THE PIPER

APRIL 7, 2019



Trinity Lutheran Church

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PRAYER LIST

TLC DISCIPLES

Carol Bernlohr, Jerry Wion, Jim Reynolds, Carolyn Kresen, Paula Raynar

TLC FRIENDS

Alan Sellner, Marty, Jessica (paralyzed in auto accident), Sarah, Gregg, Kristina

Monday, April 8th

The Acts Bible Studies at 7 pm is

Cancelled

due to Pastor Ron being away

EASTER SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Sunday, April 21st after the first service 9:15 AM

Sign up sheet is on the door to Fellowship Hall
Please indicate how many will be attending and what you plan to bring.

LAST DAY TO SIGN UP SUNDAY, APRIL 14th







Get your baskets ready and join us for an Easter Egg Hunt! This year's egg hunt will take place on Palm Sunday, April 14, during Sunday School. All children are welcome. Bring your own basket.



Candy donations are requested - All are welcome to donate candy for the egg hunt. Please bring candy to the Sunday School office by Sunday, April 7.

TRINITY EVENTS

SATURDAY, APRIL 6

10:00 am Zumba

5:00 pm Worship with Communion

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

8:15 am Worship with Communion

9:30 am Sunday School

10:45 am Worship with Communion

11:45 am Social Time

MONDAY, APRIL 8

10:00 am Foxdale Bible Study

7:00 pm Bible Study/Acts-CANCELLED

TUESDAY, APRIL 9

5:45 pm Zumba

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

6:00 pm Soup & Salad Dinner

7:00 pm Holden Evening Prayer

THURSDAY, APRIL 11

5:45 pm Zumba

6:00 pm Bells

7:00 pm Choir

SATURDAY, APRIL 13

10:00 am Zumba

5:00 pm Worship with Communion

SUNDAY, APRIL 14

8:15 am Worship with Communion
9:30 am Sunday School/Easter Egg Hunt
10:45 am Worship with Communion
11:45am Social Time

READINGS

April 7

Isaiah 43:16-21 Philippians 3:4b-14 John 12:1-8

LENTEN SOUP & SALAD DINNERS

Followed by HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER
every Wednesday in Lent
Dinner 6:00 pm, Holden Evening Prayer 7:00 pm

Sign up sheets are on the doors to Fellowship Hall

Desserts requested

Free will offering

Menu for Wednesday, April 10th

Creamy Chicken & Rice Soup Gnocchi Soup Ground Beef & Vegetable Soup Salad Bar

Menu for Wednesday, April 17th

Seafood Gumbo Creamy Chicken & Mushroom Soup Tomato Bisque Salad Bar





The Oaks at Pleasant Gap

Annual Brunch & Fashion Show

to benefit the residents

will be held on

Saturday, April 27th 11 am to 1 pm

Tickets are \$20.00

If you need more information or would like to purchase tickets

Contact: Jean Quinn 234-7925 or by email psuguinn@aol.com

Interfaith Human Services Fundraiser

Thursday, April 18th from 5:30 - 7:00 pm

ITALIAN DINNER (Meat & Vegan options available)

Held at the State College Friends Meeting House 611 E Prospect Ave, State College, PA

Dinner is free but please make a donation



TLC GARDEN WORK



Calling for TLC garden helpers! Along with the usual weeding around the church (which is always more fun with other people!), the goal is to keep removing invasive plants and replacing them with native ones that

provide better shelter and food for insects and birds. We will meet twice a month in the evening starting May.

Please contact Danielle Lanagan (<u>dlanagan720@gmail.com</u>) if you are interested. We will set up dates based on people's availability.

Join us for the Relay for Life Spring High Tea!

When: Sunday, May 5, 2019 2:00-3:30 PM Where: The Little White Church in Baileyville, PA

Address: 6881 West Whitehall Road, Pennsylvania Furnace, PA 16865 What: 4 course lunch, china place settings, properly brewed teas!

Hats provided or wear your own! Games, tea trivia, prizes!

Cost: \$25 per person. Tickets must be purchased in advance.

Deadline for purchase: Mon. April 29

For tickets and information, contact Mary Lou Kiel, mlk12@psu.edu,

814-404-0479

Come for a unique dining experience and support the fight against cancer, or contact me if you would like to help serve or prepare food for the tea!





Basket for ALSM Fashion Show – please donate!



Executive Committee

HOSS'S HELPING CENTRE COUNTY

Bring the coupon below with you to Hoss's during Mother's Day weekend and then relax & enjoy a great meal. Hoss's agrees to donate a percentage of their profits to Interfaith Human Services, Inc to help buy fuel to help keep some community members warm; the fuel bank is operated by Interfaith Human Services. The group also help with rental assistance, securing free furniture for those who need it, and provide financial care programs to help those on SSI and disability to budget their resources & pay their bills. Please join our task force by letting those in need in our community know that we care. We appreciate your partnership and assistance in helping to meet the many needs of many families throughout the year.





Easter 2019 from the Bishop's Desk

Sisters and Brothers,

May God's grace and peace be with you as we celebrate the great victory of God in Jesus Christ our Lord. On Easter Sunday, we celebrate that our Lord Jesus Christ has defeated the powers of sin, death, and the devil by opening the way for you and me to be brought into his eternal life.

We celebrate that in Jesus we receive the great gift of salvation, a gift that is poured into us through the grace and mercy of almighty God. We proclaim today that, "Christ is Risen, He is Risen Indeed!" and we rejoice that because he is risen we too shall rise. Thanks be to God!

There is something interesting about our Easter gospel reading, Luke 24:1–12. You might have noticed on the day we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord, Jesus doesn't actually show up in this reading or chapter. We might think this strange. The whole story of the gospel has been building up to this great victory of the resurrection, but when the resurrection occurs in Luke, we don't see Jesus because this account is about the mission of Jesus Christ and how he is calling us into his life.

When we read on, we find Jesus in chapter 25 where he appears to the two disciples on the Road to Emmaus. The risen Lord is not hanging around the tomb waiting to be discovered. The risen Jesus has work to do and he is immediately out on the road looking for his people and bringing them the good news of his resurrection.

I always find this a very poignant moment in the gospel—the first time we see the resurrected Jesus in Luke we see him on the road seeking out his people. When he walks with the disciples on the road to Emmaus, he is teaching them, comforting them, and eventually he will feed them.

Had we been betrayed, abandoned, mocked, beaten, and wrongfully killed, our first reaction upon resurrection would most likely not be mercy, grace, and forgiveness but rather anger and perhaps even seeking vengeance. Our Lord Jesus reaches out in love to those who betrayed him and brings salvation to the world that tried to destroy him. This is the true love and mercy of our Lord and our God.

That same Jesus is the one who is with us now. We follow the Jesus who comes after us and seeks us out. Our Lord is continually calling and welcoming us to him. This Jesus also sent the Holy Spirit to do that continual work of pursuing us and bringing us back to our life with God and with our Lord Jesus.

This Easter we thank God for the victory of Christ Jesus—the one who is always calling, inviting, and looking for us. Jesus loves you so much. He doesn't give up on you or me--ever. He always welcomes us into his life and invites us to walk with him.

May you know the presence of Jesus Christ who is with you now and always.

God bless you and Happy Easter

+Bishop Michael L. Rhyne

Calvary (A Church Without Walls) - see the letter on the following page

The confirmation class and congregation are invited on Sunday, April 28th to participate in the "PackHOPE Experience" a Refugee Food Packing Experience

We are planning to register for the 12:30 - 3:00 pm time slot after having lunch here at Trinity. There is a signup sheet on the doors to Fellowship Hall for anyone wishing to participate.

Calvary Church is located at 150 Harvest Fields Dr., Boalsburg, PA 16827



March 2019

To Whom it May Concern:

I am writing to you on behalf of "PackHOPE Experience," a Refugee Food Packing project taking place on April 28th. Through partnering with the Global Aid Network (GAiN), Calvary, along with volunteers from across the region, will be packing 150,000 meals for refugees living in the Middle East. GAiN is a humanitarian 501c3 organization that exists to relieve suffering, restore dignity, and reveal hope through working with churches, organizations, businesses, and individuals to reach into the lives of those living in the toughest places on earth.

With partnership with GAiN in 2017, we had roughly 500 volunteers who packed supplies, that resulted in 100,000 meals. These meals were shipped to the field partners of GAiN across the globe. Calvary is honored to play a role in their efforts again this year, but we need your help!

Would your church consider supporting this humanitarian effort through church sponsorship? As a sponsor, you help our team as we purchase the necessary items for packing meals; contributions go directly towards the food packing and shipping expenses. We've developed three levels of sponsorship - \$100, \$500, and \$1,000 – depending on the giving ability and willingness of the sponsor. However, we will gladly accept other financial gifts you are able to give.



Would your church consider supporting this humanitarian effort through volunteer support? On Sunday, April 28th, we will need between 700 and 750 volunteers to accomplish the task at-hand. With volunteers ages 7 and older, we are hopeful that we will be able to recruit the necessary help for this undertaking. The project will take place at Calvary Church, located at 150 Harvest Fields Drive in Boalsburg between three sessions: 8:30am-11am, 12:30pm-3pm and 4pm-6:30pm. Volunteers are welcome to serve during one, two, or all three sessions.

The opportunity to donate, and to register as a volunteer (individually or with a group), is found at www.packhopecentrecounty.com. Checks can be made payable to Calvary Church, with the memo, "Food Pack" at the address below (note this is different than the church building address).

Thank you for considering this opportunity to make a global impact. We are honored to acknowledge your sponsorship at the event, unless you would prefer otherwise. If you have any additional questions, please feel free to email: **info@packhopecentrecounty.com**. We look forward to hearing from you!

Gratefully,

PackHope Volunteer Team

Patton Township Children's Safety Fair Children's Safety Fair

Building trust through positive experiences with Police Officers, Fire Fighters and EMS.

Saturday • May 11, 2019

10AM - 3PM at the Colonnade (Target Parking Lot)



Climbing Wall

Happy Valley Hotels



Inflatable Obstacle Course

Pediatric Dental Care



Kid Fingerprinting

Patton Township Police



Ladder Truck Rides

Alpha Fire Company



Junior Fire Fighter Activities

Boalsburg Fire Company



"Burn Trailer" Demo - Fire Safety House

Centre Region Code Administration



Drug Awareness Trailer

State College Elks



Internet Safety for Kids

Best Buy



Child Safety Seat Inspections

Patton Township Police & Ferguson Township Police



Bounce House for Kids

Bobby Rahal Honda



Kid's Workshop

Home Depot



Bounce House for Kids

HFL Hotels - Comfort Suites/Sleep Inn



Kid's Activities

Lowe's



Build Your Own First Aid Kit

MedExpress



Air Ambulance Helicopter

STAT MedEvac



Pinewood Derby

Boy Scouts of America



Make and Take Crafts

Country Inn & Suites



Electric Safety Demonstration Trailer

First Energy Corporation



Explore Heavy Equipment

Glenn O. Hawbaker



PC the Patrol Car Robot

Centre County Sheriff's Department



Fun with Police Vehicles

Spring Township Police, Bellefonte Police, Penn State Police & State College Police



Face Painting

Harmony State College



Bounce House & Carnival Games

State College Access Church - Rev. Zac McDonald



Food, Drinks & More

Taproot Kitchen



Game Booths & Prizes

5 Star Nutrition America's Boating Club

Centre Care Chick-fil-A Cracker Barrel

Dick's Sporting Goods Home Nursing Agency Jersey Mike's Subs Otto's Pub & Brewery

ReMax

Restore Eye Care Texas Roadhouse Wegmans

Youth Service Bureau



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Officer **Brad Tuskovich**, Patton Township's Crime Prevention & Community Relations Officer and **David Panko**, President of the Patton Township Business Association celebrate the 18th Annual Children's Safety Fair.

PATTON TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT 100 Patton Plaza, State College, PA (814) 234-0271





Join us for dinner and support
Melissa's Stampede at the 2019 Citrus Tour
& their quest to raise money for

The Multiple Sclerosis Society

Thursday, April 11th, 2019 3:00 – 10:00 PM

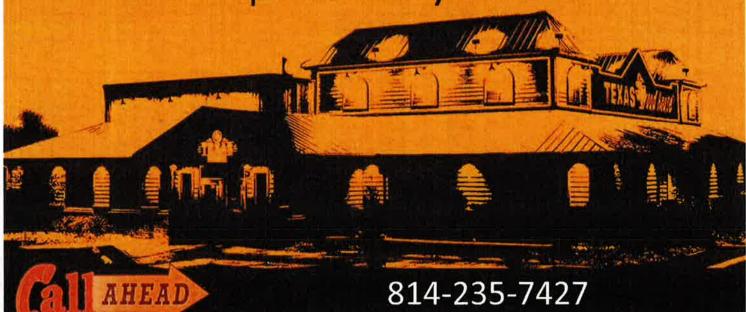
10% Donation Night

Present this invitation at the STATE COLLEGE, PA location and Texas

Roadhouse will donate 10% of your total purchase to help support

Melissa's ride for the MS Society!

We hope to see you there!



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