

Activities and Opportunities

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Hospital Patients

Sharon Earley - discharged

Announcements

Honoring Trinity's High School Graduates - Today. Trinity is recognizing our high school graduates 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. The graduates will be wearing boutonnieres/corsages they have received as a gift from Trinity.

Summer Worship Schedule. The Congregation Council has approved a motion from the Executive Committee establishing a new Worship Schedule for the summer of 2016. Beginning on Sunday, June 5 and extending through Sunday, August 14, Trinity will worship at 8:15 am and 10:00 am. Both services will feature traditional liturgies and be held in the Sanctuary. A fellowship time for all ages to include refreshments will be held between the services in the Assembly Room and Parlor. On Sunday, August 21 the regular schedule that includes services at 7:45, 9:00, and 11:15 am will resume. This adjusted summer worship schedule will provide a wonderful opportunity for folks to adjust their schedules and worship with a variety of Trinity members and guests.

Parking Lot Management. Trinity has entered into an agreement with Lanier Parking to manage all of Trinity's parking lots. Active TLC member households will need to register their vehicles through the Church Office. Upon registration each vehicle in the household will receive a parking permit to place on the inside front windshield on the driver's side. During the week, TLC members with a permit may park in any space in the parking lots that are not numbered. Please stop by the Church Office during our office hours of 8:30 to 4:30 Monday through Friday and 8:30 to 11:00 on Sunday mornings to register your vehicles. The information needed to register is the make, model, year, and color of the vehicle, as well as the license tag number. If you have any questions about the new parking contract please contact Kay Cook at the Church Office or via email at kmcook@trinitylutheran.ws. Thank you for your patience and understanding as we implement these new parking procedures.

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

The May issue of the *Living Lutheran* magazine is available in the Narthex, the Pence Building hallway, and the Multipurpose Room.

Relational Groups

Out to Lunch Bunch - Today, 12:45 pm. The Out to Lunch Bunch is open to all Trinity adults who want to join in the fellowship. The group will meet at *City Range* on Haywood Road. Speak with Amy Brown before the 11:15 am service if you would like to attend.

TLC4TLC - Today, 4:00 pm, Assembly Room. 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. For additional information, please contact Mary Valenti at 322-5450 or Tracey Hoffert at 991-8547.

Theology Roundtable - Today, 4:00 pm, 2nd Floor of Pence Building. This group for adults gathers twice monthly. 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.

Loving Threads - Today, 5:00 pm, Library. 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. 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.

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

Leisure/Action - Thursday, June 30. The bus will leave the Church at 10:45 am to travel to Flatrock, NC. After lunch at the *Flat Rock Wood Room*, the group will go to the *Flatrock Playhouse* to enjoy the musical *The Music Man*. The bus will return to the church late afternoon. Cost for the day, which includes lunch and the musical, is \$58.00. Reservations and payment are due in the Church Office by Monday, June 6.

Music Ministry

Children's Choir - Today, 4:00 pm. This is the last rehearsal before the summer break.

Youth Choir - Today, 5:00 pm. This is the last rehearsal before the summer break.

Adult Choir Rehearsal - Wednesday, May 25, 7:00 pm. This is the last rehearsal before the summer break.

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. In the month of May, one adult class will meet in the Multipurpose Room. This morning Pastor Crowell will lead a class entitled *Christian Hospitality: The Art and Practice of Making Others Feel Welcome and Included at Trinity*.

Children and Youth

LCY - Today, 6:00 pm. This is the last LCY gathering of the school year. The group will enjoy dinner, games, an ice cream sundae bar, and say goodbye to this year's senior class.

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

Habitat Faith Build - Saturday, June 4. Trinity has joined other local churches to participate in a Habitat for Humanity Faith Build. The walls have been raised on this fully handicap-accessible home, a first for Habitat. 10-15 volunteers are needed. Contact Rita Kirven at 616-9328 or rkirven@charter.net or Cathy Baus at 288-9373 or fbaus@bellsouth.net for further information.

Greenville Area Interfaith Hospitality Network. Trinity Church will host guests from the Greenville Area Interfaith Hospitality Network Sunday, June 5 through Sunday, June 12. Volunteers are needed in all areas including setup, breakfast and dinner preparation, evening and overnight hosts, day center, and takedown. Contact Rachel Balck at rachel@balckfamily.org or 232-6969 or Paige Dillon at pdillon2@bellsouth.net or 288-3190 for additional information. Contact volunteer coordinator, Bev Bresette, at bresette@bellouth.net or 627-9211 if you would like to volunteer.

Food items are needed to pack lunches and provide snacks for GAIHN guests during host week. A display containing a list of needed items as well as a sign up sheet is located in the Multipurpose Room. The items should be returned to the Kitchen in the Activities Building no later than 11:00 am on Sunday, June 5.

Project Host Soup Kitchen - Sunday, June 5, 9:00 am-1:00 pm. The Outreach Committee needs twelve to fifteen volunteers to staff the soup kitchen. 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.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 22 THROUGH MAY 29

	TODAY - MAY 22		MONDAY
7:45 am	Holy Communion	9:00 am	Staff Meeting
8:30 am	Adult Choir Warmup		Weblieb
9:00 am 9:50 am 10:10 am 10:45 am 11:15 am	Holy Communion Coffee & Conversation Sunday School Adult Choir Warmup Holy Communion	11:30 am 12:00 noon 7:00 pm	WEDNESDAY Prayer Group Leisure Action Gameday Adult Choir Rehearsal
12:15 pm	Reception for High School Seniors		NEXT SUNDAY - MAY 29
4:00 pm 4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Out to Lunch Bunch Children's Choir Rehearsal TLC4TLC - Assembly Room Theology Roundtable - 2nd Floor, Pence Building Youth Choir Rehearsal Loving Threads - Library LCY	9:00 am	Holy Communion Adult Choir Warmup Holy Communion Coffee & Conversation Sunday School Adult Choir Warmup Holy Communion