

# Activities and Opportunities

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#### Death

Our Christian sympathy is expressed to Jeff and Donna Greene at the death of their son.

# Members Receiving Communion at Home Today

Erna Adamson, DeLoris Fellers, George Heer, Jack Massey, Raymond Poore, and Jim Wood

#### Announcements

Mandi Whitley is away at Synod Assembly.

Synod Assembly - Today through Tuesday, May 23. Lutherans from across the state will gather at the Marriott in Charleston for the South Carolina Synod Assembly. The theme for this gathering is You are Salt and Light bringing out God flavors and God colors in the world! Participants gather for worship, service and learning opportunities, and to conduct the annual business of the synod. Voting members from Trinity include Kay Cook, Louise Fletcher, Deirdre Hixson, Richard Moose, Jimmy Reynolds, Amy Brown, Mandi Whitley, Pastor Parham, and Pastor Crowell. Vicar Wing will also be attending the assembly as a visitor.

**Prayer Requests.** If anyone has a special request to share with Trinity's Prayer Ministry Team, please write your request on a Prayer Card located in the pew racks and place it in the wooden Prayer Box located on the table close to the Pulpit.

The May issue of the Living Lutheran magazine and the May/June issue of the SC Lutheran are available in the Narthex, the Pence Building hallway, and the Multipurpose Room.

**Devotional booklets** are available in the Narthex and outside the Sacristy for adults and for children.

#### **Relational Groups**

**TLC4TLC - Today, 4:00 pm, Parlor.** Adults are invited to gather 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.

Quilting Group - Monday, May 22, 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. Participants can work as little, or as long as they like. The group will meet every Monday through June 12, with the exception of May 29. For more information, contact Amy Brown at 242-5702.

**Prayer Group - Wednesday, May 24, 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 placed in the Prayer Box or emailed to Merry Mulcahy at <a href="maintain:marmulcahy@icloud.com">marmulcahy@icloud.com</a>. All are invited to attend.

**Leisure/Action Gameday - Wednesday, May 24, noon, Parlor.** Gameday is a time for Church members to gather for Bridge and other games. Those attending are invited to bring their lunch. Dessert and beverages will be provided.

Out to Lunch Bunch - next Sunday, May 28, 12:45 pm. The Out to Lunch Bunch is a group that enjoys Sunday lunch together each month after the 11:15 am worship service. The group is open to any Trinity adults who want to join in the fellowship. The group will meet at *Ruby Tuesday* at Cherrydale. Speak with Amy Brown if you would like to participate.

#### **Education**

**Sunday School - Today.** Sunday School classes are available for all ages this morning. In addition to the New Member Class, there is one adult Sunday School class meeting in the month of May. Adults will gather in the Multipurpose Room to discuss *Jesus and Possessions: How Much is Enough?* 

#### Children and Youth

High School Sunday School - Today, 10:10 am, Youth Center. Participants will continue the discussion of Judaism.

Middle School Mission Days - Families with middle school students should mark their calendars for Monday, July 10 through Wednesday, July 12 for Trinity's annual Middle School Mission Days. Youth will gather in the Youth Center from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm each day to work on service projects at Trinity and in the Greenville community. The cost is \$10.00 per youth, per day, which covers the cost of snacks, lunches and supplies. Youth can attend one, two or all three days but must sign up no later than Sunday, July 2.

#### **Music Ministry**

This morning's prelude is Prelude and Fugue in C Major (BWV 531) by J. S. Bach.

Adult Choir Rehearsal - Wednesday, May 24, 7:00 pm, Choir Rehearsal Room, 2nd Floor of the Pence Building. This is the final rehearsal before the summer break.

### **Outreach Opportunities**

Greenville Area Interfaith Hospitality Network - Sunday, June 11 - Sunday, June 18. Please note that this is a change from the original dates. Volunteers are needed in all areas including setup, breakfast and dinner preparation, evening and overnight hosts, day center, and takedown. Contact Rachel Balck at <a href="rachel@balckfamily.org">rachel@balckfamily.org</a> or 915-6039 or Cathy Westbrook at <a href="cwestbrook8114@bellsouth.net">cwestbrook8114@bellsouth.net</a> or 370-8114 for additional information. Contact volunteer coordinator, Rita Kirven, at <a href="kirven@charter.net">kirven@charter.net</a> or 616-9328 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 11.

**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 beef stew, green beans, canned fruit and ramen noodles. Other items are appreciated as well.

**Lunch for Towers East Residents.** Volunteers are needed to provide a simple lunch at Trinity for 10 people on July 6 and October 5. Contact Sarah Weeks at 787-1160.

# CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 21 THROUGH MAY 28

	Today - May 21	WEDNESDAY	
8:30 am 9:00 am 9:50 am 10:10 am 10:45 am	Adult Choir Warmup Holy Communion Coffee and Conversation Sunday School and New Member Class Adult Choir Warmup	11:30 am Prayer Group 12:00 noon Leisure/Action Gameday 7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal  NEXT SUNDAY - M.	
11:15 am 1:30 pm 3:15 pm 4:00 pm 4:00 pm	Holy Communion Congregation Council SC Synod Assembly begins Outreach Committee TLC4TLC	8:30 am Adult Choir Warmup 9:00 am Holy Communion 9:50 am Coffee and Conversation 10:10 am Sunday School 10:45 am Adult Choir Warmup	
9:30 am	<b>MONDAY</b> Quilting Group	11:15 am Holy Communion 12:45 pm Out to Lunch Bunch	

#### **TUESDAY**

12:00 noon SC Synod Assembly concludes