



Please pray for:

Kevin Battle
Kian Bias
Kim Bias
Gwen Fawcett
David Flinner
Richard & Juanita Floyd
Joel Gensler
Jane Gilchrist
Joe Heindl
Linda Hemmings
John Homburg
John Hunneshagen
Charlie Hurt
Jack Jones
Carol Kimberling
Raymond Lacaria
Mary Leadmon
Roger Lynch
Nick Mitchell
Joy O'Cull
Penny Purcell
Bill & Deniece Roth
Betty Schillings
The Family of Nancy Schmellenkamp
Kim Scott
Tadd Stout
Phyllis Sullivan
Marianne Sydenstricker
Stevie Tibbett
Freda Valavanis
Staci Wagoner
Ellie Washington
Carolyn Welcker

Trinity's Table last Sunday

We shared lots of delicious soup with our guests on this cold autumn night -- we had lunch following our Annual Congregational Meeting today and served the extra soup (potato and vegetable beef) along with burritos, Mexican rice, bananas, bread and butter, iced tea, and desserts. Thanks to congregation members who made soup (we were able to freeze the extra chili to be use for another meal!). Thanks, also, to Sugar Pie Bakery, and Charleston Bread.

At today's congregational meeting, we talked a lot about missions and ministry. I thank so many people in this weekly message, but I really need to thank everyone at Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church! The support from our congregation -- through time, talent and treasure -- is overwhelming. We could not serve our guests each week without the loving help and endless prayers of our church family. Thank you. Sara

Pastor's message continued . . .

Where is church? Maybe there lies the difference. At Trinity we worshiped, we prayed, we talked and looked to what we can do to be Christ in this place. We looked to the now and to tomorrow. We know that things are not perfect -- they won't be, at least not while we are in charge. But we can strive to make them perfect, Christ like, here and now. We worship, we pray, we plan. Knowing the statistics helps. Recognizing the problems is necessary. But worship, prayer, planning and trusting God makes church happen. God's peace, Pastor R.

Message from Pastor Randy:

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

I attended our annual meeting this past week. We started with worship and prayer. There was little controversy or rancor. I talked briefly of my activities and statistics, thanked the assembled members for their ongoing support, and stressed the importance of being church and how I felt we at Trinity strived to be church. The Treasurer presented our budget -- it reflects our efforts to be church. New council members were introduced. I think the votes were all unanimous. We ended with prayer and a meal.

I attended a Synod sponsored Symposium on Mission Support last week. It was a daylong event sponsored by the WWWWMD Synod. A representative from the ELCA was present with a Power Point presentation on statistics -- membership trends, giving trends, etc. Along with the representative and the Bishop, the assembled pastors and lay people reviewed various graphs and charts based upon local and national church numbers; and then spent the day complaining about various programs, activities and whatnots. Mostly it was the same people saying the same things they always do. There was a lot of wringing of hands and gnashing of teeth. I did not see any tearing of clothes or sack cloths and ashes. They may have been in the parking lot. I did not hear any prayers or visioning or positive planning either. Perhaps they were in the parking lot too. ***Continued . . .***

Sunday, Nov. 18, 2018

ALTAR GUILD

8:45am Linda Cook
11am Lee & Susan Feinberg

COUNTERS

Janet Richards & Wanda Crooms

GREETERS

8:45am Karen Ashworth
11am Jim Snyder

READERS

8:45am Pat Schillings
11am

USHERS

8:45am Rick Bird, Member
11am John Farris, Charlie Young,
George Petershagen

This week at Trinity

Wed. Nov. 14	5:15-6:30pm	KPCC, Lounge
	6:30pm	Midweek Bible Study Social Hall
	7:00pm	AA Meeting, Lounge
	7:30pm	Choir
Thur. Nov. 15	Noon-1:30pm	BNI, Social Hall
Fri. Nov. 16	6:00pm	International Club Social Hall
Sat. Nov. 17	Noon-3pm	Social Hall reserved for Birthday Party
	7:00pm	AA Meeting, Lounge
Sun. Nov. 18	8:00am	Choir
	8:45am	Service of the Word
	9:45am	Sunday Church Sch
	11:00am	Liturgical Service
	2:00-4:00pm	Doll Club, Lounge
	5-6:30pm	Trinity's Table
Mon. Nov. 19	7:30-8:30am	Mustard Seed AA Mon. thru Fri.
	7:15pm	Hand Bells
Tue. Nov. 20	Noon-1:30pm	BNI, Social Hall
	6:00-9:00pm	Trauma, Social Hall

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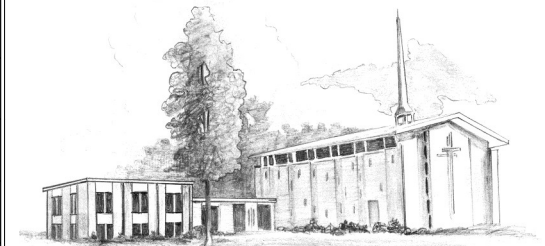
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Sunday Services:

8:45am

11:00am



**OUR MISSION IS TO LIVE
AND SHARE GOD'S WORD IN
JESUS CHRIST**

November 14-20, 2018

Sunday, Nov. 11 2018

Service Attendance

10:00am 86

Sunflower Box for November: Holiday dinners are quickly approaching! As you start to do your meal shopping, why not pick up an extra box of stuffing or two for the Sunflower Box? We will use these for our Christmas food boxes for Covenant House. Our goal? 100 boxes!!



Altar Flowers are given in
Honor of Jim Snyder's Birthday
by Robin Snyder



Sanctuary Candle is given to the
Glory of God