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In the News at Trinity

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- The Church, Women, and Justice
- Congregational Baseball Outing
- Holden Prayer around the Cross
- Honoring High School Seniors
- New Member Class
- Operation InAsMuch
- Project Host Soup Kitchen
- Vacation Bible School
- Save the Date



CONGRATULATIONS CONFIRMANDS

Congratulations to the following youth who affirmed their Baptism through the Rite of Confirmation on Palm Sunday, March 20. Pictured on the front row from left to right are Pastor Crowell, Conyers Wingard, Rowan Brown, Madison Mercer, Everett Lawrence, Scott Gifford, and Taylor Poole. Pictured on the back row from left to right are Vicar Lineberger, Walker Fletcher, Charlie Ives, Ellen Spiers, Andrew Smith, James Kirven, and Pastor Parham.

COUNCIL NOTES

At the March meeting of the Congregation Council, the council

- noted that expenses for January were \$15,071 more than projected;
- authorized the Executive Committee to finalize contract with Lanier Parking to manage Trinity's lots;
- authorized the Executive Committee to implement and provide oversight for all projects outlined in the *Preserving Our Heritage* campaign to include scheduling, coordinating, contractual agreements, and the management of cash flow, and appointed Dale Hamann, Ralph Born, Brenda Bridges, Randy Brown, Barbara Corell, Richard Moose, Pastor Jim Parham, Mike Parker, Buzz Sprinkle, and Melanie Wessinger to assist the Executive Committee in these efforts;
- approved eleven youth for confirmation;
- approved a request for use of the facility; and
- agreed by consensus to a meeting schedule for the remainder of the year.



HOLDEN PRAYER AROUND THE CROSS

The Congregation is invited to gather in the Multipurpose Room at 6:15 pm on Wednesday, April 27 for worship. This will be the same service used during Lenten evening worship and will focus on prayers for healing. This service will include prayers for healing of bodies, minds, spirits and relationships.

NEW MEMBER CLASS

A new member class, entitled *What Does It Mean To Be a Lutheran?*, will be taught during the Sunday School hour beginning on Sunday, April 24. This four week class, designed for those who are exploring the possibility of joining Trinity, is also a good refresher course for those who have been Lutheran for some time. Members will be received on Sunday, May 15 at the 11:15 am Service. Questions may be directed to Pastor Crowell.



**Become
Part of
Our
Church
Family**

WITHIN THE TRINITY FAMILY . . .

HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Tim Crowe, Sharon Earley, and George Nagel have been discharged.

BAPTISMS

John Adler Brinkley, son of Jason and Piper Brinkley on March 13
Evans Patrick Cegelis, son of Bryan and Jessica Cegelis, on March 8

DEATHS

the father of Bev Bresette
the mother of Steve Hubbard
Diane Stack on March 4
Sarah Taylor on March 20

MEMBERSHIP CHANGES

Nila Dunaway to St. Dunstan's Episcopal Church, Houston, TX
Tyler and Brady Godfrey and their sons, Preston, Crain, and Reddington,
to Westminster Presbyterian Church, Greenville, SC
Brad Hawkins to Westminster Presbyterian Church, Greenville, SC
Eric and Elizabeth Troutman to Christ Church, Episcopal, Greenville, SC

ATTENDANCE FOR MARCH

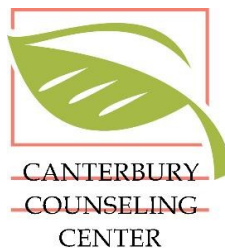
	<u>3/6</u>	<u>3/13</u>	<u>3/20</u>	<u>3/27</u>
7:45	24	17	22	76 (6:30)
9:00	150	134	188	288 (8:30)
11:15	<u>130</u>	<u>166</u>	<u>277</u>	<u>369 (10:30)</u>
TOTAL	304	317	487	733
SUNDAY SCHOOL	107	152	120	
LCY	45	30	51	

OFFERING SUMMARY FOR MARCH (SUMMARY DOES NOT INCLUDE MARCH 27)

	<u>March</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Needed for Budget	102,877	308,632
Given to Budget	<u>75,837</u>	<u>248,259</u>
Difference	- 27,040	- 60,373
Given to World Hunger	1,203	5,138

BLOOD DRIVE

The Outreach Committee will sponsor a blood drive in the Gym at Trinity on Sunday, May 1 from 11:00 am to 3:30 pm. For every pint of blood collected, up to 3 lives can be saved. Reservations may be made in the Narthex after worship each Sunday or by contacting Kim Woodward at 918-9250 or ewkentp@gmail.com. Donors should remember to bring a driver's license or donor card.



COUNSELING SERVICES

Because Trinity Lutheran Church participates in a Membership Assistance Program with Canterbury Counseling Center, members of the congregation pay a fee of \$25 per session for the first four sessions of counseling. To make an appointment, speak with Pastor Crowell or call the Canterbury Counseling Center at 235-7501.

PROJECT HOST SOUP KITCHEN

On Sunday, April 3 the Outreach Committee needs twelve to fifteen volunteers to staff the soup kitchen from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Volunteers must be middle school age or older. If you are interested in helping, please contact Mike Wilson at mawilson8563@gmail.com or mwilson_01@charter.net.



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 canned fruit, saltine crackers, canned peas, canned Treet, and hot and cold cereal. Other items are appreciated as well.



WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

MORNING SESSION: A Women's Bible Study and Fellowship Group led by Pastor Crowell will meet on Thursday, April 7 at 9:30 am in the Multipurpose Room. All women of the congregation are invited to enjoy refreshments, study, prayer and fellowship.

Women's Bible Study



and Fellowship Group

EVENING SESSION: A Women's Bible Study and Fellowship Group led by Pastor Crowell will meet on Thursday, April 7 at 6:30 pm in the Multipurpose Room. Everyone is invited to bring refreshments to share with the group. All women of the congregation are invited to enjoy refreshments, study, prayer and fellowship.

PRAYER GROUP

A prayer group meets at 11:30 am in the Library 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 marmulcahy@icloud.com. All are invited to attend.



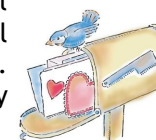
Prayer

MEN'S GROUP

The group will meet on Tuesday, April 12 at noon at *Pour* beside *Gringos*. Contact Joe Rice with questions at 246-8661 or saluda171@yahoo.com. All men of the congregation and friends are invited.

TLC4TLC

Adults are invited to gather once a month for TLC4TLC (Tender Loving Care for Trinity Lutheran Church) to write notes and cards for members who are ill, grieving, or unable to attend worship, as well as for those who are celebrating joys. The group will meet on Sunday, April 24 at 4:00 pm in the Library. For additional information, please contact Mary Valenti at 322-5450 or Tracey Hoffert at 991-8547.



CREATION CARE TEAM

Trinity has a new Creation Care Team which is exploring issues regarding recycling, energy efficiency, and care for the earth. Persons who are interested are invited to the next meeting on Sunday, April 10 at 12:30 pm in the Parlor.



BOOK GROUP

The Trinity Book Group meets in the Parlor at 7:00 pm on the third Thursday of even numbered months. Adults of all ages are invited to come and discuss a variety of books. The next meeting will be on April 21, when the group will discuss *The City of Thieves* by David Benioff. Other upcoming meeting dates and selections are *Dead Wake* by Erick Larson on June 16; and *The Man in the High Castle* by Phillip Dick on August 18.



LYDIA GROUP

The Lydia Group will meet on Tuesday, April 12, at 10:00 am in the Parlor. Jeanne Todd will be the hostess and Rose Mary Bell will present the program. All women of the congregation are welcome.



LEISURE/ACTION

The Leisure/Action Group is for retirees or those who would like to be. The group generally meets once a month for outings to places of interest. Adults of any age are always welcome to join the group.

On Thursday, April 14 the group will board the bus at 10:10 am to Lunch and Learn in Travelers Rest. The day will begin with a visit to the *Travelers Rest History Museum*, where a docent will talk to the group about the history and events in Travelers Rest. Lunch will be dutch-treat at the *Café at Williams Hardware*, and if weather permits, there will be time after lunch for strolling and exploring. The bus will return to Trinity by mid-afternoon. Sign up through the Church Office by Tuesday, April 12 to reserve your seat.

Save the date for these upcoming events: Thursday May 12, a day trip to the lake home of Sally and Luther Boliek, and Thursday, June 30, the annual *Flatrock Playhouse* trip to see *The Music Man*.

Gameday is a time for Church members to gather for Bridge and other games. Participants will meet in the Parlor on Wednesday, April 27 at noon. Those attending are invited to bring their lunch. Dessert and beverages will be provided.

THEOLOGY ROUNDTABLE

This group for adults gathers twice monthly on Sunday afternoons at 4:00 pm. The group will meet on April 3 and 24 in the Parlor. All adults are welcome to participate. Joe Rice facilitates the discussion and questions may be directed to him at saluda171@yahoo.com or 246-8661.

OUT TO LUNCH BUNCH

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 *Ruby Tuesday's* at Cherrydale. on Sunday, April 24 at 12:45 pm. Speak with Amy Brown if you would like to attend.



THE CHURCH, WOMEN, AND JUSTICE

The second of the two part series will be held on April 10. *Women and Justice* is for women high school aged and older. The hope for this series of events is to empower girls and women of all ages to accept and embrace their identity as beloved children of God. Join us for a time of learning, empowerment, fun, and fellowship. Bring a friend! Sign up by calling the Church Office or contacting Vicar Megan by Thursday, April 7.



The Church
Women and Justice

KIDS' STUFF AND CLUB 345

Kids' Stuff and Club 345 are Trinity's fellowship groups for children in K5 through Grade 5. The groups gather once a month to learn about God and to have fun with their church friends. Parent volunteers who are trained in the Child Protection Policy are needed at each event and should speak with Mandi Whitley if willing to help.

Sunday, April 10 is the last Kids' Stuff and Club 345 for the school year. Both groups will meet in the Multipurpose Room at 2:00 pm. Kids' Stuff is Trinity's group for K5, first and second graders. This group will enjoy silly Olympics in the Gym. Club 345 is for third, fourth, and fifth graders and will enjoy messy relays in the Youth Center courtyard. These group members should wear clothes they don't mind getting dirty. Both groups will have a snack and pick-up is on the Playground (weather permitting) at 4:00 pm. Those who participate in Children's Choir will be walked to the Choir Room.

SPECIAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS THE CHURCH, WOMEN, AND JUSTICE

There will be an adult Sunday School class on Sunday, April 10, educating on domestic violence and how the church is affected and called to respond. The purpose of this event is to educate both men and women on the topic of domestic violence with a focus on how the church is called to action.

HONORING TRINITY'S HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Trinity will recognize our high school graduates on Sunday, May 22 at the 11:15 am service. Trinity's high school graduates include Elizabeth Allen, Kaitlyn Bresette, Patrick Childers, McKenzie Fletcher, Rachel Haltiwanger, Reagan Hoffert, Turner Johnson, Grace Kirven, Melanie Matters, Kayla Rose, Carson Spiers, and Marshall Westbrook. A reception in their honor will be held on the front lawn immediately following the 11:15 am service on that day.



HIGH SCHOOL
GRADUATES



Just for Kids!

LUTHERAN CHURCH YOUTH

Lutheran Church Youth is Trinity's ministry program for youth in grades 6-12. All youth in these age groups are invited to participate. The group meets from 6:00-8:00 pm in the Youth Center unless otherwise noted.



Lutheran Church Youth

April 3 - NO LCY DUE TO SPRING BREAK

April 10 - BINGO NIGHT

After dinner, youth will play bingo in the Youth Center. All participating should bring a \$5.00-\$10.00 prize for the prize table.

April 17 - SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY

After dinner, youth will be divided into small groups to participate in a Bible study.

April 24 - GREENVILLE GYMNASTICS

Youth will meet at the Red Canopy Door at 5:30 pm and travel by bus to *Greenville Gymnastics*. The cost is \$10.00 per person. Youth must sign up with Mandi Whitley no later than Wednesday, April 20. Those attending must fill out a Greenville Gymnastics waiver, which will be emailed to parents or can be found on their website. All participants should wear comfortable clothes. A "bag lunch" dinner will be provided on the bus. Pick up time is 7:45 pm at the Church. Please note the change of drop off and pick up time for this event.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS - High school youth who have registered for this summer's mission trip will meet for lunch on Sunday, May 1 in the Youth Center immediately following the 11:15 am worship service. At least one parent is strongly encouraged to attend. This meeting will be led by Mandi Whitley, Tim Keaton, Pastor Parham and Deirdre Hixson, who are the trip's adult chaperones. The group will discuss chapter 4 of the book *Broken to Broken*, as well as go over trip details. Those planning on attending are asked to RSVP to Mandi Whitley no later than Monday, April 25.



HIGH SCHOOL SMALL GROUP

High School Small Group is for all youth in grades 9 through 12. The group meets on Wednesday nights in the Youth Center from 6:00-7:15 pm. Participants bring their own dinner, then engage in Bible study, service projects and fellowship. The group will meet on Wednesdays, April 6, 13, 20, and 27.

ADULT CHOIR

This choir is open to youth and adults. Rehearsals are Wednesday nights at 7:00 pm in the Choir Room on the second floor of the Pence Building.



TRINITY'S INSTRUMENTALIST

Rehearsals are on an as-needed basis. We offer opportunities for instrumentalists to offer their time and talent in support of Trinity's worship life. If you are interested, and have not yet contacted Pastor Parham, please email jcparham@trinitylutheran.ws, or call at 242-5702.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

This choir is for children in K5 through grade 5. Rehearsals are on Sundays from 4:00 to 5:00 pm in the Choir Room on the 2nd floor of the Pence Building. There will be no rehearsal on Sunday, April 24.



YOUTH CHOIR

This choir is for youth in grades 6 through 12. Rehearsals are Sundays from 5:00 to 6:00 pm, right before LCY. The choir will rehearse only two Sundays this month, April 10 and 17.



HANDBELL CHOIR

This choir is open to youth and adults. Rehearsals are at 6:00 pm on Wednesday evenings in the Handbell Room on the 2nd floor of the Pence Building. There will be no rehearsal on Wednesday, April 27 as all are invited to gather in the Multipurpose Room for Holden Prayer around the Cross.

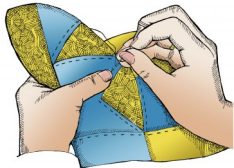
FURMAN LSA

Furman Campus Ministry meetings are on Wednesday evenings at 6:15 pm. Mandi Whitley and Vicar Megan Lineberger are coordinators for this ministry. Volunteers to provide an evening meal for this group of 8 to 10 are needed. Call or email Vicar Megan at 242-5702 or melineberger@trinitylutheran.ws to offer help.



YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Trinity's Young Adults Group will cheer on the *Greenville Drive* as they take on the *Asheville Tourists* on Thursday, April 7. The group will meet at the Main Street gate at 6:30 pm and purchase general admission tickets at \$7.00 each, then eat dinner during the game. In the event of rain, the group will meet at *Liberty Tap Room*, 941 S. Main St. at 6:30 pm. Those interested in attending are asked to RSVP to Mandi Whitley no later than Wednesday, April 6.



QUILTING GROUP

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The Quilting Group meets in the Activities Building at 9:30 am twice a month. The group makes quilts which are distributed by Lutheran World Relief. Participants do not need to know how to sew in order to make quilts. Willing volunteers who can cut fabric, iron, thread a needle or tie knots are welcome. Some group members bring their lunch to the gatherings. Work is usually finished around 2:00 pm, although participants can work as little, or as long as they like. There are also at-home sewing opportunities for those who cannot come to the gatherings. The group will meet on Mondays, April 4 and 18 to make quilts for the 2016 shipment. For more information, contact Sarah Weeks at 246-7862 or Amy Brown at 242-5702.



LOVING THREADS

Loving Threads is a ministry that knits and crochets handmade prayer shawls, baby blankets and bandages for those in the community and around the world. Most work is done at home, and members gather quarterly to enjoy fellowship and to pray for those receiving the shawls. Anyone who can knit or crochet, or would like to learn, is invited to participate. For more information, contact Amy Brown through the Church Office.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School Classes are available for all ages, and begin at 10:10 am. Children ages 2 through K5 meet in the classrooms on the first floor of the Pence Education Building. Students in Grades 1 through 5 attend *Grace Place*, Trinity's rotation style Sunday School on the second floor of the Pence Education Building. Youth in middle and high school attend classes in the Youth Center, which is across the parking lot from the Sanctuary. Adults meet in the Multipurpose Room for coffee and conversation, announcements and prayer, before classes begin.

In the month of April, one adult class will meet in the Multipurpose Room. The class will be taught by Pastor Jim Parham and Vicar Megan Lineberger, as well as other Church staff. A new member class will be held April 24 through May 15.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Bible School will be July 25 through 29, from 8:45 am to noon. Save the date!



CONGREGATIONAL BASEBALL GAME

The Parish Life committee has reserved a block of tickets to the *Greenville Drive* baseball game on Friday, June 10. Tickets are \$8.00 and are available on a first come, first served basis through the Church Office. Sign up by May 15 to join your church family in cheering on the *Drive*!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER EMERGENCY FOOD SUNDAY 7:45 HOLY COMMUNION 8:30 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 9:00 HOLY COMMUNION 9:00 PROJECT HOST SOUP KITCHEN 9:50 COFFEE & CONVERSATION 10:10 SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:45 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 11:15 HOLY COMMUNION 4:00 CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL 4:00 EDUCATION COMMITTEE 4:00 THEOLOGY ROUNDTABLE	9:00 STAFF MEETING 9:30 QUILTING GROUP		11:30 PRAYER GROUP 6:00 HIGH SCHOOL SMALL GROUP 6:00 HANDBELL CHOIR 6:15 FURMAN LSA 7:00 ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL	9:30 WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP GROUP 6:30 WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP GROUP 7:00 YOUNG ADULTS GROUP		
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER 7:45 HOLY COMMUNION 8:30 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 9:00 HOLY COMMUNION 9:50 COFFEE & CONVERSATION 10:10 SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:45 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 11:15 HOLY COMMUNION 12:30 CREATION CARE TEAM 1:30 CONGREGATION COUNCIL 2:00 KIDS' STUFF AND CLUB 345 2:30 STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE 3:00 WOMEN AND JUSTICE 4:00 CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL 5:00 YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSAL	9:00 STAFF MEETING	10:00 LYDIA GROUP 12:00 MEN'S GROUP	11:30 PRAYER GROUP 6:00 HIGH SCHOOL SMALL GROUP 6:00 HANDBELL CHOIR 6:15 FURMAN LSA 7:00 ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL	10:10 LEISURE/ACTION		
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER EMERGENCY FOOD SUNDAY 7:45 HOLY COMMUNION 8:30 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 9:00 HOLY COMMUNION 9:50 COFFEE & CONVERSATION 10:10 SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:45 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 11:15 HOLY COMMUNION 4:00 OUTREACH COMMITTEE 4:00 CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL 5:00 INTERN COMMITTEE 5:00 YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSAL 6:00 LCY	9:00 STAFF MEETING 9:30 QUILTING GROUP		11:30 PRAYER GROUP 6:00 HIGH SCHOOL SMALL GROUP 6:00 HANDBELL CHOIR 6:15 FURMAN LSA 7:00 ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL	7:00 BOOK GROUP		
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 7:45 HOLY COMMUNION 8:30 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 9:00 HOLY COMMUNION 9:50 COFFEE & CONVERSATION 10:10 SUNDAY SCHOOL & NEW MEMBER CLASS 10:45 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 11:15 HOLY COMMUNION 12:45 OUT TO LUNCH BUNCH 4:00 TLC4TLC 4:00 THEOLOGY ROUNDTABLE 5:30 LCY	9:00 STAFF MEETING		11:30 PRAYER GROUP 12:00 LEISURE/ACTION GAMEDAY 6:00 HIGH SCHOOL SMALL GROUP 6:15 HOLDEN PRAYER AROUND HE CROSS 7:00 ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL			

RESPONSIBILITIES FOR APRIL 2016

		<u>3rd</u>	<u>10th</u>	<u>17th</u>	<u>24th</u>
7:45 am	Lector Prayers Cantor	Betty Collins Betsy League Eliza Stockman	Pattimarie Janssen Helen League Russ Wise	Betsy League Ralph Moyer Susan Troutman	Karen Nichols David Nichols Eliza Stockman
9:00 am	Lector Prayers Cantor Acolytes Greeters Nursery Nursery Aide	Micaela Peterson John Otten John Park Patrick Childers Carson Spiers Gene Bowman, Mary Todd Bowman Todd Wetzel Ashley Macek, Ryan Macek Kayla Rose	Margaret Roth Stephen Troutman Russ Wise Sammy Mosher Micaela Peterson Debbie Farstad, Mike Parker Patti Parker Casey Delap, Jacob Delap Abigail Smith	Stephen Troutman Mary Brown Amanda Cook Hunter Balck Anna Lee Henry Deirdre Hixson, Lisa Osborn Marty Osborn Shannon Barnett, Bev Bresette Ellen Spiers	Ryan Macek Ralph Born Mark Godfrey Daniel Fisher Julia McElhinny Jo Glymph, Mack Whitley Shirley Whitley Charlie Reed, Megan Reed Conyers Wingard
Sunday School	Nursery	Anne Branham	Karen Craig	Joyce Weiner	Beth Batts
11:15 am	Lector Prayers Cantor Acolytes Greeters Nursery Nursery Aide	Paul Miller Chip Bettler Jeff Rehm Delaney Wannemacher Marshall Westbrook Darwin Cline, Susan Cline Bonnie Farmer Lynne Hunter Bailey Hoffert	Tom DiAntonio Barbara Corell Richard Moose Ryan Semler Jack Wilcox Eric Glass, Ed Holliday Judy Holliday Melanie Wessinger Elizabeth Allen	Paige Dillon Frank Green Ann Coon Anna Bennett Thomas Rice Barbara Corell, George Corell Nancy Teachey Brenda Bridges Reagan Hoffert	Caitlin Littlejohn Bill Renninger Melanie Helling Bailey Hoffert Reagan Hoffert John Hunter, Lynne Hunter Marilyn Koerber Eric Glass Caitlin Littlejohn
Communion Fill	Communion Clean-up (9:00) (11:15)	Randy and Linda Brown (Intinction) John and Beth Henry John and Lynne Hunter	Geraldine Weyermann Mike and Maggie Boliek Lisa Black, Mary Beth Ridenhour	Helen League Ben and Amy Johnson Sidney and Karen Conner	Karen Nichols (Intinction) Steve and Tracy Dean McElhinny Susan Burton, Jeff Rehm

Ushers	7:45	David Nichols, Karen Nichols
	9:00	John Beckford (Captain), Ken Branham, Lani Ludian, Linda Nagel
	11:15	Dale Hamann (Captain), Sandra Hamann, John Hunter, Lynne Hunter

Offering Tellers		
Team 1	Eric Lynch (Captain) Dawn Lynch, Maureen Rose	Team 2 Philip Wessinger (Captain) Lisa Black, Melanie Wessinger

Nursery Captains	9:00 SS 11:15	Casey Delap Karen Craig Melanie Wessinger
Audio Ministry		Stephen Kirven
Visiting First Time Worshipers		Sandra Hamann, Patti Parker
Sanctuary Preparation		Lani Ludian
United Ministry Food Baskets		Ralph Moyer



Trinity Lutheran Church
Saturday, May 14, 2016
9-12 am
Multipurpose Room

Sign-Up Form

Name _____
Phone (Home) _____ (Cell) _____
Email _____

Please indicate your 1st, 2nd and 3rd choices from among the list of projects below. We will do our best to match you with your desired project, but projects are filled on a first-come, first-serve basis. Thanks for your understanding.

	Back Pack Buddies Ministry
	GAIHN Yard Work
	Mental Health Packets
	Lutheran Hospice Care Kits
	Sole Hope Shoe Cutting
	Safe Harbor Art Day
	Safe Harbor Childcare & Crafts
	Towers East Clothing/Housewares Collection
	Habitat Faith Build
	Lunch for the Habitat Faith Build
	Lutheran World Relief School Kits
	Lutheran World Relief Quilts
	Pendleton Place Dinner

Please return this completed form by **Sunday, May 1** to the church office or place it in one of the red boxes located around the church.

Please contact Paige Dillon, pdillon2@bellsouth.net 864-982-2141 or
Melanie Wessinger, pwessinger@aol.com, 864-616-1725 with any questions.



**Saturday, May 14, 2016,
9-12 am**

8:00 am Volunteer Sign-in Multipurpose Room
8:30 am Commissioning Service, Multipurpose Room
9-noon Community Mission Projects

God's work, Our hands

Since 2009, Trinity has taken part in *Operation InAsMuch*, a day of mission work in our community. We are excited about the projects we will be participating in this spring. Take a look at the opportunities and join us as we set out into the mission field to make a difference! Please return your volunteer form ASAP, no later than May 1st. Volunteers are matched with opportunities on a first come, first serve basis. Thanks for your understanding!

Back Pack Buddies

FEEDING HUNGRY CHILDREN: Help us fill bags with food that will be delivered to local schools. Our Back Pack Buddies Ministry provides weekend food supplies to hungry children in Greenville.

Volunteers needed: 4-6

Project Leader: Mark Allen

GAIHN Yard Work

SPRING YARD WORK: Time to spruce up the yard at the GAIHN Interim Shelter at #8 Carter St. This home is co-sponsored by Trinity Lutheran and serves as a temporary home for GAIHN families as they await permanent housing.

Volunteers needed: 8-10

Project Leaders: Bill Renninger & Brandon Corell

Mental Health America (MHA)

ASSEMBLING INFORMATION PACKETS: Mental Health America of Greenville County promotes positive mental health for all persons in our community through advocacy, education, and service. Volunteers will be putting packets and materials together as MHA prepares for May Mental Health Awareness Month.

Volunteers needed: 6-8

Project Leader: Debbie Farstad

Lutheran Hospice Care Kits

ASSEMBLING BIRTHDAY & VETERAN CARE PACKETS FOR CLIENTS: Help brighten the day for the clients of Lutheran Hospice. We will be putting together care packages that can be delivered by the Hospice nurses for birthday and veteran celebrations.

Volunteers needed: 6-8

Project Leaders: Paige & Mia Dillon

Sole Hope

PATTERNS FOR SHOES: Your help is needed for tracing and cutting shoe patterns that are put together for assembly and distribution in Uganda.

Volunteers needed: 6-8

Project Leader: Lura Godfrey

Safe Harbor

ART DAY: Safe Harbor is a nonprofit organization that provides safe shelter, counseling and advocacy for victims of domestic violence as well as leadership for education and prevention efforts. Join us as we help the women at the shelter create art work of their own.

Volunteers needed: 4-6

Project Leader: Cathy Rice

Safe Harbor Children’s Activity:

CHILD CARE & CRAFTS: Volunteer to help with children’s activities while their moms are enjoying their time painting.

Volunteers needed: 4-6

Project Leader: Megan Lineberger

Towers East Collection (Outside the red canopy door)

SORT AND COLLECT: Towers East is the high-rise residential apartment building that is neighbor to Trinity. Residents often come with few possessions. They are in need of men’s and women’s clothing as well as any household items that would be needed to set-up an apartment. Volunteers are needed to sort and deliver items to Towers East.

Volunteers needed: 4-6

Project Leader: Shannon Barnett

Habitat Faith Build

BUILDING A HOME: Trinity Lutheran is teaming up with several other Greenville churches to build a home for a homeless family. Construction begins this spring. One of our build days is the day of our OIAM. Help us (16 yrs & older) help a family make this dream a reality. (Shift 8am-4pm, lunch provided)

Volunteers Needed: 10-15

Project Leaders: Rita Kirven & Cathy Baus

Provide Lunch for the Habitat Faith Build

LUNCH: Provide items for lunch to feed volunteers building the Habitat Home (Habitat Faith Build).

Volunteers Needed: 6-8

Project Leader: Rita Kirven

Lutheran World Relief School Kits Assembly

SCHOOL ITEMS SORTED & WRAPPED WITH CARE: Volunteers will assemble school kits that will be distributed by Lutheran World Relief to people around the world affected by natural disasters and conflict.

Volunteers needed: 6-8

Project Leader: Amanda Mast

Quilting for Lutheran World Relief

QUILT PREP & ASSEMBLY: If you can cut fabric, pin fabric or iron fabric...join us! No sewing experience necessary. We will be making quilts that LWR will distribute around the world.

Volunteers needed: 6-8

Project Leader: Sarah Weeks

Pendleton Place Dinner

DINNER PREP: The Smith House at Pendleton Place is the temporary home for teenage girls who have had to leave their homes due to unsafe environments. We will prepare a meal for them (10-12 girls & advisors) to enjoy that evening.

Volunteers Needed: 2-4

Project Leader: Cheryl Spiers