

Rejoice! It's Easter Sunday! Alleluia!

The Lord Jesus Christ has risen from the dead!

This is the most important celebration in the Christian faith, as the Resurrection "circles" Jesus as the One whom God the Father sent to be our Savior! Jesus' perfect life and His sacrificial death on the cross is the work that God the Father accepts on your behalf. Because of Jesus, you are forgiven, and God gives you eternal life!

We welcome you to our campus today! After worship you are invited to a free Easter breakfast on the patio and to enjoy a special Easter family event.

You are always welcome to join us in worship each week (7:30am, 9:00am, 10:15am, 11:30am, and 6:00pm) as we learn more and more about the risen

Savior Jesus Christ, His kingdom, His salvation, and His return on the Last Day to take us to our heavenly home! This newsletter highlights some of the many activities that our congregation is involved in to study God's Holy Word and to serve other people.

As a community of Lutheran Christians, we welcome you as together we rejoice and shout "Alleluia! The Lord is Risen!"





Worship Times

7:30am (Sanctuary) Traditional Lutheran Worship 9:00 & 10:15am (Family Life Center) Contemporary praise music 11:30am (Sanctuary) Blended Traditional Worship 6:00pm (Sanctuary) Casual Lutheran Worship

Nursery available for all services FLC Services Preschool Room 11 Sanctuary Services School Nursery

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Open Enrollment

Accepting Registration for 2017-2018 School Year!

Make an appointment today: 623-935-4690

> **Child Care** Beginning at Age I

Foundations Preschool-Kindergarten

Primary School Grades I-4

High School Prep Grades 5-8

Tuition Assistance Available Learn more about us at: trinitynewthinking.org



A Lutheran school for families of all religious backgrounds, Trinity equips students with the ability to think critically, solve problems creatively, communicate effectively and act with confidence. Trinity. New Thinking.

Beginning in Foundations and continuing through a student's

• Participate in Your

Child's Education.

• Do the Right Thing.

Think for Yourself.

• Extend Your Family.

• Believe in You.

• Learn More.

graduation from High School Prep, Trinity provides eight distinct





Parents: We have an exciting Trinity Summer Camp ahead of us during summer's hot months! Children participate in bi-weekly cooking lessons, crafts, reading activities, water days and much more. Field trips for K-8 students are offered to open and expose your child's mind to many different opportunities! Most of our campers also attend Vacation Bible School from June 12-16.

Trinity Summer Camp is open to the public beginning May 25 for children Age 1 through Grade 8*. The program is flexible to various schedules.

Additional specialized weekly programs are also available*, such as:

- Camp Invention LEGO Robotics
- Chess Club

Registration Information is available through our school website: trinitynewthinking.org

Soccer Shots



May, June & July 2017! Monday Wednesday Thursday Friday Tuesday Take-Out Dav Electronics Day Water Day Cooking Day Field Trip

Space fills fast! Register in the School Office: 623-935-4690. Plan your summer today! *Activities and programs subject to change and vary by age. Please contact school office for more information

QUESTIONS? Looking for answers?

Do you have questions about life? Wondering about God? Struggling with relationships? Want to know what a Lutheran church teaches? I am eager to meet with you, to listen, and explore your questions together. Contact Ruth Fisher, Director of Family Life (480-235-1473 or rfisher@trinitylcs.org)



New Member Classes (B.A.S.I.C.S.) Start In April.

If you are new to Trinity, thinking of becoming a member, curious about what we believe and teach about the basics of Christianity, or have been here forever and just want to meet some of our new families and freshen up on the basics of the Christian faith, this class is for you. The next BASICS (Brief Adult Study In Christianity & Service) class will start on Sunday, April 23 from 4 to 5:15pm. You will have an opportunity to find out about the driving mission and vision of Trinity and decide if we will be a good fit for you and your family. You can register online at <u>www.trinitylscs.org</u> by clicking on the "New Member" tab; or you can contact Andi at amcdonald@trinitylcs.org or 623.935.4665, ext. 214. Childcare is available with advance RSVP.

FOR MOMS

A place for you! A place to relax, be refreshed, be understood, and to grow as a woman and a mother! Gather around the Word of God as we gain strength and wisdom for the joy and struggles of parenting! Parenting Group meets every Friday from 8:30am -10:30am with FREE childcare. Contact Ruth Fisher (480-235-2373 or rfisher@trinitylcs.org) to sign up for childcare and more info.

What Difference **Does Easter Make?**

On that first Good Friday, the suffering and death that we all deserve was heaped upon the sacrificial Passover Lamb, Jesus in our place. He was found guilty of our sin, beaten, taken to a hill, hung on a cross, died an agonizing death, and buried in a borrowed tomb. Had this been the end of the story, the faith of generations would have died with Him. But, He didn't stay in that tomb! At least a dozen times, Jesus made His resurrection physically known to a variety of witnesses proving that He is alive! So what? As living Lord, He is able to 'bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives and the opening of the prison to them that are bound.' The risen Lord Jesus indeed sets us free from the prison of sin and death. Because He lives, we too live lives of freedom here on earth and in eternity. As CFW Walther once preached, the Resurrection is the great Easter amen of the Father to the words of the Son: 'It Is Finished!'"

BAPTISM Living Water for Your Thirsty Soul



Jesus offers His grace and forgiveness to us in baptism and works faith through it. If you have not been baptized, or have a child or infant who has not yet been baptized, we would love to help you. Please call **Deaconess** Ruth Fisher

at 623.935.4665, ext. 213 or email rfisheraz@ hotmail.com.



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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 12 - 16 9am - noon online registration begins in April

Our Youth Ministry at Trinity Lutheran Church & School follows The Light of the World -- Jesus Christ as biblically literate, doctrinally sound, mission minded, and passionately engaged disciples.

His word is a lamp for our feet, a light on our path.

We are Children of the Light!

The JR High Youth

(Grades 5–8) meet once a month for... Fun Friends Faith Building

The SR High Youth

meet each Wednesday of the month in the LIGHT Lounge Youth Room from 6:30-7:45pm.

> Children & Youth Ministries Laura Nelson, Director LNelson@TrinityLCS.org 623-935-4665 ext. 217

Follow TLC&S Youth on Twitter: @_TLCYouth Friend me on Facebook: laura.nelson.7798574 Follow me on Instagram: laurazzle_dazzle Add Me on SnapChat: larazzle-dazzle For those going into kindergarten through 6th grade in fall 2017

Registration forms and info outside!

Registration questions? Contact Laura Nelson <u>Inelson@trinitylcs.org</u> or 623-935-4665 ext 217

Volunteer questions? Contact Ruth Fisher <u>rfisher@trinitylcs.org</u> or 623-935-4665 ext 213

> Children Light