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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY January 26 & 27, 2019

Third Sunday after the Epiphany

- Sunday: 8:00am & 10:30am Worship Services with Communion
 9:30am Sunday School – Children in regular classrooms
 Adult Bible Class - Fellowship Hall – *Pastor Rinderknecht – 1 Samuel*
 Classroom by Sanctuary – *Pastor Keinath – Parents Sunday School*
- Monday: *TLS Family Fun Night at Pizza Ranch*
 7:00pm New Adult Class begins
- Tuesday: 6:00am Men’s Bible Study
 9:00am Quilting
 7:00pm Lay Ministry Meeting
- Wednesday: 8:30am Chapel at TLS
 6:30pm First year Confirmation
 6:30pm FIRE Youth Group
- Thursday: 10:30am Bible Study
 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal
- Saturday: 1:00pm Pickle Ball
 5:00pm Worship Service with Communion
 6:30pm Prayer and Pizza at TYM

2019 Offering
Envelopes and 2018
Statements
 are ready for pickup in
 the Narthex. Statements
 will be mailed this week
 if not picked up this
 weekend.

Knowing Christ and Making Him Known

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given in praise and glory to God by Doris Jannings’ five children in honor of her recent 89th birthday. Doris is moving this week to live closer to three of her children and their families. She will deeply miss her friends and the church family she has loved here at Trinity Lutheran for over 30 years. Her new address will be:

1851 Harrogate Dr., Apt. #217
 Salem, VA 24153.

SPECIAL PRAYERS THIS WEEK ARE FOR:

Nicholas Beacon (Tom & Marsha Runge’s grandson), Katie Cardillo, Ken Hale (Janine Liwosz’s brother), Rachel Hamilton, Karianna Jinguji, Kristin Kanzelberger (former student of Myrna Lastusky), Kinsley Murri (Rod & Phyllis Myers’ granddaughter), Nannette (Leo and Diana Wohler’s daughter), Dena Provost (Lucile Smelser’s niece), and Lori Smith (Ray & Bobette Smith’s sister-in-law).

BAPTISMAL LAMB ORNAMENTS: Parents and Grandparents of baptized 0-3 year old children, please check the basket of lambs in the Narthex. If there is an ornament of your child’s, please take it home for your Christmas tree!

Lewistown Chew Chew Train and local weekend activities on September 7 & 8, 2019. Tour with the Senior Group, the Wrinkled Righteous for an adventuresome, 56 mile, old-fashioned train ride with dinner, the local Cherry Festival, an overnight stay, and “What the Hay” exhibition. Transportation, meals, and hotel are included for under \$300 a person. There will be limited seating so sign up soon. \$100 will reserve your spot. Make checks out to Bill Crago, 2109 Trails End Rd. Billings 59106



Food Drive for Furloughed Federal Employees

Many families in our community are being impacted by the government shutdown, including some of our own members.

Please join us in donating non-perishable items to help with a food drive being coordinated through Family Services. Currently they are distributing more than 1,500 pounds of food each day and the need is significant. A food barrel is available in the narthex, or items can be dropped off at the church office.

FINANCES & FIRST-FRUIT'S GIVING

Budgeted Church/School Income (Year to Date)	\$1,125,420
Actual Church/School Income (1/20/19)	\$1,076,663
Actual Church/School Expenses (1/20/19)	\$ 957,266
A difference of :	\$ 119,397
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Budgeted Offering Target (Through Dec. 2018)	\$ 507,457
Actual Offering (Through December 2018)	\$ 513,865
A difference of:	\$ 6,408
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Weekly Offering Goal	\$ 16,621
Actual Offerings in January (3 of 4 weeks)	\$ 51,031
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Phase 1 Completion Drive Gifts & Pledges	\$ 26,000
Balance to Pay off Phase 1 Project (\$325K goal)	\$ 299,000

Last Week's Attendance – January 19 & 20, 2019

Saturday Worship Service	150
Sunday Worship Services	286
Total Attendance Last Week	436
Sunday School	35
Adult Bible Classes	64

Offering Counters for January 27th:

Ellen Gernant, Vivian Roberts, and Barbara Nies

Offering Counters for February 3rd:

Carol Corder, Myrna Henschel, and Denise Harper

Trinity is turning 100 years old! Mark your calendars for March 17th. There will be a guest preacher for the weekend, brunch at the Doubletree along with guest speaker and fun times reminiscing.



RECEIVING THE BLESSINGS of Holy Baptism on Sunday, January 27th, at the 10:30am service, is Morgan Baile Welbes, daughter of Kala Nicole Corder. We welcome her into God's family and pray the Holy Spirit would lead her in steadfast faith and a sincere love for God

unto life eternal with Him.

OUR LAY MINISTERS – This month our Lay Ministers are featured as part of the 100th Anniversary Celebration. Here is a partial list of what our Lay Ministers have accomplished in 2018:

- ✓ Over 400 member contacts were made.
- ✓ Over 500 Christmas cards and over 600 Birthday cards were mailed out.
- ✓ Over 175 services were covered including weddings & funerals.

The Lay Ministers' pictures are posted on the 100th Anniversary Board in the Fellowship Hall. Check them out!!

SUNDAY, Feb. 17: The "Trinity Occasional Orchestra" plays in both services. The **only** practice is Saturday, Feb. 16th, after Saturday service (approx. 7:15 – 8:00 pm) *Interested in joining us?* Please give your name and instrument info to Dr. Kosche (kkosche@hotmail.com) or the church office so a part can be written for you! **MUST KNOW** by Feb. 10th.



PASTOR RINDERKNECHT'S NEXT ADULT INSTRUCTION CLASS is scheduled to begin tomorrow night, Monday, January 28th, at 7pm. Please spread the word to.....spouse, son, daughter, friend, relative.....whoever may be interested in sharing God's Word and learning more about what Lutherans believe. It's also a great class for members who may want a refresher confirmation course. Please give the office a call so we can add your name to the class list! (245-3984)

DAYCARE WORKERS NEEDED at TLS!

We have an opportunity for one or more part-time daycare workers. Several of our workers are college students and their schedules changed in January. If this is something you are interested in please contact Jodi Kesler at 651-1016.

2019 Mount Olive Lutheran School Crusader Feast.

Friday February 1, 2019

Montana Pavilion at Metra Park

Doors open at 6PM for

a Crusader Feast catered by Cajun Phatty's

\$15 per dinner ticket

Enjoy a real knight battle reenactment,

learn about our school,

buy raffle tickets for scrumptious baked goods,

bid on silent and live auction items

to support the Classical Lutheran Education provided

at our school.

Please bring in donated auction items to the school by

January 25th

and baked good items by February 1st.

For more information, contact Donna at 656-6687