



Trinity News—August 1, 2021

Growing in Faith... Reaching Out in Love... Making Disciples

PREPARE FOR WORSHIP NEXT WEEK

1 Kings 19:4-8 Psalm 34:1-8
 Ephesians 4:25-5:2 John 6:35, 41-51

WE PRAY FOR OUR CONGREGATIONAL MEMBERS:

Marian Parizek John Patterson
 Pasparage Family Lynette Patterson Family
 Doris Patterson Michael Patterson
 Fred Patterson & PJ Lyon-Patterson Family Vivian Patterson
 Helen Patterson Richard Patton Jr.
 Regis Dunn II, Preston Wannamaker, David & Cindy Berlin
 & family, Jimmy Gutowski, Brandon Nicely, Andrew Armstrong,
 Greg Krall, Michael Wirick, Brittney Robinson, Jonathan
 Skoloda, Dillan Bellotti, Melissa Durrett, Ivan Rupert, Karalyn
 Dick Vogel, Kenneth Dick II, Zack Vogel, Justin Brasile, Jarrett
 Patterson, Michael Brasile and others deployed in areas of
 unrest.

ATTENDANCE FOR LAST WEEK

Thursday - 28 Saturday - 37
 Sunday 8:15 - 40 Sunday 10:45 - 45
 Drive thru - 15

DRIVE-THRU COMMUNION

Drive thru communion will continue this Sunday, August 1 and again on August 15. Please enter the carport drive from the alley and exit onto Weldon Street. Also, the 10:45am church service on **Sunday, August 8 has been canceled** due to the Car Hop. The 8:15am service that day will be in person, livestreamed (www.facebook.com/trinitylatrobe) and on the radio 98.7FM or 910AM Westmoreland Gold.

FLOWER & BROADCAST SPONSORS

Many dates are open. Please contact the church office, office@trinitylatrobe.com or 724-537-4450. Whole broadcasts are \$80 and a half is \$40. Altar flowers can be ordered from your favorite, local florist. Thank you!



CYFM & CHRISTIAN ED NEWS

CYFM and Christian Ed had a fun evening at the Derry pool with 32 people in attendance. Join us as we **“Make a Splash with Jesus”** at VBS on August 11, 12, and 13. Celebrate the **“Start of a New School Year”** event on August 15 during the Sunday School hour that will end with the Blessing of the Backpacks. Watch for information on a fall hayride and pumpkin painting party!

“Some give freely, yet grow all the richer; others withhold what is due, and only suffer want. A generous person will be enriched, and one who gives water will get water.”
 Proverbs 11:24–25

Sometimes God’s instructions seem at odds with the natural way of doing things. Giving freely can lead to gaining even more? Keeping all of your money could lead to poverty? That doesn’t make sense, does it? Well, not from a human perspective, perhaps. In these verses from Proverbs, we get a new perspective on generosity. Giving generously and serving others benefits the giver as well as the receiver. Giving generously may feel like a sacrifice in the moment. However, these verses tell us quite the opposite. Instead of being hurt financially by giving, we can expect to be better off as a result of giving generously. How is God calling you to be generous?



Sunday, August 8th will be the last Sunday Pastor Paula will be with us. In appreciation for her and her time with us, the congregation is invited to offer a note or card and there is a box located in the front Narthex to collect them.

DO YOU HAVE ANY LEFT-OVER FABRIC?

The WELCA Project Day Quilters are in need of cotton or cotton blend fabric. Fabric can be dropped off in the church office. The quilters meet on Wednesday mornings at 9am. They are not meeting in August, but stop by in September if you would like to join them. Or please call Linda McDowell at 724-537-6059 for more information.



FRESH EXPRESS

It is Trinity’s month to help with Fresh Express. We are now allowed to help with this food distribution that is

Thursday, August 12 at Prince of Peace Church. Volunteers are to arrive at 3:15pm. Please sign up in the narthex or call the office at 724-537-4450.

SUNDAY - 1	MONDAY - 2	TUESDAY - 3	WEDNESDAY - 4	THURSDAY - 5	FRIDAY - 6	SATURDAY - 7
8:15 Holy Communion 9:30 Adult Sunday School 10:45 Holy Communion *followed by congregational meeting*		10-1 Shepherd Shop 10:00 Bible Basics 11:00 Pericope 11:00 Prayer Team	12:00 AA Meeting	2:00 Purls of Prayer		
12:15-1:15 Drive-thru Communion		7:00 Mutual Ministry	5:30 Grandparents Raising Grandchildren 6:30 Line Dancers	6:00 BPW 6:30 Holy Communion *followed by congregational meeting* 7:30 AA Meeting		5:30 Holy Communion



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Thank you for your special offerings that are bringing God's love and hope to a hungry, hurting, and broken world.

ELCA WORLD HUNGER OFFERINGS: \$5,154.75

Offerings collected are used where help in the world is needed the most.

ELCA MISSIONARY SUPPORT: \$667

YOU can make a difference in spreading the gospel around the world through your offerings to help support our missionaries.

FOREIGN & UNITED STATES DISASTER: \$650

To help those here and abroad.

MOTHER HUBBARD'S CUPBOARD

In August we are collecting shampoo for our local food pantry. Please place your donated items in Mother Hubbard's Cupboard, located in the front narthex or drop them off in the church office.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR EVERY TALENT AND AMOUNT OF TIME YOU HAVE TO OFFER. PLEASE CONSIDER ONE OF THESE MANY OPPORTUNITIES.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

Christian Education is in need of a Nursery teacher and also teachers for Grades 1-2 and Grades 3-4. Young adult guides are needed to engage, lead, and involve Trinity's 9th to 12th graders. Call or e-mail (724-537-4450 or office@trinitylatrobe.com) the church office for more information.

KITCHEN HELP

We need occasional kitchen help to assist with funeral luncheons and other meals that take place in Fellowship Hall. If you have some spare time and would like to help with this need, please call the church office at 724-537-4450.

DECORATORS

Trinity is looking for seasonal decorators for our sanctuary. Guidance will be given regarding the church seasons. Please contact the church office at 724-537-4450.

LITURGICAL DEACONS, USHERS, LECTORS, AND COMMUNION GUILD

Trinity is seeking to rebuild our lists of worship assistants. If you have served in the past and wish to continue or would like to begin serving in these areas, please contact the church office at 724-537-4450.

FURNITURE MINISTRY

Please consider donating to this essential ministry that supplies families in need. The following items are requested: mattresses, pillows, microwaves, gently used furniture, and small apartment-sized appliances. Mary Ann Coulston and her husband Larry are constantly on the move and they would love your help. If you are wanting an outlet for your extra energy or would like an extra work out, contact Mary Ann at 724-396-6109 to help with deliveries. Your time will be much appreciated!

MAKE A SPLASH WITH JESUS THIS SUMMER!



Join us for a fun-filled VBS! August 11, 12, 13 5:30-8:00pm

***FREE DINNER 5:30pm*
*VBS Program 6-8pm***

Trinity Lutheran's Weis Room

Learn what a difference Jesus can make when you are willing to dive in with him!

VBS Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Grade in Fall 2021 (Children under 5 must have an adult remain on site): _____

Medical Conditions/Allergies: _____

Emergency Contact (Name & Number): _____

****Questions? Contact Jodi at jodihutter@hotmail.com ****

*Please send completed registration forms to: Jodi Kronenwetter
1003 Derekton Drive
Latrobe, PA 15650

VETERANS MEMORIAL

As you may have noticed we are cleaning and updating the Veterans Memorial that is in the courtyard in front of the offices. This was Greg Krall's Eagle Scout project that was done in 2009.

We would like to add more names to the memorial. If you would like to add a name of a living or deceased veteran, please call the church office at 724-537-4450.

More information to come about the cost of each individual memorial/honor brick.

PURLS OF PRAYER

Lap robes, walker caddies, and prayer shawls are available in the narthex by the side door that leads to the ramp. They are individually bagged for anyone who needs one for themselves or others.

Also, going on vacation or a summer excursion? Please take some prayer squares to leave where you visit and spread peace, love and hope from Trinity!