



Trinity Lutheran Church

“Proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ”

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✠ The Ascension of our Lord ✠



Sunday, May 13, 2018

Eucharists at 8:30 & 11:00 am

Sunday School and Adult Forum at 9:45 am

~ Today's Hymns ~

Gathering Hymn: 855 “Crown Him with Many Crowns”

Communion Hymns:

854 “Blessing and Honor”

821 “Shout to the Lord” (sing twice)

579 “Lord, You Give the Great Commission”

Sending Hymn: 838 “Beautiful Savior”

~ Today's Readings ~

The First Reading: Acts 1:1-11

L: A Reading from Acts:

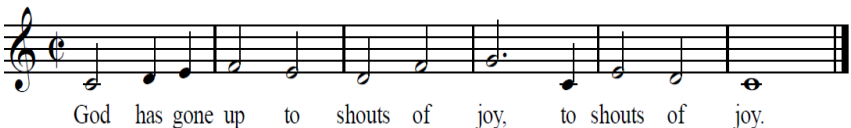
In the first book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus did and taught from the beginning until the day when he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. After his suffering he presented himself alive to them by many convincing proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. While staying with them, he ordered them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait there for the promise of the Father. "This," he said, "is what you have heard from me; for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now." So when they had come together, they asked him, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?" He replied, "It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. They said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalmody: Psalm 47

Please join in singing the congregational refrain:



Cantor: All peoples, clap your hands cry to God with shouts of joy! For the Lord, the Most High, we must fear, great King over all the earth.
Refrain.

Cantor: God goes up with shouts of joy; the Lord goes up with trumpet blast. Sing praise for God, sing praise, sing praise to our king, sing praise. *Refrain.*

Cantor: God is king of all the earth, sing praise with all your skill. God is king over the nations; God reigns enthroned in holiness. *Refrain.*

The Second Reading: Ephesians 1:15-23

L: A Reading from Ephesians:

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

The Gospel Acclamation

Please rise and join in singing the Gospel Acclamation's Refrain:



Cantor: Go and teach all nations, says the Lord; I am with you always, until the end of the world.

Holy Gospel: Luke 24:44-53

D: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 24th Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

D: Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And see, I am sending upon you what my

Father promised; so stay here in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high." Then he led them out as far as Bethany, and, lifting up his hands, he blessed them. While he was blessing them, he withdrew from them and was carried up into heaven. And they worshiped him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy; and they were continually in the temple blessing God.

D: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Deacon's Intercessions:

We pray for the Church: that we may celebrate our Lord's ascension with joy, and wait, with patience and faith, for the gift of the Holy Spirit. Lord, in your mercy...

... that we may use these days to reflect on the Power of the Holy Spirit which Christ has promised to send upon us, and prepare to use it well. Lord, in your mercy...

... that the Church may be one in faith, one in witness, one in doctrine, one in hope, and one in the peace of the Holy Spirit. Lord, in your mercy...

... that the Holy Spirit will raise up and empower missionaries to boldly announce the Good News of Christ to all the world. Lord, in your mercy...

As families of our community celebrate Mother's Day today, we pray for our mothers, and for all those who guide and nurture the children of creation: that they may have vision, devotion, and patience... that we may remember them fondly... and that all sons and daughters might know the blessings of good and faithful mothers. Lord, in your mercy...

We pray for Kathie, our parish secretary: that as she moves into retirement, she may know our love and appreciation, and come to enjoy the fruits of her labors, through the years ahead. Lord, in your mercy...

We pray for all nations and communities and their leaders: that God's reign of peace and justice may inspire all who govern to end violence and to work to establish just and peaceful societies. Lord, in your mercy...

We pray for all who work to bring food to our tables: that God will bless them with favorable weather and a bountiful harvest. Lord, in your mercy...

We pray for caregivers and all who tend the sick: that God will work through them to bring comfort and healing to those who long for health and wholeness. Especially today we remember... Lord, in your mercy...

We pray for all who struggle with doubt and fear: that the Spirit of Christ will comfort their minds and hearts. Lord, in your mercy...

We remember and pray for those who have died to this life, especially... May the light of Christ shine on them as they rest from their labors, and may the Spirit's comfort surround their families and friends who mourn. Lord, in your mercy...

With Thanksgiving, we remember the Saints of the Church, and the witness they have shared, especially St Luke, the Evangelist, and St Paul, the Apostle: that we, like them, may find our joy and contentment in lives of faith and devotion. Lord, in your mercy...

Today's Special Music

(8:30) "*Glorious Day*" (*Living He Loved Me*) ~ Jennifer Bailey

(11:00) "*Festival of Joy*" ~ Anthem Choir

Readings for Next Sunday, May 20 ~ Pentecost

Acts 2:1-21; Psalm 104:24-34,35b; Romans 8:22-27; John 15:26-27;16:4b-15

"To The Glory of God..."

- ✘ The Organ Flowers are given in memory of Robert Corley by Bernie, Paige, Paul & Katie Patterson.
- ✘ The Flowers are sponsored in honor of Peter & Leah's 7th Wedding Anniversary by Mike & Pat Macchiarolo.
- ✘ The Bulletins are sponsored in memory of Boyd & Mae Wertz & Steve Estep by Betty Estep Frailey & daughters Nancy & Betty Jaye.
- ✘ Missionaries to Africa are sponsored in memory of Arthur Coleman by sister Marie Doyle.
- ✘ The Sanctuary Lamp is honor of...
 - ... Casey Rosenberg, grandson of Betty Estep Frailey
 - ... Jeremy Speicher's birthday by Mom & Dad

Parishioners and friends are invited to sponsor Altar Flowers (\$30/\$45), Bulletins (\$20), the Sanctuary Lamp (\$5) and our Lutheran Missionary to Tanzania (\$25). Please see the registration sheets in Trinity Hall and feel free to call the Church Office with any questions.

Parish Announcements

~ May 13, 2018 ~

Upcoming Ministries and Events

This Week

- Sunday (13) THE FEAST OF THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD
... Holy Eucharist: 8:30 am
... Retirement Celebration w/ Kathie: 9:45 am
... Sunday School (Children & Youth): 9:45 am
... Holy Eucharist: 11:00 am
- Monday (14) 250th Anniversary Committee Meeting: 6:00 pm
- Tuesday (15) Free Community Dinner: 5:30 pm (*Trinity serving*)
- Wednesday (16) Bell Choir Rehearsal: 6:00 pm
Vespers: 7:00 pm
Anthem Choir Rehearsal: 7:30 pm
- Thursday (17) Young Adult Picnic at Shawnee: 5:30pm

Next Week

- Sunday (20) THE FEAST OF PENTECOST
... 8:30 am ~ Holy Eucharist, w/ Rite of Confirmation
... 9:45 am ~ Spring Sing, Learning & Music Ministries
Celebration, and Reception with Confirmands
... 11:00 am ~ Holy Eucharist
Baccalaureate: 2:00 pm
- Monday (21) Church Council Meeting: 6:30 pm
- Tuesday (22) Free Community Dinner: 5:30 pm (*St. John's UCC serving*)
- Wednesday (23) Pillow-Case Sewing Ministry: 1:00 pm
- Thursday (24) Chicks with Sticks: 6:30 pm (*Parish House*)

Food Donations For Next Sunday (May 20), Please!

Sunday Morning Reception (9:45 am) ~ Breads, Donuts, Muffins, Fruit
(*See Janette Croner or Nicole Clark*)

Baccalaureate Afternoon Reception (2:00 pm) ~ Cookies
(*See Denise Steele or Laura Vent*)

Please Help Out, and Sign Up in Trinity Hall!

***Retirement Celebration with Kathie Crist
This Morning, May 13; 9:45 - 10:45 am***

- ✓ Please be sure to join us this morning as we enjoy a special “Open House” to celebrate Kathie’s amazing 50 year career as our Parish Secretary. We’ll use this time to thank her for being such a dedicated and valuable part of Trinity’s life and ministries and to wish her well as she moves into this new phase of life.



***Welcome, Stacy Ford!
Our New Parish Office Secretary***

Stacy Ford has been selected by our Executive Team to serve as our new Parish Office Secretary. Stacy began her work with us on May 1. Stacy is a Bedford County native, a graduate of Bedford High School, and holds an Office Technologies degree from Allegheny College of Maryland. She is a member of our neighboring St Mark’s Lutheran Church, and has served as the secretary for the Central Bedford Lutheran Parish for the past 17 years. Stacy has 2 sons, Austin (a freshman at PSU/Altoona) and Chase (a BMS student). Through the upcoming week, Stacy will work with Kathie for a time of orientation and transition. Please be sure to welcome Stacy as she comes to work among us and keep her in your prayers as she begins this new ministry with us.



The Feast of Pentecost

Sunday, May 20; Festival Eucharists at 8:30 and 11:00 am

The Rite of Confirmation and Worship & Music & Learning Celebration

- ✓ The Feast of Pentecost is an exciting day in the Life of the Church, as we celebrate the Gift and the Presence of the Holy Spirit gathering and forming the Christian Community.
- ✓ We’ll celebrate the Rite of Confirmation at the 8:30 am liturgy with this year’s Confirmands and their mentors: Robyn Casalena & Mary Lorah, Brady Miller & Eric Nelson, Alex Rizzo & Wayne Prescott, and Ali Seager & Laura Vent.
- ✓ At 9:45 am, we’ll enjoy a special gathering as we celebrate our Worship & Music and Learning Ministries and acknowledge and thank all those who have volunteered to serve in some way through the past year.
- ✓ A Special Reception is planned, immediately following the gathering in the nave, which will be served in Trinity Hall. Please join us!
- ✓ Donations of Donuts, Muffins, Cookies, and Fruit are requested for the Reception. Please sign up in Trinity Hall if you can help out.

~ *Worship & Music Ministries* ~

Acknowledging and Giving Thanks...

Sunday, May 20; 9:45 am

Anthem Choir Singers, Bell Choir Ringers,
Cantors, Greeters, Ushers, Acolytes, Lectors,
Deacons, Altar Guild Volunteers, Sunday School
Teachers and Faith & Fun Club Leaders...



Please plan to join us, as we share a word of thanks for the commitment of so many parishioners to the worship life and learning ministries of Trinity!

Bell Choir & Anthem Choir Rehearsals

Wednesday Evenings: Bell Choir ~ 6:00 pm... Anthem Choir: 7:30 pm

... Our Final Rehearsal of the Season is THIS Wednesday (5/16)

Bell Choir rehearses at 6:00 pm and the Anthem Choir rehearses at 7:30 pm on Wednesday evenings. We would love to welcome you to one of our choirs when we resume in the Fall!

Vespers

Wednesday Evenings; 7:00 pm

... Our Final Gathering of the Season is THIS Wednesday (5/16)

We gather Wednesday evenings and sing Evening Prayers (“Vespers”), an ancient, contemplative, candle-lit Monastic Order of canticles, readings, and prayers. Please pass the word, invite a friend, and join us.

~ *Children & Youth Ministries* ~

Sunday School ~ Please Join Us!

Sundays at 9:45 am

- ✓ Sunday School, for our pre-school children through Sr High Youth, gathers Sunday Mornings to celebrate, explore, and grow in the Faith.
- ✓ This morning (5/13) is our last day of “regular sessions”. Next week (5/20), we’ll enjoy our end of the year Special Gathering to acknowledge and thank all the teachers, volunteers, and others who have given so much of their time and talents this past year.
- ✓ Then, we’ll enjoy our summer recess, as we go on “Summer Schedule”, beginning May 27.



***“Shipwrecked” ~ 2018’s Summer VBS
Sunday-Thursday, June 10-14; 6:00-8:00 pm***



- ✓ Plan to join the adventure of this summer’s Vacation Bible School! We’ll enjoy 5 great nights of lessons, music, crafts, games, and snacks, as we celebrate how Jesus rescues us!
- ✓ You can register via Trinity’s website, or by using one of the forms available on the bulletin board in in the 1st Floor Hall.
- ✓ Our first Night will begin with a nice dinner together, to which all parishioners and families are invited! Even if you won’t be bringing a child to VBS, we hope you’ll join us for dinner, and then stay for a little while to see the exciting “Grand Opening” of the year’s week-long event, which will be filled with songs and activities and lessons. ***Please sign-up, in Trinity Hall, if you’ll be attending the dinner.***
- ✓ Please check with LIZ MILLER for more information about attending or helping out with this year’s VBS!

Camp Sequanota Registration is Open!

... Contact Pr Weinholt to learn about Camper Scholarships!

- ✓ We are blessed to have Camp Sequanota, an excellent Lutheran Church Camp, right in our own backyard, which provides great Christian Camping Experiences for children, youth, and families.
- ✓ At Sequanota children & youth enjoy outdoor adventures, quality pool time, the chance to make new friends, faithful Christ-centered lessons, and can also choose from a variety of special-interest camps.
- ✓ Check out all the camp options which are available, as well as dates, costs, and registration information at www.sequanota.com.

~ Adult & All-Parish Ministries ~

Young Adult Picnic at Shawnee

Thursday, May 17; 5:30pm

Young Adults and families are invited to an afternoon at Shawnee State Park. We’ll have a picnic dinner together and then enjoy the amenities of the park with the kids. It will be a nice, easy, low key event as we move into the summer season. Hotdogs, chips, and fixins will be provided. Please bring a side to share. Please sign up in Trinity Hall.

Pillow-Case Sewing Ministry

Wednesday, May 23; 1:00–4:00 pm

Parishioners and Friends are invited to gather in Trinity Hall to decorate pillow-cases and small quilts which are sent to hospitalized kids and cancer patients. Come and sew for a few afternoon hours as you are able. Please contact Doris Caldwell (814) 442-7347 with any questions.

Chicks with Sticks ~ Knitting & Crocheting Group
Thursday, May 24; 6:30 pm in the Parish House

If you knit or crochet (or would like to learn) you are invited! Bring along a current project or work on a “Prayer Shawl” with the group. Check with Mary Ann Martz (839-2403) with any questions.

Trinity Book Club
Tuesday, June 5; 1:30 pm

The Trinity Book Club will meet on Tuesday, June 5, at 1:30 pm, in the Parish House. We’ll discuss *Before We Were Yours* by Lisa Wingate. Please contact the group’s coordinator, Pat Macchiarolo, with any questions (814-977-2436).

~ Outreach Ministries ~

Free Community Dinner ~ Ecumenical Ministry
Hosted by Trinity and Served every Tuesday Evening; 5:30 pm

- ✓ Trinity hosts and coordinates the “Free Community Dinner” ministry which serves warm and nutritious meals to neighbors of our community every week.
- ✓ ***Thanks! for all the support*** which so many parishioners and friends continue to share with this ministry!
- ✓ ***Trinity’s will be serving THIS WEEK - Tuesday, May 15.*** A sign-up sheet, for cooks and servers, is posted in Trinity Hall.
- ✓ ***Cakes, Please! ALSO*** - If you can bake and donate a cake for this week’s dinner, that would be great! Please sign up in Trinity Hall...



Your Safe Haven
May’s Special Ministry Highlight and Appeal

- ✓ “Your Safe Haven” provides support and shelter for local victims of domestic abuse and acts of violence. Those who turn to “Your Safe Haven” receive professional counseling, help in finding and creating a safe environment, and assistance in navigating the legal process when situations necessitate such.
- ✓ Please share special offerings during the month of May to support the work of “Your Safe Haven” in our community. Special envelopes are in Trinity Hall and with the Sunday Bulletins. Please make checks payable to “Trinity Lutheran Church” and note “Your Safe Haven” on the memo line.

~ *Other Notes and Updates* ~

BHS 2018 Baccalaureate

Sunday, May 20; 2:00 pm

Trinity is once again honored to coordinate and host Baccalaureate with the Bedford Class of 2018! We have a number of graduates in this year's class, and we look forward to this time of Celebration and Prayer with them, their classmates, and their families. The community is invited to share in this beautiful liturgy of celebration, prayer, and thanksgiving!

... A cookie donation sign-up sheet is posted in Trinity Hall. Please share a few dozen, if you can.



Graduates... Please share your news!

Parishioners and friends are invited to share their graduation news with the congregation. Please visit the sign-up sheet in Trinity Hall. We'll include those who share their news with us in the prayers later this Spring.

TLC / Paul Schendel Memorial Scholarship News...

This year, 3 graduating seniors of Trinity, Alyssa Burkett, Emily Martz, and Erick Seager, have been chosen by our Executive Team, to be the recipients of the TLC/Paul Schendel memorial scholarship. These youth have all demonstrated strong and exemplary participation in the life and ministries of Trinity through their high school years. They'll receive their awards at the BHS Award's Night Ceremony on Tuesday, May 22. Please share a word of congratulation with Alyssa, Emily, and Erick!

Trinity's "Garden of the Resurrection"

Please remember that the "Garden of the Resurrection", which is located along the north side of the church, is a serene and well-appointed place to inter the cremated remains of parishioners and loved-ones. There is something very special and appropriate about being buried "in the shadow of the Church"... Please see Pr Short or Pr Weinhold with any questions, or visit Trinity's website to find more information.

"Thanks!", to those who serve on our Meals to Heal and Funeral Dinner Ministry Teams...

... Through the past 2 weeks our Funeral Dinner Ministry Team has served luncheons to 2 families, following funeral at Trinity... THANK YOU!

... Those who serve on the "Meals to Heal" Ministry Team, continue to reach out to parishioners and families returning home after hospital stays. THANK YOU!

The 250th Anniversary Altar & Nave Renovation Project

- ✓ Thank you, very much, for your generosity and commitment to the ministries of Trinity! Your support is greatly appreciated!
- ✓ Given the scope and expense of the extensive improvements included in the 250th Anniversary Altar & Nave Renovation Project, we encourage all parishioners and friends to share generously with the work.
- ✓ If you've not done so already, would you please consider making a pledge and supporting the renovation and improvements? You can share your gifts weekly, monthly or annually over the next 3 years.
- ✓ Our website has detailed images and descriptions of the project, which will be completed during the upcoming Summer months. During this time, we'll gather in Trinity Hall for our Sunday Eucharists.
- ✓ Thank you, again, for the support you've shown the Christian Ministries of Trinity through the years, in so many ways!



Goal: \$265,365
To Date:
104 Pledges
\$148,130 (56%)

A Tour of The Museum of the Bible in Washington, D.C.

Thursday, June 28 ~ Organized by Christ Lutheran Church, Buffalo Mills

- ✓ Our friends from Christ Lutheran Church have invited us to join them on their trip to the Museum of the Bible in Washington, D.C.
- ✓ The Museum of the Bible opened as a 430,000 square foot not for-profit institution in 2017, located just two blocks from the National Mall and three blocks from the Capitol.
- ✓ The trip departs from Christ Lutheran Church (7139 Hyndman Road, about 5 minutes south of Mann's Choice on Route 96) at 7:00 am. The \$40 cost covers chartered bus transportation and entrance to the museum (children under 12: \$36). Lunch can be purchased at the Museum's cafeteria. Breakfast & Lunch stops will occur along the way. The bus will return to Christ Church at 8:00 pm.
- ✓ Please contact Kristin Wilkins, 977-9076, with questions/reservations.

*If you've not done so already...
Would you please Consider Naming Trinity to
Receive a Special Legacy Gift from your Estate?
These Gifts will assist those who follow us to
continue to share Faithful and Meaningful
Christian Ministries with the Families of Trinity
and our Bedford Community!*



Trinity's 250th Anniversary Year Events
~ Celebrating & Giving Thanks for our Ministries ~

Founded in 1769, Trinity is the oldest Lutheran Church in the Allegheny Synod and the first to celebrate the incredible milestone of 250 years of ministry! By God's grace, Trinity has deeply influenced and nurtured the Christian Faith of countless generations through the years. Building on this rich foundation, Trinity continues to share a vibrant Christian Witness with the community, engaging children, youth, and adults, reaching out in charitable ways, and celebrating the many ways the Lord continues to guide and enrich the lives of the sons and daughters of His creation.

Please Join Us As We Give Thanks to God
for The Joys and Blessings which we have known and shared!

Sunday, September 9, 2018

Dedication of the Renovated Altar/Nave
& Reception

Guest: The Rev. Gregory Pile,
Bishop (Emeritus)

Sunday, October 21

Anniversary Parish Hayride

Sunday, October 28

Reformation Celebration & Reception

Guest: The Rev. Tim Knauss,
Assistant to the Bishop

Sunday, November 4

Feast of All Saints & Reception

Guest: The Rev. Dr. Ron Miller,
Son of Trinity

Sunday, November 25

Feast of Christ the King & Reception

Anniversary Time Capsule

Sunday, December 23

"Christmas Family Festival"

Children's Pageant, Cantata,
Reception/Dinner

Sunday, January 13, 2019

Feast of the Baptism of our Lord
& Reception

Guest: The Rev. Michael Rhyne, Bishop

Thanks to our 250th Anniversary
Planning Team!

We Appreciate your Efforts!

Sunday, March 3

Feast of the Transfiguration of our Lord
& Reception

Guest: The Rev. Bill DeHass,
Parish Vicar & Associate Pastor, 1979-84

Sunday, April 21

The Feast of the Resurrection
of our Lord / Easter

All Parish Easter Breakfast
& Children's Egg Hunt

Guest: The Rev. Steve Lynn,
Parish Vicar, 1980-81

Sunday, May 5

"God's Holy Church Triumphant"

A Commissioned
Orchestral & Choral Work
A Shared Afternoon Event

w/ St John's United Church of Christ

Sunday, June 16

Feast of The Holy Trinity

Festival Eucharist at 2:00 pm
Reception, Dinner & Dancing at The
Elks at 4:00 pm

Guest: The Rev. Matthew Riegel,
Bishop
Parish Vicar ~ 1992-93

*Please plan to participate in the 250th
Anniversary Congregational Photo
Directory and Watch for the 250th
Anniversary Written History of Trinity
and Commemorative Hand-Made Pottery
Mugs which will be available soon.*

~ 2018 Church Council & Ministry Team Notes ~

President: Kevin Rizzo
Vice-President: Wynn Leppert
Secretary: Tammy Crawford
Treasurer: Jay Cessna
Worship & Music: Jennifer Bailey & Lisa Hagenbuch
Children & Youth: Tammy Crawford & Kevin Rizzo
Adult & All-Parish: Alice Corle & Betsy Littlefield
Outreach: Mary Lorah & Carol Siegfried
Property: Wayne Hullihen & Wynn Leppert
Finance & Stewardship: Jay Cessna & Don Replogle

Upcoming Ministry Team Meetings and More:

- ✓ May 21 (Monday); 6:30 pm ~ Church Council Meeting
- ✓ July 16 (Monday); 6:00 pm ~ Worship & Music Team Meeting
- ✓ July 16 (Monday); 7:00 pm ~ Outreach Team Meeting
- ✓ July 17 (Tuesday); 6:00 pm ~ Children & Youth Ministry Team Meeting
- ✓ July 17 (Tuesday); 7:00 pm ~ Adult & All Parish Ministry Team Mtg
- ✓ July 23 (Monday); 6:00 pm ~ Finance Ministry Team Meeting
- ✓ July 23 (Monday); 7:00 pm ~ Property Ministry Team Meeting

Loose Coins in the Sunday Offering...

Loose coins which are received in the Sunday Offering are directed to acts of charity, through the Pastor's Discretionary Fund. This might be a small grocery order, or other essential needs to help a neighbor address a challenging situation. See Pr Short or Pr Weinhold with any questions. Thanks for your generosity!

~ *Worship Attendance & Offerings* ~

***Our Worship and Tithes are an out-pouring of our
Gratitude in response to the Lord's Gracious
Gifts of Life and Salvation.***

***This Past Week ~ through May 11
Attendance: 259
Tithes & Offerings: \$8,866.64
Year to Date: \$107,091.70***

***Thank You for Supporting the Ministries
of Trinity with such Generosity!***





- ✘ *Please contact the Church Office to have family members and/or friends included in the Prayers at Sunday Liturgies and on the Parish Prayer List.*
- ✘ *Please be sure to notify Pr Weinhold or Pr Short if you would appreciate visitations and prayers during hospitalizations or extended home-bound recuperations.*

For The Church...

- ✘ Our Bishops, Pastors and Deacons in Christ, and all who labor for the Gospel.
- ✘ Parishioners and friends who serve on Church Council, and for all who make music, , teach our children & youth, and serve on various Ministry Teams.
- ✘ Our Lutheran Missionaries, Pr Michael & Leslie Fonner and the people of Nairobi International Lutheran Church and Pangani House

For Our Nation and All Peoples Of Creation...

- ✘ For Mothers, and those who tend others with a mother's love.
- ✘ Those who serve and lead in offices of government.
- ✘ Police Officers, Fire-Fighters, Healthcare Workers, and Military Personnel.
- ✘ The Homeless and the Hungry, and those who care for their needs.
- ✘ The ministries of Your Safe Haven, and those whom they serve.

For the Newly Baptized...

- ✘ Luke Daniel, son of Mark & Brooke Boyer. Luke's Godparents are Seth Boyer & Janelle McCoy. Sunday, May 6.
- ✘ Wade Barrett, son of Kane & Faith Robertson. Wade's Godparents are Joshua Gardner and Torie Sipes. Sunday, May 6 .
- ✘ Piper Kay, Olivia Frances, Derek Joseph II, children of Derek & Tahara McCormick. Their Godparents are Pat & Cindy McCormick. Wednesday, May 2

For Parishioners, Family Members & Friends In Special Need...

- ✘ Howard Atkinson, Ann Bittner, Becky Bortz, Harry Clark, Fred & Connie Claycomb, Doyle Feather, Joann Gould, Betty Hoover, Ray Jennings, Laura Morse, Rodney "Pete" Moser, Suella Pensinger, Chuck Replogle, Peg Roadman, Phyl Strawn
- ✘ (5/13) ~ Anne Payne (Sara Poyner's sister), Kelly Robinson (Marie Doyle's grandson) Trina Thompson (Lonnie Kensingers sister)
- ✘ (5/6) ~ Ralph Robinson (Marie Doyle's son-in-law), Damien Lakatos (Friend of Trinity), Olga Zubak (Donna Zubak's mother-in-law), Marian Lippert (Gretchen Fleischer's sister), Bonnie Schnably (Joe's cousin)
- ✘ (4/29) ~ Laverne Casteel (Susan's mother), Harriet George (Faye Stake's friend), Irene Holland (Jennifer Bailey's friend)

For Those Who Have Died and Those Who Mourn...

Ruth Hoppe (6/6), Walter "Hank" Robinette (5/4 Arlene Fluke's brother), Barbara Arnold (4/23), Michael Caro (4/18 Marlene Seese & Bill Smouse's friend), Arthur Coleman (4/18 Marie Doyle's brother), John Palovchalk (4/11 Janelle Lowe's friend), Robert Ritchey (4/3), Carol Close (4/2), Jean Holbert (4/2 Dan & Juanita Kerr's friend), Hans Gronborg (3/29 Jerry's father), Pat Mereen (3/25 Tom's mother), Carmena Stoney (3/24), Jacob Hershberger (3/20 Jayne Morris's gt-nephew)



Serving Today ~ Sunday, May 13

	<u>8:30 am</u>	<u>11:00 am</u>
Cantor/Choir	Jennifer Bailey	Anthem Choir
Greeters	Dan & Juanita Kerr	Wayne & Sue Prescott
Ushers	Erick Seager, Greg Clapper, Don Replogle, & Christy Kidd	Brenda Foor, Cyndee Ford, & Eric & Bethany Nelson
Acolytes	Emily Martz & Lizzy Martz	Luke Davidson & Brayden Claycomb
Lector	Charlene Rose	Miriam Peck
Deacon	Guy Mellott	Diane Cogan
Altar Guild	Lisa Hagenbuch & Sara Snyder	Judy Smith & Barbara Short

Serving Next Sunday, May 20

	<u>8:30 am</u>	<u>11:00 am</u>
Choirs	Anthem	Bell
Greeters	Wendy Cox & Peg Roadman	The Hagenbuch Family
Ushers	Dan Wakefield, Dan Kerr Craig Hess	Mike & Melinda Feaster Joe & Nanette Schnably
Acolytes	Alyssa Burkett Halee Boggs Nicholas Rizzo	Tyler Dunkle Dalton Crawford Andrew Crawford
Lector	Janet Raines	Juli Claycomb
Deacon	Lori Dunkle	Diane Cogan
Altar Guild	Dave & Marlene Betts	LaDonna Snyder & Jessica Altman

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Through The Month of May...

Offering Stewards
Alice Corle
Tammy Crawford

Property Steward
Mark Nelson

Recycling Steward
Smoke Vensel