



Activities and Opportunities

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July 1, 2018

Today's Baptism

Robert Ashmore "Bo" McGee, son of Henry and Lindsey McGee

Announcements

Pastor Parham is away today.

Mandi Whitley and Vicar Clough are returning from the ELCA National Youth Gathering in Houston, Texas.

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.

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.

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

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

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.

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

LCY Summer Lunch - Wednesday, July 25, noon. 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. The final date is Wednesday, August 8.

Music Ministry

All Choirs are on break in 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.

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.

Global Missions Lunch and Learn - Thursday, July 12, 11:45 am, Assembly Room. The Trinity family is invited to learn about world missions by enjoying lunch with Curtis and Katie Kline, Trinity's missionaries in Colombia. Meat and beverages will be provided. Participants are invited to bring a side dish or dessert to share. After the meal, the Klines will present a brief program about their ministry. Please register by contacting the Church Office.



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.

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 JULY 1 THROUGH JULY 8

TODAY - JULY 1

9:00 am Holy Communion
9:50 am Coffee and Conversation
10:10 am Sunday School
11:15 am Holy Communion
4:00 pm Theology Roundtable

MONDAY

9:00 am Staff Meeting

WEDNESDAY

OFFICE CLOSED

NEXT SUNDAY - JULY 8

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