

# TRINITY *tidings*

## Bishop Eaton Issues Statement on Fatal Shooting of Two Israeli Embassy Staff in Washington, D.C.

May 22, 2025

**CHICAGO —** We of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America join our ecumenical and interreligious partners in expressing deep concern and sadness over the deadly shooting of two Israeli Embassy staff outside an event in Washington, D.C. This is yet another example of the rising, deadly scourge of anti-Semitism in our society.

As a church, we have declared that “we recognize in anti-Semitism a contradiction and an affront to the Gospel, a violation of our hope and calling, and we pledge this church to oppose the deadly working of such bigotry, both within our own circles and in the society around us” (“A Declaration of the ELCA to the Jewish Community,” 1994).

We are profoundly disturbed that these killings occurred in the context of an event hosted by the American Jewish Committee that featured speakers from the Multifaith Alliance and the humanitarian organization IsraAID.

These speakers were discussing avenues for ensuring that humanitarian aid reaches Gaza,

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precisely the kind of collaboration that is needed, and that the ELCA supports, as the people of Gaza face starvation and intentional mass displacement.

We join in praying for the families, colleagues and communities of Yaron Lischinsky and Sarah Milgrim, for the Jewish people in our communities who live in fear, and for the people of Gaza, who desperately need humanitarian aid to stay alive.

We continue to call for a ceasefire, for the release of hostages and those being detained, for access to humanitarian aid, for rejecting violence as a means of solving the ongoing destruction of the Holy Land, and for commitments to dialogue, reconciliation and humanization.

Above all, we pray for God’s peace and justice to prevail for all people.

The Rev. Elizabeth A. Eaton  
*Presiding Bishop, Evangelical Lutheran Church in America*

THE CITY OF ROLLING MEADOWS PRESENTS

**BITES & BEATS**

On Kirchhoff

**FOOD TRUCKS & LIVE MUSIC**

4TH WEDNESDAY MAY - SEPT.

FREE PARKING

**MAY 28**  
5:00 PM DJ RICO  
7:00 PM UR MOM (Alternative Pop)

**JUNE 25**  
5:00 PM DJ RICO  
7:00 PM PHAT KATS (Pop & Rock)

**JULY 23**  
5:00 PM DJ RICO  
7:00 PM BIG DOG MERCER (Blues & Rock)

**AUG 27**  
5:00 PM DJ RICO  
7:00 PM GEMRBR BAND (Multi-genre)

**SEPT 24**  
6:00 PM JUDSON BROWN BAND (Multi-genre)

ADULT BEVERAGES BY SAYULITA MEXICAN RESTAURANT

*Sayulita*  
THE MEXICAN RESTAURANT

NO OUTSIDE FOOD/DRINK ALLOWED

**2720 KIRCHOFF ROAD**  
ON THE GROUNDS OF  
COMMUNITY CHURCH OF ROLLING MEADOWS  
(THANK YOU TO OUR EVENT PARTNER!)

Visit [www.cityrm.org](http://www.cityrm.org) for more information or contact  
Martha Corner at [cornerm@cityrm.org](mailto:cornerm@cityrm.org) or 847-870-9004

Food trucks managed by

Suggested Scripture Readings for June

Sundays and Principal Festivals	First Reading	Psalms	Second Reading	Gospel
1st: Seventh Sunday in Easter	Acts 16:16-34	Ps 97	Rev 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21	John 17:20-26
8th: Day of Pentecost	Acts 2:1-21 or Gen 11:1-9	Ps 104:24-34, 35b	Rom 8:14-17 or Acts 2:1-21	John 14:8-17 [25-27]
15th: The Holy Trinity	Prov 8:1-4, 22-31	Ps 8	Rom 5:1-5	John 16:12-15
22nd: Second Sunday After Pentecost	Isa 65:1-9	Ps 22:19-28	Gal 3:23-29	Luke 8:26-39
29th: Third Sunday After Pentecost	1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21	Ps 16	Gal 5:1, 13-25	Luke 9:51-62

### Financial Update: General Fund 2025

	INCOME	EXPENSES	NET SURPLUS OR (DEFICIT)	SUNDAY AVERAGE ATTENDANCE
Jan	\$ 11,098.30	\$ 15,093.68	\$ (3,995.38)	25
Feb	\$ 10,149.70	\$ 13,588.82	\$ (3,439.12)	25
Mar	\$ 10,686.45	\$ 13,395.28	\$ (2,708.83)	25
Apr	\$ 12,618.41	\$ 12,723.28	\$ (104.87)	31
	<b>\$ 44,552.86</b>	<b>\$ 54,801.06</b>	<b>\$ (10,248.20)</b>	26

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Thank you for your continued support!

## JUNE 21 IS OUR NEXT TLC CRAFT FAIR!

THE VENDORS WILL BE AT TRINITY FROM 10:00 AM UNTIL 2:00 PM.

Join us the 3rd Saturday of the month

# TLC MARKETS

Where: Trinity Lutheran Church  
3201 Meadow Drive, Rolling Meadows

Crafters & Vendors - Join Us



# BLOCK PARTY

JUNE 6 6:00 – 9:30PM

ON CENTRAL ROAD

IN FRONT OF ROLLING MEADOWS HIGH SCHOOL

Featuring live performances by:



## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

6–8:30pm

- Public safety vehicle show
- Kiddie train rides
- Face painting, balloon art, caricatures

7pm

- Police K9 demonstration

8–9:30pm

- Oh Yes! performs

6–7:30pm

- Esso Funk performs

- TRINITY WILL BE PARTICIPATING IN THE ROLLING MEADOWS BLOCK PARTY, AS YOU CAN SEE FROM THE FLYERS LEFT AND BELOW. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP OUT PLEASE CONTACT DENA MCINTOSH. LET'S SEE YOU THERE!

- ON JUNE 8TH FOLLOWING OUR 9:30AM WORSHIP SERVICE, WE WILL BE BURNING THE PAID OFF MORTGAGE PAPERS FROM THE MORTGAGE WE HAVE HAD FOR THE LAST 20 YEARS. WE'RE GRILLING BURGERS TOO FOR LUNCH! PLEASE JOIN US !



R.M Block Party  
Friday, June 6th, 2025  
6-9:30 pm

Come and See  
TLC Krafty Kids

*Father's Day Craft*

Surprise Dad for Father's Day

- 2 cards to pick from/make/and give to Dad
- 2 crafts to pick from/make/as a gift to Dad
- Free Wrapping





***Don't Forget.....***

**2nd Sunday Cereal Donations  
Due At Church By June 8th!**



## **ATTEND JUNE 14TH FLAG RETIREMENT CEREMONY AT KIMBALL HILL PARK**

The Rolling Meadows Veterans Committee invites community members to take part in a retirement ceremony for worn American flags at Kimball Hill Park on Flag Day (Saturday, June 14th).

The ceremony will begin at noon. Residents are welcome to bring old or damaged American flags for proper, respectful disposal.

For more information, contact Lori Ciezak ([ciezakl@cityrm.org](mailto:ciezakl@cityrm.org) or 847-870-9005).



## **TRINITY LADIES GROUP *SPECIAL EVENT***

**For the June ladies group meeting, we plan on attending the City of Rolling Meadows Human Services June 10, 2025 Fall Prevention Workshop.**

**Located at 3600 Kirchoff Road, Rolling Meadows, on the 2nd Floor of city hall, the Workshop will start at 11:00 am and some lunch provided.**

**If the registration is full, our meeting will revert to Trinity's lounge with a start time of 12 noon.**

**ANY QUESTIONS SEE LYNN GRIESMEYER**







# Fall Prevention Workshop

When: June 10, 2025

Time: 11am- 12:30pm

Where: EOC - 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of City Hall  
3600 Kirchoff Rd.  
Rolling Meadows, IL

Lunch will be  
provided with  
registration



In partnership with:



To register please contact Marisol Gonzalez at 847-870-2695



## MINDFUL AGING GROUP



Participants will learn to navigate aging with a positive mindset, uncover new passions, and build a life full of meaning and connection. Whether you're seeking clarity, creativity, or simply a sense of peace, this group offers a space to rediscover the beauty and potential of life after 50.

Thursdays starting on May 22nd  
10:30am-11:30am  
City Hall  
3600 Kirchoff Rd, 2nd floor

For questions, please contact Daifeny Arias at 224-545-7313




















## TRINITY COUNCIL

At May 17th Sunday Worship, Pastor Hildner installed the Trinity Council Members present at the service.



- Rev. John Hildner, Pastor
- Tina Frankiewicz, President
- Dena McIntosh, Vice President
- Dan Phillips, Treasurer
- Lynn Griesmeyer, Secretary
- Al Corbett
- Shirley Walter
- Dottie Jachim
- Chrissie Barile
- Joan Anderson
- Betty Anderson
- Ralph Cope
- Rick Johnson



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
<b>1</b> 9:30am Trinity Worship Service - Worshipping At Church AND via ZOOM 10:30am Book Study With Pastor Hildner 11:00am Peaceful Baptist Church Worship 2:30pm Masihi Church of God Worship	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>  10:00am "Come And See" Bible Study  7:00pm Fellowship Ministry	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>  6:00pm Rolling Meadows Block Party	<b>7</b> 10:30am Tu Familia SDA Worship	
<b>8</b>   <b>Pentecost</b> TLC Second Sunday Cereal Food Drive 9:30am Trinity Worship Service - Worshipping At Church AND via ZOOM 10:30am Book Study With Pastor Hildner 11:00am Peaceful Baptist Church Worship 2:30pm Masihi Church of God Worship	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>  10:00am "Come And See" Bible Study  12:00pm Talk, Lunch, Crafts - TLC Ladies Club	<b>June Birthdays</b> <b>Brad Johnson 06</b> <b>John Hildner 12</b> <b>Christina Johnson 17</b> <b>Jordan Johnson 22</b> <b>Jerry Dillon 23</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>  <b>Flag Day</b> 10:30am Tu Familia SDA Worship
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