

LAST SUNDAY for FREE BOOKS

- We are in the process of updating and reorganizing the church library. There are 2 tables of FREE books in the fellowship hall.
- Adult and children's books, **HELP YOURSELF.**
- They will be gone on the 17th.**

Trinity 125th CELEBRATION - SEPTEMBER 17, 2023

- There are going to be a lot of church events celebrating our 125th so, if you have never signed up to work at a church event you really should try it....it is truly amazing! **There is an information sheet on the counter for all the committee help needed.** If you would like to help, please sign up and add which committee you would like to help with
- 1. 125th Anniversary book
- 2. locate former pastors and organized potluck dinners
- 3. Plan celebration meal and sell tickets
- 4. Plan 125th Service
- 5. Plan Sunday Special events.

AROUND TOWN

- PARADE OF BANDS:** The Sibley Band Boosters invite you to attend the 23rd Annual Sibley-Ocheyedan Parade of Bands on Sunday, October 16. A meal of soups, sandwiches, and desert will be served from 11-1, with a free-will donation supporting the S-O band programs. Performances at the football field start at 2:00 and feature the 6th Grade Band, the 7/8th Grade Band, and the High School Marching Generals performing "Duality". Come out to enjoy the performances and support the Bands!
- Blood Donations Save Lives!** The Sibley-Ocheyedan FFA is hosting a community Blood Drive on Wednesday, October 19, 2022 from 8-11 & 12:30-3 at the Sibley-Ocheyedan High School. All who donate will receive a Subway gift card. To register simply go to the following website and pick an available time
- <https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignUp/sibleyochoct19> . All donors need to be at least 17 years of age and weigh at least 110 lbs. Please bring a valid ID with you on donation day.
- YOU ARE INVITED:** The Sibley Christian Reformed Church invites you to the concert of One Way Up on Sunday, Oct. 23, at 3:00 p.m. One Way Up is a worship band composed of a bunch of friends that got together to do one thing, share the word of God through music. Invite your friends to join you and come to hear the message they will be giving.
- WANTED:** Osceola Community Express is looking for a bus driver. This is a perfect part-time job for someone who relates well to others. A CDL license is required. The bus operates from 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. If you have an interest in helping others in our community, please call Ed Harskamp at 712-461-1372. He will be able to answer any questions you might have regarding this opportunity.
- DINNER DATE:** Please join us for meals at the Sibley Senior Center (612 8th Street). Meals will be served at noon. Cost per-- meal is \$5.00. To sign up for meals please call- Sheryl Peters 754-2351 or 712-261-2351

Sunday, October 16

- 9:00am - Sunday School
- 9:00am - Adult Sunday School
- 10:00am - Worship with Communion
- 11:00am - Coffee Fellowship served by students in grades K-6th

Monday, October 17

- 5:00-9:00pm - Fellowship and Kitchen reserved

Tuesday, October 18

- 3:00- Fireside Room Reserved
- 6:00pm - Adult Bible Study

Wednesday, October 19

- 9:00am - TELC Coffee at the Lantern- all are welcome
- 6:00PM - Choir
- 5:45pm - 6th - 8th Grade Confirmation
- 6:45pm - 9th Grade Confirmation
- 6:45pm - Youth Group Meal
- 7:00pm - Youth Group

Thursday, October 20

- WIC at Trinity
- Pastors meeting in Royal

Friday, October 21

Saturday, October 22

Sunday, October 23 - CONFIRMATION

- 9:00am - Sunday School
- 9:00am - Adult Sunday School
- 10:00am - Worship with Communion, Special Music students K-6th
- 11:00am - **HARVEST MEAL**

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Dear Jesus, As You are the One, and we, Your servants, we pray Oh God above to heal and support those that are listed here.
- Alan Hoppe
- Country View Manor -Ron Peters, Gilbert Blockowitz
- Heartwood Heights - Alvin Jurrens
- Good Samaritan Home - Myrna Heronemus, Velma Vander Plaats
- All Essential Workers
- All Law Enforcement Officers
- All Service Men & Women and Their Families
- Our Sister LCMC Congregation Zion Lutheran, Des Moines, IA and their Senior Pastor John Kline

SERVING AT WORSHIP

•OCTOBER 16

- Organist:* Eileen Schutte *Lector:* Maralee Onken
- Acolyte:* Carson Renner *Sound System:* Todd Ackerman
- Ushers/Greeters:* John & Paula Maxwell
- Head Ushers:* John Maxwell & Ray Schuster
- Altar Care:* Brenda Hibbing & Patty Dreessen
- Communion Helper/Teller:* Daryl Tutje
- Coffee Fellowship:* Students in Grades K-6

•OCTOBER 23 - Confirmation

- Organist:* Lois Timmermann *Lector:* Jan Henningsen
- Acolyte:* Presley Henning *Sound System:* Kevin Wollmuth
- Ushers/Greeters:* Steve & Brenda Rosenberg
- Head Ushers:* John Maxwell & Ray Schuster
- Altar Care:* Brenda Hibbing & Patty Dreessen
- Communion Helper/Teller:* Daryl Tutje
- HARVEST MEAL** following worship

OFFERINGS for week of October 9, 2022

- “Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.” Hebrews 13:16
- General Fund: \$2,108.00
- Building Fund (paid off member loan #1): \$1,075.00
 - Soup & Pie Supper (BF): \$2,500.00
- Farmers Market (BF): \$4.00
- Noisy Offering (Adopt at Family for Christmas): \$85.53

CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

- Confirmation will be held on Sunday, October 23.
- Congratulations to:
 - Evan Beltman and Becca Woelber
 - May the HOLY SPIRIT light your way!**

HARVEST MEAL

- There will be a HARVEST MEAL at Trinity on October 23rd following worship. There is a signup sheet to bring a dessert on the counter. THANK YOU.

BUILDING FUND

- The next (**and last**) loan to pay off is the endowment loan of \$60,000. Currently we have \$12,066.54 in the building fund account.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

- If you missed getting your picture taken for the church directory please contact Brenna French or Traci Henning **ASAP. Thank you!**

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD PROGRAM

- There is a table set up for OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD with all the information on the SHOEBOX Program. Stop and check it out...pick up a SHOEBOX, Gift Suggestion list for boys and girls ages 2-14, Brochure - with shoebox label and envelope for donations - A donation of **\$10 per box is critical** to cover shipping and other project costs.
- **FILLED SHOEBOXES ARE DUE November 12th.**

Sunday School News:

- Sunday School Classes will run from 9:00-9:45 each week, prior to church service.
- The 3 year olds-6th grade students will be singing during the church service on the last Sunday of each month (pending any Holidays).
- If you are interested** in teaching, assisting, or being a substitute for a Sunday School class, please reach out to Jackie Glade or Kayla Kruger.

YOUTH GROUP NEWS:

- Youth Group will be meeting the 2nd & 3rd Wednesdays of each month from 7:00-8:00 p.m. There will be supper served following confirmation classes. Please come by 6:45 p.m. if you plan to eat supper before youth group.
- The Youth Group will be going to the Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camp for Outreach Nights. Next outreach night is November 6, SECRET AGENTS.
- NOVEMBER 16** - Youth Group will take part in the OCMA FOOD FIND. If you have food to donate please leave your front light on and someone will stop and pick up your donation.

TRUNK and TREAT:

- We are looking for someone to organize the TRUCK and TREAT for October 31st. Please let Pastor Tim know if you would like to be in charge of this activity.