

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.

Blood Drive - Sunday, May 1, 11:00 am to 3:30 pm, Gym. The Outreach Committee is sponsoring a blood drive at Trinity. 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.



Activities and Opportunities

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April 10, 2016

Hospital Patients

Debbie Jo Forbes - discharged

Death

Our Christian sympathy is expressed to Hannah Hill and her family at the death of her father.

Announcements

The Church, Women, and Justice - Today, Multipurpose Room, 3:00 pm. The second of the two part series is for women high school aged and older. The hope for this event 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 speaking with Vicar Megan this morning.

Holden Prayer around the Cross - Wednesday, April 27, 6:15 pm. The Congregation is invited to gather in the Multipurpose Room 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.

Parking Lot Management. Trinity has entered into an agreement with Lanier Parking to manage the parking lots. In the coming weeks you should see improvement in the upper lot at the Red Canopy Door for parking during the week. Soon parking decals will be required for all members to display in the front window of their vehicle to park in the Trinity lots. Look for information in future Announcement Pages and via email with instructions concerning the distribution of the decals. We ask for your patience and understanding as we implement the new parking procedures.

The Church, Women, and Justice - Today, 10:10 am. There will be an adult Sunday School class this morning, 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.

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.

Congregation Beach Retreat - June 19-26, Coastal Retreat Center on the Isle of Palms. There are still spaces available on a first come, first served basis. Contact Kay Cook in the Church Office if you are interested in participating.



Trinity Lutheran Church Sign Up Form Saturday, May 14, 2016

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

Name _____ Home Phone (_____) _____

Email _____ Cell Phone (_____) _____

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.

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

Please return this completed form by **Sunday, May 1** to the Church Office or place it in one of the red boxes located in the Narthex, the Pence Building Hallway, and the Multipurpose Room.

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

Announcements (Cont'd)

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

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

Relational Groups

Creation Care Team - Today, 12:30 pm, Parlor. Trinity has a new Creation Care Team, which is exploring issues regarding recycling, energy efficiency, and care for the earth. All persons interested are invited.

Lydia Group - Tuesday, April 12, 10:00 am, Parlor. The Lydia Group will meet on Tuesday, April 12, at 10:00 am in the Parlor. Jeanne Todd will be the hostess. The group will pack bags for Backpack Buddies. All women of the congregation are welcome.

Men's Group - Tuesday, April 12, noon. The group will meet 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.

Prayer Group - Wednesday, April 13, 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 marmulcahy@icloud.com. All are invited to attend.

Leisure/Action - Thursday, April 14, 10:10 am. The group will board the bus 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.

Music Ministry

Children's Choir - Today, 4:00 pm. Rehearsals are on Sundays from 4:00 to 5:00 pm in the Choir Room on the 2nd floor of the Pence Building.

Handbell Choir - Wednesday, April 13, 6:00 pm. Rehearsals are at 6:00 pm in the Handbell Room on the 2nd floor of the Pence Building.

Adult Choir Rehearsals - Wednesday, April 13, 7:00 pm. Rehearsals are Wednesday nights in the Choir Room on the second floor of the Pence Building. Youth and adults are welcome.

Youth Choir - Today, 5:00 pm. Rehearsals are on Sundays from 5:00 to 6:00 pm, right before LCY.

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. One adult class will meet in the Multipurpose Room. Vicar Megan Lineberger will lead the discussion about domestic violence and how the church is affected and called to respond.

Children and Youth

Kids' Stuff and Club 345 - Today, 2:00 pm. Both groups will meet in the Multipurpose Room. 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.

LCY - Today, 6:00 pm, Youth Center. After dinner, youth will play bingo in the Youth Center. All participating should bring a \$5.00-\$10.00 prize for the prize table.

High School Small Group - Wednesday, April 13, 6:00 - 7:15 pm, Youth Center. Youth in grades 9-12 are invited to be a part of Trinity's High School Small Group. This group participates in Bible studies, fellowship events, and service projects. Youth should bring dinner with them. Drinks will be provided.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 10 THROUGH APRIL 17

TODAY - APRIL 10		WEDNESDAY	
7:45 am	Holy Communion	11:30 am	Prayer Group
8:30 am	Adult Choir Warmup	6:00 pm	High School Small Group
9:00 am	Holy Communion	6:00 pm	Handbell Choir
9:50 am	Coffee & Conversation	6:15 pm	Furman LSA
10:10 am	Sunday School	7:00 pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal
10:45 am	Adult Choir Warmup		
11:15 am	Holy Communion	THURSDAY	
12:30 pm	Creation Care Team - Parlor	10:10 AM	Leisure/Action
1:30 pm	Congregation Council		
2:00 pm	Kids' Stuff and Club 345	NEXT SUNDAY - APRIL 17	
2:30 pm	Stewardship Committee - Library	7:45 am	Holy Communion
3:00 pm	Women and Justice	8:30 am	Adult Choir Warmup
4:00 pm	Children's Choir Rehearsal	9:00 am	Holy Communion
5:00 pm	Youth Choir Rehearsal	9:50 am	Coffee & Conversation
6:00 pm	LCY	10:10 am	Sunday School
		10:45 am	Adult Choir Warmup
MONDAY		11:15 am	Holy Communion
9:00 am	Staff Meeting	4:00 pm	Outreach Committee - Assembly Rm
		4:00 pm	Parish Life Committee - Library
TUESDAY		4:00 pm	Children's Choir Rehearsal
10:00 am	Lydia Group	5:00 pm	Youth Choir Rehearsal
12:00 noon	Men's Group	5:00 pm	Intern Committee - Library
		5:00 pm	Property Committee - Assembly Rm
		6:00 pm	LCY