



Trinity Lutheran Church

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The flowers are presented
 to the Glory of God
 by Jean Ross.

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13

7:00 pm Living Discipleship

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14

6:00 pm Zumba

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15

7:00 pm Yoga

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

6:00 pm Zumba
 7:00 pm Bells
 8:00 pm All-Youth Scavenger Hunt

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

9:00 am Quilting
 10:00 am Zumba
 5:00 pm Worship with Communion
 led by Essence of Joy Alumni Singers

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PRAYER LIST

TLC DISCIPLES

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

TLC FRIENDS

Lynea Morgan, Josh Hardy, Jamie Barbarich Covol (young mother of two with a brain tumor), Tom McKenna (progressive neuromuscular disease), Ima Jean Good, Keith Weir, Mike Maines, the Jozefik family, the Fetter family

ALL-YOUTH SCAVENGER HUNT and
 GAME NIGHTS planned!

ALL youth currently in grades 6-12 are invited to join in the fun of a **multi-media fall scavenger hunt NEXT THURSDAY, October 16.** There's no school on Friday, October 17, in all Centre region school districts, so we're going to have some evening fun around town.

Details:

WHAT: Multi-media Scavenger Hunt

WHEN: Thursday, October 16, 8 PM to 10:30 PM

WHO: All youth currently in grades 6-12 AND THEIR FRIENDS

WHERE: Start at Trinity; finish/pick up at Denny's on North Atherton Street

WHY: To have some fun and meet some new friends, among other reasons

COST: \$0 for the event; students should bring a small amount of money to enjoy hot chocolate or a dessert at Denny's

NOTES: If they have one of their own, students SHOULD bring their mobile devices.

RSVP: **We MUST know** if you and your friends plan to attend so we can arrange drivers for everyone. Sign up by emailing Viki Stumbers at vikistumbers@gmail.com **NO LATER THAN Wednesday, October 15, 6 PM.**

Trinity: We will need DRIVERS for this event. You will need a valid driver's license, a working vehicle with a half -tank of gas and seatbelts and a sense of adventure. All else will be provided. You will have fun, money-back guarantee included. Please contact Viki Stumbers at the above email or at 814.571.9373 for a good time.

ALSO: **MARK YOUR CALENDARS: All-youth GAME NIGHT on Wednesday, October 29,** time and location to be determined. Friends WILL be invited . . . the Doughnut Game WILL be played . . . wacky fun will be had by all. Adult victims chaperones willing to play needed! Contact Viki Stumbers at vikistumbers@gmail.com for more details; watch the Piper and the TLC Facebook feed for time and location.

"Lap Quilters"
will meet
Saturday, October 18
9:00 am to Noon

If you have not helped in the past, please feel free to join us. Can't sew you say, not to worry.

There are several steps to assembling the quilts besides sewing. Come join in on the fun we have assembling quilts to provide TLC comfort to those in need of our thoughts and prayers.



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

A letter from Bishop Rhyne

Dear Friends,

As you know our brothers and sisters in West Africa, especially in the countries of Senegal, Sierra Leone, and Liberia are suffering from the outbreak of Ebola. Thousands in these countries have died, are sick, or are struggling to live as food prices soar and all live under a cloud of uncertainty and fear.

Lutheran Disaster Response is currently working to bring medical and humanitarian aid to these countries. They are asking congregations of the ELCA to please consider supporting their work of trying to bring relief to these countries. **100% of all funds contributed go to relief of those affected by this disease.** I wanted to forward you a link to the ELCA/LDR webpage which I would invite you to share with your congregations.

<http://www.elca.org/Our-Work/Relief-and-Development/Lutheran-Disaster-Response/Our-Impact/Ebola>

Thank you and God Bless,
Bishop Michael

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www.allegheynsynod.org

The Rev. Michael Lonny Rhyne,
Bishop elect, Allegheny Synod
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

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

Trinity is Turning 50! Please submit your birthday celebration ideas! Drop your ideas in the BIG Idea Box at Church, or follow this link to our website, and submit your ideas online:

<http://trinitystatecollege.org/news-and-events/50th-anniversary-2015-2016/>.

Submit as many ideas as you want,
by October 31!



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.

Dear Friend of Interfaith Human Services:

We are excited to team up with Hoss's Steak and Sea House to raise money for a very worthy cause. Please consider visiting the Hoss's location listed below on 11/9/2014 to aid us in raising money to benefit Interfaith Human Services.

Print this and present it on **11/9/2014** at Hoss's in **State College**. Hoss's will then donate 20%* or 25%** of your total check paid to **Interfaith Human Services**.

*To qualify for the 20% payout, our group must have a minimum of \$300.00 in total pre-tax food and beverage sales.

**To qualify for the 25% payout, our group must have a minimum of \$1,200.00 in total pre-tax food and beverage sales.

This applies to a one-day, single location, pre-scheduled event. The purchase of gift cards is not included as part of your organization's community fundraising totals.

DISTRIBUTING INVITATIONS ON HOSS'S PROPERTY IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED AND WILL DISQUALIFY OUR ORGANIZATION!

Thank you for your cooperation!

Group #23536



“Grace-sayer” Needed for Thanksgiving Dinner

We need one person or group to say the blessing for our Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday, November 16. This could be an individual, a family, a Sunday School class, a group of friends, etc. Age does not matter; however, the person(s) leading the blessing should:

Be **comfortable and articulate** speaking in front of large groups

Understand that he/she/they are **leading others in talking to God** (not reciting a poem or performing)

Choose words that help people who God AND people who don't know God express thanks for our many blessings, including the food at the dinner

If you, your family or your group is interested in saying grace, please contact Viki Stumbers at vikistumbers@gmail.com or at 814.571.9373. Thanks! and Blessings on you!

Turkey Team Leader Needed for Thanksgiving Dinner

We need one or two people to help coordinate the fantastic team of folk who cook the turkeys for our Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday, November 16. Are you:

Going to **be available on SATURDAY, November 15?**

Comfortable using your **phone and/or email?**

Willing to invite others to cook turkeys? (We have a solid list of people who have cooked turkeys in the past and are interested in doing so again, but we may need to ask a few more this year.)

If you are interested in being a turkey wrangler (the birds, not the cooks!) but don't want to do this alone, invite a buddy to team with you. The tasks are simple and not time-consuming but are invaluable help on the weekend we prepare for our dinner. If you are interested in assisting with this vital part of our Thanksgiving Dinner, please contact Jeff Gonet at jmg39@psu.edu or at 814.692.8031.

Special Thanksgiving Service and Dinner on Sunday, November 16, for TLC Members and Guests

The TLC Team of Trinity's council invites you and your friends, neighbors and/or colleagues to a special Sunday worship service and meal on November 16. If you've ever attended this event at Trinity before, you know it's filled with excellent food, good conversation and time for connecting with other people.

This year, we're asking all TLC members and friends to share the wealth of these blessings with someone who does not attend Trinity. This could be a person who is a co-worker of yours . . . or a family who lives in your neighborhood . . . or a couple of friends you know. Your guests do not need to bring anything or pay anything—their presence will be their gift to us. Your guests do not need to be members of another church or even Christian. Our worship before the dinner will be true to the gospel of God's love in Jesus Christ while also being “user -friendly” in making that good news accessible to people of all stages of faith—including faith journeys that may have not started yet.

Of course, the good news of God's love continues in the meal after worship. Sharing good food with friends old and new and enjoying sparkling conversation (along with some pie)—this is also how we share Christ with others. Our goal for the entire day is to make a place and atmosphere where it is possible for Trinity folks to share the transforming love of God with people we know who may not know Trinity, or know Christ. We hope to “set the table,” as it were, for the Holy Spirit to act in the lives of all present.

We'll have more information about this event in the weeks to come; watch the Piper and the TLC Facebook feed for more details, including what to bring, how to sign up, and other ministries we'll be a part of that day. For this week, please:

- ◆ Put Sunday, November 16, on your calendar.
- ◆ Pray and ask God: “Who do You want me to invite? Who do I know who needs to know how much You love them?”

Contact any member of the TLC team with any thoughts, ideas or questions you have.

