

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 8 THROUGH MAY 15

### TODAY - MAY 8

7:45 am Holy Communion  
8:30 am Children's & Youth Choirs Warmup  
9:00 am Holy Communion  
9:50 am Coffee & Conversation  
10:10 am Sunday School & New Member Class  
10:45 am Adult Choir Warmup  
11:15 am Holy Communion  
6:00 pm LCY

### MONDAY

9:00 am Staff Meeting

### TUESDAY

10:00 am Lydia Group  
12:00 noon Men's Group

### WEDNESDAY

11:30 am Prayer Group  
6:00 pm High School Small Group  
6:00 pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal  
7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

### THURSDAY

10:15 am Leisure/Action  
7:00 pm Young Adults Group

### SATURDAY

8:00 am Operation InAsMuch Sign In  
8:30 am Commissioning Service  
9:00 am Community Mission Projects  
9:00 am Habitat Faith Build

### NEXT SUNDAY - MAY 15

7:45 am Holy Communion  
8:30 am Adult Choir Warmup  
9:00 am Holy Communion  
9:50 am Coffee & Conversation  
10:10 am Sunday School & New Member Class  
10:10 am College Brunch  
10:45 am Adult Choir Warmup  
11:15 am Holy Communion and Reception of  
New Members  
12:30 pm Creation Care Team  
1:30 pm Congregation Council  
4:00 pm Children's Choir Rehearsal  
4:00 pm Outreach Committee  
5:00 pm Youth Choir Rehearsal  
5:00 pm Intern Committee  
6:00 pm LCY



## Activities and Opportunities

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### May 8, 2016

#### Hospital Patients

Sandra Hamann - discharged

#### Death

Our Christian sympathy is expressed to Michael Graves and his family at the death of his father.

#### Announcements

**Vicar Megan Lineberger is away today.**

**A new member class**, entitled *What Does It Mean To Be a Lutheran?*, is being taught during the Sunday School hour in Room 11. 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 next Sunday, May 15 at the 11:15 am Service. Speak with Pastor Crowell this morning if you would like to join the Trinity family.

**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 in 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.

The first three Sundays in May there will be a table set up during Coffee and Conversation in the Multipurpose Room to register vehicles and receive parking permits. 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](mailto:kmcook@trinitylutheran.ws). Thank you for your patience and understanding as we implement these new parking procedures.

## Announcements (Cont'd)

**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

**Lydia Group - Tuesday, May 10, 10:00 am, Parlor.** The Lydia Group will meet on Tuesday, May 10, at 10:00 am in the Parlor. Jo Glymph and Marilyn Brown will be the hostesses. A program entitled *Jesus Is Lord* will be presented, based on an Augsburg Fortress Press book by Kelley A. Fryer. All women of the congregation are welcome.

**Men's Group - Tuesday, May 10, noon.** The group will meet in the Dining Room by the Multipurpose Room. Participants should bring a bag lunch. Contact Joe Rice with questions at 246-8661 or [saluda171@yahoo.com](mailto:saluda171@yahoo.com). All men of the congregation and friends are invited.

**Leisure/Action - Thursday, May 12.** The group will enjoy an outing to the lake home of Luther and Sally Boliek. The bus will leave the church at 10:15 am. 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 3:00 pm to return to the church. Reserve your seat on the bus by contacting the church office by Monday, May 9.

**Young Adults Group - Thursday, May 12, 7:00 pm.** The group will meet for dinner and fellowship at *Local Taco*, 15 Conestee Avenue. Those who plan to attend are asked to RSVP to Mandi Whitley no later than Wednesday, May 11.

**College Brunch - next Sunday, May 15, 10:10 am.** Trinity's college and graduate students, as well as military personnel, are invited to gather in the Assembly Room during the Sunday School hour next Sunday. Breakfast foods will be provided. This is a wonderful opportunity for Trinity's college students to catch up with one another. Questions may be directed to Mandi Whitley.

**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 by May 15 to join your church family in cheering on the *Drive*!

## 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 Mandi Whitley will lead the class in a discussion entitled *Coffee with Jesus*. Despite everyday distractions and to-do lists, our time and attention should be focused on Jesus.

## Children and Youth

**LCY - Today, 6:00 pm, Youth Center.** After dinner, youth will be divided into small groups to enjoy a scavenger hunt downtown.

**High School Small Group - Wednesday, May 11, 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.

## Music Ministry

**Handbell Choir - Wednesday, May 11, 6:00 pm.** Rehearsals are at 6:00 pm in the Handbell Room on the 2nd floor of the Pence Building.

**Adult Choir Rehearsal - Wednesday, May 11, 7:00 pm.** Rehearsals are Wednesday nights in the Choir Room on the second floor of the Pence Building. Youth and adults are welcome.

## Outreach Opportunities

**Operation InAsMuch - Saturday, May 14.** OIAM will take place Saturday, May 14 from 9:00 am until noon. Many worthwhile projects will take place at Trinity and in the community. Volunteers are still needed for GAIHN Yard Work and the Habitat Faith Build. Please contact Paige Dillon at [pdillon2@bellsouth.net](mailto:pdillon2@bellsouth.net) or 864-982-2141, Melanie Wessinger at [pwessinger@aol.com](mailto:pwessinger@aol.com) or 864-616-1725, or the Church Office for volunteering information. Additional information is available on Trinity's website.

**Collection for Towers East.** As part of Operation InAsMuch on May 14, the Outreach Committee will be collecting items for Towers East. At times, residents move in with only the clothes they are wearing, with no household items. Towers East residents are in need of clothing and shoes for men and women as well as all household items (i.e. utensils, pots and pans, sheets, blankets). Please drop off these items in the Parlor on Sunday mornings beginning immediately or at the Red Canopy door on May 14 from 9:00 to 10:00 am.

**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.