



Trinity Lutheran Church

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The altar flowers are presented by Peter and CJ Weyandt in honor of all those who prayed, helped, and cared for their family over the past year.

PRAYER LIST

TLC DISCIPLES

Peter Weyandt, Tom Huntley, Carolyn Kresen

TLC FRIENDS

Jim Rodland, Dave Nelson (recovering from heart surgery), Lynea Morgan, Kurt Huntley and family, Michael Hamilton and family

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13

10:00 am Zumba  
 5:00 pm Worship with Communion

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14

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 Advent Coffee Hour

MONDAY, DECEMBER 15

6:00 pm 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee  
 7:00 pm Living Discipleship Class

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16

6:00 pm Zumba  
 7:00 pm Council

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17

6:00 pm Deeper Waters  
 7:00 pm Yoga

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18

6:00 pm Zumba  
 7:00 pm Bells

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20

10:00 am Zumba  
 5:00 pm Worship with Communion

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21

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

**Offering Envelopes**



Offering Envelopes for 2015 are in your TLC mailbox.

PLEASE BE SURE YOUR PACKAGE FOR PARK FOREST PRESCHOOL IS RETURNED BY THIS SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14

Thank you for caring and sharing. Any questions, please contact Connie Lorah (814) 933-6155.

TOYS FOR TOTS WRAPPING SESSIONS

On Friday, December 12, starting at 5:30 pm, members of Trinity and their friends are invited to help set up for the Toys for Tots wrapping sessions at the Penn Stater Conference Center, Second Floor. The toys and supplies will start arriving by about 5:00 pm and assistance in getting the rooms set up and tables filled for the first wrapping session on Saturday morning would be greatly appreciated. Thanks.

Gene Weller

On Sunday, December 7, we welcomed the following youth into our TLC family by way of Baptism.

- Reese and Sydney Fletcher  
 Daughters of Neil and Kristen Fletcher
- Samuel Joseph Linden  
 Son of Timothy and Carolyn Linden
- Lucy Jane Merritt  
 Daughter of Mark and Tara Merritt
- Isaac Thomas Miller  
 Son of Scott and Carrie Miller



TLC FINANCIAL INFORMATION

July 1, 2014 - November 30, 2014

Income	\$113,975.76
Expenses	\$134,602.43
Difference	\$ -20,626.67

(The expenses include payment of \$26,778.00 for 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.



## WORLDWIDE CANDLE LIGHTING

State College joins the Worldwide Candle Lighting at 7:00 pm on December 14  
"So that their lights may always shine"

The national bereavement support group *Compassionate Friends*, that is dedicated to supporting family after a child dies, ([compassionatefriends.org](http://compassionatefriends.org)) unites friends and family around the globe each year in lighting candles to honor the memories of the sons, daughters, brothers, sisters, and grandchildren who left too soon.

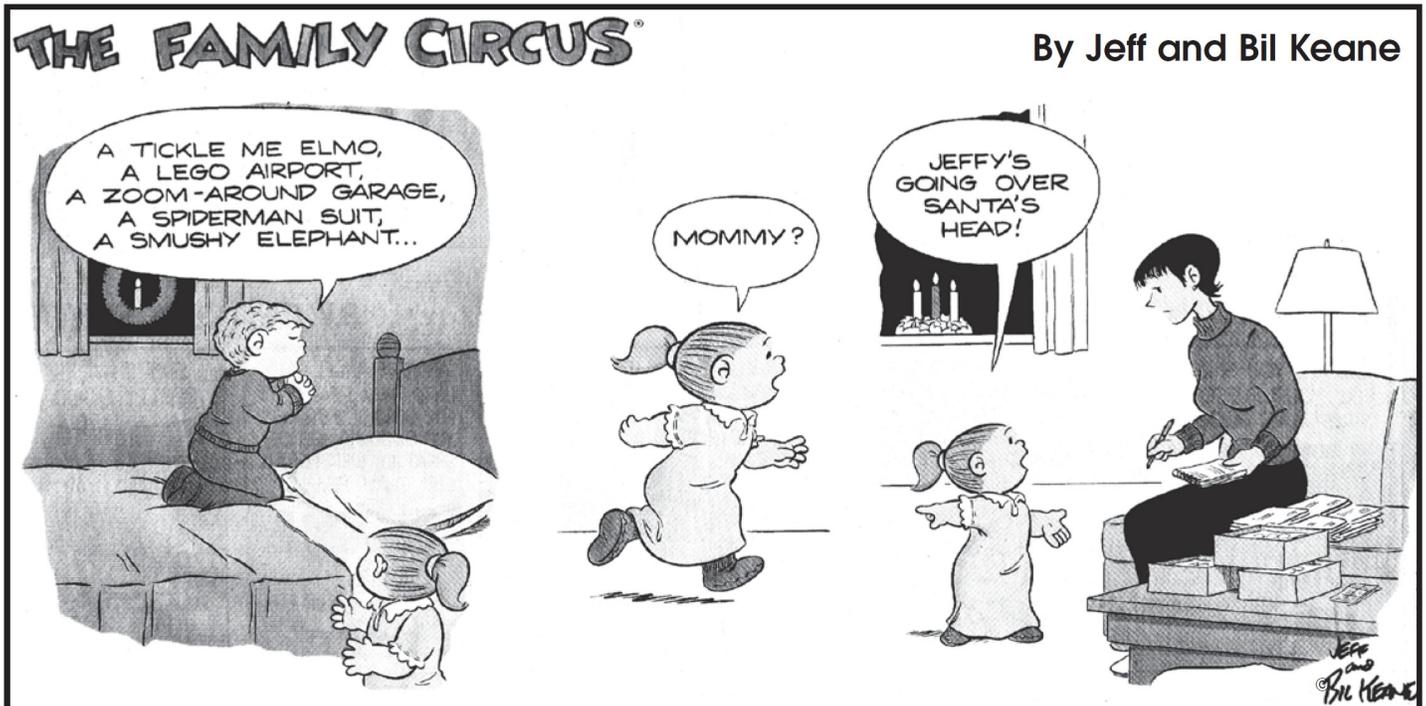
We would like to invite all of you in the community who mourn the loss of a child to gather on the steps in front of Atherton Hall, College Avenue, State College on Sunday, December 14, at 7:00 pm. We will join thousands of candle lighting events across the globe in remembrance of children who have died, but will never be forgotten.

When our son, Mack, died suddenly on New Year's Eve 2012 we became aware of the silent army of bereaved parents all around us. There are many myths in our culture surrounding the grieving process, especially the notion that we ever "get over" the death of a beloved child and get "back to normal." There is no such thing.

We live, but newly. We learn to live *with* the loss of those we love. We want to remember them and we want the world to remember that they were here.

So, for those who grieve, please join us in front of Atherton Hall for a short lighting ceremony to celebrate the love and life of your loved one. Bring a photo of your loved one and bundle up! We will have some music and a few words, give each family an opportunity to speak the name of their loved one and light a candle...so that their lights may always shine!

If you would like more information on the ceremony please visit [www.compassionatefriends.org](http://www.compassionatefriends.org) or for details on the State College event please email Elizabeth Brady [ebrady@elizabethbrady.us](mailto:ebrady@elizabethbrady.us).



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