



### Trinity Lutheran Church

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The flowers are presented  
by Kevin Sikorski and Kathy Brasier  
in celebration of  
their 12th wedding anniversary.

### THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

10:00 am Zumba

5:00 pm Worship with Communion

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5

8:15 am Worship with Communion

9:30 am Sunday School

10:45 am Worship with Communion

11:45 am Coffee Hour

12:30 pm First Communion Class

2:00 pm Ballroom Dancing

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 6

7:00 pm Living Discipleship

#### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

6:00 pm Zumba

#### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

6:00 pm Deeper Waters

7:00 pm Yoga

#### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9

6:00 pm Zumba

7:00 pm Bells

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

10:00 am Zumba

5:00 pm Worship with Communion

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12

8:15 am Worship with Communion

9:30 am Sunday School

9:30 am Joyful Voices

10:45 am Worship with Communion

11:45 am Coffee Hour

12:30 pm First Communion Class

2:00 pm Ballroom Dancing

Sign outside Church of God, St. Paul, MN

*"Watch Your Tongue -  
It's Wet and It Slips Easily."*

- The Joyful Noiseletter

### PRAYER LIST

#### TLC DISCIPLES

Jerry Wion, Peter Weyandt, Carolyn Kresen, Young Hee Kim

#### TLC FRIENDS

### BLANKET SUNDAY

On Sunday, October 5, 2014, the Allegheny Synod is sponsoring the annual Blanket Sunday in cooperation with the Synod's Global Mission Team. The money collected benefits people all over the world. Blanket Sunday envelopes were distributed at last weekend's services, and will be available this weekend on the stand at the back of the nave.



### A MUSICAL CELEBRATION

Please join in my celebration of 50 years of playing the organ in various local churches as I present a concert of classical and sacred music. The concert will be held on Sunday, November 2, 3:00 pm, at Trinity. Alfred Fedak, a renowned organist, has written a piece especially for my anniversary which I will be debuting at the concert. I am looking forward to sharing this music with you.

Praise God With Music!

Jim

### NURSERY HELP NEEDED

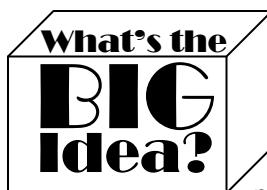
The nursery is now staffed on Sunday mornings during the 10:45 service. Please feel free to utilize it as much as needed. We are seeking adults and youth to cover the nursery once a quarter. FREE first aid and early childhood courses will be made available to all church volunteers (nursery, VBS, Sunday School, etc.). Youth will also be paid for nursery coverage with completed training. For more information or feedback, please contact Megan Orient at [MeganOrient@gmail.com](mailto:MeganOrient@gmail.com).

### THANKSGIVING SERVICE AND DINNER COMING NOVEMBER 16!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: The TLC Thanksgiving Dinner will be held **Sunday, November 16, at noon, preceded by a special worship service.** Look for information in the weekly Piper, on Trinity's Facebook page and website, and during pre-worship announcements in the weeks to come. **We're planning a special day for you and your family, friends, neighbors and/or colleagues to enjoy!** (Can't wait for more information? Contact Viki Stumbers, Jeff Gonet or Bill Campbell for details and how you can get involved.)

## TRINITY IS TURNING 50! We need your BIG ideas for Trinity's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary (NOV. 2015 – NOV. 2016)!

Fill out as many idea slips as you want, and drop them in the BIG Idea Box at church by October 31. You can also submit your ideas electronically (details coming soon).



Suggest a new event, project, or activity. Make a current event bigger. Serve as a host site for semi-annual special events (local/regional/state-wide gathering). Sponsor/Participate in an off-site event around town. Think BIG! *Music! Food! Homecoming! Vow renewals! Carnival! Cooking Contest! Youth gathering! Concert! Mission trip! New church sign! Biggest Yard Sale Ever! T-Shirts!* The 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Team will sort through all ideas, and try to implement as many as we can. Don't forget to suggest partner organizations, funding sources, or volunteer to help!

### LIBRARY BOOKS AVAILABLE

We are in the process of converting the library to a small group meeting room and have sorted through all the books with an eye to which ones to keep or give away. If you have interest in the give-away books, please go to the room to the right of Pastor Miller's office and help yourself to any books you'd like. In several weeks, we'll donate what's left to the AAUW or another worthy group.



### TLC FINANCIAL INFORMATION

July 1, 2014 – September 30, 2014

Income \$67,229.99

Expenses \$76,192.04

Difference \$ -8,962.05

(The expenses include a payment of \$10,500.00 for the deposit on roof repair and new shingles. This was withdrawn from the Building Fund.)

These amounts represent operating income and expenses and do not include any interest, dividends or investment value changes.

### 2014 CROP WALK SET FOR OCTOBER 19

The 31st State College CROP Walk will be held on Sunday, October 19, at St. Paul's United Methodist Church, located in downtown State College on the corner of College Avenue and McAllister Street. Registration begins at 1:30 PM with the walk commencing at 2:00 PM. The 5K route winds through the borough, ending back at St. Paul's. There is no fee to join the walk.

In 1984 a group of local people joined together to organize the first-ever State College CROP Hunger Walk. Consisting of members of a number of local congregations, the walk planners set out to join the fight against hunger and poverty.

That first year the CROP Walk raised \$10,000. The most recent CROP Walk, held in October 2013, raised more than \$31,000. Since that first CROP Walk in State College the total amount raised has been \$457,000!

Remarkably, the highest CROP Walk totals raised here have been between 2007 and 2013, in tough economic times. Organizers believe this makes a statement about our community and its willingness to help those in need.

75% of the funds contributed to the walk go to Church World Service or any of a number of other relief agencies that a donor may designate; 25% of funds raised go to the local food bank.

For more information and CROP Walk materials please contact Lynn Garrison at 867-1266 or [lynndelou@gmail.com](mailto:lynndelou@gmail.com)

Over the years support for the CROP Walk has come from the faith community, community groups and Penn State student groups. We invite members of all congregations and groups as well as individuals in our community to join us this fall on October 19.

