CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 17 THROUGH JANUARY 24

TODAY - JANUARY 17

7:45 am Holv Communion 8:30 am Adult Choir Warmup 9:00 am Holy Communion 9:50 am Coffee and Conversation 10:10 am Sunday School 10:45 am Adult Choir Warmup 11:15 am Holv Communion 5:00 pm Intern Committee

MONDAY

OFFICE CLOSED

11:00 am Funeral Service for Will Landreth

TUESDAY

Staff Meeting
Mites Girls BB Practice
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@ St. Matthew

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WEDNESDAY

1:30 am	Prayer Group
6:00 pm	High School Small Group
6:00 pm	Midget Boys BB Practice
6:00 pm	Junior Boys BB Practice
6:00 pm	Handbell Choir Rehearsal
6:15 pm	Furman LSA
7:00 pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal
7:00 pm	Midget Girls BB Practice
7:30 pm	Junior Girls BB Practice

6:30 pm Preserving Our Heritage Event

FRIDAY 5:00 pm Gowan/Crowe Rehearsal 6:00 pm LCY Ski Retreat Begins

SATURDAY 6:00 pm Gowan/Crowe Wedding

NEXT SUNDAY - JANUARY 24

7:45 am Holy Communion 8:30 am Adult Choir Warmup 9:00 am Holy Communion 9:50 am Coffee and Conversation 10:10 am Sunday School 10:45 am Adult Choir Warmup 11:15 am Holv Communion 12:00 noon Ski Retreat Concludes 12:45 pm Out to Lunch Bunch Children's Choir Rehearsal 4:00 pm 4:00 pm TLC4TLC Theology Roundtable 4:00 pm Youth Choir Rehearsal 5:00 pm

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Activities and Opportunities

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January 17, 2016

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Deaths

Our Christian sympathy is expressed to the family of Will Landreth at his death on January 14 and to David Earley and his family at the death of his brother.

Announcements

Pastor Crowell and Pastor Parham are away today.

Mandi Whitley is away today.

A Congregational Beach Retreat will be held June 19 through June 26 at the Coastal Retreat Center on the Isle of Palms. All members are invited to participate. Options for the beginning of the week, end of week, or full week are available. Reservation forms will be mailed to those who participated in last year's retreat. Others may request forms by contacting the Church Office in January at kmcook@trinitylutheran.ws or 242-5702.

Devotional booklets are available in the Narthex and the Multipurpose Room for adults and families with children.

The January issue of *The Lutheran* magazine, and the January/February issue of the *South Carolina Lutheran* magazine are available in the Narthex, the Pence Building hallway, and the Multipurpose Room. **Preserving Our Heritage** is a capital campaign approved by the congregation to raise \$500,000 for deferred maintenance. Funds raised will be used to restore stained glass windows, repair organ, update restrooms and create a family restroom, update Parlor, repair exterior and interior of Pence Building, and provide financial support for a columbarium.

Two Leadership Giving Events are being hosted. On Thursday, January 21 at 6:30 pm, Mike and Maggie Boliek will host an event at their home in Greenville. On Tuesday, January 26 at 6:30 pm Philip and Melanie Wessinger will host an event at their home in Simpsonville. Invitations have been mailed. Anyone interested in making a leadership gift is encouraged to attend. As a courtesy to the hosts, please RSVP today to Donna Potts at donna.millar@gmail.com or 864-287-7809.

The Congregational Kick-off Event will be held during the Sunday School hour on Sunday, January 31 in the Multipurpose Room.

All members of Trinity are encouraged to make a gift to this campaign. Commitment Sunday will take place on Sunday, February 21. Please prayerfully consider how you and your family can support this effort to care for and maintain our beautiful church and church property.

Relational Groups

Prayer Group - Wednesday, January 20, 11:30 am, Library. A prayer group meets every Wednesday. The group meets for thirty minutes to share prayer concerns and celebrations and pray for individuals and ministries in the life of Trinity. Prayer requests may be emailed to Merry Mulcahy at <u>marmulcahy@icloud.com</u>. All are invited to attend.

Leisure/Action- Thursday, January 28, 11:45 am. The group will meet in the Multipurpose Room on Thursday, January 28 at 11:45 am to lunch and learn. After a covered dish lunch, John Nolan from Greenville History Tours will present a program on *Greenville at the Time of Trinity*. This program will look at the landscape of downtown Greenville at the time that Trinity was founded in the early 1900's. Those interested in attending should make a reservation through the Church Office by Monday, January 25.

Out to Lunch Bunch - next Sunday, January 24, 12:45 pm. The Out to Lunch Bunch is open to all Trinity adults who want to join in the fellowship. The group enjoys lunch together on the fourth Sunday of each month. The group will meet at *Harbor Inn* on Haywood Road at 12:45 pm. Speak with Amy Brown if you would like to attend.

Education

Sunday School Classes are provided each week for children two years old on or before September 1 through those in Grade 12, as well as adults. A nursery is provided for infants and toddlers who miss the September 1 deadline. At 9:50 am adults of all ages are invited for coffee, conversation, parish announcements and prayer in the Multipurpose Room of the Activities Building. Three classes are being offered for adults. They are *Hollywood Jesus: Connecting Christ and Culture; Unusual Healings: Stories from the Book of John;* and *Why?: Making Sense of God's Will.*

Children and Youth

There will be no LCY today.

High School Small Group - Wednesday, January 20, 6:00-7:15 pm, Youth Center. High School Small Group meets on Wednesday nights and is for all High School youth. Participants bring their own dinner, then engage in Bible studies, service projects and fellowship activities.

Kids' Stuff and Club 345 Sleepover - Friday, January 29-Saturday, January 30. Participants will meet in the Multipurpose Room at 6:30 pm, entering on the trophy case side of the Activities Building. Children and parent chaperones should eat dinner prior to arriving. The group will travel by bus to Greenville Gymnastics to play, then return to Trinity for a movie and sleepover. Pick up time is 8:00 am on Saturday, January 30. The cost is \$15.00 per child, which covers gymnastics and breakfast. Forms have been e-mailed and should be turned in with payment to the Church Office no later than Sunday, January 24. Contact Mandi Whitley with questions or if willing to chaperone.

Summer Camp Brochures. Lutherans in South Carolina support Lutheridge in Arden, NC and Lutherock, located in Newland, NC. Both centers offer camping, outdoor adventure and learning activities for persons of all ages. Brochures are available in the Narthex and the Multipurpose Room.

Music Ministry

Handbell Choir - Wednesday, January 20, 6:00 pm. Rehearsals are Wednesday nights in the Handbell Room on the 2nd floor of the Pence Building. January rehearsals are focused on preparing a handbell piece for the Epiphany season, as well as music for Lent and Easter.

Adult Choir Rehearsals - Wednesday, January 20, 7:00 pm. Rehearsals are Wednesday nights in the Choir Room on the second floor of the Pence Building. Youth and adults are welcome.

Outreach Opportunities

United Ministries. Trinity continues to receive food for the United Ministries Food Pantry on the first and third Sundays of each month. There is a particular need for hot and cold cereal. Other items are appreciated as well.