





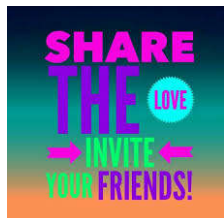
PRAYERS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS for Pentecost- May 31, 2020

OUR MISSION: *The mission of Trinity Lutheran Church is to share the good news of Jesus Christ by serving the spiritual, family and personal needs of the community. We believe that the primary reason for our existence is to bring people closer to Jesus Christ by providing worship, Bible studies, prayer and fellowship to foster spiritual growth.*

 **SPECIAL PRAYERS:** Joyce Mussey, Jack Carroll, William Hoban, Bill Bell, Bill Mercier, Dan Lindstrom, Diana Pollard, Rudy Rentola, Kitty Evans, Art Behnke, Ken Reeves, Donald Butenhof, Betty Giertz, Dorothy Frenz, Dave MacTrinder, Joy Gottfried, Ken Wuerthele, Marilyn Tomsik, Karin Goldsmith, C.C. Acker, Debbie Thompson, Bob Palmer, Marlowe Suess, Andy Tourrette, Kathy Bultman, Mike David, George Walters, Bill Roudebush, Marion Raper, Bob Tomsik, Denise Anderson, Lyle Hoffmeister, Lois Franklin, Carol Bohlmann, Anthony Kakiou (brother of Connie Mulidore), Janice Kaiser, Matthew Crispin, Bill Early, Victor Adam, Rosalyce Peterson, Adrienne Israel, Mary Staudacher, Dorothy Scheler, Ralph Munden, Tom Davies.

 **SPECIAL PRAYERS – LONG TERM ILLNESS:** Carol Small, Bob Edgecomb, Darren Jansen, Joshua Jansen, Shirley Radkiewicz, Fred Suco, Marlene Losey, Traci Wise-Maupin, Pam Petro, Kirsten Reisinger (*Granddaughter of Tom & Sandie Burritt*), Tom Palmer (Bob Palmer's brother), Ann Marie Jaeger, Jean Brown, Marion Mashman, Ed Westover.

 **SPECIAL PRAYERS–SHUT-INS:** Marie Heine, George Keenan, Matthew Derrig, Merle Deterding, Mary Staudacher, Mary Wood.



Our service will be Streamed this Sunday, May 31. Please [click here](#) to see the Live streamed Service or see previous services you may have missed. The Daily Devotions are also in that link.

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES for May 30 to June 5

Happy Birthday!



May 30—Jan Haynie
May 31—Carole Miller
June 1—Donna Brown, Barb Csont, Larry Glass, Sylvia Springer
June 2—Jim McClure, Joan Trainor
June 3—Joy Bronson-McCrady, Barb Krause
June 4—Carol Mattegat
June 5—Susan Cummings, Carol Keenan, Tim Ross, Steve Yuras

Happy Anniversary

May 30—Greg & Elaine Luginbill (21)
May 31— Gary & Linda Eckoff (51)
June 1—Michael & Cynthia Ashley (35)
Stu & Donna Vogt (52)
June 2—Fred & Eva Peters (41)
Leon & Patricia Westerfeld (28)
Gerald & Deanna Winter (58)
June 3—Larry & Mary Glass (53)
Dave & Julia Mack (42)
Ric & Char Marlatt (53)
June 4—Ben & Karen Benzel (53)
Dale & Sharon Clem (60)
Kurt & Connie Crispin (51)



THANK YOU AND VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY- We give thanks to the many people of Trinity Lutheran Church who have generosity provided food for the Community of Gratitude, as the bins have been overflowing!! I am sure we all know that the disadvantaged need our help more than ever and I personally have seen their appreciation. Again, thank you.

You have an opportunity to serve the people by joining those who have delivered food from our church to the Community of Gratitude. We currently have volunteer openings for the months of July, September and November. We prefer that you would volunteer for an entire month, but will gladly accept those who could only do two weeks at a time. Normally the deliveries are done once a week, but in times of urgent need and donations, the deliveries may need to be made more often. Which is great news!!!!

CONTACT- Those that are interested in volunteering are encouraged to call Jim Steinmark at 352-299-0606, for information and sign up.



LWML- Lutheran Women's Missionary League SUMMER OUTING –We are still making plans for our first summer outing on **Tuesday, June 23rd**. It has been confirmed that the Adventure Center at Plantation on Crystal River is fully operational as of May 13th, so we will proceed with making our reservations.

DETAILS- Our scenic one hour cruise is scheduled for **2:30 p.m.** Anyone who wants to carpool should meet at Trinity North's parking lot by 10:30 a.m. on June 23 and head to Plantation on Crystal River for lunch. You can find their menu online at <http://www.plantationoncrystalriver.com> under **DINE AND DRINK which is accessible by clicking on MENU in the upper left corner of their home page.** Reservations need to be made in advance. The cost for the cruise is \$15.90 per person and is non-refundable within 7 days of the event unless they are shut down by the government due to a rebound with the coronavirus. The maximum amount of passengers allowed on the boat is 35 so I would encourage you to make your reservations early.

RESERVATIONS- Because we are unable to set up a table in the Narthex for sign-up, please go online to their website at <http://www.plantationoncrystalriver.com> and make your own reservation.

- 1. Click on MENU in the upper left corner of the page and a list will appear.**
- 2. Go down to where it says MANATEE TOURS and click on OUR TOURS.**
- 3. Scroll down to SCENIC RIVER TOUR and click on Book Now! From there you can make your reservation and pay for it.** Please be sure to select the June 23 date from the calendar. You may also call them at (352) 795-5797 which is a direct number to the Adventure Center to make your reservation.

CONTACT WENDY DAVIS-Please let Wendy Davis know either by phone or by email that you are attending our first summer outing and whether or not you want to carpool and drive. The trip is approximately 65 minutes from Trinity north. **If you need help with making your reservation, or need more information, please call Wendy at (352) 510-0112 or email her at catalogqueen@bellsouth.net.** If you have made a reservation and cancel out, please also notify Wendy in case she has a "standby" list for those who want to go but couldn't due to the cruise being fully booked. If we don't have at least 10 people sign up by June 9 or thereabouts, we will cancel the outing and notify you so that you have time to cancel your reservation and receive a refund. The boat is covered but you may want to bring a hat, sunscreen, sunglasses and a camera. We are also planning another outing in August. Watch for information in future bulletins and Tidings articles.



COMMUNITY OF GRATITUDE: Today there are many hungry families in our community who are in need of our help. The **Community of Gratitude Emergency Food Center**, located in Ocklawaha, is in need of food items which in turn will feed many impoverished families and children. **THE CENTER IS IN URGENT NEED OF ALL THE ITEMS LISTED BELOW AS THE DONATED FOOD IS NEARLY DEPLETED AND THE LAST GOVERNMENT FOOD DELIVERY WAS DRASTICALLY REDUCED.** Volunteers will deliver them to the food center. **This week's items are: Applesauce, canned potatoes, canned vegetables, cereal, any type of pastas, jelly, soups, condiments, cookies or cake mixes, spaghetti sauce, complete box meals-Mac n cheese, Beefaroni in cans, cereal bars. Please drop these items in the office Monday to Friday from 8:30 to 4:00 p.m.** Contact Jim and/or Nancy Steinmark at 352-299-0606 if you have any questions. Your help is appreciated. Thank you for supporting this Board of Human Care ministry.



Because We Care' Card Ministry: Please remember if you have anyone in need of a card for any reason please let Anna Gay know and a card will be sent. We send cards for Birthdays, (80 yrs, 85 yrs., and 90 and over) and Anniversaries (50th, 60th, and over). Also to Shut-in's, Get Well, Thinking of you, and Sympathy. If you know of a care giver who needs a word of encouragement please get those names to me. E-mail annamgay@gmail.com -Anna M. Gay



DAILY BREAD MINISTRY: Are you a Trinity member experiencing a temporary need of help with meals? It may be that you are recovering from an illness, injury, or surgery. Our congregation has a Daily Bread Ministry of caring volunteers willing to bring you a prepared meal just for the asking. **Contact the Church office at (352) 307-4500 if you need help.** When meals are requested, volunteers are called upon who live close to the household in need.



**FOR A CHUCKLE- Q. Why are rock stars so cool?
A. They have lots of fans.**



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

The wooden shoe of worry

The word sabotage has a fascinating history. Sabot is the French word for a wooden shoe. Sabotage was the act of throwing a shoe into machinery to stop work. Now it means any attempt to hinder production or spoil a product.

Satan tries to cast a wooden shoe into our souls to prevent us from accomplishing God's plan. That shoe is worry, which can crush the spirit, sour our disposition and interfere with Christian service. That's why Jesus instructs: "Do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself" (Matthew 6:34, NIV). Jesus isn't promoting laziness or indifference; instead, he encourages us to trust our Father, who provides for all our needs.

Be on guard, and don't let worry sabotage your faith!

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Christianity is the only religion of the world to insist that reconciliation with the creator cannot ever be accomplished by our performance. Only through the revelation of a Savior, who would be the substitute sacrifice for all of our wrongdoing and make us right with God, can we finally overcome our sense of separation from the Almighty.

This is a gift and promise of life that we rejoice in and share with Christians around the world. We share with all Christians the desire that everyone would come to know Jesus and experience a life under “new management” – the grace and purpose of God.

Trinity is a member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod. We enjoy a blessed confessional heritage of Biblical Christianity with over 65 million Lutherans around the world and over 7 million Lutherans in the U.S. alone. What we know and believe comes only from the Bible, which is God’s inspired Word. While the Bible is certainly our guide for holy living, the primary purpose of the Bible is to reveal Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

We believe every Sunday at Trinity Lutheran Church is a “little Easter”, a celebration of the resurrection of our Lord. We celebrate the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper every Sunday in both worship services. We believe the forgiveness and strength of faith we are promised through receiving the very body and blood of Christ is so greatly needed by all of God’s people, for we are truly a community of wounded healers. For a Christian Church to be anything else than a place of common fellowship and unity and a source of strength for our fragile faith is to fail its God-ordained purpose and intent.

Our pastors would like to be of service to you in any way they can. Feel free to call the church office or speak with Pastor Dan or Pastor Blair directly if you wish to find out more about the church or have more personal needs of a spiritual nature.