



*Steve Wiechman,
Pastor*

November 2023

TRINITY NEWS

My Trinity Family,

Twice in the past week I have been thoroughly blessed to receive someone's story and share my own. In a world that is full of sound-bites, memes, rampant division, and quick reactions, it is so refreshing to actually connect with another human being, rather than flat images and information (or dis-information).

Here's few things I noticed about these encounters:

- * They weren't rushed or on a timeline. We lingered.
- * There was laughter. And in one case, there was also tears.
- * I was energized afterwards.
- * I felt connected, not just to the other person, but to myself and to God.
- * In people's stories we discover God at work, not only in the other gifts of His Spirit in us.

As we enter the months of the year where we are with family a little more, inside a little more – watch for opportunities to truly share yourself – your story of life, and faith, and struggle, and triumph – with another person. And watch for opportunities to receive another person's story – asking questions that “double-click” and show you are interested. You will be blessed!

Breathe Life Ministries has a shirt that has the word “HEAL” on it with this phrase underneath: “your story matters”. And it's true! That's why Jesus came and walked among us and saved us by getting into the middle of our collective story. He didn't just “beam us up!” He's interested in us. He loves us. He wants us to see how our stories are woven together into His story – a story that ties together all our individual stories into an epic love story whose ending is mind-blowing, because it doesn't ...

Love y'all,
Pastor Steve

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<div> <div>November 2023</div> <div> NOVEMBER  </div> </div>						
Trinity Lutheran Church 1512 Louise St. Rosenberg TX 77471 281/341-1451 Pastor Steve Wiechman revwishbone@gmail.com 832/524-3016			1	2	3	4 FALL BACK Turn clocks back 1 hr
5 9am Sunday School 10:15 Worship w/communion	6	7 6pm Elders Meeting	8 4pm Worship Team 5pm Chime Practice	9	10	11
12 Chimes play 9am Sunday Sch 9:15am Trustees Mtg. 10:15 Worship 11:30am TRY Mtg.	13	14	15 4pm Worship Team 5pm Chime Practice	16	17	18 Church Use Birthday Party 2-7pm
19 9am Sunday Sch 10:15 Worship w/communion	20	21	22 4pm Worship Team 5pm Chime Practice	23  THANKSGIVING	24	25
26 Chimes Play 9am Sunday Sch 10:15 Worship Guest Pastor: Rev. Curtiss Lanham	27	28	29 4pm Worship Team 5pm Chime Practice	30		

NOVEMBER Birthdays



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| 2- Kyle Petrusek | 14- Tricia Rios |
| 5- Karen Klobedans | 16- Jeremy Lindemann |
| Shawn McGaw | 18- Stevie Daughtrey |
| Jazmin Rodriguez | 20- River Gutierrez |
| 8- Richard Krueger | 24- Shelley Luker |
| 12- Tammie Ledger | 26- Chris Johnson |



in November

November 5 '11 - **James & Leticia Rudel "12th"**

November 18 '17 - **Elizabeth & Ashton Norris "6th"**

November Altar Flowers



5 - OPEN

12- James & Carolyn Rudel
– in loving memory of Betty & Nelson Meyer

19- Bag Ladies
– For Thanksgiving

26- Pat Conner
in loving memory of her mom, Theresa Creed



***"The grass withers, the
flower fades, but the
word of our God will
stand forever. – Isaiah 40:8***

Those Who Serve

November Greeters

- 5- Milton Riske
12- Pat Conner
19- Linda McCoy
26- Ann Schwebel



Happy Thanksgiving!

November 23rd

*(No Thanksgiving Eve Service
this year)*



TRY

(Youth Group)

MEETING -

Sunday, November 12th,

11:30 a.m.

FALL BACK ... Remember to turn your clocks **BACK one hour** before you go to bed on **Saturday, November 4th**. Enjoy your extra hour of sleep before church on Sunday.



DEAR BROTHERS & SISTERS

IN CHRIST ... Please remember that the Elders are here to serve but we can not effectively serve you unless we know your needs. If you have any questions, comments, or concerns, please contact us and you are always welcomed to attend our monthly meetings on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 6:00p.m. God bless and keep you!

*** *The Board of Elders* ***

Robert Grigar - 832/692-6104
Sean Gutierrez - 832/473-4472
Darrell Hirsch - 281/908-6863

Shawn McGaw - 281/633-1372
James Rudel - 281/507-3858



**Sunday, DECEMBER 3
2:00 p.m.**



2nd COLLECTION OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES ... the Board of Fellowship will collect the following SCHOOL SUPPLIES for children & teachers from *NOVEMBER* through the *end of DECEMBER*:



1. **#2 wood PENCILS**, 12 count box
2. **Box of TISSUES** - 200 count
3. **GLUE STICKS**
4. **REAM OF COPY PAPER**
5. **MARKERS**, 8-10 ct.
6. **CRAYONS**
7. **Box of QUART-SIZE BAGGIES**
8. **Box of GALLON-SIZE BAGGIES**
9. **POCKET FOLDERS w/Brads**

These school supplies will distributed to students and teachers at TAYLOR RAY Elementary School. Please drop them in the marked box in the overflow area. Thanks!



Richmond/Rosenberg **HELPING HANDS** **HOLIDAY** **FOOD DRIVE**

This FOOD DRIVE will start on November 19 and run through the end of December. We have personal items listed to be collected but they will gladly accept food items too!

Sundays:

November 19 -	Toothpaste, Toothbrushes
November 26-	Soap, Shampoo
December 3-	Toilet paper
December 10 -	Deodorant
December 17 -	Paper Towels

Drop your items in the Helping Hands barrel in the overflow area. Also, monetary donations would be gladly appreciated too!



With Our Budget

We need \$ 3,721.00 weekly

Attendance per Sunday

Oct. 1-	3,483.00	72
Oct. 8-	2,953.00	51
Oct. 15-	4,525.00	54
Oct. 22-	2,679.00	56
Oct. 30-	5,820.36	82

Y-T-D Offering thru Oct. 31:

162,663.43

Total Needed for 2023 Budget

163,724.00

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