

Announcements for the Week of March 4, 2018

In our thoughts and prayers: **Bob Gilbert, Connor Goonan, Peggy Hartman, Rev. Dr. Bill Herzog, John Harrison Hoffman, Donald Hubbard, Sr., Jane Jones, Evelyn Kretz, MacKenzie Kretz, Josh Langley, Bob Miller, Joann Motter, Ashlee (Black) Pyne, Dora B. Smith, 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: In honor of our sons Jeff and Mike and their families, by Suzy & Bob Miller

TODAY: 12:30p-4:30p MDANA

THIS WEEK:

Monday 3:30p - 4:45 Yoga
6:15p-7:15p GCS Board Meeting (Parlor)
6:30p-8p Cub/Boy Scouts
7:30p GCS Practice

Tuesday 7p Social Concerns

Wednesday 6:30p Lent Service
7:15 Choir

Thursday 7p Outreach
7p Stamp Club
7p-8:30p Sign Language

***** INCLEMENT WEATHER INFORMATION *****

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

Congratulations to Suzy and Bob Miller celebrating their 61st wedding anniversary on March 8th.

LENT - For those planning to participate in the Wednesday evening study during Lent, please remember that a copy of the Sunday sermon prior to the Wednesday evening study will be available on the table in the Gathering Area, along with a copy of the Scripture readings for the upcoming Sunday. Take time to read both of them before Wednesday evening. The beginning of the study time will be a reflection on the sermon, responding to your questions and observations; the second part of the study time will introduce the Scriptures that will be used as the basis for the sermon to be given the following Sunday. Thank you.

Palm Sunday Dinner, March 25th following the 10:30a service. Fellowship will provide the ham, pineapple stuffing, rolls and beverage. Please bring a covered dish to share. Sign-up in the Gathering Area.

The Adult Bible Class meets at 9:30a each Sunday in the Parlor. We start a new unit on March 4th entitled "Acknowledging God" with scripture from both the Old and New Testaments. All are invited to join us.

HOSS'S All Day! Tuesday, March 13th 11a – 10p. Please note the new day for this month. Come and join your family and friends for lunch or dinner or both! **Coupons are on the table in the Gathering Area today and will be in next week's bulletins.**

Food Pantry Collection – A total of 457 food items, 116 non-food items and \$1,550.92 was collected. Thank you for your support!

Many thanks to the members of Boy Scout Troup 1863 for their participation with us in the Spaghetti Dinner for Diapers. We appreciate the opportunity to work together in a meaningful way to make a difference in our community.

Newsletter Sponsors needed! May, October & December. Cost is \$50. Please call the church office if you are interested in sponsoring a newsletter. Thank you!

Remember Ruth's Harvest – Items are needed, the list is in the Gathering Area on the table.

SpiriTrust Lutheran Bingo – A list of items needed is available in the Gathering Area.

The Lent Devotionals are available in the Gathering Area

March Newsletter is available in the Gathering Area

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!

Knit Group – The knitting group will meet in the **Fellowship Hall March 13th from 4p –6p**. Please join **Ann Harner** and me if you are interested in learning or feel free to bring your current project. You can meet some new people as we are joining a knitting group from the hospital in order to gauge the interest from here at Trinity. **Suzy Miller**

YOGA CLASSES – Monday's, 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 - Thursdays, 7p-8:30p for 8 weeks beginning Feb 1st. Cost is \$50. See Roberta Weiant to sign up or if you have 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 and Jane Eiker**
Altar Care: **Nancy Langley, Sandy Busche, Audrey Blackstone (early)**
Greeters: **Terry Krietz and Mark Luckenbaugh**
Lay Reader: 8:15a **Jane Malone** 10:30a **Nancy MacMeekin**
Ushers: 8:15a **Janet & Jay Cutshall**
10:30a **Annabelle & Bill Swisher, Janet & Steve Sheely**

Acolyte: 8:15a **Luke Milhimes** 10:30a **Teeyara Weiant**

Attendance February 25th: 8:15a - 37 10:30a – 83

Financial Report – February 25th:

Envelope Offering needed: **\$28,464** Envelope Offering received: **\$26,478**
Property Fund needed: **\$3,848** Property Fund received: **\$1,900**