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## JANUARY 17, 2016



## **Trinity Lutheran Church**

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#### PRAYER LIST

#### **TLC DISCIPLES**

Doug Perkins, Jerry Wion, Sally Adams, Don Leslie (breathing difficulties), Barb Trout, Kris Glad (military), Ray Petersen (military)

#### **TLC FRIENDS**

Michael, George (cancer), Jake Petersen (military), Jan Dykhuis (cancer), Lauren, Julie Buechner, Melanie Harris, Ginny Criswell, Colleen Wisniewski (cancer), Ed and Evelyn Connor Family (daughters Amy and Judy, cancer), Michael Hamilton and Family

#### FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

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#### 2016 Flower Chart

The 2016 Flower Chart is posted on the bulletin board outside of Fellowship Hall. Sponsoring flowers for a particular Sunday is a great way to honor or remember a loved one or event. The cost of the flowers is \$42.00. Please contact Marla (tlcmarla@comcast.net) if you have any questions.

#### YOUTH BOWLING

Deeper Waters and All High School Youth Sunday, January 24 12:00 – 2:00 pm Bowling & Lunch Northland Bowl Martin Street \$20 per person



#### January 17

Isaiah 62:1-5 Psalm 36:5-10 1 Corinthians 12:1-11 John 2:1-11



#### January 24

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 Psalm 19 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a Luke 4:14-21

#### TRINITY EVENTS

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 16

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

#### Sunday, January 17

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

#### MONDAY, JANUARY 18 10:00 am Foxdale Bible Study

Tuesday, January 19 5:45 pm Zumba

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20 7:00 pm Yoga

#### THURSDAY, JANUARY 21

5:45 pm Zumba 7:00 pm Bell Choir

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 23

8:30 am Council Retreat 10:00 am Zumba 5:00 pm Worship with Communion

#### Sunday, January 24

8:15 am Worship with Communion 9:30 am Sunday School 10:45 am Worship with Communion 11:45 am Coffee Hour 12:00 pm Youth Bowling

#### **LENT BEGINS**

Ash Wednesday, February 10
12:00 pm – Half-hour Worship
7:00 pm – Worship
Ashes will be administered and Communion
will be celebrated at both services.

Mid-Week Lenten Worship
Wednesdays, beginning February 17
6:00 pm – Meal
7:00 pm – Holden Evening Prayer

## Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday Concert

Excerpts from the writings of Dr. King Music by African-American composers, Spirituals and Gospel

Sung by the Brush Valley Community Choir and St. Peters' Church Choir, Rebersburg Christ UCC, 113 Madisonburg Pike, Madisonburg, PA

Sunday, January 17, 2016

Free



#### FROM BISHOP RYNE...

Dear Friends,

For the last 25 years the Allegheny Synod has participated in annual Ecumenical Prayer Services with the Altoona/ Johnstown Diocese of the Roman Catholic Church, and the American Carpatho Russian Orthodox Church. We also regularly get participation from our Presbyterian, Methodists, Bretheren, and Episcopal sisters and brothers in Christ. These are opportunities for us to come together with sisters and brothers from across the different Christian traditions here in central PA, and to build bridges of friendship and fellowship.

I would like to invite you who are rostered leaders, congregational leaders, and congregation members to please join us for at least one of this year's services with our sisters and brothers in Christ.

There are two services this year:

Sunday January 31, at 2:00 pm

Grace Lutheran Church

State College, PA

Sunday February 28, at 2:00 pm

Christ our Savior Orthodox Cathedral

Johnstown, PA

Rostered Leaders are invited to vest and process at both of these services. There will be a reception and fellowship hour following both of these services. Please strongly consider joining us and representing our Synod.

We look forward to seeing you either in State College, or in Johnstown.

May God continue to bless you. Thank you for your ministry to God's people.

In Christ

+Bishop Michael Rhyne

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**STAFF** 

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> Donna Weller Joyful Voices

Brian Woodland Custodian

### TRINITY COUNCIL - JULY 2013—JUNE 2016

#### **EXECUTIVE TEAM**

Christina Pillot, President (cpillot@yahoo.com)

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#### **ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT TEAM**

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#### **TLC MINISTRIES TEAM**

Lay Ministry, Worship and Music, Christian Ed., Fellowship, Youth

Bill Campbell (wjc1@psu.edu)

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#### **OUTREACH/SOCIAL MINISTRIES TEAM**

Social Ministry, Evangelism, Tea 'n Trinity, Yard Sale, Interfaith Mission

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#### OTHER TEAM/AREA LEADERS

Bruce Miller, Treasurer (bgm3@psu.edu)

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#### **NEWCOMER CLASS**

Saturday, February 27, 2016 9:00 am – 12:00 pm Faith Room

Open to all who are interested in joining Trinity

Contact Pastor Ron to register (<u>tlcrevron@comcast.net</u> or 238-2024)

TLC FINANCIAL INFORMATION
July 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015

Income \$138,966.08 Expenses \$134,572.22 Difference \$4,393.86

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



## Wanted: 40 Choristers for Ecumenical Lenten Choir Concert of International Music on Wednesday, March 23

Do you enjoy singing? Intrigued by the idea of singing Advent, Christmas, and Epiphany music during Lent? If so, we invite you to participate in the Centre Region Ecumenical Choir as we prepare to present an international program of music on **Wednesday**, **March 23**, **at 7 pm** in the Sanctuary of Grace Lutheran Church at 205 S. Garner Street in downtown State College.

Directed by Laurel Sanders, the program **Around the World in Word and Song: Christ Revealed in Music** presents songs and carols from the Renaissance through modern times. It features music from Africa, the Americas, Europe, and Asia, woven together by the timeless plainchant singing of The Lord's Prayer. The event will also showcase an exhibit of crosses from around the world.

The highlight of the program is the exuberant Nigerian Christmas carol **Betelehemu** arranged by Wendell Whalum and sung in Yoruba with cowbells and percussion. Framing this powerful piece are **Come Now O Prince of Peace** (South Korea) by candlelight; Busarow's setting of **On Jordan's Bank the Baptist's Cry** (based on a German carol); Nystedt's **This is My Beloved Son** (Norway); **Hosanna filio David** (Spain); **Jesus is a Rock in a Weary Land** (America); **If Ye Love Me, Keep My Commandments** (England); and songs presented by a handbell choir, youth choir, and soloists.

Sign up now to reserve your place in the choir! Rehearsals will be held on Sunday afternoons at 2 pm in the Sanctuary of Grace Lutheran Church beginning February 21. Join approximately 40 singers in a diverse musical expressions of our shared faith. No auditions required; modest music reading skills are helpful. Contact Laurel Sanders at (814) 238-2478 or <a href="mailto:lsanders@glcpa.org">lsanders@glcpa.org</a> for details. Join in the fun while expressing your faith in a new way. All singers are welcome!



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# Park Forest Preschool

## www.parkforestpreschool.org

January 5, 2016

Dear Trinity Lutheran Church,

Another Holiday Season has passed, the tree is down and the decorations put away, but please know that the generosity and kindness of your gift this holiday season will be long felt by the children and families who received them.

Without your generous support we would not be as successful in helping the families in our program. Thank you for providing each child in our program with the gift of the fun art kits. Most of our holiday boxes and the basic necessities, so the fun items in the boxes are very exciting for the children. Knowing that people recognize and value the mission and work we do here at Park Forest Preschool is a blessing in our lives and the lives of the children and families we serve. Thank you for your continued support of our children, families, and staff.

Our goal is to continue to provide FREE quality early childhood education, a warm and nurturing environment where everyone feels loved and accepted; a place where everyone can grow socially, emotionally, physically and academically. We certainly would not be here without continued support from our community and from organizations such as yours. Thank you for your dedication to this mission.

Please feel free to stop by the school and see all the wonderful things happening here at Park Forest Preschool.

Kindly.

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Director



January 4, 2016

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Dear Congregation Members and Staff,

Dear French at Junity Lutheran Church,

We are writing to express our deepest thanks for your recent donation to the State College Food Bank. Your financial support has demonstrated your deep commitment to our mission of "providing food security, directly and indirectly, to individuals within Centre County."

In the past year, we have assisted over 1,951 unique individuals, provided 9,387 distributions, in addition to those households that utilize the Summer Kid's Bag program and participate in two holiday distributions. There are no words that can express our gratitude for all your support. We, at the State College Food Bank, are continually inspired by the dedication and generosity of donors like yourself who answer the call and support our vision to make sure no one will go hungry in Centre County.

We look forward to a continuing partnership with you.

Happy Holidays,

Carol Pioli

Executive Director

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As required by the Internal Revenue Service, this letter confirms that no goods or services were received in exchange for your contribution, making it tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.