



Trinity Lutheran Church

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The flowers are presented by  
 James Rearick  
 in memory of Lewis Rearick  
 and Roger Boop.

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

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

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2

8:15 am Worship with Communion  
 9:30 am Sunday School  
 10:45 am Worship with Communion  
 11:45 am Coffee Hour  
 2:00 pm Ballroom Dancing  
 3:00 pm Organ Recital

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3

7:00 pm Living Discipleship

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

6:00 pm Zumba  
 7:30 pm TLC Anniversary Committee

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

6:00 pm Deeper Waters  
 7:00 pm Yoga

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6

6:00 pm Zumba  
 7:00 pm Bells

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8

10:00 am Zumba  
 5:00 pm Worship

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

8:15 am Worship  
 9:30 am Sunday School  
 9:30 am Joyful Voices  
 10:45 am Worship  
 11:45 am Coffee Hour  
 2:00 pm Ballroom Dancing



Don't forget to turn  
 your clocks back an  
 hour Saturday night.

PRAYER LIST

TLC DISCIPLES

Jim and Bonnie Knapp (car accident), Linda Leslie, Cleo Campbell, Jerry Wion, Peter Weyandt, Carolyn Kresen, Young Hee Kim

TLC FRIENDS

Charlotte Spinella, Laura Fry (rare genetic disorder), Lynea Morgan, Josh Hardy, Keith Weir, Jamie Barbarich Covol (young mother of two with a brain tumor), Tom McKenna (progressive neuromuscular disease), Imogene Good, Mike Maines, the Jozefik family, the Fetter family

DEACONS NEEDED

We are in need of volunteers to serve as Deacon during our worship services. If this is something that is of interest to you, please contact Jim Rearick or Christina Pillot and they will see that you receive the necessary training. Youth are invited to try it out as well.

BLANKETS NEEDED

From Sunday, October 26, through Sunday, November 9, there will be a box where new or gently used blankets will be collected. These blankets will be given to Interfaith Human Services (IHS) for distribution to those in need. Gently used sheets would also be appreciated as many times people who pick up mattresses also need sheets. Thank you for your thoughtfulness.

All Saints' Day is a universal festival of the Church. This festival day directs our attention to the richness of Christian history and the varied experiences of the grace of God by lifting up the lives of the saints. The custom of commemorating all the martyrs of the Church on a single day goes back at least to the third century. All Saints' Day (Nov. 1) celebrates not only the martyrs and saints, but all the people of God, living and dead, who together form the mystical body of Christ. The three white roses on the altar this weekend are in memory of three of Trinity's members who have died since All Saints' Day last year. We remember them in our prayers today, and we give thanks for their lives. We remember and find strength in their faith and the faith of all the saints both known to us and known only to God.

Budd Brooks Nancy Mayer Sheila Merrill

WANT A COOL THRIVENT T-SHIRT?

We're almost done with the roof, painting, and trim replacement on the Jackman residence. I've scheduled what I hope will be our final day for Saturday, November 8, (no home PSU football game) in the hopes that we can complete the project. Please let me know if you can come out and help. (There will be cool Thrivent T-shirts to all who have participated in the project).



Karl Raynar

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

Mark your calendar for a special Sunday worship service and meal on November 16. **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.

Keep watching 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:

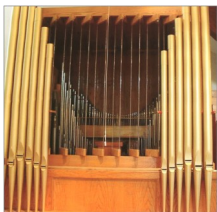
- ◆ Reach out to the person/people you want to invite. If you're ready, go ahead and invite them. If not, continue to pray for them, but also contact them this week in some way.
- ◆ Consider: Would you like to bring a salad, sweet potatoes or dessert?
- ◆ Contact any member of the TLC team with any thoughts, ideas or questions you have.
- ◆ Sign ups start next week!

### **"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](mailto:vikistumbers@gmail.com) or at 814.571.9373. Thanks! and Blessings on you!



### **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

### **TLC BELL RINGERS NEEDED FOR THE IHS WISHING WELL CAMPAIGN.**

Our date to ring bells is Saturday, December 6, 2014,  
from 10:00 am through 9:00 pm.

There is a sign-up sheet on the Fellowship Hall door.

The deadline to sign-up is Sunday, November 9.

Singers and other musicians are always welcome.

If you would like to ring bells,  
but are not available on this date,  
there are many times available at the Corner Room.

Go to [www.ihs-centrecounty.org](http://www.ihs-centrecounty.org) to sign up.

As always, thanks for your support.

~Esther Lauchle

### **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION MEETING**

A Christian Education meeting will be held on Thursday, November 13, 7:00 pm, in the Peace Room. Anyone interested in teaching Sunday School is welcome to attend. Contact Valerie Frey with any questions.



Nine of Trinity's youth celebrated their First Communion on Reformation Sunday, October 26.

Rowan Brownson  
Reese Fletcher  
Sydney Fletcher  
Katelyn Peachey  
Isabella Poehner  
Lacey Sheaffer  
Alexander Sikorski  
Elizabeth Sikorski  
Jonah Trout

### THE LUTHERAN

It is time to renew or start your subscription to *The Lutheran*. All current council members and those who joined our congregation this past year will receive a complimentary subscription from Trinity.

The cost of a year's subscription is \$11.95. To continue a current one or start a new subscription, please write a check payable to Trinity, place it in one of *The Lutheran* envelopes found on the stand in back of the nave, and put in the offering plate by **Sunday, November 16.**

### WOMEN OF TRINITY

The Women of Trinity Christmas Tea will be held December 8, starting at 7:00 pm. The Tea will be held at the Greenwich Hill Clubhouse. More details to follow.



### PRAYER QUILT MINISTRY

Saturday, November 22  
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 the fun we have assembling quilts to provide TLC comfort to those in need of our thoughts and prayers.

If you're not able to join us, but would like to help out in another way, financial support would be gratefully accepted and used to buy supplies such as fabric and batting. If you have questions/donations, please see Jean Ross or Barb Roberts.

### CAN YOU HELP?

Valerie Frey is coordinating those who volunteer to cook a turkey for our Thanksgiving Dinner which is being held on Sunday, November 16. The turkeys need to be cooked, deboned, and delivered to the church by Saturday, November 15. If you are willing to cook a turkey, please contact Valerie at 574-6962 or email her at VAF4077@gmail.com.



### YOGA CLASSES

Need to find ways to relax? Interested in toning your body and feeling more centered? Like to meditate but not sure how or need a new approach? Yoga classes offer participants ways to address these and other aspects of a person. Yoga is a form of meditation involving the mind, body and spirit. It is not a form of religion and does not conflict with our Christian faith or practice. To the contrary, yoga can help you focus spiritually. Classes meet on Wednesday night in Fellowship Hall, 7:00 - 9:00 pm. Beginners and new students are welcomed. No fee. Contact Christina Pillot for more details.

### TLC FINANCIAL INFORMATION

July 1, 2014 - October 31, 2014

Income	\$87,085.19
Expenses	\$112,355.63
Difference	\$ -25,270.44

(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.

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



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## INTERNATIONAL CRAFT EVENT

University Mennonite Church in State College is holding our annual 10,000 international craft event on November 7 and 8. The sale features handmade wares from artisans around the world. The goods are from the Mennonite Central Committee's 10,000 Villages program that seeks to promote fairly traded crafts by connecting artisans in developing countries to markets in North America. Our local church does not profit from the craft sales and returns all proceeds (less promotional expenses) back to the Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) program.

You are invited to shop at the Ten Thousand Villages Arts/Crafts event at our church located at 1606 Norma Street in State College. The sale is open Friday, November 7, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday, November 8, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. On Saturday our youth operate the Fair Trade Café from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Visit [www.universitymennonite.org/fairtrade](http://www.universitymennonite.org/fairtrade) for more information on the sale, including photos of sample items, MCC, the 10,000 Villages program, and University Mennonite Church.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions about the event or our church.

Joel Weidner, [joel@universitymennonite.org](mailto:joel@universitymennonite.org)  
University Mennonite Church

## "GRATITUDE TO GOD" SPECIAL INTEFAITH COFFEE HOUR ABRAHAMIC TABLE Tuesday, November 11, 7:30 pm

State College Friends School Gym  
1900 University Drive, State College.  
Refreshments Served.

Representatives from Judaism, Christianity and Islam will be discussing the subject of Gratitude to God in their faith traditions.

With **Rabbi David Ostrich** of Congregation Brit Shalom, **Rev. Marvin Friesen** of University Mennonite Church, and **Bekir Aksoy**, President of the **Golden Generation Foundation** near Philadelphia.

Also open discussion, question & answer time.

Moderated by Sarah Malone, Convener,  
Interfaith Initiative Centre County.

Free On-Site Parking.

ALL ARE INVITED TO THIS FREE EVENT.

**Sponsored by the Turkish Cultural Center of State College and Interfaith Initiative Centre County.**

**The Mission of Interfaith Initiative Centre County** is to foster compassion, charity and goodwill, and to build a healthy interfaith community by promoting respect, understanding, cooperation, and friendship among Centre County's faith communities and their individual members.

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## ESSENCE OF JOY BENEFIT CONCERT

The combined Essence of Joy choirs will perform a concert on November 30 at the Bellefonte Area High School. Directed by Dr. Anthony T. Leach, professor of music and music education at Penn State University, the three choirs - Essence of Joy, Essence of Joy Alumni Singers and Essence 2 - have a passion for and a commitment to sharing the music of the African and African-American choral traditions. They have toured nationally and internationally, including programs in Japan, South Korea, France, Belgium, and the Czech Republic.

Co-sponsored by Faith Church in Bellefonte, the concert this year will benefit the United Methodist University project in Sierra Leone and the Mogoshi Elementary School of South Africa. Essence 2 has been a supporter and sponsor for the children in the Mogoshi school for a number of years. With your support through ticket purchase, ad sponsorship and donations, you, too, can help support children, youth and MUSIC a world away. Please join us at 2:30 on November 30 for an exciting afternoon!

Tickets are \$10 (\$11.34 with service fee) and available on-line at <http://giveusthisday.brownpapertickets.com>. All tickets are for reserved seating. Map, tickets, and excerpts from Bishop John Yambasu's letter about the United Methodist response to the Ebola outbreak are also available at [www.bellefontefait.com](http://www.bellefontefait.com).

Don't miss your chance to be part of this life-giving community event!

### Important facts only

**WHO:** Essence of Joy, Essence 2 and Essence of Joy Alumni Singers

**WHAT:** Combined choir concert co-sponsored by Faith Church in Bellefonte

**WHEN:** November 30, 2014 2:30 pm.

**WHERE:** Bellefonte Area High School

**WHY:** To benefit the Mogoshi Elementary School in South Africa and the United Methodist University Project in Sierra Leone

**HOW:** Purchase tickets on-line at <http://giveusthisday.brownpapertickets.com> or [www.bellefontefait.com](http://www.bellefontefait.com).

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*Think you know beer? Or think you don't like beer?  
Then sign up NOW for...*

# **BEER 201: LAGER? I DON'T EVEN LIKE HER!**

*Thursday, November 6, 6:30-8:30*

*Location:*

413 Galen Drive  
State College, PA 16803  
*(Pastor Miller's House)*

*Taught by:*

Joel Waters

**RSVP:** [jwaters59@gmail.com](mailto:jwaters59@gmail.com)

**Cost is \$10/person**

*(Pay in advance to Pastor Miller)*

*It ain't just Pilsners and Ambers anymore. Experience the full variety and surprising diversity of modern craft lagers - from pale, light, and refreshing to dark, viscous, and complex. We'll be tasting styles from the Old World and the New, so come try an old go-to, then discover some new favorites!  
And remember: No Ales Allowed!*

***CHEERS! WE'LL SEE YOU THERE!***

