

November, 2023
Monthly Newsletter of Trinity Lutheran Church
Rolling Meadows, IL

TRINITY *tidings*

Mark Your Calendar

Tuesdays Thru November

“Come And See” Bible Study
10 Am In The Church Lounge

11.5

Clocks Change At 2 AM

“Fall Back”

11.18

Trinity Markets At 9AM

11.22

Thanksgiving Eve Worship

7PM

A Note From Bishop Elizabeth Eaton

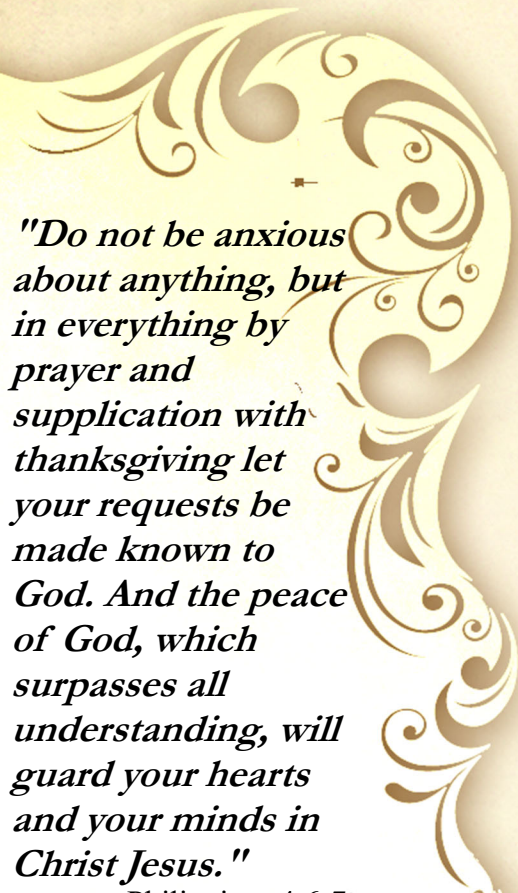
In response to the escalating violence in and around Gaza, Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton has extended a letter of support to Bishop Sani-Ibrahim Azar of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land.

In it she pledges to accompany and support the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land and its ministries. Images in the news are heartbreaking, and we extend our prayers to all those who have lost loved ones and are living in fear and uncertainty..

The ELCA has long-standing relationships with many partners in the region, including the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land and Augusta Victoria Hospital, which is operated by the Lutheran World Federation.

The most pressing needs that Lutheran Disaster Response and our partners can address are food, water and medical supplies. Support for hospitals will be another priority as the need for medical assistance continues to grow.

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"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

Philippians 4:6-7



Bishop Eaton Article Continued ...

Additionally, Lutheran Disaster Response is coordinating with the Arab and Middle Eastern Ministries desk to provide interfaith emotional and spiritual care support for communities in the United States.

DID YOU KNOW....

THANKSGIVING IS A NATIONAL HOLIDAY CELEBRATED ON VARIOUS DATES IN THE UNITED STATES, CANADA, GRENADA, SAINT LUCIA, LIBERIA, AND UNOFFICIALLY IN COUNTRIES LIKE BRAZIL AND THE PHILIPPINES. IT IS ALSO OBSERVED IN THE DUTCH TOWN OF LEIDEN AND THE AUSTRALIAN TERRITORY OF NORFOLK ISLAND.



ROLLING MEADOWS EVENTS

HOLIDAY CELEBRATION

November 30th from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm at Historical Museum located at Barker & Central Road

ROLLING MEADOWS POLICE DEPT FOOD DRIVE

December 9th Drop off non-perishable food and personal care items for Palatine Township Food Pantry 10 am to Noon in Jewel parking lot located at 3000 Kirchoff Rd. Financial donations will also be accepted. For more info, call police non-emergency desk (847) 255-2416.



Operation Christmas Child

**A TRINITY MINISTRY NOW IN ITS
18TH YEAR!**

The Amazing Journey of a Simple Shoebox
Gift Begins with YOU!

Because you are Sharing the Joy of GOD'S
LOVE.

This is our last month to fill our shoeboxes
with all the Special Items you choose -
knowing that you will make many children
happy as they feel your Love and Goodness
packed into each Box.

The videos have shown us how Wonderful
and Amazing this Ministry is for thousands
of children around the world.

Not only does your child get the wonderful
items you packed in your box, but they also
get booklets and items which tell them of
the Love of Christ! Perhaps the 1st time
they ever heard Of Our Lord!

**THE LAST SUNDAY TO BRING YOUR
SHOEBOX TO CHURCH IS NOV 19.**



Send a Gift-Filled Shoebox
in Jesus' Name

Visit samaritanspurse.org/occ to learn more about how God can use a gift-filled shoebox
given in Jesus' Name to transform a child, their family, and their community.

Any Questions?

See Ray or Kathie Godfrey



Join us the 3rd
Saturday of the month

TLC MARKETS

Where: Trinity Lutheran Church
3201 Meadow Drive, Rolling Meadows

Crafters & Vendors - Join Us

DIRECT YOUR 2023 THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS® GRANT FUNDS TO TRINITY IN NOVEMBER!

Thanks to Thrivent and its clients with membership, Trinity has received \$12,032 in Thrivent Choice Dollars® grant funds since the program started in 2010.

Eligible Thrivent Financial members who have Choice Dollars® available can help support Trinity by directing their Thrivent Choice Dollars® to Trinity during November. Trinity will receive the funds in early December to help reduce the 2023 deficit!

Go to Thrivent.com/thriventchoice to learn more or call 800-847-4836 and say "Thrivent Choice" after the prompt.

ELCA DISASTER RELIEF ENVELOPES

are available in the narthex wall rack to make donations for the Israel Crisis. See article on page 1.

Financial Update: General Fund 2023

	INCOME	EXPENSES	NET SURPLUS OR (DEFICIT)
Jan	\$ 10,607.10	\$ 13,876.34	\$ (3,269.24)
Feb	\$ 9,811.68	\$ 13,689.80	\$ (3,878.12)
Mar	\$ 15,415.88	\$ 13,223.68	\$ 2,192.20
Apr	\$ 11,757.23	\$ 12,974.25	\$ (1,217.02)
May	\$ 10,889.80	\$ 13,017.89	\$ (2,128.09)
Jun	\$ 12,032.64	\$ 12,008.69	\$ 23.95
Jul	\$ 11,605.95	\$ 11,891.37	\$ (285.42)
Aug	\$ 10,143.06	\$ 11,486.96	\$ (1,343.90)
Sep	\$ 12,224.56	\$ 12,502.24	\$ (277.68)
Total Jan-Sep 2023	\$104,487.90	\$114,671.22	\$ (10,183.32)

Donations can be made electronically from your smartphone using the "Vanco Mobile" app available from the App Store or Google Play, or use our website QR code, or go to the Donations link on our website tlcrm.com or our secure website at <https://secure.myvanco.com/L-YRVQ/home>

Thank you for your continued support!



WHAT IS TRINITY'S COUNCIL WORKING ON?

Find out by reading the Council Meeting Minutes that are posted on the bulletin board in the narthex.



ELCA WORLD RELIEF

For 50 years we have joined together as Lutherans to address root causes of hunger and poverty around the world through ELCA World Hunger.

Part of our church's long tradition of meeting human needs, ELCA World Hunger embodies our commitment to God's promise of a time when we will hunger and thirst no more.

***LADIES GROUP meets
November 14 at 12
noon, so bring your
lunch + beverage, we
will have fellowship
time and play Yahtzee,
see you then.***

DON'T PITCH YOUR PUMPKINS - COMPOST THEM!

FRIDAY
NOVEMBER 3rd
9:00 am - 2:00 pm



SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 4th
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

PUMPKIN COMPOST PROGRAM

Hosted by the Rolling Meadows Public Works Department



Drop off location: 3900 BERDNICK ST.

Pumpkins must be free of candles, wax, foil, string, glow sticks and any non-acrylic paint décor.

For more information, call 847-963-0500 or email pw@cityrm.org.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>29</p> <p>9:30am Trinity Worship Service - Worshipping At Church AND via ZOOM</p> <p>10:30am Book Study With Pastor Hildner</p> <p>11:00am Peaceful Baptist Church Worship</p> <p>2:30pm Masihi Church of God Worship</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>31</p>  <p>10:00am "Come And See" Bible Study</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>2</p> <p>7:00pm Masihi Church of God Prayer & Bible Study</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</p> <p>10:30am Tu Familia SDA Worship</p>
<p>5</p>  <p>DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS - CHANGE CLOCKS - Fall Back 1 Hr</p> <p>9:30am Trinity Worship Service - Worshipping At Church AND via ZOOM</p> <p>10:30am Book Study With Pastor Hildner</p> <p>11:00am Peaceful Baptist Church Worship</p> <p>2:30pm Masihi Church of God Worship</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>7</p>  <p>10:00am "Come And See" Bible Study</p> <p>7:00pm Fellowship Ministry</p>	<p>8</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>11</p>  <p>VETERAN'S DAY GOD BLESS ALL VETERANS Thank You For Your Service</p> <p>10:30am Tu Familia SDA Worship</p>
<p>12</p> <p>9:30am Trinity Worship Service - Worshipping At Church AND via ZOOM</p> <p>10:30am Book Study With Pastor Hildner</p> <p>11:00am Peaceful Baptist Church Worship</p> <p>2:30pm Masihi Church of God Worship</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>   <p>10:00am "Come And See" Bible Study</p> <p>12:00pm Talk, Lunch, Crafts - TLC Ladies Club</p> <p>4:30pm Girl Scouts - Troop 45736</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>  <p>7:00pm TLC Council Meeting</p>	<p>17</p>	<p>18</p>  <p>9:00am Trinity Markets</p> <p>10:30am Tu Familia SDA Worship</p>
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November Birthdays
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