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*“King of kings, forever and ever,
and Lord of lords, Hallelujah! Hallelujah!”
The Hallelujah Chorus from Handel’s Messiah*



March 2016

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*The bells ring out their message sweet
Angel choirs the news repeat
Hear their glad song
Join in the throng
Christ is arisen
Let the message ring on!*



*All the bells their message ringing
All creation in joyous singing
Christ is risen today
Christ the Lord who lives alway!*

*Now let all the earth and sky
Join our praises to Thee on high
Praise be Thine, O King Divine
Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna
Praise be Thine!*





**From
the
Pastor**

**Noah's Ark
March 2016**



Dear Brothers and Sister in Christ,

As a Pastor, I've talked to a lot of people. Most of the time that's what pastors do, they talk. On that rare occasion, they might even listen. I listen to people tell me their story. Usually the story might depend on the set of mood they are feeling. If they're feeling good, then the mood is lifting and you see smiles. Although, the opposite can take effect, too, for whatever the reason (health, jobless, anxiety, depression, being a caretaker, etc) I can hear a different tone. A tone that makes anybody wonder, why would God allow His people to feel such pain physically, emotionally, mentally and even spiritually.

That question is very common. To relay the correct answer, I have to look to God to help during those situations. It's easy to say to look toward God but it's faith to understand His words. We have to listen to what God has to say during those situations to help us change how we think or feel. Isaiah 41:10 tell us "10 fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand." This verse is for everybody. It doesn't have to be for a certain reason. I know that when we are down and when the tone isn't right, we can rely on this verse.

Being a Pastor doesn't mean I will have all the right answers (which I don't), I can only rely on God and to relay God's word, love and care back to His flock. As God's flock, God is there to listen. He is the ultimate listener. He knows how to listen and to hear us when we are in need. People will say God never talks or answers back. He does talk and answer. He talks through His word. He tells us not to be dismayed and that He will be our strength when we are weak. If we can't hold on to God, God will hold on to us. His word is a word of comfort. We find joy in His word when we are weak, feeling grief, anxiety or depression. God lifts you out of the deep hole we find ourselves. His hand makes us righteous.

My brothers and sisters, as God prepares all of you to finish out the season of Lent, do not be dismayed by anything this world has to offer. Remember, God's strength lies in the Son of God who gave His life in order that we will have life on the last day. Rely on His eternal strength.

God's blessing. See you at church during Holy Week, Pastor Travis

EASTER PLANT ORDER FORM

Deadline for ordering, Sunday, March 20th

Please include payment with order



Selection

Lily \$17.50 6 inch pot

Tulip \$12.50 4 inch pot

Daffodil \$12.50 4 inch pot

No color selection available



NAME _____

As you want it to appear on listing

PHONE _____

Lily How many _____ @ \$17.50= _____

Tulip How many _____ @ \$12.50= _____

Daffodil How many _____ @ \$12.50= _____

DONATION TOWARD PALMS \$ _____

TOTAL = \$ _____

IN MEMORY OF _____

IN HONOR OF _____

TO THE GLORY OF GOD _____

TAKING PLANT _____ **LEAVING PLANT** _____

Please place cash or check made out to Trinity Lutheran Church
Memo line: Flowers - in Offering Plate, Flower Mailbox in hall or
mail to church Attn: Kay Charon 74 Forest Ave, Glen Cove, NY
11542 Questions Kay Charon 671-0182. Flower envelope in packet.

NEWS IN THE PEWS...

STEWARDSHIP: SCORE SOME EXTRA POINTS WITH GOD

Want an easy, painless way to donate to the church? Take a look at your credit card statement. Do you have unused points on your credit card? You could redeem those points and make a donation to Trinity. Many don't know that your credit card may have been earning rewards that you can redeem for merchandise or cash back. If you aren't using those rewards, please consider donating them! Sometimes the points can be redeemed for merchandise that the church could use such as computer equipment. Take a look at your credit card statement next time it comes in the mail. What a great way to turn everyday purchases into the Lord's work! If you have questions, please ask Pastor or Lisa Baade.

STAMP COLLECTION:

A member has a stamp collection they no longer want and is looking for a Trinity member who would enjoy having it. If you have an interest in stamps please contact Pastor Yee.

DIRECTOR/TEACHER POSITION AVAILABLE:

Calvary Lutheran Church in East Meadow has a position available for Teacher/Director of Nursery School. Full time position with benefits. Certification required. Experience preferred. Please contact the Church office via email at calvaryeastmeadow.com or fax [516-735-1804](tel:516-735-1804).

BABIES BORN:

Congratulations to Joanne Nielsen and family on the birth of a granddaughter Madison Grace born to Brian and Maria Nielsen.

Congratulations to Claudia Deschamp on the birth of a granddaughter, Ellie, born to Michael and Gill on Feb. 19th. Congratulations to the Cardenas Family on the birth of a son Adrien to Aida and Jesus in January.

God bless and keep these little ones in His grace.



GAME NIGHT AT TRINITY:

This Friday night starting at 6 PM.
Pizza and soda. Bring your favorite games to play.

Look out for next month's PAINT NIGHT and be sure to sign up early to reserve a spot.



FACEBOOK CHECK-IN FOR TRINITY:

Remember to check in to Trinity on Facebook as often as you can to help supply children in need with school supplies. Thanks!

WORSHIP COMMITTEE MEETS

THURSDAY, 3/3 AT 7:30 PM

FOLLOWING WORSHIP

VOTERS BODY MEETS

SUNDAY, 3/13 AFTER WORSHIP

(APPROVING LUCIA COFFEY TO COUNCIL)



2016 Atlantic District Festival of Workshops

"Connect in Christ"

Saturday, March 12, 2016

Concordia College, Bronxville

A day of 37 workshops offered by a wide selection of presenters designed to offer you tools and resources to better equip you for ministry. Our goal is to help you "Connect in Christ" with each other and with

those you are tasked with serving.

Registration forms and workshop booklets are available now. Please try

to register by Monday, March 7th. You may call the church office for information or

Visit The Atlantic District website www.ad-lcms.org to register or for more info on the workshops

Trinity is willing to pay your registration fee of \$35 which includes a box lunch. Check-in required at 8:30 AM



Trinity Lutheran Church Worship Assistants' Schedule March 2016

*Serve the Lord with Praise-filled hearts.
Please be at your assigned post
15 minutes prior to start of service*



Assistants	3/6 Sunday 9:30 AM	3/13 Sunday 9:30 AM	3/20 Sunday 9:30 AM	3/27 Sunday 9:30 AM
Chancel	Kim Flower	Bill Charon	Cheo Teng	Rob Edwins
Acolyte	Andrew Noak	Lucas Rabanal	Amanda Baade	Adrien Brunelle
Reader	Kim Flower	Carol Rosa	Phyllis Yee	Edith U
Ushers	*Will Flower Cheo Teng Jerry Flower	*Frank U Ted Sitterer Jay Charon	*George M Ted Norelius Nils Coffey	*Bob B Rod Catano Rick Ranno
Greeters	Danielle N	Carol Rosa	Jane S	Phyllis Yee
Nursery	Ali Bebry	Elise N	Amelia N	Yasmin R
Altar	Phyllis Yee	Jane S	OPEN	Phyllis Yee
Sanct Lite	Uhlendorf	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Flowers	1-Uhlendorf 1-Viglione	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Fellowship	Sandra/Pat/ Brit	Bartlotti/ Kreiner	Brunch	OPEN

*If you can serve on Maundy Thursday or Good Friday,
at 7:15, please call the church office.*

Altar: Maundy Thursday: Edith Uhlendorf

If you can't make your scheduled assignment please call church office.

Call Kim Flower be added to assistants' lists 1-954-224-1816

**Head usher responsible for head count/offertings*

*To sign up for Altar, Flowers, Sanctuary Light, Fellowship,
please fill in the charts in church hallway.*

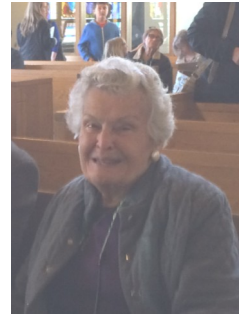
Sanctuary Light \$5/Sunday Flowers \$20/vase, 2 available each week

Put your ALL on the ALTAR and help fill the OPEN slots



"What Does Trinity Lutheran Church Mean to Me?"

by Elsie Armstrong



I was baptized at Trinity at the age of two, confirmed, married, my children were baptized and confirmed hereso many happy memories. Mrs. Pauly, my friend Betty's mom, brought us to Sunday School where Caroline Behnken Petersen was our first teacher. (Betty and I are still friends at 87 and 88 yrs of age.) Trinity was my social life as a child, teenager and young woman. I sang in the choir, taught Sunday school, was an active member of the Ladies Guild, etc. Trinity was always a major part of my life.

I do believe that faith is caught ... Not taught... And over the years I was drawn to God's love by so many members who lived the verse, Matthew 5:16, "Let your light shine before others so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven." So many of these faithful members who influenced my walk have now gone on to Glory. Wilma and Dick Sahai, Pastor Marohn, Pastor Bob Griffin, Dottie French Kossmann, Marge Flower, Ilse Konzett, the Maurers, ...So many more. And then our Gretel Frerich who continues to shine for Jesus as she approaches her 105th birthday in June. So many ... Those who were part of my Bible Study over the years. The shining lights who found more and more that Jesus speaks to each of us personally as we read and study.

We here at Trinity are so very blest to have Pastor Travis not only leading studies but encouraging others to do the same.

Come, share and be blest!!!

In HIS love, Elsie

NEWS IN THE PEWS....

It has pleased Almighty God to call home to Himself Ruth Jean Monory, mother of Claudia Deschamp, Yvonne and Michele Diaz on February 9th. A service was held at Trinity on February 13th. Our love and prayers to the family in their loss.



Also called Home on January 15th was Christine Simmons. Our love and sympathy to her husband Bob. She was a faithful contributor to the pantry each month. She was interred on January 18th.

May God comfort their hearts with His presence and peace.

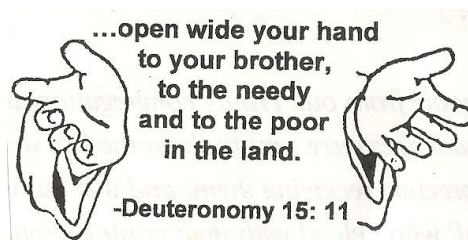
TLCShares—Share a sympathy card with someone who has lost a loved one or give a Memorial in their Memory to Trinity.

Memorials Received

In Memory of	Given by	Designated
Ruth Jean Monory	Ann & Warren Olsen	VBS
	Edith & Frank Uhendorf	VBS

TLCSHARES—CHURCH FOOD PANTRY AND THRIFT SHOP

3RD SAT OF THE MONTH
NEXT PANTRY: SATURDAY, MARCH 19TH
9:30-NOON



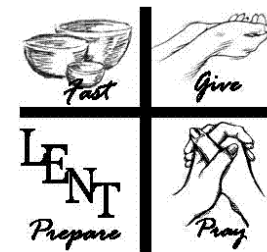
The Food Pantry would particularly appreciate donations of cereal, tuna fish, jelly and peanut butter, school snacks and box drinks. Thanks!

LENT AND HOLY WEEK

Lenten series theme The Messiah;
Lenten Devotional focusing on our sins,
focusing on God's plan

The devotions can be read daily via email or on Trinity's Facebook page.

Contact Pastor Travis to be added to the email list.



Pastor Travis will be doing the service on March 6th but we will have a guest preacher, Pastor Gary Bauch from Food for the Poor.



Lenten Soup Supper Schedule

Thursdays at 6:00 PM

HOST: 3/3 Guild

HOST: 3/10 Pantry Volunteers

HOST: 3/17 Individual Members

Lenten Worship at 6:45 PM on Thursdays

HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday, March 20th with Sunday School participation followed by Brunch (Spring begins set clocks ahead 1 hour)



Maundy Thursday, March 24th Worship 7:30 PM with Holy Communion

Good Friday, March 25th, Tenebrae Worship 7:30 PM



Saturday, March 26th, Church opened for prayer 10 AM-2 PM

EASTER MORNING, MARCH 27th
FESTIVAL SERVICE AT 9:30 AM

He is Risen, indeed, Alleluia!



Looking Ahead...

April Fellowship Night will be **Paint Night**. If we have 21 people participating it will cost \$25 per person. If there is too much month at the end of the money, see Pastor or Bill Charon as we have a Fellowship Fund we can help you out with. Or if you have a lot of family members attending we can also fund some. Don't miss out on fun and fellowship due to shortage of funds!

We don't yet know the scene we will be painting but it will be on easels on tabletops so we will be sitting for the two hours. Refreshments will be served. They required children to be 10 years of age and up. Elise and Amelia Norelius will be taking care of the younger ones with a painting project in the kitchen. Please let us know if you need childcare so we can have the appropriate supplies for them. It promises to be a fun night! Pastor Travis has already received some responses on his Evite, so sign up early. They teach you how to do it, no experience necessary. Maybe we have some budding artists in the congregation, who knows!!

Event: PAINT NIGHT - Date: Friday, April 15th - Time: 6 PM

TENTATIVE Date for **Defibrillator Class** is Saturday, April 9th. TBA
Come and learn how to use it - location of Defibrillator is in the hall opposite the fellowship room.

ASCENSION DAY WORSHIP SERVICE will be at St. John's, Williston Park on Thursday, May 5th. Plan ahead to attend with the rest of the churches from our circuit. If you would like to join in the combined choir, info will be sent to church and Christie will announce. Rev. Charles Byer will be preaching. Come, celebrate our Lord's Ascension to His Father.

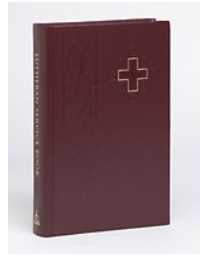
NEW BIBLE STUDY for the Ladies is in the planning stage.
Phyllis Yee will be leading it at church in the evening in April - TBA.

SPAGHETTI DINNER is also being planned for Saturday, May 14th.

PICTURE DAY - we are planning a new Directory. LIFE TOUCH Photographers will be at church Friday and Saturday, April 20th & 21st so be sure to sign up for a time to have family pics taken for directory.

Old Hymns: If you would like an old hymnal, either The Lutheran Hymnal (red) or the Lutheran Book of Worship (green) please help yourself to one from the cart by the elevator lift or notify the church office.

Lutheran Service Book Order Form



If you are interested in purchasing one or more hymnals- Cost \$30.00 each -fill in the form below and return it with your check made out to Trinity Lutheran Church
Memo line: Hymnals—Thank you!

Presented by:

Your Name as you would like it to appear

____ In Memory of

____ In Honor of

____ In Thanksgiving to God for

Name of Person or Event being honored or remembered

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A nameplate dedication will be put in the front of each hymnal similar to the ones above



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