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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY June 10 & 11, 2017

~The Holy Trinity – First Sunday after Pentecost ~

Sunday 8:00am Trinity Worship Service (from prior week) airs on Community 7

8 & 10:30am Worship Services with Communion

9:30am Summer (Family) Sunday School begins at TYM Square!

Adult Bible Class – Study of the Book of Acts - in the Fellowship Hall.

Monday ~Vacation Bible School – Trinity Lutheran School – June 12-16 – 9-11:30am~

6:30pm Evangelism Board Meeting

7:00pm Manitoba Mission Trip Meeting

7:45pm Coed Softball Game – Stewart Park – Field 2

9:00pm Men's Softball Game – Stewart Park – Field 3

Tuesday 9:00am Quilting

6:00pm Parish Planning Council Meeting

5:00pm Trinity Worship Service (from prior week) airs on Community 7

7:00pm Ladies' Small Group – at TYM Square

Wednesday 6:30pm FIRE Youth Group

Thursday 7:00pm Financial Peace Workshop – at TYM Square

Saturday 8:00am Outdoor Ministry Mountain Hike! (More information on the back!)

5:00pm Worship Service with Communion

Knowing Christ and Making Him Known

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are placed by Rev. Herb and Fran Schiefelbein in praise and glory to God for 65 years of marriage and ministry.

SPECIAL PRAYERS THIS WEEK ARE FOR:

Karianna Jinguji, Cindy Speed, Dorothy Leikam, Dale Person (Bev Stewart's brother-in-law), Frank Tallon (Barb Hegdahl's brother), Jack Lutgen, Jack Wahl, Donna Michel, Zach Howick (Bruce & Claudette's son), and Jackson Connolly (friend of Doug & Kris Miles) who is recovering from a liver transplant received on Wednesday.

VOTERS' MEETING JUNE 25 – Please plan to attend the Voters' Meeting on Sunday, June 25, at noon. At this meeting we will be discussing next steps in our constitution revision process and approving the 2017-2018 annual budget.

THANK YOU for the many expressions of love and caring with all the cards, flowers, and visits after my recent hip-replacement surgery. I am blessed to be part of this Trinity family.

~Doris Jannings

CANCER CARE & ANGEL PINS - As you leave church this weekend please take a minute to grab one of the angel pins in the narthex. These pins were donated by one of our members as a reminder to support and be in prayer for Karianna Jinguiji, who continues to battle Thyroid cancer. We want to support all of those who have cancer and we are exploring some ways to do this more intentionally. If you would like to make a donation to help those who are fighting this disease, please note on your check that it is for "Cancer Care." Of course, you may also give a gift directly to an individual at any time. Your care and support helps those who are fighting cancer to know that they have an army on their side!

Carpet Project Update - We have less than \$2,000 remaining in order to replace our church carpets this summer! Any size donation helps move us closer to being able to make these improvements. A sample of the carpet we will be installing is located under the bulletin board in the fellowship hall. Check it out if you would like to see what your donation will help us purchase!

FAMILIES! JOIN US FOR.... SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

Summer Sunday School will run **June 10**th **through September 3**rd, and this year it's for the whole family! We'll start all together with a short opening at 9:30am - then split into four groups (Prek-2nd, 3rd-6th, 7th and up, and adults). (For adults who don't have children attending Sunday School, there will still be the regular Adult Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall.) All four groups will study the same story, which will open up opportunities for discussion around the dinner table throughout the week! Volunteers are needed to help facilitate the children and youth discussions as well as to help with the opening. Can't wait to see you at TYM Square this summer!

FINANCES & FIRST-FRUITS' GIVING

Budgeted Church/School Income (Year to Date)	\$ 1,647,331
Actual Church/School Income (7/1/16-6/4/17)	\$ 1,571,085
Actual Church/School Expense (7/1/16-6/4/17)	\$ 1,556,912
A difference of:	\$ 14,173
Actual Offerings for May	\$ 58,770
Budgeted Offering Target Through May	\$ 787,555
Actual Offering Through May	\$ 776,907
A difference of:	\$ -10,648
June Offering Target	\$ 65,977
Weekly Offering Goal in June	\$ 16,494
Actual Offerings in June (1 of 4 Weeks)	\$ 19,280
Expansion Offering (June 3 & 4, 2017)	\$ 2,445
YTD Expansion Offering (July 1–June 4)	\$ 75,216

Last Week's Attendance – June 3 & 4, 2017

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Saturday's Worship Service	98
Sunday Worship Services	223
Total Attendance Last Week	321
Sunday School	25
Adult Bible Classes	58

Offering Counters for June 11th:

Sherrie Murray and Steve & Sallie Hildenburg

Offering Counters for June 18th:

Susan Loomans, Liz Clark & Myrt White

HOLY LAND TOUR (Nov. 14-25, 2017) – A first-class tour of Israel and Jordan where scripture is read and explained at each Biblical site – The trip of a lifetime! Your Bible reading will never be the same! Fortunately, now is a safe time to go to the Holy Land and walk where Jesus walked! Flying out of the Billings Airport. Special couple/family fares before July 1st! Contact Pastor Darold Reiner for a brochure: 406-890-1149 or imhis38@gmail.com.

THANK YOU, TRINITY! In the last several months, LWML members have been preparing for the National LWML 37th Biennial Convention in Albuquerque, New Mexico. The Montana District LWML is one of the host districts for this event on June 22-25th. Trinity's LWML members have made quilt tops, fleece blankets and a variety of delegate favors, and donated dozens of boxes of crayons and towels for student and health kits. Thank you to all the ladies involved with this effort.

We also want to extend our sincere THANKS to members of Trinity Lutheran Church for supporting Advent and Lenten dinners (and to our own Society for support) which is helping with our expenses to this exciting gathering. We so appreciate the support of our home church.

One more thing: please keep us in your prayers for safe travels and a successful convention!

With our gratitude: Pam Kercher, Sherrie Murray, Amy King, Betty Klimper, Myrt White, and Stephanie Edgar, one of the Young Women Representatives for the Montana District.

DON WHARTON - Lutheran musician, singer, songwriter, "down home" humorous storyteller, author and Christian witness, will give a FREE concert Friday, June 23rd at 6:30 p.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Park City. Drive out to have a good time! A freewill offering is requested to support Don's ministry. Bring some extra cash to buy one, or several, of his 20 different CDs or 5 books after you have enjoyed his live performance. Refreshments provided after.

OUTDOOR MINISTRY MOUNTAIN HIKE!

Here at Trinity, we love to enjoy God's creation. Living in Montana, we have a wonderful opportunity to explore its beauty. On Saturday, June 17th, we will



be meeting at Trinity Church at 8:00am and driving over the Beartooth pass as a church family. We will stop at Chief Joseph campground/trailhead where there will be ample opportunity to soak in Gods beautiful craftsmanship. All ages and skill levels are welcome whether you want to stay with the cars and soak in the sun by the creek or join in on a 4-mile round trip hike to Kersey Lake. Pack a lunch for the day and join us! For more I info, call Kaleb at (406)591-9419 or email at kalebperdew42@gmail.com