THE PIPER

JULY 5, 2020



Trinity Lutheran Church

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Chloe Webb

We are still collecting funds to assist the Webb family with medical and other bills that are being incurred due to the car accident that had Chloe in the hospital for weeks. If you are interested in helping, please send a check to the church with Chloe Webb in the memo line and we will see that the money gets to the Webb Family. Thanks to all who have already sent money.

Change to ZOOM

Effective July - Zoom is changing one aspect of the meetings. All meeting will now need a passcode in addition to the meeting number. I will send out an email with the invitation, but will highlight the passcode/password number so you can easily see it.

Zoom was going to automatically add this feature to all meeting if I didn't do it.

Sorry for any inconvenience but Zoom is trying to make all meeting more secure.

TRINITY EVENTS

SUNDAY, JULY 5

YouTube Service w/Bulletin Emailed MONDAY , JULY 6

7:00 pm Beach Calling Group Zoom
TUESDAY, JULY 7

5:00 pm Trinity Wheelmen 5:30 pm Executive Team Zoom 5:45 pm Outdoor Zumba

THURSDAY, JULY 9

5:45 pm Outdoor Zumba
7:00 pm Prayer/Social Group Zoom
SATURDAY, JULY 11

10:00 am Outdoor Zumba SUNDAY, JULY 12

YouTube Service w/Bulletin Emailed

PRAYER LIST

TLC DISCIPLES

Jerry Wion, Carolyn Kresen, Carol Bernlohr, Dee Kiel, Donna Weller, Chloe Webb & the Webb Family

TLC FRIENDS

James Brigman, Pete & Linda Phillips-Ferry, Rachel, Dan, Audre & Shirley Bennett

Readings

Zechariah 9:9-12
Psalm 145:8-14
Romans 7:15-25a
Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30



Greetings!

These times are unprecedented in our world. Never did any of us think we would be faced with dealing with a virus of unknown origin. Frightening times for all of us. I hope all of you to continue to follow precautions that are indicated by the Center for Disease Control (CDC).

As you can imagine, Allegheny Lutheran Social Ministries (ALSM) is experiencing challenges we never thought we would face. While the counties in which our three senior communities are located have gone "green," our communities continue to restrict visitors and screen staff who are tirelessly caring for our residents. Several of our senior daily programs are closed, yet our **ALSM at Home** program continues.

Of course, we are safeguarding our staff team members and our residents by providing Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) so we can continue to respond to regulating body guidelines. The costs of these are one we did not anticipate. We have set up a COVID-19 Fund to assist with extra expenses such as masks and additional cleaning supplies. We expect to spend at least \$100,000 in PPE. We use approximately 2,000 masks a week and 10,000 gloves a week. If we have an active Covid-19 case, we will need the added PPE of shoe covers, N-95 masks, and shoe covers. We have received a supply of face shields from Saint Francis University so we have not had to purchase those items yet.

ALSM is fortunate to have the dedicated staff who are committed to our mission "to serve people with love, compassion, and mercy."

I invite you to please consider a donation of \$10, \$25, \$50, or \$100 so that we can purchase the equipment we need to keep ALSM safe. We are all in this together and together we can help end the spread of this virus. Gifts may be made online at www.alsm.org/donate or by mail to 998 Logan Blvd., Altoona, PA 16602, please include PPE appeal in the memo line.

Thank you. Stay safe!

Sincerely,

Patricia W. Savage

President/CEO

YOUR GIFT MAKES A DIFFERENCE.

- Your \$105 gift purchases 4500 gloves.
- Your \$100 gift purchases 100 masks.
- Your \$25 gift purchases 3 surgical gowns.

PPE PRICING GUIDELINES:

Surgical masks @ \$1.00 each N-95 masks @ \$4.00 each A case of shoe covers@\$25.00 each Surgical gowns @ \$8.00 each A case of 1500 gloves @ \$35.00 N95 test kit @ \$90.00 each