

THE PIPER

NOVEMBER 4/5 & 11/12, 2023



Trinity Lutheran Church

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WEDNESDAY - November 8th

Dinner at 6:00 pm & "The Chosen" at 6:45 pm

Season 1 - Episode 8

Dinner Menu:

Grilled Boneless Chicken

Sticky Rice, Green Beans, Corn & Chopped Salad

Dessert - Donations of desserts welcome

WEDNESDAY - November 15th

Dinner 6:00 pm & "The Chosen" Christmas

Dinner Menu:

Baked Salmon

Tater Tots, Cole Slaw

Stewed Tomatoes, Steamed Broccoli

Dessert - Donations of desserts welcome

Readings 11/5

Revelation 7:9-17

Psalms 34:1-10, 22

1 John 3:1-3

Matthew 5:1-12

Readings 11/12

Amos 5:18-24

Psalms 70

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Matthew 25:1-13

PRAYER LIST

TLC DISCIPLES

Jerry Wion, Linda, Leslie, Brenda Whitmer, Barb Roberts, Elaine Burn, Donna Weller, Nancy Owens

TLC FRIENDS

Rita Shetler, Katie, Josh Potter, Patrick, Patricia, Joe Bitner, PJ Brady, Frank Wetzel

TRINITY EVENTS

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

10:00 am Zumba

5:00 pm Worship w/Communion

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

8:15 am Worship w/Communion

10:00 am Worship w/Communion

w/Children's Church

11:00 am Deeper Waters

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7

5:45 pm Zumba

5:30 pm Executive Team

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8

6:00 pm Dinner & "The Chosen"

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9

5:45 pm Zumba

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11

10:00 am Zumba

5:00 pm Worship w/Communion

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12

8:15 am Worship w/Communion

10:00 am Worship w/Communion

w/Children's Church

11:00 am Deeper Waters Class

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

5:45 pm Zumba

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

6:00 pm Dinner & "The Chosen" -

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16

5:45 pm Zumba

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

10:00 am Zumba

5:00 pm Worship w/Communion

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19

8:15 am Worship w/Communion

10:00 am Worship w/Communion

w/Children's Church

11:00 am Deeper Waters Class

Family Hospice Offers Free Webinar with World-Renowned Grief Expert on Nov. 29

If you or someone you know is grieving the death of a loved one, register for a free webinar with world-renowned author and grief educator, Dr. Alan Wolfelt, on

Wednesday, November 29 from 5-8 p.m.

Family Hospice, part of UPMC, is pleased to offer this live webinar at UPMC Altoona in partnership with Stevens Family Funeral Home. Titled “Understanding Your Grief: Touchstones for Hope and Healing,” this webinar is also being offered virtually. Dr. Wolfelt will discuss the following topics: dispel misconceptions about grief, embrace the uniqueness of your grief, explore your feelings of loss, understanding the six needs of mourning, recognize you are not crazy, nurture yourself, reach out for help, and seek “reconciliation” and not “resolution.” Registration is required for the in-person or virtual option. Seating is reserved on a first come, first served basis. If attending in person, parking is available at the UPMC Altoona parking garage for a \$2 fee. The webinar will be streamed in the Rotunda on the 6th floor.

[To register, please call and leave a message at 814-947-7060 by Nov. 27. Indicate whether you plan to attend in person or participate virtually and share your email address if participating](#)

REMINDER

Deeper Waters Confirmation Class resumes this
week on Sunday, November 5th at
11:00 am



Poinsettia Order Forms

Order forms to purchase a red or white poinsettias, in memory of or in honor of, to decorate our worship space on Christmas Eve are available on the table in the narthex.

Cost:

Small 1 plant Pot - \$10.00

Large 2 plant Pot - \$18.00

Order forms with payment included must be returned to the church by
Sunday, November 26th



Park Forest Preschool Craft Kits

Trinity has been asked to provide craft kits for the children participating in the Park Forest Preschool program. This year there are 36 children.

Kits need to contain:
Blunt Scissors, Construction Paper,
Crayons, Glue Stick, Scotch Tape
and a Writing Tablet.

Since all the kits are the same, the school is not going to provide names for name tags. There are snowmen tags on the tree to attach to each gift.

The tree is in the narthex and gifts can be put under that tree. There are also notes with what is needed for each kit that you can pick up to take to the store with you.

We are asking that all packages be dropped off at the church by Sunday, December 3rd

If you have questions, please call the office (814) 238-2024 or email (tlcoffice2@comcast.net)

Living Lutheran Magazine

In the past this is traditionally the time when renewals for the “Living Lutheran” magazine are requested. However, this year after the November/December 2023 issue is sent out, that will be the last print issue.

It was reported in the March issue that the magazine will cease its print publication.

Due to the increased cost of printing a magazine - including paper, ink and postage prices - all which steadily increased, it has made it difficult to support a print edition. As they are trying to be good stewards of the generous support given by the church, they feel this is the best course for them.

Not to worry, you can still get all the latest information and much more from the Living Lutheran by logging onto the LivingLutheran.org website to view the magazine on-line platform.

This is a 2 week TLC Piper Newsletter - weekly newsletters will resume on November 16th when I am back from vacation. *Beth*

From the Pastor's Desk

November 4/5, 2023

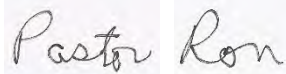
Dear Beloved of God,

Happy Halloween! Well, belated, perhaps, but still, we celebrated a wonderful All Hallows' Eve handing out hotdogs, snacks, candy, and drinks. We gave away over 60 hotdogs and all the Tricker Treaters were happy to stop by our stand. Several people even mentioned they look forward to stopping by our place on Halloween.

Great thanks to all of you who donated items to share! Once again, the congregation has outdone itself in its generosity. Thanks also to the volunteer crew who did so well: Ken Healy, Brian Lewis, Carol Smith, Kayla and Iain Smith, and Dennis P. Zerbe. Your efforts and commitment to Trinity are deeply appreciated! Thanks so much!

And now, let the holidays begin!

Peace, joy, and love,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Pastor Ron". The signature is written in black ink on a light-colored background.

Pastor Ron