ending love, grace, and mercy that he blesses me with, and for the opportunity that I’ve been given to share my experiences and thoughts about God’s lessons in my life. Amen.

Neil Paulsen

...I tried to rationalize it with myself by saying, “It’s only a dollar. Nobody will miss a dollar.” But the more I tried to convince myself that it wasn’t a big deal, the more my heart told me to correct it. So I decided that I had to make it right.

### At the Heart of the Matter (Part 5 of 6)



I couldn’t give the bag of chips back, as someone else already made off with the goods. So I decided that I would pay for the extra bag of chips. So the following day, I took a single dollar bill and placed it in an envelope, and wrote on the outside of the envelope, “For the vending machine company”. I put a piece of tape on it, and headed for the breakroom where I was going to tape it to the front of the machine on the glass. But when I walked into the breakroom, there were half a dozen guys from the warehouse hanging out reading the paper and talking about the business from the day before. Not sure how they would react to me taping the envelope to the vending machine, and possibly asking a bunch of questions about it. I did an abrupt about face, and headed back to my desk. I figured that I would just wait a bit for the room to clear out, and then go about my task. A couple hours had gone by, when my work day provided me with a quick break, so I headed back to the breakroom, and once again, I found it occupied. But this time, the only person in the room was the vending machine guy, restocking its supply and removing the cash from the machine. So I walked up to him, produced the envelope, and said, “This envelope is for you. The machine put out 2 bags of chips when I only paid for one.” The man slowly looked up and in an even slower movement, reached out for the envelope. He had a look of slight confusion on his face, as if he were saying in his mind, “It’s only a dollar!” He took the envelope, said a quick “thanks”, and went back to his task while giving his head a little bit of a shake. I turned and headed back to my desk, feeling better that I had taken care of the situation, and even more glad that I was able to get it done without any other witnesses. My mind was happy, my heart was at rest, and I quickly let it slip out of my mind. But only 3 days later, the same chain of events would happen once again. I headed back midmorning for a bag of chips, and *deja vu*, I got two bags of chips again. Again, I set the second bag of chips on the counter, and somebody from the warehouse snatched it up. Only this time, I had to wait about a week longer before I caught the vending machine guy re-stocking it and collecting the cash. Again, it was just him and I in the breakroom, so I reached into my pocket, and pulled out a dollar bill. I walked over to him, and gave him the same story as before, and he repeated his response and gesture as before.

# October Volunteer Schedule

If you are unable to serve during worship at the time you've been scheduled, *please find your own replacement* and let the church office know of the change so the information in the bulletin can be changed. **A great place to begin looking for a replacement is the schedule itself—Look for someone who is scheduled for the same duty during the same worship time.** **Don't forget to check Breeze** for phone numbers and email information, when trying to contact others. If you are not able to find a replacement or have questions, please contact:

Joy Krohn Cell (712) 307-0496

	Saturday Oct. 6, 5:00	Sunday Oct. 7, 9:00 a.m.	Sunday Oct. 7, 10:15 a.m.
Scripture Readings	Judy Williams	Carolyn Spencer	Amber Johnson
Prayers	Jan Holtz	Neil Paulsen	Karen Hansen
Support	Dick Holtz	Dora Rock	J Olesen
Communion Asst.	Judy Williams	Marge Petersen	Lori & Ron Winter, Shari Munyon
Acolytes	n/a	Nathan Jorgensen	Graycen Partlow
Greeters	Karen Pope	Nikki & Steve Jorgensen	Brock & Jenny Partlow Family
Ushers	n/a	Bob & Barb Brown	Jessica & Jason Rold Family
Power Point	n/a	Larry Chapman	Steve Munyon
Camera	n/a	n/a	Brenda Kelly
Altar Guild	Reva Bylund	Nancy & Ken Collins	Dale & Jane Tech

	Saturday Oct. 13, 5:00	Sunday Oct. 14, 9:00 a.m.	Sunday Oct. 14, 10:15 a.m.
Scripture Readings	Dick Brown	Nancy Kelly	Gayle Stuart
Prayers	Dorothy Nelsen	Greg Petersen	Deb Meissner
Support	Don Nelsen	Marilyn Chapman	J Olesen
Communion Asst.	Dorothy Nelsen	Marge Petersen	Deb Meissner, Leslie Nielsen, Gayle Stuart
Acolytes	n/a	Kaleah Guyer	Justin Freeman
Greeters	Diane Taylor	Laura Ann Allen	Maxine & Gene Sornsen
Ushers	n/a	Janee' & Jim Schueman	Tonya & J Olesen
Power Point	n/a	LuAnn Jensen	Dusin DeJong
Camera	n/a	n/a	Saydi Paulsen
Altar Guild	Reva Bylund	Donna & Mick Schuler	Jane & Dale Tech

	Saturday Oct. 20, 5:00	Sunday Oct. 21, 9:00 a.m.	Sunday Oct. 21, 10:15 a.m.
Scripture Readings	Terry Carley	Peggy Osbahr	Amanda Holst
Prayers	Roger Nelson	Dora Rock	Sue Blakestad
Support	Kathy Nelson	Dora Rock	Jim Hansen
Communion Asst.	Roger Nelson	Peggy Osbahr	Sue Paulsen, Jim & Karen Hansen
Acolytes	n/a	Lauren Yates	Lillian Scott
Greeters	Darlene Eggerss	JoAnn Krummel	Lois Partlow
Ushers	n/a	Jill Feigenbutz Family	Matt & Janae Sternberg
Power Point	n/a	Shela Jacobsen	Terry McCarthy
Camera	n/a	n/a	Ayden McCarthy
Altar Guild	Reva Bylund	Nancy & Ken Collins	Jane & Dale Tech



	<b>Saturday Oct. 27, 5:00</b>	<b>Sunday Oct. 28, 9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Sunday Oct. 28, 10:15 a.m.</b>
Scripture Readings	Ronda Holst	Alice Botcher	Shari Munyon
Prayers	Ronda Holst	Nancy Collins	Kami Willett
Support	Carolyn Oldenburg	Marilyn Chapman	Jeff Harder
Communion Asst.	Reva Bylund	Nancy Collins	Shari Munyon, Jeff & Sheryl Harder
Acolytes	n/a	Jessica Jacobsen	Isabelle Wheatley
Greeters	Carolyn Oldenburg	Melissa Jacobsen Family	Brenda & Aaron Roloff
Ushers	n/a	Linda Schumacher	Mike & Wendy Jorgensen
Power Point	n/a	Larry Chapman	Steve Munyon
Camera	n/a	n/a	Nathan Jorgensen
Altar Guild	Reva Bylund	Donna & Mick Schuler	Jane & Dale Tech

## November Volunteer Schedule

	<b>Saturday Nov. 3, 5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Sunday Nov. 4, 9:00 a.m</b>	<b>Sunday Nov. 4, 10:15 a.m.</b>
Scripture Readings	Judy Williams	Richard Schenck	Betty Kubik
Prayers	Jan Holtz	Janiece Schroder	Karen Rodriguez
Support	Dick Holtz	Dean Krohn	Roger Kubik
Communion Asst.	Dick Holtz	Dean Krohn	Deb Meissner, Kim & Dale Krohn
Acolytes	n/a	Ayden McCarthy	Saydi Paulsen
Greeters	Rose Krohn	Betty Oehlertz	Jill & Kyle Clayton
Ushers	n/a	Kris McCarthy & Lori Snyder	Becky & Wayne Jacobsen
Power Point	n/a	Joy Krohn	Cory Maassen
Camera	n/a	n/a	Anistyn Roskens
Altar Guild	Carolyn Oldenburg	Marge & Greg Petersen	Beth Schueman & Brenda Roloff

## Sunday School Is Underway!



Trinity Lutheran Church  
Congregational Council Meeting  
September 11, 2018

Members Present: Dean Krohn, Pastor Eric Meissner, Sue Paulsen, Katie Collins, Margie Schenck, Brenda Kelly, Shela Jacobsen, Josh Guyer

President Dean Krohn called the meeting to order. Prayer was offered by Margie Schenck

*Thank You Cards:* Thanks went out to Alice Botcher, Bob Brown and Wayne Krohn for cleaning up fallen acorns which were presenting a trip hazard to members attending worship services.

*Prayers of a God Chaser:* Pastor Eric

*Approval of Agenda:* With addition of new business, moved by Brenda Kelly, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Katie Collins. Motion Carried (MC).

*Approval of Minutes from last meeting:* Motion by Josh Guyer, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Katie Collins. MC

*Treasurer's Report:* Reported by Shela Jacobsen that offerings did not cover expenses in August due to extraordinary expenses (3 payroll periods vs the usual 2, VBS and Super Summer Saturday). The overall balance sheet remains positive. Donations for both VBS and the Back Pack Program were up this year. Brenda Kelly moved to approve the treasurer's report, 2<sup>nd</sup> Josh Guyer. MC.

*President's Report:* Dean Krohn reported on progress toward a new Audio/Visual System. Donations for that expense will be requested from the congregation and members willing to train to run a new system will be recruited. TLC Food Pantry continues to be used by 20 to 30 families each week. Donations are encouraged especially for purchase of meat and frozen items.

*Pastor Eric's Report:* Pastor reported on his attendance of the NALC Convention in Colorado in August. Jason & Amanda Crees's daughter, Alexis Crees' baptism will be held on 9/16. Confirmation classes start 9/26 with Confirmation scheduled on 10/28. The Community Action Program (area wide charity run by area churches) is running short of funds. Council is considering an additional contribution. No action at this time.

*Director of Ministry in Daily Life:* In August, Sue Paulsen met with Tonya Olesen for LYO 2018/19 planning. The Fall Kick Off was held on 9/9/18. TLC members attended the AHSTW Open House to donate supplies remaining after the TLC Back to School Night. The possibility of a group from TLC joined the AHSTW Homecoming Parade was discussed. The youth group plans an event at Mt. Crescent on 9/23/18.

*Committee Reports:*

*Outreach:* Josh Guyer reported on the "weekend back pack program" where back packs of food are sent home with kids in food insecure families. This program starts this week.

*Stewardship:* see new business

*Worship:* Last Sunday's 10:15 Rally Sunday service was well attended.

*No report on finance, education or property management in September.* Brenda Kelly moved, Katie Collins 2<sup>nd</sup> that all reports be accepted. MC

*New Business:* Brenda Kelly reported for the Stewardship committee on positions that will be open on council and committees starting in January 2019. The Nominating Committee will be seeking candidates and report back to the council on progress. The openings include 4 positions on the council, 2 on the memorial committee, 3 on the endowment committee, 1 on the nominating committee and 1 on the audit committee. Members are asked to prayerfully consider serving TLC by filling these openings.

*Membership Changes:* David and Janice Niemann now reside at 3000 Risen Son Blvd. #146, Council Bluffs, IA 51503.

Funeral/ Deaths include Clarence Holtz, Charles Ronnfeldt, Mildred Petersen and Bernice Woltmann.

*Adjournment:* Moved by Josh Guyer, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brenda Kelly. MC.

*Next Meeting Date:* 10/9/2018

Prayerfully submitted,  
Margie Schenck

# October 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 2 p.m. Prayer Team	2 6 p.m. Alive in Christ Choir	3 6 p.m. Confirmation 6:30 p.m. Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Alleluia Choir	4 2 p.m. TLCW Meeting 6:30 p.m. Peace Haven Worship	5 Pastor's Day Off	6 5 p.m.—Worship
7 8 a.m. Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. Worship/Sunday School 12 p.m. Bible Study	8	9 8:30 a.m.—3 p.m. Christian Service 6 p.m. Alive in Christ Choir 7 p.m. Committee Meetings 8 p.m. Council Meeting	10 6 p.m. Confirmation 6:30 p.m. Alleluia Choir 6:30 p.m. Bible Study	11 7:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast	12 Pastor's Day Off	13 5 p.m. Worship
14 8 a.m. Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. Worship/Sunday School 12 p.m. Bible Study	15 9 a.m. Salem Lutheran Home Worship	16 6 p.m. Alive in Christ Choir	17 6 p.m. Confirmation 6:30 p.m. Alleluia Choir 6:30 p.m. Bible Study	18 9:30 a.m. Faith Bible Study 2 p.m. Avoca Nursing Home Worship	19 Pastor's Day Off	20 5 p.m. Worship
21 8 a.m. Bible Study Youth Group 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. Worship/Sunday School Time TBA: Youth Group 12 p.m. Bible Study	22	23 8:30 a.m.—3 p.m. Christian Service 6 p.m. Alive in Christ Choir	24 6 p.m. Confirmation 6:30 p.m. Alleluia Choir 6:30 p.m. Bible Study	25	26 Pastor's Day Off	27 5 p.m. Worship
28 8 a.m. Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. Worship/Sunday School/Rite of Confirmation 12 p.m. Bible Study	29	<b>30</b>	31			

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**Worship Services for September beginning the 9th**

**Each Saturday at 5 p.m.**

**Each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. & 10:15 a.m.**

**Sunday School at 10:15 a.m.**

**Holy Communion: Celebrated at each worship service**