



Activities and Opportunities

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Announcements

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 June 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.

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.

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

Relational Groups

Theology Roundtable - Today, 4:00 pm, Room 302, 2nd Floor of the Pence Building. This group for adults usually gathers on the first and fourth Sundays of the month. The group will continue the discussion of *Quest for the Living God* by Elizabeth A. Johnson. All adults are welcome to participate. Joe Rice facilitates the discussion. Questions may be directed to him at saluda171@yahoo.com or 864-704-4616.

Quilting Group - Monday, June 4, 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.

Leisure/Action - Thursday, June 21, 10:15 am. This group for adults of any age 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 2:30 pm to return to the Church. Reserve your seat on the bus by contacting the Church Office by Monday, June 18.

Leisure/Action - Thursday, August 9, 10:45 am. This group for adults of any age will board the bus to travel to Flat Rock, NC. After lunch at the *Flat Rock Wood Room*, the group to go to the *Flatrock Playhouse* to enjoy the musical *Mamma Mia!* The bus will return to the Church late afternoon. Cost for the day, which includes lunch and the musical, is \$70.00. Reservations and payment are due in the Church Office by Monday, July 9.

Children and Youth

Middle School Mission Days. Trinity's annual Middle School Mission Days will be Monday, July 9 - Wednesday, July 11 from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm. Trinity's middle school students will gather for fellowship, group building, and service projects. Current middle school students can participate in one, two or all three days. The cost of the event is \$15.00 per child, per day to help defray the cost of supplies, snacks and lunches. Today is the registration deadline. More information has been e-mailed to families.

LCY Summer Lunches. Current middle and high school youth will have several opportunities over the summer to catch up with their church friends. The group will meet at the Red Canopy Door at noon and walk downtown for lunch. Pick up will be 2:00 pm at the Church. Youth should bring about \$15.00 for their lunches. Dates are Wednesday, June 13; Wednesday, July 25 (VBS week); and Wednesday, August 8.

Music Ministry

All Choirs are on break in June and July. Adult and Handbell Choirs begin rehearsals on Wednesday, August 15.

Please consider joining one of our choirs in the fall. The choirs truly enjoy life together learning and offering a wide variety of music from the broad history and traditions of sacred music. Please email Pastor Jim Parham at jcparham@trinitylutheran.ws, or call the Church Office with questions.

Education

Summer Sunday School - Today, 10:10 am. Summer Sunday School will be offered for all ages every Sunday this summer. Preschoolers (infants through children who have not completed K5) are invited to the Nursery. Elementary aged children (those who have completed K5 through grade 5) will meet in one combined class on the first floor of the Pence Education Building. Youth who have completed grades 6 through 12 are invited to meet each Sunday outside Mandi Whitley's office immediately after the 9:00 am worship service to walk as a group to *Starbucks* for fellowship, devotions and prayer. Adults and college students will meet as one class during the summer, in the Assembly Room beneath the Sanctuary. Following Coffee and Conversation, the class will explore the spiritual practices using the study *On Our Way: Christian Practices for Living a Whole Life*. In an effort to be good stewards of resources, the Activities Building will remain locked on Sunday mornings during these summer months.

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.

Children's Book Collection. The SC Synod is collecting new and gently used children's books for children ages 3 through 8, to be given to needy children in Allendale and Williamsburg counties this summer during the *RICH Learning Summer Camp*. A collection box will be available in the Breezeway during the month of June.

Outreach for Greenville Literacy. The Greenville Literacy Association is sponsoring the *Really Good, Really Big, Really Cheap Book Sale*. Look for the collection box in the Breezeway through July 27. The sale runs August 10-12. For more information, contact Lynn Parsons at lynnleckleyp@gmail.com.



BIBLE SCHOOL 2018

Hero Central: Discover Your Strength in God is the theme for Trinity's 2018 Vacation Bible School, scheduled for July 23 - 27. Classes will be provided between 8:45 am and noon for children who will be three by September 1, 2018 through those who have recently completed fifth grade.

Early registration runs June 1 through 30, and the per child registration fee is \$15.00. Registrations received in July will be \$20.00 per child. To register, return the form below with the registration fee to the Church Office. Please complete a separate form for each child.

2018 VBS REGISTRATION FORM - JULY 23 - 27

Child's name _____ Age on September 1, 2018 _____ and/or Grade completed _____

Mailing Address: _____

Parent's or Guardian's Name _____ Telephone Numbers (H) _____

O) _____ (Cell) _____ E mail Address _____

Parents or guardians, please check items of interest below:

I would like to help with Bible School. (Adults and youth who assist with Bible School must be trained in the Child Protection Policy. Nursery care for children too young to participate in Bible School will be provided for adults who are on the VBS staff.)

I can help on these days: _____

Attached is my \$15.00 registration fee. (\$15 through June 30, \$20 in July)

My child has an ALLERGY or HEALTH CONCERN you should be aware of: _____

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 3 THROUGH JUNE 10

TODAY - JUNE 3

9:00 am Holy Communion
9:50 am Coffee and Conversation
10:10 am Sunday School
11:15 am Holy Communion
12:45 pm Out to Lunch Bunch
4:00 pm Theology Roundtable

NEXT SUNDAY - JUNE 10

9:00 am Holy Communion
9:50 am Coffee and Conversation
10:10 am Sunday School
11:15 am Holy Communion

MONDAY

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