Fall 2019 Congregational Update



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## Sept. 8 — Sunday worship returns to 8:30 and 11 am



### Welcome Students! The 2019-20 school year opened Aug. 28

- 175 K-8 students (8% increase)
- 45 pre-school kids

- Theme: Leadership Starts Inside of Me
- Verse: Galatians 5 Fruits of the Spirit

## Mark your calendar

Cybersafety presentation
Sept. 18 6:30 pm gym
How students are using technology;
Internet safety tips and tools;
Everyone welcome

Matthes Tree Farm family day Oct. 6 12:30 pm—5 pm 13416 Lulu Rd., Ida (west of Lewis) Alumni Fun Run through the trees Pony rides; hay wagon rides; food A 175th Anniversary event

#### Other things upcoming:

- > Sept. 22 Joint service with Holy Ghost: See Page 2
- > Oct. 16 Board of Directors meeting 6:30 pm
- > Oct. 20 Voters Meeting
- > Nov. 10 Special 175th anniversary celebration
- > Nov. 17 Harvest Dinner

## What does it mean to have an All-In God?

Would you choose a financial planner who is "ALL IN" with your investment plan or one who thinks "pretty good is good enough"? Are you okay with a coach who is happy with a 8-8 record or one who wants to go 16-0? In the same light, who wants a God who will be there half of the time or only give to you part of what you need? Good news – we have an "ALL-IN" God!

So why would you want to be part of a ministry that is happy with mediocrity? We certainly do not worship a God who goes "half-way." He sacrificed the life of his one and only Son to save us from sin and death. God is truly "ALL IN" when it comes to you.

What does "ALL IN" ministry look like? It helps you

see what God is doing in your life so you can experience the full life he wants for you. It equips you to see what God is doing in the lives of those around you – the dreams he has for ALL people. This ministry prays for God's healing in EVERY aspect of your life. It works to bring forgiveness for ALL your guilt and hope in EVERY situation.

Jesus Christ loves you FULLY. He will go to the mat for you. He will ALWAYS be there for you. His love is UNCONDITIONAL. We want Trinity to be an "ALL-IN" ministry. For that to happen, we need people who believe God can make it happen and will work together for that purpose. Let's be part of something special. Are you in this with us? ALL IN?

Pastor Heimsoth

# Sept. 22: Celebrating 175 years together

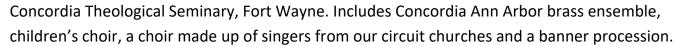
#### Joint Service with Holy Ghost at Monroe High

- **Lutherans arrived in Monroe County in 1828**
- 33 families created a congregation named Zoar
- On Nov. 10, 1844, Trinity and Holy Ghost founded separate congregations

Now we worship, praise and thank our God for His blessings and protection

Sept. 22 3 p.m. Monroe High School Speaker will be the Rev. Dr.

Lawrence R. Rast Jr., president of



Be part of the Trinity story ... PAST AND FUTURE! MHS is at 901 Herr Rd. near Rupp Funeral Home.



## The summer that was ... in pictures



Worship in the Park: Cal Havekost & Grace Finley -**Trinity** alums





