



Activities and Opportunities

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Death

Our Christian sympathy is expressed to the family of Grace Cook at her death on May 5.

Announcements

The 2017 Annual Report and 2018 Church Directory is available to be picked up in the Church Office. Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm and Sunday mornings from 8:30 to 11:00 am.

Honoring High School Seniors - Today. Trinity will recognize its high school graduates at the 11:15 am service. Trinity's high school graduates include Hunter Balck, Anna Bennett, Julia McElhinny, Sammy Mosher, Micaela Peterson, Thomas Rice, Andrew Rose, Ryan Semler, and Jack Wilcox. A reception in their honor will be held on the front lawn immediately following the 11:15 am service. The graduates will be wearing boutonnières/corsages they have received as a gift from Trinity.

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

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.

Grace Bags containing canned food and snacks, as well as a list of agencies in the community who can help individuals move beyond poverty, are available in the Narthex for worship guests in need of a meal. In lieu of giving money, worshippers are encouraged to give Grace Bags to guests in need.

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

Relational Groups

Quilting Group - Monday, May 14, 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. Willing volunteers who can cut fabric, iron, thread a needle or tie knots are welcome. For more information, contact Amy Brown at 242-5702.

Prayer Group - Wednesday, May 16, 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 marmulcahy@icloud.com. All are invited to attend.

Young Adults Group - Thursday, May 17, 7:00 pm. Trinity's Young Adults Group will gather for dinner and fellowship at Chicora Alley on Thursday, May 17 at 7:00 pm. Those who are interested in joining are asked to RSVP to Mandi Whitley today so that a reservation can be made.

Children and Youth

LCY - Today, 6:00 pm. The group will travel by bus to *Fuddruckers* for dinner and to thank the advisors. This year's LCY advisors are Maggie Boliek, Bev Bresette, Rich Bresette, Ashlyn Byrne, Karen Craig, Jessica Earley, Chelsey Troutman, and Stephen Troutman. Drop off is at 6:00 pm and pick up is at 7:30 pm (please note the change in end time), both at the Church. Youth should bring about \$15.00 for dinner.

Music Ministry

Youth Choir - Today, 5:00 pm, Choir Room, 2nd floor of the Pence Building. Youth Choir is for those in grades 6 through 12.

Handbell Choir Rehearsal - Wednesday, May 16, 6:00 pm, Handbell Room on the 2nd floor of the Pence Building. Youth are also welcome.

Adult Choir Rehearsal - Wednesday, May 16, 7:00 pm, Choir Room on the 2nd floor of the Pence Building. Youth are also welcome.

Education

Sunday School - Today, 10:10 am. Sunday School is offered for all ages between the 9:00 and 11:15 am services. Preschoolers (infants through children under the age of four) may attend the *First Faith* class with their parents. A nursery is also available. Children's Sunday School for those who were four or five on September 1 meets on the first floor of the Education Building, across from the elevator. Children in grades 1 through 5 meet in *Grace Place*, upstairs in the Education Building.

Adult Sunday School always begins with Coffee and Conversation in the Multipurpose Room beginning at 9:50 am. Today, the Reverend Beth Templeton, director of *Our Eyes Were Opened*, will teach about poverty issues as a continuation of the Poverty Simulation Event that was held on April 22.

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

Greenville Area Interfaith Hospitality Network - next Sunday, May 20 through Sunday, May 27. Volunteers are needed in all areas including setup, breakfast and dinner preparation, evening and overnight hosts, day center, and takedown. Contact Cathy Westbrook at cwestbrook8114@bellsouth.net or 370-8114 or Louise Fletcher at lfletcher@c3cp.com or 420-5494 for additional information. Contact volunteer coordinators, Amanda Cook at amanda.cook@fluor.com or 905-7940, or Lara Wannemacher at wannemacherc@bellsouth.net or 630-5325 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, May 20.

Loaves and Fishes - Sunday, May 27. Trinity is working with *Loaves and Fishes* to provide fresh, nutritious food to Towers East. Contact Shannon Barnett at shannonbbarnett@gmail.com or Amanda Mast at mast.amanda@gmail.com if interested in helping with this project.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 13 THROUGH MAY 20

TODAY - MAY 13

8:30 am Children's Choir Warmup
9:00 am Holy Communion
9:50 am Coffee and Conversation
10:10 am Sunday School
10:45 am Adult Choir Warmup
11:15 am Holy Communion
12:15 pm Reception for High School Seniors
1:30 pm Congregation Council
5:00 pm Youth Choir Rehearsal
6:00 pm LCY

MONDAY

9:00 am Staff Meeting
9:30 am Quilting Group
7:00 pm Education Committee

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

7:00 pm Young Adults Group

NEXT SUNDAY - MAY 20

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 Youth Choir Warmup
11:00 am GAIHN Setup
11:15 am Holy Communion
3:30 pm Children's Choir Rehearsal and Ice Cream Party
4:00 pm Theology Roundtable
4:00 pm TLC4TLC
4:00 pm Outreach Committee
5:00 pm Youth Choir Rehearsal
6:00 pm LCY