



Trinity Lutheran Church

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 Brian Woodland in honor of
 Jesus' ride into Jerusalem.

TRINITY EVENTS

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

9:00 am Newcomer Class
 10:00 am Zumba
 2:00 pm CPR Training
 5:00 pm Worship with Communion

SUNDAY, MARCH 29

8:15 am Worship with Communion
 9:00 am Palm Sunday Breakfast
 Easter Egg Hunt
 10:45 am Worship with Communion
 7:00 pm Yoga

MONDAY, MARCH 30

10:00 am Foxdale Bible Study

TUESDAY, MARCH 31

6:00 pm Zumba

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1

7:00 pm Lenten Worship

THURSDAY, APRIL 2 - MAUNDY THURSDAY

12:00 pm Brief Worship with Communion
 6:00 pm Zumba
 7:00 pm Worship with Communion

FRIDAY, APRIL 3 - GOOD FRIDAY

12:00 pm Brief Worship
 7:00 pm Service of Darkness

SATURDAY, APRIL 4

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

SUNDAY, APRIL 5 - EASTER

8:15 am Celebration of the Resurrection
 with Communion
 10:45 am Celebration of the Resurrection
 with Communion

PRAYER LIST

TLC DISCIPLES

Don Leslie, Ray Petersen (military), Kris Glad (military)

TLC FRIENDS

Laura Glenn (serious fall), John Light (cancer), Alice Raynar, Tom Slane, Luke Trostle, Jay Claster (cancer), Lynea Morgan, Michael Hamilton and family, Lauren and family, Mandy and Rob Koenigsberg



ANNUAL YARD SALE

Our annual yard sale will be held on Saturday, May 2. Save up those plastic bags and clean out your closets, and your neighbor's closets, too.

We need people to help set up on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday before the sale and we need volunteers for the day of the sale.

High school students, this can count toward your community service hours.

Look for the sign-up sheets in the narthex. Contact Sue and Roger Glad or Sue Ellen Krupa with any questions.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY UPDATE

If you are planning to submit a photo for the pictorial directory, please submit it by April 11.

- ♦ If submitting a digital photo, email to lynndelou@gmail.com.
- ♦ If submitting a paper photo, place it in the Garrison mailbox at Trinity.

A couple of guidelines about the photos.

- ♦ If the photo is from a professional photographer, LifeTouch will need a release from the photographer to use the photo.
- ♦ Vertical format is preferred, horizontal is acceptable.
- ♦ Paper photos may not be returned.
- ♦ Size of photograph doesn't matter but photos smaller than 8x10 are preferred.

If you have questions, contact Lynn Garrison, lynndelou@gmail.com.

* Last Lenten Fish Dinner, Friday, March 27

* Newcomer Class - Saturday, March 28, 9:00 am till noon.

* Palm Sunday Breakfast - Sunday, March 29, 9:00 am - last day to sign up is Friday, March 27 - contact Viki Stumbers at vikistumbers@gmail.com

* Easter Egg Hunt will follow the Palm Sunday Breakfast



Lenten Fish Dinner

Fellowship Hall 5:00 - 7:00 pm

Eat In or Take Out

March 27

Menu: Breaded Cod, Broiled Salmon,
Mac and Cheese, Stewed Tomatoes, Green Beans, Corn, Coleslaw and
Tossed Salad
Desserts requested

Reservations appreciated but not required

Contact Pastor Ron for more information

TLC FINANCIAL INFORMATION

July 1, 2014 - February 28, 2015

Income \$180,834.84

Expenses \$199,704.12

Difference -\$ 18,869.28

(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.



Discerning the Divine: Lenten Meditations through Art and Music

A multi-sensory journey through the Passion

Wednesday, April 1, 2015

Grace Lutheran Church

205 S. Garner Street, State College
(814) 238-2478 * www.glcpa.org

Time	Room/Min.	Description
4:30	Sanctuary 40-45 min.	Presentation - Icons: Companions in Prayer (Mary Kay LaPlante, presenter and icon writer)
5:15	Sanctuary	Pig roast and Renaissance-themed fellowship meal
6:15	Fireside 15 min.	Renaissance paintings with harp & candlelight (images provided by museums around the globe)
	Library 15 min.	Stations of the Cross with music & meditations (artwork of Pennsylvania artist Eric Armusik; Richard Wylie, classical guitar)
	Commons 10 min.	Art display: icons, illuminated manuscript, woodcuts
	Sanctuary 10 min.	Meditation time (meditations provided on the tables with icons)
7:00	Sanctuary 5 min.	Musical meditations on the Passion (pipe organ)
7:15	Sanctuary 45-60 min.	Lenten hymn singing and liturgical dance* (accompanied by piano, organ, flute & harp)

*Hymns are from the *Evangelical Lutheran Worship* hymnal, but many are found in hymnals of other denominations. Everyone is welcome to come...and sing!

God's kids say and do the funniest things..

On Palm Sunday, a priest at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Prairieville, LA, wore his cardinal red robe for Mass.

The priest overheard a young girl in the congregation exclaim to her mother, "You see, HIS mother let him wear his new red Easter dress a week earlier than Easter Sunday!"

~The Joyful Noiseletter

INHERIT THE MIRTH by Cuyler Black



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Dear Community Partner:

I'm excited to announce plans for HouseWalk 2015 -Sunday, May 3 at Tudek Memorial Park- and share the official link for [registration!](#)

As you know, Centre County and the surrounding region continues to suffer from a lack of affordable housing options all along the housing need continuum. From night shelters to short-term transitional options to subsidized rental programs to lower cost purchase opportunities, each area continues to see cutbacks while also facing a growing demand.

Habitat for Humanity is often the only opportunity for families looking to achieve their dreams of homeownership.

In addition to establishing roots and building equity, Habitat partner families also benefit in the following ways:

- No interest mortgage - Saves an average of about \$90,000 over the life of the loan
- Low monthly payments - Currently, most new homeowners pay less than \$600 per month
- Low good faith deposit - Partner families pay only \$500 for their down payment

And the benefits don't end with affordability.

Homeownership Builds Successful Children.

Compared to children of renters (of the same age, income, race, etc.), children of homeowners:

- Are 25% more likely to graduate from high school
- Are 116% more likely to graduate from college
- Are 20% less likely to become teenage mothers

Homeownership Builds Stronger Communities.

Compared to renters (of the same age, income, race, etc.), homeowners:

- Are 28% more likely to repair or improve their homes
- Are 12% more likely to maintain a garden outside their homes
- Are 15% more likely to vote

Homeownership Builds Stronger Families.

Compared to renters (of the same age, income, race, etc.), homeowners:

- Are 10% more likely to attend church
- Are 16% more likely to belong to parent-teacher organizations, block clubs, etc.
- Are less likely to have alcohol and substance-abuse problems

Please [join us for HouseWalk2015](#), either personally or by rallying a congregational team. Also, please contact me directly with any questions about the event, or the registration process.

Again, many thanks for your support –

~Jill

Jill Redman, Executive Director

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Nairobi International Lutheran Congregation - NILC

Rev. Michael G. Fonner, Th.D. & Leslie Weed-Fonner, M.S.W
ELCA Missionaries serving with Kenya Evangelical Lutheran Church

March 2015, Newsletter - Women's Sunday

Nairobi International Lutheran Congregation (NILC) had an absolutely wonderful Women's Sunday worship celebration on March 1st!

A little background: The Kenya Evangelical Lutheran Church (KELC), the ELCA's companion church body, designates the 1st Sunday in March as Women's Sunday in concert with the global ecumenical celebration of the World Day of Prayer. We adapt the liturgy and theme from the World Day of Prayer and work to make it informative and relevant to our setting.

This year's theme was the Bahamas and we learned about the beauty of those islands, the special needs that Bahamian women have, and how the people of the Bahamas are striving to care for their precious natural environment.



This was our 3rd Women's Sunday here in Kenya. At the first, we had a regular worship service led by the male pastor with a woman preacher. At the second, an ELCA seminary educated female Kenyan pastor took a strong lead and organized, and led, the service. This year NILC women were firmly and wonderfully in control of both planning and execution: leading the liturgy, saying the prayers, doing the children's message, and having the sermon by a local woman leader of International Bible Study Fellowship.

The women read through the liturgy which was provided by KELC's Women's Desk and it was exciting to see that one woman specially wanted to pray for the preservation of the Bahamian seas while another woman wanted to pray for health care of Bahamian girls and women while yet another woman wanted to pray for women and children, particularly single women raising children, and so on. It was our sense that these NILC women felt a sisterly closeness to the concerns for which they were praying on behalf of people, especially women, in the Bahamas.

A key goal of ours as we serve at NILC and with KELC is to transition the congregation to local leadership after many years of leadership by Americans. Women's Sunday was not only a terrific celebration for, of, and by women at NILC but it was also a striking moment of leadership by strong local women. Thanks be to God!

ELCA Global Mission Support & Contact Information

You can give through your synod office or by mailing a check to Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, Gift Processing Center, P.O. Box 1809, Merrifield, VA 22116-8009. Make checks payable to ELCA Global Church Sponsorship with "Fonner/Weed-Fonner MSG0711" in the memo line. By credit or debit card, see <https://community.elca.org/Kenya> or call 800-638-3522 and specify "Fonner/Weed-Fonner MSG0711." By automatic monthly bank withdrawal, or to establish a covenant of prayer, communication and support: contact 800-638-3522, ext. 2657, or email globalchurch@elca.org.

Thanks very much!