

Announcements for the Week of January 14, 2018

In our thoughts and prayers: In our thoughts and prayers: **Connor Goonan, Rev. Dr. Bill Herzog, John Harrison Hoffman, Donald Hubbard, Sr., Jane Jones, Kathryn Kepner, Evelyn Kretz, MacKenzie Kretz, Josh Langley, Bob Miller, Joann Motter, Diane Nicodemus, Ashlee (Black) Pyne, Tom Smith, , Mary Timmins, Mckenna Voss, Teeyara Jo Weiant and Pete Wilson.** (Please notify the church office when a name can be removed from the prayer list).

Check out the children's corner in the Gathering Area. When young children become a bit rambunctious during worship, parents are invited to take them to the children's corner for some quiet play and so parents can continue to see/hear the worship service.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Given in honor of our housekeeping and maintenance staff, Lisa & Bill.

TODAY: 4p-6p Gettysburg Chorale Society (GCS) auditions

THIS WEEK:

Monday	DEB OUT 3:30p - 4:45 Yoga NO Cub/Boy Scouts 6p-8p GCS auditions	Thursday	Newsletter Article Deadline 6p-8p Girl Scouts 7p Ministry Study Group
Tuesday	1p-4p Girl Scouts 7p Consistory	Friday	11:30a Lunch with Friends
Wednesday	9a Audit 7p Choir	Saturday	9a-11a Habitat for Humanity

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In the event of bad weather, a decision will be made as to the church closing for Sunday services.

The information will be placed ONLY on the following websites:

www.gettysburgtrinityucc.org www.foreveryork.com www.wgal.com

TUCC Spaghetti Dinner – Saturday, January 27th 5p-7p - Benefits TenderCare Pregnancy Center.
Cost for meal is a pack of diapers 24 or more (sizes 3, 4, or 5 especially needed. (Snow date Feb 3rd))

The Finance Committee would like to express its appreciation for the generosity of the congregation in exceeding the budget need for the general fund giving last year. This year is a new challenge.

New Envelopes: When making contributions by envelope or E-Giving, please remember to designate where you would like your contributions to be directed. Any contributions that are not so designated will automatically be deposited as income for the General Fund.

An American in China - Zach Rinehart, a teacher in China, will be home for a short visit at the end of January and beginning of February. He has expressed a willingness to share his experiences living in China on Sunday, February 3rd at 3:00 pm. You are all invited to this unique opportunity to learn more about Zach's adventures and what he has learned over his years there.

Altar Guild annual luncheon will be held on Saturday, January 27th 12p at Hoss's on 1140 York Road. Please RSVP to Nancy MacMeekin 334-2111 by January 22nd. We look forward to seeing you there for Dutch Treat.

Knit Group – Anyone interested in learning to knit or join a group to do your own projects, please Ann Harner or Suzy Miller.

The Jan/Feb/March Devotionals are available on the table in the Gathering Area.

January Newsletter is available on the table in the Gathering Area.

The Flower Chart for 2018 is posted in the Gathering Area. Altar Flowers are \$25 and the Centerpieces are \$30. Please sign-up if you are interested in sponsoring flowers. Thank you!

Newsletter Sponsors needed: May, October & December are still open. Cost is \$50. Please call Deb

There are several sign ups in the Gathering Area today:

Cookies for our Neighbors – couple of slots left in May and June yet.

The **church advertisement** in the Gettysburg Times appears once a month at a cost of approximately \$70.00 per month. If you would like to be a co-sponsor of the advertisement (at a cost of \$35.00) for a month, please sign up.

Trinity's **Spaghetti Dinner for Diapers** is scheduled for Saturday, January 27th (snow date of February 3rd). We need volunteers to help with meal preparation, serving, as well as clean up. You can sign up to help either part of the day or for the entire event. We also need people to provide Cakes for dessert on that Saturday; please sign up if you can provide a cake.

Gettysburg CARES homeless shelter is being hosted by Trinity from February 5th through the 18th. Thank you to those who signed up to be hosts. The positions are now full! Thank you for your support! **ALSO if anyone would like to volunteer** – we will be setting up for C.A.R.E.S. at 8:15am on Monday, February 5th and tearing down at 8am on Monday, February 19th. It will take about 30 minutes. See George if you have questions. **Please see the WISH LIST** on the table in the Gathering Area as well. Items can be dropped off here at the church.

Blankets for Sale \$20– A few beautiful colors are still available. See the list in the Gathering Area. Contact Suzy Miller if you are interested in purchasing a blanket or two. **They make great gifts for Shut-Ins.** Proceeds go to the Bazaar Coffers. Blankets are made by Suzy's friend. Thank you!

YOGA – Classes resumed Monday, January 8th, 2018 3:30p – 4:45p. Cost is \$25 per month and will be held weekly on Mondays. See Joan Peck to sign-up or if you have any questions.

SIGN LANGUAGE CLASSES - Classes will begin Thursday, February 1st from 7p-8:30p and will continue every Thursday for 8 weeks. Cost is \$50 for the 8 week sessions. See Roberta Weiant to sign-up or if you have any questions.

The Housing Authority graciously allows us to park in their lot for quick stops or short time periods to the church during the week-days. **Please park only in the "VISITOR" marked spaces.** Do not park in the spaces that have numbers as they are privately rented. Thank you.

Serving Today:

Organists: **Audrey Blackstone**

Altar Care: **Bette Rinehart, Nancy MacMeekin, Rayna Cooper**

Greeters: **Jane Malone and Jen Mickelson**

Lay Reader: 8:15a **Dave Churchill**

10:30a **Nancy MacMeekin**

Ushers: 8:15a **Heather & Demetrius Carbaugh**

10:30a **Lewis and Jackson Hilbert, Julie Strickland, Suzy Miller**

Acolyte: 8:15a **Roberta Weiant**

10:30a **Jackson Hilbert**

Attendance January 7th: 8:15a - 23

10:30a - 65

Financial Report – January 7th:

Envelope Offering needed: **\$3558**

Envelope Offering received: **\$3351**

Property Fund needed: **\$481**

Property Fund received: **\$385**