

TRINITY CHURCH TIDINGS

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WORSHIP TIMES

Saturday @ 5:00 pm - Devotional
Sunday @ 8:00 am - Traditional
Sunday @ 10:30 am - Contemporary

“BRIDGE BUILDING STEWARDSHIP”

“Christian Stewardship is the free and joyous activity of the child of God and God’s family, the church, in managing all of life and life’s resources for God’s purpose.”

[Definition of Christian Stewardship from the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod.]

Last month I wrote to you about “Reformation Bridge-Building Vision.” This month I want to preview our upcoming Stewardship Sermon Series in the month of November focusing on Bridge Building Christian Stewardship. Most Christians think of stewardship as sermons and campaigns on church budgets, pledging, giving and time/talent surveys. Without a doubt Christian Stewardship touches upon and interfaces with all of these, but it is much much more than fund raising and enlisting volunteers! This month I want to look at the basics of sound Biblical Christian Stewardship and bridge the gap that exists between a campaign and a lifestyle, a segment of life to our whole life.

C. S. Lewis, in his book, *Mere Christianity* wrote, “Every faculty you have, your power of thinking or of moving your limbs from moment to moment, is given you by God. If you devoted every moment of your whole life exclusively to His service, you could not give Him anything that was not in a sense His own already.” As C. S. Lewis eloquently writes, everything is God’s! Absolutely everything! All our time, our talents and abilities, even our power to think and move is from God! We really give Him nothing. He gives us everything! But He calls us to manage what He has given us. He desires that we joyfully, even cheerfully, manage all our life and resources in thanksgiving to Him and according to His will and purpose. This certainly goes far beyond a several week sermon series or Bible study on Christian stewardship, filling out a pledge-giving form and checking through a survey list of talents, abilities, skills and interests. God doesn’t want just a tithe (10%) response. He desires and expects a whole 100% response! He calls us to faithfully and joyously manage all He has blessed us with from creation / nature to skills and abilities, material resources to His Holy Word and Sacraments!

Let me be very clear though. The more traditional foci of Christian Stewardship like time, talent and treasure are neither wrong nor bad. In fact they are very helpful as one examines his/her stewardship accountability. Pledging and encouraging tithing (giving 10%) are valid stewardship components when properly understood. Using the pledges and tithes of God’s people in His church to formulate a resource budget for funding mission and ministry are sound and appropriate. But they are not ALL that Christian Stewardship is about. Properly understood, Christian Stewardship is a *whole life and ‘all in’* joyous response of faith and thanksgiving to the creator and owner of everything. Our oldest calling from God is to “rule over” all His creation. That’s our calling still today as His stewards and managers.

This month we want to look at some of the basic truths and myths, questions and answers concerning Biblical Stewardship and build a bridge from that to our every day lives. On November 17th I want to cover some/all of your questions about stewardship. Please submit your questions in writing and place them in my mail slot (in the coat room). You need not sign your name. Or you could send your questions to tlckrueger@verizon.net if you prefer. Thank you for your participation!

God bless our stewardship journey together!

~ Pastor Dennis Krueger



Daylight Savings Time ends
Sunday, November 3rd at 2:00am.
 Remember to turn your clocks back!



Thanksgiving Worship

Wed. November 27 @ 7:00 p.m.

Trinity will hold only one Thanksgiving Worship Service, which will be on Thanksgiving Eve, Nov. 27th at 7:00 p.m. There **will not** be a service the next morning on Thanksgiving Day. The reason is that we want ALL of Trinity to gather together to praise and thank the Lord in one united service!



Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

It is Operation Christmas Child Shoebox time again! Please pick up a pamphlet in the narthex and pack a shoebox for a child in need of the good word of Jesus Christ. Shoeboxes will be collected until **SUNDAY NOVEMBER 17th**. New this year, please pick up a raffle ticket for EACH shoebox donated and fill out your name and phone number for a chance to win a prize!! On behalf of the Outreach Committee, thank you for your continued support of this project.

The Red Food Pantry Wagon

For the month of November, we will be collecting peanut butter and jelly. Items will be donated to the food pantry at Bread of Life Outreach Center in Colden. Thank you for your support!



Buffalo Bills vs. Miami Dolphins

**Sunday, November 17th
 12:30 PM - 4:00 PM**

Join Trinity's Men In Ministry in watching the Buffalo Bill's away game against the Miami Dolphins on Sunday November 17th, from 12:30 PM – 4:00 PM at the Hamburg Brewing Company (6553 Boston State Rd, Hamburg NY). All men, women and children are welcome. This is a great event to invite a neighbor or friend to. Hope to see you there! Contact Chris Kopra with any questions. Go Bills and 'Squish the Fish'!



TRUNK or TREAT

**Sunday, October 27, 2018
 At 6:00pm**

Park with your trunk facing in around the perimeter of Trinity's parking lot and have 2-3 bags worth of candy in your trunk. You and your children, in costume, will then make your way around the parking lot gathering candy! Bring your own collection bags / containers. A brief devotion will follow in the gym. Call Mark Willert with any questions (608-8907).

Property & Grounds Meeting and Workday

Saturday, November 16th at 9:00am

The Property & Grounds Committee's next meeting will be on Saturday, November 16 at 9am. A work day will immediately follow at approximately 10am.



Pies for Thanksgiving

Trinity's Jr. High Group will be blessing people with pies this Thanksgiving! They're going to spend the evening of 11/20 baking away at the school. For \$10, they'll make 2 pies - one for you to take home for the holiday, and one for an area nursing home. Sign up fast when you see the order forms because availability is limited!

Advent Celebration

**Tuesday, December 3, 2019
 6:00pm at Trinity School**



Looking for a great way to kickoff Advent? All ages are invited to come together for an evening of food, worship and fun that will include a FREE pizza dinner, a brief family friendly worship, and festive activities. All this within an hour and a half to get you back home for your evening routine. All ages are welcome! Be sure to sign up **by November 25th** because we need a head count to order the pizza! Let us know your name, phone #, how many children, and how many teens/adults. Email Youth and Family Coordinator, Mark Willert "MWillert@thinktrinitychristian.com" to sign up or use the form included in upcoming worship bulletins. Thanks to Thrivent for sponsoring this event!

Trinity School News



From the Principal ...

Dear Friends,

It sure is hard being a Christian sometimes, isn't it? We get tired of being patient, or forgiving, or trying to see the best in people. Sometimes it's really challenging to find the line between being a loving, concerned person or giving in to our human impulses to criticize or hurt. It also seems like many people are looking for an excuse to criticize Christians for anything they consider objectionable. It makes me all the more aware of presenting a loving face, especially in difficult circumstances. We all know there are times, though, when we have to take a stand against those things which are not God-pleasing. Your school staff works to be those lights of Christ every day, while still providing structure and leadership for their students. May God grant us wisdom and patience as we strive to glorify Him through our actions, making decisions and living as a Godly example for our children. *"All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work."* 2 Timothy 3:16-17

The full-time Trinity school staff enjoyed an excellent Lutheran professional development event in October at the LEA Convocation in St. Louis. Over 2,700 teachers and administrators attended. More than 150 session choices, excellent keynote speakers and incredible worship experiences made this an invaluable experience. Next October, the Eastern District host its triennial Professional Church Workers Convocation in Reading, PA. Once again, the staff will have the blessing of hundreds of district-wide educators and other Lutheran church workers with whom to worship and grow.

Thank you to all who joined us for Grandparents Day on 10/23! We had a delicious breakfast, fun classroom activities and a great chapel (thanks, Pastor Ron!) due to the efforts of our staff and the PTO. We love these family events - it's what Trinity is all about.

Tell your friends about our Open House on Nov. 5, from 5-7pm. Great things are happening within these walls - to God be the glory!

~ Kathleen Fretthold, Principal



Buy Gift Cards That Give Back!

Please consider ordering gift cards through our SCRIP fundraiser. The proceeds will go towards further professional development for our Trinity School staff members. The process is easy. Simply fill out a SCRIP order form for the gift cards you want and place the order form and money in the school's mailbox. Forms can be found on the Welcome Center in the church narthex. Orders will be placed the first Sunday of every month throughout the entire school year. Gift cards make for great gifts! Please contact Lynnae Kwilas (912-1939) with any questions.

Chicken Dinner Success!

Thank you for supporting our chicken barbecue fundraiser. We were able to sell out and beat our old record. In total we sold 625 chicken dinners! We really appreciate all your help making this such a successful event!



UPCOMING HOLIDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

While it hardly seems possible, the holiday season is almost upon us! Here is the schedule of special worship services for the holidays:

THANKSGIVING EVE

Wednesday, November 27th at 7pm

(There will not be a Thanksgiving Day service)

MID-WEEK ADVENT

Wednesday, December 18th at 7pm

(School Program; no other mid-week services)

SUNDAY SCHOOL PAGEANT ~ DECEMBER 22nd

Sunday School Christmas Program at 10:30am

CHRISTMAS EVE ~ DECEMBER 24th

Family Christmas Eve Service at 5:00pm

Christmas Candlelight Chorale Service at 10:00pm

CHRISTMAS DAY ~ DECEMBER 25th

Christmas Day Worship at 9:30am

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Tuesday, December 31st at 6pm

Creation Workshop

Saturday, November 2, 2019

At St. John's Lutheran Church, Orchard Park

The LCMS Eastern District is hosting this leadership mini-workshop featuring various presentations on creation by Dr. Robert Carter of Creation Ministries International. Scheduled presentations are:

9am - The Alternative: Creation's Competitive Edge

10am - The High Tech Cell

11am - Q & A

A donation of \$10 is suggested for the event, but not required. Contact Trinity Church's office (674-9188) for registration information.



Trinity member Larry Wypior was called to his heavenly rest on October 4, 2019. A memorial service and celebration of his life will be held at Trinity on November 2, 2019 at 11:00am.

Congregational Voters' Meeting Report

This past Sunday, October 13th, Trinity Lutheran Church held a Voters' Meeting. Reports were heard and/or distributed in writing from the various Boards and Committees of the congregation. Especially noted were the many special projects that have been accomplished in the past five years or so from our mission activity in Haiti to the technology upgrades, property improvements and the creation of Stephen Ministry and our new Board of Elders. Mrs. Lynnae Kwilas was re-elected to the Executive Board and will also serve as the Vice President of the Board. The 2019-2020 Church and School Budget was presented, discussed and passed as presented. The adopted budget projects a deficit of \$17,452 and provides no salary increases for any of the church or school staff. It is hoped that perhaps mid-year some sort of increase or bonus might be given to the staff.



2020 ALTAR FLOWERS & CANDLES / OIL

The 2020 sign-up charts will soon be posted in the church coatroom.

Flowers: \$10 per vase and you get to take them home after the 10:30am service! We are asking that 2 families sign up for each week. Payments should be placed in the **Church Office's message center** - make checks payable to **"Trinity Lutheran Church"** (*memo: Altar Flowers*).

The Altar Candles & Oil: \$25 per month (per family). Two families should sign-up each month to cover the total cost. Checks should be made payable to: **"Trinity Lutheran Church"** and placed in the Church Office message center.

**Please make sure to include your name and special intentions on the sign-up sheets.*



Altar Guild News

After many years of dedicated service, Lois Rodgers has retired from her position as treasurer of Trinity's Altar Guild. Thank you Lois for all you have done for Trinity!

Note: Beginning in November, payments for altar candles / oil should be made out to "Trinity Lutheran Church" (not Altar Guild) and given to the church office or handed in to the weekly collection in an envelope clearly marked "Altar Candles / Oil".

YOUTH SCOOP

Jr. High Activities

Jr. High Youth Night: Our next Jr. High Gym Night will be held on **Thursday, November 7 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm** in the school gym. Kids can expect open gym time, organize games, a brief devotion, and a great time with some friends. Don't miss out!

Jr. High Thanksgiving Pie Baking: Sunday, November 20 at Trinity School.

Girls Small Group

The Sr. High girls will get together at the Willert's house on November 6 from 7:00 PM - 8:15 PM to continue talking about the book they're reading, Live Fearless. The evening will be lead by Hope Willert. Hope says it's an awesome book and it's not too late to be a part of it! The girls have had some really great discussion and sharing.



First Communion Classes

First Communion Classes began on Sunday, October 20th (9:15-10:15am) for anyone in 4th grade or older. They will continue on Sunday, 10/27 and for the next two Sundays ... 11/3 and 11/10 at the same time – during Sunday School. This is a change in schedule due to many of our youth attending a Youth Retreat over the 11/1-11/3 week-end. Those not attending the retreat are encouraged to attend class on 11/3 for an extra review session. We are planning on **First Communion on November 24 at the 10:30am service**. The youth will be invited to participate in receiving Holy Communion but will actually commune with their families. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Krueger.

STEWARDSHIP SERIES:

“A Stewardship Series”

As we approach Thanksgiving, we will pursue a sermon series on Christian Stewardship: 11/10; 11/17; 11/24. On 11/17 we will take up questions concerning Christian Stewardship submitted by members of Trinity Lutheran Church - “Stewardship Queries.” Please submit your questions in writing and place them in Pastor Krueger's mail slot at church, or email them to tlckrueger@verizon.net. Our Stewardship emphasis in November will be a very down to earth basic consideration of our calling as God's caretaker-stewards. You need not sign your name with the question.

LWML ITEMS

Save those Cancelled First Class Stamps!

With the holidays coming, many greetings will be mailed. Please save the cancelled first class stamps from the envelopes. LWML uses these as a fund raiser to send bibles. Please leave one quarter inch around the perimeter of the stamp or just cut off the corner of the envelope with the stamp intact. Opening greeting cards from the bottom preserves the stamp well. Please put your collection of stamps in the message center for Gerald & Linda Meissner. Thank you.

Save and Recycle Used Electronics and Ink Cartridges

LWML can raise funds with those old unwanted electronics and empty ink cartridges. Please collect only name brand ink cartridges. Electronics will be wiped clean by the recycler. If unable to clear them, they will be destroyed. Please put the recycles into the purple bin in the narthex. Thank you.

Cemetery News . . .

Burial plots are still available in our cemetery.

- Members - \$700 per plot with a \$100 discount per plot when purchasing 2 or more at the same time
- Non-members - \$1,400 per plot (no discounts given). Non-members must be relatives of a Trinity member in order to purchase plots.

ANY burials or spreading of ashes in Trinity's Cemetery are prohibited without pre-approval from the Cemetery Board. Both state and cemetery regulations need to be adhered to.

Steward Builders

A newsletter to help you grow as a steward.

The purpose of this newsletter is to share God's Word so that our members will better understand who we are to be and what we are to do in the light of the Scriptures. It is our hope that this monthly publication will help you grow in your relationship with the Lord and as a Christian steward.

Stewards of Our Time

Are you a good steward of the time God has given you? God created time, and He still rules over that time. It is our responsibility not to waste it and to use it wisely as His faithful stewards. Of all the gifts that God gives us, time is one of the most precious, because we cannot save it, and we cannot have more. Keys to wise use of time include setting goals, deciding on priorities, and making plans based on God's will for our lives as it is revealed to us through study of His Word and prayers for His guidance. Without goals and priorities, we find that we are caught up in the "rat race" of the day and that our lives are out of balance.

Time, as well as other areas of life, is affected by God's principle of sowing and reaping. *"The point is this: whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows bountifully will also reap bountifully"* (2 Corinthians 9:6). If we spend our time unproductively, we will not reap the same rewards had we invested our time wisely. If we sow much, we will reap much. If we want to be proficient at tennis, golf, or playing the piano, we must commit the time and effort to practice in order to develop the necessary skills. The same principle holds in our lives as stewards.

Society pulls at us with all kinds of diversions that crowd our lives with things of no eternal value. What is important to us can be seen by where we spend our time. When we acknowledge God as the giver of time, how can we say we don't have time to do the things He would have us do? Our time is a gift from God, so it is proper and fitting that we use our time in ways that honor and glorify Him.



Stewards of Our Talents

In 1 Peter 4:10 we read, *"As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace."* Here we learn again that God wants each of us to use our talents faithfully and responsibly. Paul said, *"Whatever you do, work heartily as for the Lord and not for men"* (Colossians 3:23). We should begin and live each day with the joy and vigor that come from hearts filled with thanksgiving to God for His love, His guidance, His presence, and His strength in whatever we do.

Scripture is full of instances where God has used ordinary people like us to accomplish extraordinary things. He chose a stammering Moses to lead His people out of bondage, self-serving fishermen, James and

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John, to lead His Church and spread the Gospel, impulsive Peter's confession upon which to build His Church, and Paul, who spoke of a thorn in his flesh, to be the first great missionary of the Christian Church.

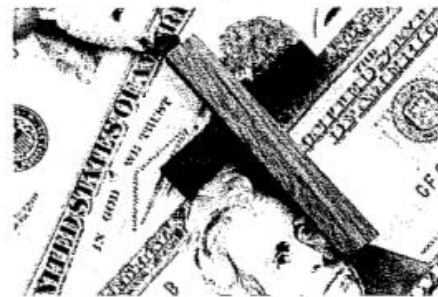
God uses imperfect people, those whom the world considers weak and flawed, to extend His kingdom. When we allow ourselves to be used by God in whatever way He chooses, He takes our meager talents and blesses them, making us examples for others around us. We are not perfect, nor do we know all there is to know about God's Word. Yet, we, like Moses, James, John, Peter, and Paul, are privileged by God's grace to participate in the work of His kingdom.

God has blessed us with gifts of time and talents, but the decision is ours whether or not we will use those gifts for the work of the Lord. Are we open to the possibilities before us? Are we willing to explore and grow? We should be, because, as redeemed children of God, we are enabled by the Holy Spirit to use faithfully our God-given talents for God's kingdom. God will always equip us for the tasks He gives us to do. It can be a bit risky or uncomfortable, but He is with us all the way.

Stewards of Our Money

Of all the gifts that God gives us to manage as His stewards, money is probably the most difficult. Jesus knew the attraction money would hold for us and the effect it has on our lives. He said, *"You cannot serve God and money"* (Matthew 6:24). Having a proper view of money and possessions and managing them in God-pleasing ways are serious challenges that face all Christians.

Jesus also said, *"Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also"* (Matthew 6:21). If money and the things money can buy become our treasure, God is pushed aside. We can't live our lives with a disclaimer that says, "Lord, I'll serve you spiritually but not with my money." Our relationship with Jesus should impact everything we do, including how we handle our money.



By God's providence, people have and make different amounts of money, but most people face the following tough questions: "How should I spend my money?" "Should I buy on credit?" "How much should I give?" "How much should I save and invest?" What you do with your money speaks volumes about you as a steward. Whether we have little or lots of money, it can be our treasure. Is your money being used as a tool to serve the Lord or a means to satisfy your own desires?

The giving of our money is an important part of being faithful stewards. Mature Christians who are under the control of the Holy Spirit understand the importance of giving and do so willingly and cheerfully. Jesus gave us the greatest and the most perfect gift by offering Himself on the Cross. With hearts filled with God's love for what He did for us, we become "givers" rather than "takers." Giving is an expression of our love for the Lord. In light of what God has done for us through His Son, how can we not give freely to Him?

Blessings on your stewardship journey!



“Harvest and Inheritance”

LCMS Foundation Gift Planning

Gathering is a natural activity often accomplished without much thought to the effort. The ‘grasp reflex’ of humans is alive and well. The evidence of harvest is obvious, whether gathered for others or for self.

Reaping, on the other hand is more of a consequence, not easily gathered. For sure, what a person sows, they reap. What is important in sowing to obtain joy, meaning or blessing?

Inheritance is something that another person gives to, or for, another. For some, it’s a birthright. For others, it’s heirlooms with special meaning. For many, it’s a natural inclination of familial love. God’s Word informs us that ‘God Himself is our inheritance’.

A plentiful harvest is a reoccurring reminder of God’s desire to give yields that produces sustenance among the living. Around the world, it’s a material ingathering that is enjoyed by the righteous and the wicked alike. Harvest reminds us of the spiritual legacy as well!

In collecting harvests from labor, Christian stewards return a portion to the One who provides all for use and enjoyment. Believers give their first-fruits to God as evidence of a 1st Commandment faith. When earthly life is complete, this giving can return a portion of the substance of a Christian steward’s harvest, so the Lord’s work is strengthened. A joyful tradition during biblical ages, it continues as a tradition in ours.

Truly an undeserved heritage is given in God’s yields! St. Peter wrote under inspiration, “Jesus Christ has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an **inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you.** 1Peter 1:3b-4

The gift of eternal life has been endowed on the Cross as an inheritance waiting for all who are called by the Holy Spirit. Consider reflecting such inheritance in your own plans.

Contact Robert Wirth, LCMS Foundation Gift Planner @ robert.wirth@lfn.org or 716-863-4427 for more information. You can discover that your congregation has a trusted charitable guide available to encourage you to plan and direct your passion to give to family and beloved ministries, so others might know that your own heart is reformed and wholly devoted to God.

TRINITY’S ENDOWMENT FUND

Contributions to the Trinity Lutheran Church and School Endowment Fund can be made at anytime for praise and thanksgiving, or in memorial.

Financial Peace LIVE!!

Join us on Wednesday night, **November 20 from 6:45pm - 9:30pm** for a one-night-only event. Dave Ramsey and Chris Hogan will broadcast live and teach you the seven-step plan that has helped nearly 6 million people get out of debt, build wealth, and retire with dignity. Sign up now to attend the special live stream site at St. John's Orchard Park by visiting: <https://www.financialpeace.com/livestreams/1100956> .



Members’ Email Addresses

Does Trinity have your email address? Not sure? If you haven’t been receiving Trinity’s monthly newsletter via email, we probably don’t have it or you have changed it and we need the new one. If this pertains to you, please contact the church office (674-9188) with your email address or you can write your name and email on a piece of paper and place it in the Church Office mailbox in the coatroom.

Stephen Ministers: The After People

People often ask, “What exactly is a Stephen Minister?” One way to put it is that Stephen Ministers are the *After People*.

Stephen Ministers are there:

- ... *after* the phone call you hoped you'd never get.
- ... *after* the funeral, when everyone has left and the emotions you've held at bay come crashing in on you.
- ... *after* the relationship falls apart and the bottom falls out of your life.
- ... *after* the doctor says, “I'm sorry, but there's nothing more we can do.”
- ... *after* the nursing home director shakes your hand and says, “Welcome to your new home.”
- ... *after* the last child honks the horn, waves, and drives away—and the house suddenly seems empty.
- ... *after* the gavel comes down, the handcuffs go on, and your loved one is led away.
- ... *after* the baby arrives, demanding more of you than you ever dreamed possible.
- ... *after* you find a pink slip with your final paycheck.
- ... *after* your family and friends have heard your story one too many times, but you still need to talk it out.

Stephen Ministers are the After People. They are ready to come alongside you—or your friends, neighbors, coworkers, or relatives—and provide comfort and support for as long *after* as needed.

www.stephenministries.org

Happy Birthday

11/2	Dawn Stroh Bonnie Schwab	11/12	Linda Hodge Michael Hock Dawn Barnas Emily Rood	11/21	Aubrey Conti Joshua Barnas
11/3	Carole Jaekle	11/15	Lauren Berton	11/23	Robert Rodgers Paulette Bogumil Courtney Jelowski
11/4	Caitlyn McLaughlin	11/16	Dick Schultz Dennis Glinski	11/26	Debra Howard
11/5	Jane Sirgey Christian Tripi	11/17	Charles Gass Abigail Anderson	11/28	Corrine Rodgers Ryan McKernan
11/6	George Hodge Gary Haas Linda Wrobel	11/18	Nathan Barnas	11/29	Renata Schultz
11/8	Gail Rieman Lisa Manzo Roberta DeMoura	11/20	Theresa McKernan	11/30	Christine Hawkins Christine Harris

Happy Anniversary

11/2 Keith & Karen Tober

11/26 Vincent & Lucille Zarbo



**Free Memory Care
Respite Program
At Orchard Park Presbyterian Church
(4369 S. Buffalo Street, Orchard Park)
2nd Tuesday of each month
10:00am - 2:00pm**

Are you a caregiver for someone living with mild to moderate Alzheimer’s and other dementia? If so, we can help! Introducing Open Door @ OPPC - four hours of FREE, faith-based respite with trained volunteers providing fun, purposeful and supervised activities for your loved one in a group setting and free time for you to get a haircut, visit a friend, grocery shop or attend an appointment. It’s a win-win situation! This isn’t a drop-in program, **registration is required**. For more information or to register, please contact Sherry Pomeroy at sherry@oppchurch.org or 716-662-9348 ext. 309.

Portals of Prayer

Portals of Prayer (Oct - Dec 2019) devotion booklets are still available. They can be found in the church entryway, on the Welcome Center in the narthex, and in the coatroom. Please take one for your home devotions!



Emergency Need

If a family member is **hospitalized** or there is an **emergency need**, please inform and phone Pastor Krueger (997-5666), the church office (674-9188), or one of the Deacons.

Ministers: The People of Trinity Church & School

Position

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