

# SET FREE TO LOVE OTHERS

JULY 30, 2023

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL



## SUMMER SERIES ON THE BOOK OF GALATIANS

### CROSS TRAINING SPECIAL MEETING

CROSS Training is what we call Sunday School during the 10:15 service! If you have taught with us before, or are interested in being a part of CROSS Training team, then mark down **SUNDAY, AUGUST 6TH at 12:30pm** for a special lunch meeting to discuss the current status and the upcoming year! If you have any questions, please see Ruth or Pastor!

### SENIOR CONFIRMATION!

If you are in 8th grade or older, and haven't been confirmed in the Lutheran Church, then this class is for you! Pastor Bolte teaches this class on Monday nights from 6:30-7:30pm in the Church Office Boardroom. Please email Pastor to sign-up for this class! *A brief Parent meeting will be Sunday, August 27th at 12:20pm in the sanctuary; and classes begin Monday, Sept. 12th!*

### Did you ever consider being a Lutheran Pastor or a Lutheran Teacher?

Many LCMS pastors, deaconesses, commissioned church workers, and teachers held other successful careers before pursuing a second career in service to Christ's church. You could do the same! Have you been praying about a full-time vocation in the church? You can use your experience and skills from your current work as a second-career church worker. Ready to learn more about opportunities to pursue a second career in full-time church work? Our seminaries and Concordia universities are happy to answer your questions. Visit [lcms.org/sas](http://lcms.org/sas) for more information. There is a flyer in the information counter as well!

### Sunday Worship on Campus

830 East Plaza Circle • Litchfield Park, AZ 85340

7:30am Traditional Worship

9:00am/10:15am Contemporary Worship

11:30am Blended Worship

6:00pm Casual Traditional Worship

Services are also posted on Facebook and [TrinityLCS.org](http://TrinityLCS.org)

School: 623.935.4690 • Church: 623.935.4665

### Sunday Morning – 8:45 Bible Study

The Gospel according to St. Luke is being studied with Rev. Les Self as the leader in the Founders Hall across from the Sanctuary. Coffee, donuts & Christian community abundantly offered. All are welcome.

### LWML Gathering: A TIME TO CONNECT!

**It's a Ladies Lunch for all ages & YOU are invited!**

This fun get-together is for us all to get to know each other better! Meet Aug 19 from 1pm - 3pm at the Eagle's Nest in Pebble Creek (3645 N Clubhouse Dr. Goodyear, AZ 85395) Note: Each person will choose their own meal/drink and pay for it only.

**RSVP ASAP with Valerie Severino 623-907- 9646.**

*Men invited, too -- Ask Valerie for details!*

## SAVE THE DATE!

We are hosting a special Bible Seminar on **April 19-20, 2024!** Erick Sorensen from [1517.org](http://1517.org) will be with us to lead us in an excellent study of Scripture! Erick is an author and host of two 1517.org podcasts. This will be a Friday night / Saturday morning seminar; and it will be excellent!

*Plan Now To Attend!*

**MARK IT DOWN  
ON YOUR CALENDAR!**

*More information to come in 2024!*

### Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church!

We are glad that you are worshiping with us this morning. If you are visiting with us, we consider you an honored guest and pray that you enjoy your worship experience. If we can help in any way, please see an elder or usher for assistance.





# Trinity Lutheran Church

CHRIST-CENTERED • BIBLE-BASED • FAMILY-FOCUSED

## GIVING TO THE CHURCH

Is giving to the Church new to you? Is it difficult for you to make a commitment to give to the Lord financially? Christians give to their local congregation to support the work of the Gospel in that place. We do not ask, nor would we ever expect, unbelievers to do so. But we do ask the Christians who consider Trinity their home church to give financially to support the work of the Gospel among us. If you are giving, THANK YOU for your faithfulness. If this is new, or if you are not giving, please consider starting. You can give electronically if you would like. Faithful, weekly giving supports the work among us. If you would like to talk more about it, get offering envelopes, discuss electronic giving, or have any questions, email Pastor (dbolte@trinitylcs.org) or Amy (athursam@trinitylcs.org). *Giving for the work of the Gospel is a joy!*

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS!

We have an opening on the Board of Directors! It's a one year appointed position – perfect to “try it out” if you will! This position will be up for election at the Congregational meeting next summer. If you would like to talk about serving on the Board, please contact Pastor Bolte at dbolte@trinitylcs.org to learn about duties, responsibilities, meetings, and times.

## Prayer of the Week

*God the Father, we thank you for the freedom we have in Your Son, Jesus Christ. We thank you that our salvation is not in our own hands; but completely in Yours! Help us to live holy, Godly, and decent lives in thought, word, and deed; and to glorify you in all things. We ask this in the power of the Holy Spirit and in the Name of your dear Son. Amen*

## Questions about Trinity School?

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## Meet Our Staff

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## AMY SCHULTZ: SHORT TERM MISSIONARY

**Our own Amy Schultz is going on a LCMS short term mission trip!**

She writes, “This year, I have the privilege of being a part of an LCMS International team of volunteers (from all over the United States) who will serve in the Dominican Republic, in August. Our team will prepare and lead a VBS for approximately 50 missionary kids (infant to teens!). I am so excited to serve our Lord in this way, and also represent our Church. This will be my fourth mission with LCMS International. I thank you for your prayers. Please feel free to ask me any questions. And, for more information, here is our website: [www.serveNOW.lcms.org](http://www.serveNOW.lcms.org)” **God’s blessings Amy – and thank you for your service!**



## 2023 Harvest to Holiday CRAFT FAIR

September 30th  
8 am to 2 pm

CRAFTERS, VENDORS, FOOD & FUN

Questions? Contact Gloria Tiemann [GTiemann77@gmail.com](mailto:GTiemann77@gmail.com)

Trinity Lutheran Church  
Southwest Corner of  
Dysart & Indian School  
Litchfield Park

## AMOS = A Ministry of Seniors

AMOS meets all summer long on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday's each month. Meet us in Founder's Hall from 10:00am-1pm. **Our next meeting will be Aug. 9, 2023.** It is a fun time of study, games, and fellowship. Bring a sack lunch.