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EASTER LILIES

Lilies will again be used to decorate the Church on Easter Sunday. If you would like to give a lily in honor or memory of someone, complete the form below and return it with \$12.00 no later than Wednesday, March 25. You may pick up your lily immediately following the 10:30 am service on Easter Sunday, April 5, or on Tuesday, April 7, between 8:30 am - 4:30 pm.

Enclosed is my \$12.00 for a lily given

() in memory of

() in honor of

Given by: _____



DON'T FORGET!
DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME
BEGINS
ON SUNDAY, MARCH 8.

TRINITY TIDINGS

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Dear Members of the Trinity family,

Grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

2 Peter 3:18

As we move into the days of Lent, how is God calling you to grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ? How is God calling you to stretch yourself? At its heart this season is about moving closer to God and further away from self. It is about loosening our grip on our personal comfort, our daily routines, our indulgent appetites, our selfish ways. This season involves a shift in focus, a change in perspective. Lent demands that we focus our attention on God, that we commit ourselves to doing those things that please and delight God, regardless of whether those things please and delight us.

I am witnessing the hand of God at work in our life together helping us grow in the grace and knowledge of Christ. I am humbled to see members who are mourning the death of loved ones find the strength to attend worship as well as other congregational activities. I am humbled to see members taking on new and challenging leadership positions in the life of our congregation. I am humbled to see our youth reaching out to one another with love, care, and concern. I am humbled to hear about the Lenten disciplines that some of you are practicing. In order to grow in God's grace, some of you are giving up alcohol and sweets. Others are making a financial sacrifice by increasing their giving to God's work at Trinity during these weeks of Lent. Another one of you (a particularly energetic and extroverted one of you) is devoting twenty minutes each day to the practice of silence and stillness. These folks are doing the very thing God is calling us to do. They are finding ways to stretch themselves, to step outside their comfort zone with the goal of growing in grace.

In these days of Lent how is God calling you to stretch yourself? Is God calling you to do something that is frightening and challenging? Is God calling you to do something that makes you uncomfortable and nervous? This may be the exact thing God wants you to do to stretch yourself toward a deeper, more meaningful relationship with Christ.

Peace, love, and joy,

Pastor Susan Crowell

COUNCIL NOTES

At the February meeting of the Congregation Council, the council

- received a handbook containing congregational policies;
- noted that expenses for January were \$4,722 less than projected;
- engaged in a discussion regarding the future of music ministry and the role of music in supporting and enhancing worship at Trinity; and
- approved a request for the use of facilities.

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Adult volunteers to work in the nursery during the 11:15 service are sorely need. Contact Karen Craig through the Church Office, if you are Child Protection Policy trained and willing to serve in this way.

BUS DRIVER TRAINING

Trinity needs additional drivers for the Church bus. Mature, responsible adults with good driving records are invited to an informational meeting on Sunday, March 1 at 5:00 pm in the Library. Questions may be addressed to Amy Brown through the Church Office.

PROCESSION WITH PALMS

On Palm Sunday, March 29, children aged 2 and older are invited to meet in the Narthex, ten minutes prior to each service, to participate in the Procession with Palms. At the end of the procession, children who are not singing in the choir will sit with their parents. Palm crosses will be distributed for all worshipers to wear on this day.



ADULT CHOIR

Under the interim direction of Greg Campbell, the adult choir rehearses at 7:30 pm each Wednesday during Lent. New and returning participants are encouraged to attend.

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 19. This five 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 17. Questions may be directed to Pastor Crowell.



YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S CHOIRS

Youth and children's choirs continue rehearsals each Sunday afternoon. The children's choirs rehearse at 4:00 pm and the youth choir at 5:30 pm. All are welcome.



All members of Trinity Lutheran Church are invited to a reception honoring this year's confirmands to be held on the front lawn of Trinity Lutheran Church immediately following the 11:15 am Service on March 29.

Lenten Midweek Worship and Meals



All members are invited each Wednesday in Lent to join in worship and fellowship. Worship will include a meditation from a series entitled *The Tree* that will include a journey from the Garden of Eden to Golgotha and God's self-sacrifice. This series will invite worshipers to contemplate their own sinful nature and God's painful journey with humanity. The weekly mediation topics are: *The Fall, The Self, The Struggle, The Guilt, and The Tree*. A Lenten Study entitled *Know Chocolate for Lent* will be offered each Wednesday at 10:30 am. Lunch and dinner reservations should be made by phone or with this form by noon on Mondays before the meals. Reservations are absolutely essential!

Midday schedule: Lenten Study-10:30 am in Rooms 12 and 13; Lunch-11:45 am in the Multipurpose Room; Worship-12:30 pm in the Sanctuary. Holy Communion will be celebrated each week.

Evening schedule: Dinner served between 5:45 and 6:25 pm in the Multipurpose Room; Holden Evening Prayer in the Sanctuary at 7:00 pm.

Name: _____

Check or Cash Attached _____ Yes _____ No

	Mar 4	Mar 11	Mar 18	Mar 25	Total
Lunch (\$5.00 per meal)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Dinner (\$6.00 per meal) (Children 5 and under - free, children 6-12 - \$4.00)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Grand total _____

WITHIN THE TRINITY FAMILY . . .

HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Charles Wyatt - CCU, St. Francis
 Hunter Balck, Jennings Cook, David Earley, Megan Finnern, Dale Hamann,
 Tracey Hoffert, Franklin Sease and Alice Smith have been discharged.

BAPTISM

Henry Campbell McGee, II, son of Henry and Lindsey McGee

BIRTHS

A daughter, Dorothy Loretta "Della" Finnern to Mike and Megan Finnern on January 29

DEATHS

Sara Swink
 Bill Taylor
 the father of Russ Wise

ATTENDANCE FOR FEBRUARY

	<u>2/1</u>	<u>2/8</u>	<u>2/15</u>
7:45	19	26	18
9:00	184	229	146
11:15	<u>132</u>	<u>133</u>	<u>134</u>
TOTAL	335	388	298
SUNDAY SCHOOL	121	161	116
LCY	29	44	-

OFFERING SUMMARY FOR FEBRUARY (SUMMARY DOES NOT INCLUDE FEBRUARY 22)

	<u>February</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Needed for Budget	100,622	201,244
Given to Budget	<u>73,292</u>	<u>147,662</u>
Difference	- 27,330	- 53,582
Given to World Hunger	989	2,466

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, March 5 at 9:30 am in the Multipurpose Room. The group continues to meet on the first Thursday of the month. During the year participants are exploring the topic *Holy Moments in Scripture and in Daily Life*. All women of the congregation are invited to enjoy refreshments, study, prayer and fellowship.



Bible Study

EVENING SESSION: A Women's Bible Study and Fellowship Group led by Pastor Crowell will meet on Thursday, March 5 at 6:30 pm in the Multipurpose Room. The group continues to meet on the first Thursday of each month. During the year participants are exploring the topic *Holy Moments in Scripture and in Daily Life*. 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.

MEN'S GROUP

This month the group will gather on Tuesday, March 10 from noon until 2:00 pm. Participants should bring lunch with them. This month's topic is Luther and Bible Study. Please email Joe Rice at saluda171@yahoo.com with questions or call 246-8661. All men of the congregation and friends are encouraged to attend.

ADULT MISSION TRIP

There will be a mission trip to Crisfield, Maryland this spring. Participants will depart on Sunday, May 10 and return on Saturday, May 16. The cost for the trip is \$150.00, and some sweat, aches, and smiles. Workers will receive a lifetime of benefit from this trip. But more important than that, the gifts given will also last a lifetime, God's love for humanity. Questions or concerns should be directed to Vicar Rusty.

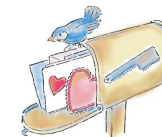


PRAYER GROUP

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 mmulcahy@frontier.com. All are invited to attend.



Prayer



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. The group will meet on Sunday, March 22 from 4:00 to 5:00 pm in the Library. For additional information, please contact Mary Valenti at 322-5450 or Tracey Hoffert at 991-8547.

Faith Lutheran Church in Batesburg-Leesville, SC has called Lisa Isenhower, Trinity's former vicar, to serve as their Pastor. Members of Trinity are invited to a service of Holy Communion with the Rite of Ordination on Sunday, March 22 at 5:00 pm at St. John's Lutheran Church, 415 South Pine St., Spartanburg, SC.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School is offered for all ages every Sunday. Classes are provided 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. Young adults who have graduated from high school are invited to attend adult classes.

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. Adult classes follow in the Activities Building. There are three adult Sunday School classes currently offered for adults. They are *Roots of Our Faith: A Look at the Lutheran Confessions*; *Fight Back with Joy: Celebrate More, Regret Less*; and *Faithful Parenting : Life With Teens*.



SUNDAY SCHOOL

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Vacation Bible School will be Monday, July 20 through Friday, July 24 from 8:45 am to noon. Mark your calendars and plan to participate!



LENTEN BIBLE STUDY

Members and friends are invited to gather on Wednesday mornings during Lent for Bible study prior to lunch and worship. Meeting at 10:30 am in Rooms 12 and 13 of the Activities Building, the study is entitled *Know Chocolate for Lent*. This creative study uses the growing and manufacturing process of chocolate as a metaphor for the growth of faith and discipleship in the Christian life. The course also includes film clips from the movie *Chocolat* and scripture study. Students will also learn about (and sample) fair trade chocolate. Amy Brown will be leading the class. New participants are still welcomed.



Confirmation

CONFIRMATION

All seventh, eighth and ninth graders and their parents are reminded of the final confirmation class that will be held on March 28 from 9:30 am to 2:30 pm. Parents are encouraged to check with their children on their progress on Sunday School, LCY and worship reports, and to begin making plans for their Family Service Project. Those who successfully complete the program will be confirmed at the 11:15 am service on Palm Sunday, March 29.

GREENVILLE AREA INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK

Trinity Church will host guests from the Greenville Area Interfaith Hospitality Network Sunday, March 15 through Sunday, March 22. 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 Parlor. The items should be returned to the Kitchen in the Activities Building no later than 11:00 am on Sunday, March 15.



Food and Shelter

TOWERS EAST COLLECTION

As part of Operation InAsMuch on April 18 from 9:00 am until noon, the Outreach Committee will be collecting items for Towers East. Towers East residents are in need of clothing for men and women. There is also a need for all household items. At times, residents move in with only the clothes they are wearing. Please drop off the following items at the Red Canopy door on April 18: clothing for men and women and any type of household items that are needed to set-up an apartment.



UNITED MINISTRIES

Trinity continues to receive food for the United Ministries Food Pantry on the first and third Sundays of each month.



Pantry Needs

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.



SOLE HOPE

Sole Hope is an outreach organization based in Uganda, with a local presence in Salisbury, NC. Many children in Africa lack shoes and have to cope with diseases and infection affecting their feet and health. You can help by cutting shoes out of old denim jeans. Each pair of cut shoes is shipped to Uganda and fabricated by someone trained and paid a fair wage. If you are interested in checking out a Sole Hope cutting kit, please contact Amy Brown.



LENTEN FOOD DRIVE

During Lent, the Outreach Committee is collecting food for *Triune Mercy Center*. Donated items should be placed in the baskets found in the Multipurpose Room, the Breezeway and the Narthex. Items to be collected are peanut butter, canned meat, pasta sauce, boxed cereal, powdered milk, canned vegetables, canned soup, canned spaghetti, canned ravioli, dried beans, rice, canned fruit, boxed crackers, and boxed macaroni and cheese.

BLOOD DRIVE

The Outreach Committee will sponsor a blood drive at Trinity on Sunday, May 3 from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm. Mark your calendar and plan to participate.



SUMMER CAMP

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. Resident camps are offered for youth who have completed grades 1-12. Adult and family programs are available as well. Brochures are available in the Narthex and Multipurpose Room. Questions may be directed to Susan Troutman at 979-6728.



YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Trinity's Young Adults Group will gather at the home of Chris and Shannon Barnett, 8 Arthur Avenue, on Friday, March 27 for dinner and fellowship beginning at 7:00 pm. Those attending should bring an appetizer, side dish or dessert to share, and are asked to RSVP to Mandi Whitley no later than Wednesday, March 25.

BINGO NIGHT

Trinity members of all ages are invited to attend a Bingo Night on Friday, March 13 from 6:00-8:00 pm in the Multipurpose Room. Pizza, salad, drinks and dessert will be provided by the Parish Life Committee. Each family is asked to bring a \$5.00 to \$10.00 prize (gift card, toys, DVD's, etc.) and should RSVP through the Church Office no later than Monday, March 9.



FURMAN LSA

Volunteers are needed to provide meals on Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm for 10 to 12 students. There's still time to bring your special interest, talent or insight to one of the campus ministry weekly dinner meetings. The students will be blessed by what you have to offer. Members who find time, opportunity and interest in helping in some way with Trinity's campus ministry at Furman, contact Pastor Setzler by email at jansetzler@gmail.com or 864-942-2974.

LSA's big focus in the second half of the spring semester is Furman's campus-wide *Relay for Life* on Friday afternoon, April 17 to 1:00 am on Saturday, April 18. LSA has registered a team and set a fund-raising goal of at least \$500.00. Students expect to meet their goal with a bake sale, a t-shirt sale and donations. They welcome Trinity members to join in the walk and the special campus activities related to this year's Relay.

MEN'S SOFTBALL

Trinity hopes to field a men's softball team through the Greenville Parks and Recreation Department. Games will be held on Monday nights at Gower Park. The season will begin on March 16. The registration fee is \$45.00 per person. An e-mail has been sent to those who have played in the past. Anyone interested in playing should contact Mandi Whitley no later than Wednesday, March 4.



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 of the group will be on Thursday, April 16, to discuss *The Orchardist* by Amanda Coplinne. Other upcoming selections include *An Officer and A Spy* by Robert Harris on June 18.



BASKETS OF PROMISE



LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF KITS

This Lenten season, Trinity will walk with people around the world afflicted by war, displacement and poverty by collecting personal care items. Each week, please bring in the featured kit item and reach out as Christ's healing hands in the world. A basket is located in the Breezeway.

- March 1 - Bath Towels (light-weight, maximum 52"x27", dark color recommended)
- March 8 - Toothbrushes (adult size, in original packaging)
- March 15 - Combs
- March 22 - Nail Clippers (metal, attached file optional)
- March 29 - Bars of Soap (4-5 oz., any brand, in original wrapping)



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 Sunday afternoon, March 22, the group will attend the *Anderson Follies* in Anderson, SC. This is a variety show produced and delivered by seniors in the Anderson area. The bus will leave the Church at 1:15 pm to travel to the show at Anderson College. Participants should eat lunch before the trip. Cost is \$20.00 per person. Payment is due in the Church Office by Thursday, March 19. Tickets are limited, so sign up early!

Gameday is a time for Church members to gather for Bridge and other games. Participants will meet in the Parlor on Wednesday, March 25 at 1:00 pm, immediately following the Lenten lunch and worship.



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 a week later than usual this month. On Sunday, March 29 participants will gather at 12:45 pm at *Ruby Tuesday's* at Cherrydale.

LYDIA GROUP

The Lydia Group will meet on Tuesday, March 10, at 10:00 am in the Parlor. Sally Boliek will be the hostess. Beverly Henderson will present the program. All women of the congregation are welcome.



QUILTING GROUP

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The Quilting Group meets in the Activities Building at 9:30 am, twice a month on Mondays. 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 meeting dates for this month are Mondays, March 2 and 16. 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. The next meeting at the Church will be on Sunday afternoon, March 8 at 4:00 pm in the Parlor. For more information, contact Amy Brown through the Church Office.

KIDS' STUFF AND CLUB 345

Kid's Stuff is Trinity's group for children in grades K5, 1 or 2 and Club 345 is Trinity's group for children in grades 3, 4 and 5. Both groups gather once a month for fellowship and fun. All events are from 2:00-4:00 pm unless otherwise noted.

On Sunday, March 8, from 2:00 to 4:00 pm, Kids' Stuff and Club 345 and their parents are encouraged to attend a Bullying Awareness Event in the Activities Building. There will be a variety of activities that will teach the group about how to prevent bullying and how to respond to it, as well as some take-home materials for families. Parents and children who attend the event should bring a plain white t-shirt, which the group will decorate. Those attending should sign up through the Church Office no later than Wednesday, March 4.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Families with children are invited to gather in the Multipurpose Room on Saturday, April 4 at 11:00 am for an Easter Egg Hunt. A free hot dog lunch will be served after the hunt. This event is rain or shine.

HOLY WEEK EVENTS

THE SUNDAY OF THE PASSION/PALM SUNDAY MARCH 29

7:45 am - Holy Communion with Procession of Palms
9:00 am - Holy Communion with Procession of Palms
11:15 am - Holy Communion with Procession of Palms
and Rite of Confirmation

Children's Choir at the 9:00 am service and Youth Choir at the 11:15 am service
(A nursery will be provided at the 9:00 and 11:15 am services.)
12:30 pm - Reception for Confirmands

MAUNDY THURSDAY/APRIL 2

7:00 pm - Holy Communion with The Stripping of the Altar
Adult Choir
(A nursery will be provided.)

Good Friday/April 3

7:00 pm - Worship
Adult Choir

THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD/EASTER DAY APRIL 5

6:30 am - Sunrise Service of Holy Communion
with Trinity Quartet
8:30 am - Festival Liturgy of Holy Communion
with Adult Choir and brass
(A nursery will be provided.)
10:30 am - Festival Liturgy of Holy Communion
with Adult Choir and brass
(A nursery will be provided.)

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 gatherings are from 6:00-8:00 pm unless otherwise noted.

March 1 – FAMILY NIGHT: SURVIVOR

LCY youth, advisors, and their families are invited to attend LCY's annual Family Night in the Multipurpose room. Families with middle school students are asked to bring a main dish, families with high school students are asked to bring a side or salad. Drinks and dessert will be provided. After dinner, families will be divided into teams to compete in a variety of *Survivor* inspired games.

March 8 – BUNCO

After dinner, youth will play Bunco.

March 15 – SERVICE PROJECT

After dinner, youth will do a service project, followed by group games.

March 22 – BIBLE STUDY

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

March 29 – FRANKIE'S FUN PARK

Youth will travel by bus for dinner and games at *Frankie's Fun Park*. Youth should bring money for games as well as money for dinner at *Johnny Rocket's*. Youth who are confirmed on the morning of March 29 will have their dinner paid for and receive a \$10.00 game card.



Lutheran Church Youth

YOUTH GATHERING

Youth and adults who are going on the 2015 ELCA Youth Gathering in July will have their second meeting on Wednesday, March 4 at 5:45 pm. The group will go through the Lenten dinner line in the Activiites Building Kitchen and then eat together in Rooms 12 and 13. Cost for the meal is \$6.00 per person. Those attending must sign up for the dinner through the Church Office no later than Sunday, March 1. T-shirt designs are due and will be voted on at this meeting



MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION TRIP

Trinity's current sixth, seventh, and eighth graders are encouraged to participate in a half-week mission trip at Lutheridge from Sunday, June 7 through Wednesday, June 10. The group will stay in cabins with Lutheridge counselors, participating in on-site camp activities, as well as off-site service opportunities in the Asheville area. Information has been emailed to parents and registration is due to Mandi Whitley no later than Sunday, March 15.



Saturday, April 18, 2015, 9am-noon

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. On April 18, we will join with other Lutherans around SC to participate in Operation InAsMuch. 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 March 29 (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 a local school. Our Back Pack Buddies Ministry provides weekend food supplies for hungry children in Greenville. Volunteers needed 4-6 Project Leader: Mark Allen

GAIHN Day Center

REFURBISHING AND SET UP: The GAIHN Day Center is moving from Pendleton Street Baptist Church to a new location! We will help refurbish two rooms (cleaning, possibly painting) and help set up the Day Center to welcome GAIHN families
Volunteers needed: 8-10 Project Leaders: Donnie and Karla Koon

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

United Ministries

YARD WORK: For over 40 years, United Ministries, a faith-based organization, has been working to understand and address poverty issues in Greenville County. Join us as we help do general yard work around the UM grounds located on Pendleton Street
Volunteers needed: 8-10 Project Leader: Bill Renninger

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: 8-10 Project Leader: Lura Godfrey

Safe Harbor

MAKE-OVERS & SELF ESTEEM: 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 with make-up and self-care information.

Volunteers needed: 2 Project Leader: Barbara Corell

Safe Harbor Children's Activity

CHILD CARE: Volunteer to help with children's activities while their moms are enjoying the make-up and self-care information.

Volunteers needed: 2 Project Leader: Paige Dillon

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: Valerie Hollinger

Lutheran Hospice

YARD WORK: General yard work at the home of a local hospice patient.

Volunteers needed: 6-8 Project Leader: Robyn Wilcox

Lutheran World Relief Kit Assembly

TOILETRIES SORTED & WRAPPED WITH CARE: Volunteers will assemble hygiene kits that will be distributed by Lutheran World Relief to people around the world affected by natural disasters and conflicts.

Volunteers needed: 6-8 Project Leader: Amanda Mast

Quilting for Lutheran World Relief

If you can cut fabric, tie knots, pin fabric, 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

Trinity Lutheran Church

Saturday, April 18, 2015

9-noon

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 Day Center
	Mental Health Packets
	United Ministries Yard Work
	Sole Hope Shoe Cutting
	Safe Harbor Make-overs
	Safe Harbor Childcare
	Towers East Clothing/Housewares Collection
	Lutheran Hospice Yard Work
	Lutheran World Relief Hygiene Kits
	Lutheran World Relief Quilts

Please return this completed form by **Wednesday, March 29** to the church office or place it in one of the red boxes located around the church.

Please contact Lura Godfrey, luradg@charter.net, 864-423-7567 or Melanie Wessinger, pwessinger@aol.com, 864-616-1725 with any questions.

God's work. Our hands.

March 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT EMERGENCY FOOD SUNDAY 1</p> <p>7:45 HOLY COMMUNION 9:00 HOLY COMMUNION 9:50 COFFEE & CONVERSATION 10:10 SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:45 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 11:15 HOLY COMMUNION</p> <p>4:00 CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL 5:00 BUS DRIVER INFORMATIONAL MEETING 5:30 YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSAL 6:00 LCY</p>	<p>9:00 STAFF MEETING 9:30 QUILTING GROUP 2</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</p> <p>10:30 LENTEN STUDY 11:30 PRAYER GROUP 11:45 LUNCH 12:30 HOLY COMMUNION</p> <p>5:45 YOUTH GATHERING MEETING 5:45 DINNER 7:00 HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER 7:30 ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL</p>	<p>5</p> <p>9:30 WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP GROUP</p> <p>6:30 WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP GROUP 6:30 FURMAN LSA</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>7</p>
<p>THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT 8</p> <p>7:45 HOLY COMMUNION 8:30 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 9:00 HOLY COMMUNION 9:50 COFFEE & CONVERSATION 10:10 SUNDAY SCHOOL 11:15 HOLY COMMUNION</p> <p>2:00 KIDS' STUFF AND CLUB 345 4:00 INTERN COMMITTEE 4:00 PARISH LIFE COMMITTEE 4:00 LOVING THREADS 4:00 CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL 5:00 CONGREGATION COUNCIL 5:30 YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSAL 6:00 LCY</p>	<p>9:00 STAFF MEETING 9</p>	<p>10</p> <p>10:00 LYDIA GROUP 12:00 MEN'S GROUP</p>	<p>11</p> <p>10:30 LENTEN STUDY 11:30 PRAYER GROUP 11:45 LUNCH 12:30 HOLY COMMUNION</p> <p>5:45 DINNER 7:00 HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER 7:30 ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL</p>	<p>12</p> <p>6:00 BINGO NIGHT</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>
<p>FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT EMERGENCY FOOD SUNDAY 15</p> <p>7:45 HOLY COMMUNION 8:30 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 9:00 HOLY COMMUNION 9:50 COFFEE & CONVERSATION 10:10 SUNDAY SCHOOL 11:00 GAIHN SETUP 11:15 HOLY COMMUNION</p> <p>1:15 LEISURE/ACTION 4:00 CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL 5:30 YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSAL 6:00 LCY</p>	<p>9:00 STAFF MEETING 9:30 QUILTING GROUP 16</p>	<p>17</p>	<p>18</p> <p>10:30 LENTEN STUDY 11:30 PRAYER GROUP 11:45 LUNCH 12:30 HOLY COMMUNION</p> <p>5:45 DINNER 7:00 HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER 7:30 ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL</p>	<p>19</p> <p>6:30 FURMAN LSA 7:00 YOUNG ADULTS GROUP</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>
<p>GREENVILLE ————— AREA ————— INTERFAITH ————— HOSPITALITY ————— NETWORK</p>						
<p>FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT 22</p> <p>7:00 GAIHN TAKEDOWN 7:45 HOLY COMMUNION 8:30 ADULT CHOIR WARMUP 9:00 HOLY COMMUNION 9:50 COFFEE & CONVERSATION 10:10 SUNDAY SCHOOL 11:15 HOLY COMMUNION</p> <p>1:15 LEISURE/ACTION</p> <p>4:00 CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL 4:00 TLC4TLC 5:30 YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSAL 6:00 LCY</p>	<p>9:00 STAFF MEETING 23</p>	<p>24</p>	<p>25</p> <p>10:30 LENTEN STUDY 11:30 PRAYER GROUP 11:45 LUNCH 12:30 HOLY COMMUNION 1:00 LEISURE/ACTION GAMEDAY</p> <p>5:45 DINNER 7:00 HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER 7:30 ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL</p>	<p>26</p> <p>6:30 FURMAN LSA</p>	<p>27</p> <p>7:00 YOUNG ADULTS GROUP</p>	<p>28</p> <p>9:30 CONFIRMATION</p>
<p>SUNDAY OF THE PASSION/PALM SUNDAY 29</p> <p>7:45 HOLY COMMUNION 8:30 CHILDREN'S CHOIR WARMUP 9:00 HOLY COMMUNION 9:50 COFFEE & CONVERSATION 10:10 SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:45 YOUTH CHOIR WARMUP 11:15 HOLY COMMUNION WITH CONFIRMATION</p> <p>12:30 RECEPTION FOR CONFIRMANDS 12:45 OUT TO LUNCH BUNCH</p> <p>4:00 CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL 5:30 YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSAL 6:00 LCY</p>	<p>9:00 STAFF MEETING 30</p>	<p>31</p>				

RESPONSIBILITIES FOR MARCH 2015

		<u>1st</u>	<u>8th</u>	<u>15th</u>	<u>22nd</u>	<u>29th</u>
7:45 am	Lector Prayers Cantor	David Crigler Kay Cook Eliza Stockman	Betsy League Ralph Moyer Susan Troutman	David Nichols Lani Wise Russ Wise	Caroline Massey Helen League Eliza Stockman	Eliza Stockman David Crigler Susan Troutman
9:00 am	Lector Prayers Cantor Acolytes Greeters Nursery Nursery Aide	Joe Rice Chris Barnett Lynn Ritchie Kayla Rose Carson Spiers Janie Dillard, Ronny Dillard Bonnie Farmer Bryan Cegelis, Jessica Cegelis Anna Lee Henry	Margaret Roth Angie McCormack Jeff Rehm Turner Johnson Davis Keaton Bob McCormack, Laila McCormack Margaret Wyatt Bev Bresette, Casey Delap Grace Kirven	Tim Keaton Mary Ries Russ Wise Sarah Lynch Micaela Peterson Gregg Alley, Lisa Osborn Marty Osborn Anne Branham, Jeff Roth Emily Lynch	John Otten Roland Baird Melanie Helling Daniel Fisher Abigail Smith Debbie Farstad, Debbie Varner Missy Wingard Ashley Macek, Ryan Macek Sarah Lynch	Debbie Varner Donna Potts Children's Choir Emma Jefferson Emily Lynch Ralph Born, Bridget Gossett Eric Rose Jacob Delap, Caroline Massey Micaela Peterson
Sunday School	Nursery	Jacob Delap	Mary Ries	Amy Forde	Karen Craig	Brenda Bridges
11:15 am	Lector Prayers Cantor Acolytes Greeters Nursery Nursery Aide	Michael Hoffman Paul Miller John Park Jordan Forbes Rachel Haltiwanger Bobbi Metz, Laura Metz Andrew Weiner Brenda Bridges Elizabeth Allen	Henry Wilcox Mark Allen Lynn Ritchie Will Baur Delaney Wannemacher Al Banister, Mary Frances Martin WW Martin Lynne Hunter Bailey Hoffert	Susan Troutman Paige Dillon Gilbert Ritchie Mia Dillon Lauren Miller Jeanne Blinkoff, Barbara Corell George Corell Karen Craig Reagan Hoffert	Barbara Corell Philip Wessinger Richard Moose Bailey Hoffert Reagan Hoffert Ellen Boler, Ed Holliday Judy Holliday Melanie Wessinger Caitlin Littlejohn	Ryan Macek Tom DiAntonio Youth Choir Kaitlyn Bresette Caitlin Littlejohn Laurie Horsfall, Rick Horsfall Nancy Teachey Amy Forde Elizabeth Allen
Communion Fill	Communion Clean-up (9:00) (11:15)	Randy and Linda Brown Ben and Amy Johnson Philip and Melanie Wessinger	Bonnie Bridges Dawn and Eric Lynch Lisa Black, Ellen Boler	Karen Nichols John and Beth Henry WW and Mary Frances Martin	Caroline Massey Jacob Delap, Tim Keaton Eric and Angela Glass	Karen Craig (Intinction) Margaret Wyatt Nancy Jones

Ushers 7:45 Betty Collins, Pattimarie Janssen
 9:00 Tim Keaton (Captain), Chuck Ballew, Angie McCormack, Mack Whitley
 11:15 Lisa Black (Captain), Pat Howard, Herb Lembcke, Paul Miller

Offering Tellers
 Team 1 Gene Bowman (Captain)
 Angela Glass, Mary Todd Bowman
 Team 2 David Troutman (Captain)
 Susan Burton, Mary Beth Ridenhour

	Lenten Service March 4, 7:00 pm	Lenten Service March 11, 7:00 pm	Lenten Service March 18, 7:00 pm	Lenten Service March 25, 7:00 pm
Cantor	Richard Moose	Richard Moose	Richard Moose	Richard Moose
Acolyte	Elizabeth Allen	Kayla Rose	Grace Kirven	Davis Keaton
Ushers	Barbara Corell	Chris Jefferson	Gene Bowman	Scott Panhorst
	George Corell	Stephen Kirven	Mary Todd Bowman	Todd Wetzel

Nursery Captains	9:00 SS 11:15	Casey Delap Anne Branham Brenda Bridges
Audio Ministry		David Troutman
Visiting First Time Worshipers		Betsy League and Melanie Wessinger
Sanctuary Preparation		Helen League
United Ministry Food Baskets		Bill Renninger and Betsy League