



## Activities and Opportunities

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### Announcements

The Congregation Council has called a meeting of the congregation this morning at 10:00 am in the Sanctuary for the purpose of acting on the unanimous recommendation of the Congregation Council that the Rev. Dr. James Covington Parham, III be called to serve as the Associate Pastor for Worship and Music at Trinity Lutheran Church. Complete information including the job description, along with biographical information about the candidate has been mailed to members of the congregation. Activities for children will be held in the Assembly Room beneath the Sanctuary during the meeting. Light refreshments will be served on the front lawn following the meeting. All members are encouraged to prayerfully consider this information and attend the meeting.

The Church Office will close at 10:00 am this morning.

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

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

**ELCA International Disaster Response.** Prayers and gifts are urgently needed for the victims of the earthquake in the Nepal area. Checks should be written to Trinity Lutheran Church and clearly marked for Nepal Area Earthquake.

**Baby Shower for AC and Mandi Whitley - Today.** The Trinity family is invited to a baby shower hosted by the Parish Life Committee. This event will be held in the Multipurpose Room from 2:00 to 4:00 pm.

**The member directory is now available on Trinity's website.** To obtain a password for access to the directory, please contact the Church Office.

**Property Work Day - Saturday, May 30, 8:30 am-noon.** Adults and teens in the congregation are invited to participate in a Property Workday at the Church. Participants should dress to be outside, and are encouraged to bring gloves, hand pruners, electric trimmers, rakes, hat and sunscreen. The group will be removing dead shrubbery and small trees, as well as pulling vines and general clean up projects outside. Water and snacks will be provided. Please sign up through the Church Office so the Property Committee can plan for the day.

### Relational Groups

**Book Study for Adults - Today, 4:00 pm, Parlor.** A book study gathers bi-weekly to discuss *Mere Christianity* by C. S. Lewis. All adults are welcome to participate. Joe Rice facilitates the discussion and questions may be directed to him at 246-8661 or [saluda171@yahoo.com](mailto:saluda171@yahoo.com).

**Quilting Group - Monday, May 18, 9:30 am, Activities Building.** 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. Group members may bring their lunch. Work is usually finished around 2:00 pm, although participants can work as little, or as long as they like. For more information, contact Sarah Weeks at 246-7862 or Amy Brown at 242-5702.

**Prayer Group - Wednesday, May 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 [mmulcahy@frontier.com](mailto:mmulcahy@frontier.com). All are invited to attend.

**Leisure/Action - Thursday, May 21, 9:30 am.** The group will travel by bus to enjoy an outing to the lake home of Luther and Sally Boliek. Those attending are asked to bring a salad, side dish or dessert to share. Meat and beverages will be provided. The group will leave the lake by 2:00 pm to return to the Church. Reserve your seat on the bus through the Church Office this morning.

## Music Ministry

**Youth Choir** - Today, 5:30 pm. The youth choir will meet for the final time of the school year this afternoon.

## Education

**Due to the Congregational meeting, there will be no Sunday School classes this morning.** Children from infants through Middle School should go to the Assembly Room beneath the Sanctuary, where activities will be held for them during the meeting.

**Bible Study** - A study of the book of Ephesians, led by Merry Mulcahy, continues this Wednesday. The class will meet in the Library from 10:30 to 11:30 am. Participants are welcome to stay for the Prayer Group which meets at 11:30 am.

## Children and Youth

**LCY - Today, 6:00 pm.** After dinner, the group will travel by bus to Cleveland Park for a game of kickball. Pick up is 8:00 pm at the Church. This is the last LCY of the school year.

## Outreach Opportunities

**Greenville Area Interfaith Hospitality Network - Sunday, June 7 through Sunday, June 14.** 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](mailto:rachel@balckfamily.org) or 915-6039 or Paige Dillon at [pdillon2@bellsouth.net](mailto:pdillon2@bellsouth.net) or 288-3190 for additional information. Contact volunteer coordinator, Bev Bresette, at [bresette@bellouth.net](mailto: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, June 7.

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 17 THROUGH MAY 24

### TODAY - MAY 17

|          |                                                |
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| 7:45 am  | Holy Communion                                 |
| 8:30 am  | Adult Choir Warmup                             |
| 9:00 am  | Holy Communion                                 |
| 10:00 am | Congregational Meeting                         |
| 11:15 am | Holy Communion<br>and Reception of New Members |
| 2:00 pm  | Baby Shower for AC and Mandi Whitley           |
| 3:00 pm  | Worship Committee - Library                    |
| 4:00 pm  | Book Study for Adults - Parlor                 |
| 4:00 pm  | Intern Committee - Library                     |
| 4:00 pm  | Outreach Committee - Assembly Room             |
| 4:00 pm  | Education Committee - Rms 12 & 13              |
| 5:30 pm  | Youth Choir                                    |
| 6:00 pm  | LCY                                            |

### MONDAY

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| 9:00 am | Staff Meeting  |
| 9:30 am | Quilting Group |

### WEDNESDAY

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| 10:30 am | Bible Study  |
| 11:30 am | Prayer Group |

### THURSDAY

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| 9:30 am | Leisure/Action |
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### NEXT SUNDAY - MAY 24

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| 7:45 am  | Holy Communion        |
| 9:00 am  | Holy Communion        |
| 9:50 am  | Coffee & Conversation |
| 10:10 am | Sunday School         |
| 10:45 am | Adult Choir Warmup    |
| 11:15 am | Holy Communion        |
| 12:45 pm | Out to Lunch Bunch    |