



Trinity Lutheran Church

2221 North Oak Lane  
State College, PA 16803  
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The flowers are given by  
Keith and Diane Smith  
in honor of Jesus' Birthday.

PRAYER LIST

TLC DISCIPLES

Doug Perkins, Jerry Wion, Sally Adams, Don Leslie (breathing difficulties), Barb Trout

TLC FRIENDS

Jan Dykhuis (cancer), Lauren, Julie Buechner, Melanie Harris, Ginny Criswell, Colleen Wisniewski (cancer), Ed and Evelyn Connor Family (daughters Amy and Judy, cancer), Michael Hamilton and Family

TRINITY EVENTS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19

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

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20

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 All-Congregation Coffee Hour  
12:00 pm Caroling to Homebound

MONDAY, DECEMBER 21

10:00 am Foxdale Bible Study

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24

5:00 pm Family Worship with  
Candle Lighting and Communion  
7:30 pm Pre-Worship Music  
8:00 pm Festive Worship with  
Candle Lighting and Communion

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25

10:00 am Christmas Day Worship  
with Communion

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26

5:00 pm Worship with Communion

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27

8:15 am Worship with Communion  
10:45 am Worship with Communion  
11:45 am All-Congregation Coffee Hour

CHRISTMAS WORSHIP

Christmas Eve

5:00 pm Family Worship  
with Candle Lighting and  
Communion

7:30 pm Pre-Worship Music  
8:00 pm Festive Worship with  
Candle Lighting and  
Communion

Christmas Day

10:00 am Worship with  
Communion

December 20

Micah 5:2-5a  
Luke 1:46b-55  
Hebrews 10:5-10  
Luke 1:39-55



December 27

1 Samuel 2:18-20, 26  
Psalm 148  
Colossians 3:12-17  
Luke 2:41-52



THE TRADITION CONTINUES

Donations are needed for our Annual All-Congregation Christmas Coffee Hours to be held December 20 and 27. If you have too many cookies, candy, nuts, etc., bring them in to share. Please contact Brian Woodland with any questions.

## JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Angela Garritano	1
Heather Weyandt	4
Eric Fedorko	5
Laurie Smith	5
Richard Whitmer	9
Dolores Kiel	10
Alexa Oselinsky	11
David Oselinsky	12
Deloise Frisque	13
Jonathan Musheno	15
Rhonda Walker Hall	15
William Adams	16
Barbara Roberts	16
Bette Larson	18
Kevin Trostle	19
Andrew Rodabaugh	20
Dennis Weidel	23
Jane Weller	24
Gina Motter	25
Marc Frey	28
Liam Merritt	29
Scott Crain	30



## TLC FINANCIAL INFORMATION

July 1, 2015 – November 30, 2015

Income \$ 114,926.41

Expenses \$113,050.05

Difference \$1,876.36

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

## FOOD DRIVE UPDATE

As of Wednesday, December 16, 685 food items and \$110.00 of grocery gift cards have been collected for our Annual Food Drive. Thank you to all who have donated. The Food Drive continues, so please keep the food items coming.

- Soups
- Cereal or Oatmeal
- Spaghetti/Pasta Sauce
- Dry pasta (spaghetti, elbow, egg noodles, etc.)
- Rice/Rice sides
- Tomato Product (diced, stewed, paste, sauce, etc.)
- Canned meats (chicken, Spam, tuna, etc.)
- Canned Pasta
- Protein Beans
- Mac n' Cheese
- Condiments (mayonnaise, ketchup, mustard, barbecue sauce, etc.)
- Juice (100%)
- Salad Dressing (Ranch, Italian, etc.)
- Sugar, Flour
- Oil
- Coffee, Tea, Hot Chocolate
- Shampoo, Conditioner
- Toothpaste and Toothbrushes
- Deodorant
- Laundry Detergent
- Soap (bars/liquid)

## Holiday Items Needed

- Stuffing
- Sweet Potatoes
- Turkey Gravy
- Green Beans, Corn
- Pumpkin
- Pie Crust Mix and Pie Filling
- Gift Cards to Giant/Weis to purchase Turkeys
- Gift Cards to Walmart/Sam's Club to purchase fresh potatoes

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### STAFF

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Joyful Voices

Brian Woodland  
Custodian

## TRINITY COUNCIL - JULY 2013—JUNE 2016

### EXECUTIVE TEAM

Christina Pillot, President (cpillot@yahoo.com)

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### OTHER TEAM/AREA LEADERS

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December 9, 2015

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Dear Friends of Trinity Lutheran Church,

Thank you for your generous donation of Quilts and Kits for LWR's distribution overseas. These gifts of your hearts and hands are beautiful expressions of God's grace and love to people all around the world. Your care and compassion makes it possible for families and communities to keep themselves healthy, warm, educated, and employed.

In April and May, the people of Nepal were shaken by two earthquakes. Nearly 9,000 people died, more than 20,000 people were injured, and 602,254 homes were destroyed. Reconstruction will take time, and it will be a long while before life feels steady again for our neighbors in Nepal. LWR has been assisting on the ground in Nepal in the months since the earthquakes and your gifts have made a tangible difference.

In coordination with the United Nations, LWR shipped 9,240 Quilts, 1,000 Personal Care Kits and 100 water filtration units from our warehouse in Dubai. These items have been distributed to thousands of individuals and families in the Kathmandu Valley and Lamjung District. Your Quilts and Kits provide important necessities during this challenging recovery period, and remind our Nepalese neighbors that they are not alone or forgotten.

On behalf of our neighbors in Nepal, Burkina Faso, Nicaragua and countless others in villages, schools, hospitals and refugee camps around the world, I share deep gratitude for your contribution, and pray God's richest blessings on all of your work!

In Christ,

Melanie W. Gibbons  
Quilt & Kit Ministry Manager

DONATION RECEIPT

	<b>Mission Quilts</b>		<b>Baby Care Kits</b>
	<b>Blankets</b>		<b>Fabric Kits</b>
X	<b>Personal Care Kits</b>		<b>Soap</b>
	<b>School Kits</b>		



# Park Forest Preschool

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Wednesday, December 9, 2015

Dear Trinity Lutheran Church,

Thank You! Your generosity has made an impact at Park Forest Preschool and we are grateful for your support as we provide a much-needed preschool education to the 35 young children in our care and support to their families.

Our school has educated 900 students over its nearly 50-year history on a very meager budget. It is only through the kindness of our supporters that we are able to continually meet the needs of children in our community who would otherwise not have access to the resources provided by a preschool education.

We are working hard to grow our program to further enrich the lives of the families we serve, and we can't do this without you. In addition to your recent gift, will you please help further our mission by sharing our story with someone you know? We also would love to welcome you for a tour of our facilities so that you can see how valuable your support truly is to our staff, the children and their families.

Sincerely,

Barbara Geist  
Director

*Thank you for your contribution of \$1,981.87 on 11/23/2015. No goods or services were provided in exchange for this contribution. Park Forest Preschool is an exempt organization as described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code; EIN 25-1358116.*

#### STAFF:

Barbara Geist, Director  
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