



Trinity Lutheran Church

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The altar flowers are given by
 Pastor Ron and Ann
 in celebration of their
 30th Wedding Anniversary.

PRAYER LIST

TLC DISCIPLES

Jerry Wion, Alicia Musheno, Barb Trout, Don Leslie, Ray Petersen (military), Kris Glad (military)

TLC FRIENDS

Elaine Seymour (cancer), Lynea Morgan, William Lee, Colleen Wisniewski (cancer), Janet Spencer and family, Roger Shouse and daughter

TRINITY EVENTS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

8:15 am Worship with Communion
 9:30 am Outdoor Worship with Communion
 10:45 am Worship with Communion

MONDAY, AUGUST 24

5:30 pm Zumba

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25

7:00 pm Council

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26

5:30 pm Zumba
 7:00 pm Yoga

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29

10:00 am Zumba

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30

8:15 am Worship with Communion
 9:30 am Outdoor Worship with Communion
 10:45 am Worship with Communion

Sunday School Begins September 13

Sunday School will be starting on Rally Day,
 September 13, 9:30 am in Fellowship Hall.
 Ages 4-17 are welcome to attend.

We are starting a new curriculum this year called WHRL.

Help is still needed for Sunday School.
 If you are willing to help or would like more information,
 please contact Valerie Frey, VAF4077@gmail.com.

Pastor Ron will be working
 with the students of Deeper Waters on
 Sunday morning so if anyone is willing
 to facilitate a class for adults please
 contact him at TLCRevRon@comcast.net. Thanks!

NEWCOMERS CLASS

Are you interested in learning more about Trinity? Are you seeking to join TLC? If so, plan now to attend the Newcomer Class set for Saturday, September 12, OR the class on Saturday, September 26. Both classes will begin at 9:00 am and end by 12:00 noon. Reception of new members will be on Sunday, October 4. Contact Pastor Ron, TLCRevRon@comcast.net to register or for more details.

Joyful Voices

If you would like to become a member of Joyful Voices, please contact Donna Weller, 237-2107, or talk with any of the current members.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Sunday, September 6, 9:30 am Outdoor Worship
 Special liturgy to bless all animals
 Bring your pet or a picture of your pet
 Make sure to keep your pet under control
 Refreshments follow the service

WORSHIP CHANGES

As the summer winds down and fall ministries resume, please note that the Outdoor Worship service will end on Sunday, September 6, with the Blessing of the Animals.

The Saturday 5:00 pm worship resumes on Saturday, September 12.

Lessons for August 23

Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18
 Psalm 34:15-22
 Ephesians 6:10-20
 John 6:56-69

Lessons for August 30

Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9
 Psalm 15
 James 1:17-27
 Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

DAY OF CARING

The 50th Anniversary Committee thought it would be a great idea for our congregation to participate in some type of community service. We would like to get a team from Trinity to take part in the United Way Day of Caring on October 1, 2015. There are opportunities for full day or part of the day participation and there would be a chance to pick what type of work we would like to do. More specific details about worksites, etc. will be available after September 1. There is a sign up sheet available on the Fellowship Hall door where you can indicate your shirt size and what type of work desired (i.e. painting, yard work, etc.) We'd love to have you join us!

September Birthdays

Sawyer Coulter	1	Gerald Wion	18
Jason Wenrich	4	Gerald Lauchle	20
Rebekah Miller	6	Megan Orient	20
Diane Smith	6	Elizabeth Sikorski	20
Duncan Webb	6	Gary Zembower	21
Robert Musheno	7	Bruce Miller	22
Carol Young	7	Tiffany Card	24
Roberta Horner	8	Judy Lankes	25
Samuel Stout	9	James Rearick	25
Christina Pillot	10	Kevin Sikorski	25
Merlin Ritz	10	Michaela Smith	28
Eric Rodabaugh	10	Steven Krupa	29
Karl Raynar	13	Karen Clinger	30
Rachel Fedorko	15		
Carlajo Weyandt	16		



Happy Birthday!

BEER TASTING

Plans are underway for another series of beer tasting classes. Cost this year will be \$25. The reason for the increase is two-fold: one, the previous classes were underwritten by two donors, (the fee from participants covered about half of the expenses); two, this year we plan on focusing each class on a type of beer and the cost for them is greater. The first class will be held on Wednesday, September 16, at 6:30 pm. If you have questions feel free to contact Pastor Ron! Watch future newsletters for the location of the class.

TLC FINANCIAL INFORMATION

July 1, 2015 - July 30, 2015

Income \$16,641.05

Expenses \$21,075.55

Difference - \$ 4,434.50

These amounts represent operating income and expenses and do not include any interest, dividends or investment value changes.

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OTHER TEAM/AREA LEADERS

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Sponsorship Request

Events: Java Jam & St. Paul AME Fundraiser on September 18th & 19th, 2015

Sponsorship Requested For: Program activities; musician fees, travel & accommodations; and equipment

Requested Amount: \$3500.00 (any portion is accepted and appreciated)

Java Jam

RoBurrage Productions is dedicated to bridging gaps and breaking down barriers that cause division and strife by providing creative, educational, fun and informative outlets. We believe 'breaking bread' together, dancing and providing environments to address critical issues in a non-threatening manner is key to in promoting a better way of life for all who participate in these activities.

RoBurrage Productions has partnered with the campus ministries of The Pennsylvania State University to present a concert, poetry slam and spoken word event. This family-friendly event will be held on Friday, September 18th from 7-11 pm at Abba Java located at Locust Lane and Calder Way (property of St. Paul's United Methodist Church and Wesley Foundation).



The target audience and participants are the students of PSU and members of our very diverse multi-cultural community. Through a myriad of expressive arts, this event aims to promote dialog, healing and positive energy as we all navigate through these turbulent times of chaos, injustice and misconceptions that play out in forms of racism, bigotry and hatred.

The campus ministries have invited students from a variety of art practices, theater and music backgrounds to be a part of this. We are seeking students to create art that includes, painting, sculpting, sketching, dance, poetry and spoken word. Band Burrage, led by the internationally renowned musician and composer Ronnie Burrage, featuring international artists - Gerald Veasley, Benito Gonzales, Jay Rodriguez and Shenel Johns. The band will perform original compositions along with digital soundscapes to accompany spoken word artists providing a continuous backdrop for painters and dancers.

This event is free to students and we are preparing for a packed house. Nonstudents are asked to donate a minimum of \$5. Soul food will be prepared and catered by RoBurrage productions. A portion of all proceeds will also go to Abba Java and Project Cahir, an organization of Penn State Students against poverty.

Community Fundraiser for St. Paul AME Church in Bellefonte, PA

"By 1859, Bellefonte saw the dedication of the new African Methodist Episcopal Church - St. Paul. At its dedication, a large congregation of both white and blacks were present. In 1909, St. Paul could claim 55 members.... [Numerous] men, among others, bought the freedom for some slaves and would later use their homes or businesses for hiding places as part of Bellefonte's "Underground Railway." Some of the known locations for the Underground Railway in Bellefonte are: the St. Paul AME Church; Thomas' "Wren's Nest" on Potter Street; the Linn House on N. Allegheny; and the Samuel Harris House on Howard Street. There may be others, but as these locations were "secret" not all have been noted." Rev. Keith G. Koch¹



A concert will be held on Saturday, Sept. 19th to raise funds for building maintenance needs of the church, to keep the doors open for worship and community service and to bring attention to the very important Freedom Walks, which are tours of historic Bellefonte. Furthermore, this concert fundraiser and subsequent tours aim to inform the local and global community of the formerly rich African-American presence in Bellefonte relative to the Underground Railroad, the iron furnace industry and St. Paul AME Church.

Band Burrage will perform original compositions and selected materials by the Mills Brothers (Bellefonte descendants out of St Paul AME). The band will also accompany the Voices of Unity gospel choir.

The event is free to the public. Donations to help with the church's building expenses will be accepted during the event and "soulful" lunch plates will be sold in the church fellowship hall.

Sponsorship

All sponsorships of \$200 or more will be included on table cards, bulletins, radio and TV promotions and flyers. We appreciate any amount you can offer to help make these special events happen.

Committed Sponsors & Partners

St. Paul's United Methodist Church & Wesley Foundation
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Sincerely,

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