

The Trindle Trumpeter



MISSION STATEMENT- Claimed by God in baptism; Fed by Christ in worship; Led by the Spirit in love for one another and the world.

**Trindle Spring Lutheran Church
Mechanicsburg, PA**

February 2020

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

If you are like me, it seems like Christmas was just last week. But believe it or not Lent and Holy week are just around the corner. Planning is underway for our 2020 Lenten journey. Part of that process has been working on a Lenten theme. This year our Lenten theme is, "Living Waters." It is based off the story of the Samaritan woman at the well from John 4. In the story, the woman is an outsider, which you can tell that because she comes to the well in the middle of the day when no one else would. At the beginning of their encounter, Jesus asks her for a drink, which leads to a much bigger conversation. Eventually Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, 'Give Me a drink,' you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water."

"Living water" takes on many forms in our world. Jesus wasn't just talking about a drink, it was about changing a way of life and living. For Jesus it is about the gift of eternal life that would overflow in her to the point that those waters would bring her hope and joy she hadn't known before. This Lent, you will have the opportunity to read devotions written about moments in people's lives where they have gotten to experience God's living waters, those places that God brought joy and hope.

We are planning, as we have done the past two years, to have members of the congregation speak at our Midweek services on Wednesday evenings throughout Lent. These stories, whether in writing or in person, are a powerful witness to God's work in the world. I have appreciated getting to know people better by hearing these kinds of stories, and I would invite you to pick up a devotion book when they come out and join us for a midweek worship service to hear one of your brothers or sisters in Christ share their story.

Sharing these kinds of faith stories are life-affirming, and they are important to our life together as a faith community. They are also part of who we are when we look at our Vision Statement. The first part of it says, "TSLC is being called to: Equip people to tell the stories of God working in scripture, our lives, and the world." Whether it is the story of God at work in scripture or in our own lives, these stories shape and reshape our faith. Welcome to the story.

Yours in Christ,

Pastor Aaron

The February 2020 Newsletter is dedicated to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for our church family,
by Daryl & Vonnie Neibert.

Notes from the Office

Income & Expense Report (General Fund) Jan – Dec. 2019

Income	
Offering	427,862
Misc. Income	5,867
<small>(ie: Thrivent Choice, Community Aid, Building Use, Donations, etc.)</small>	
Total Income	433,728
Expense	
<u>Ministry to Others</u>	
Outreach Ministry	47,315
Evangelism	2,278
Parish Life	(2,478)
<u>Ministry within Our Congregation</u>	
Christian Education	4,019
Fellowship	3,121
Keeping Our Church Safe	-
Stewardship	-
Worship & Music	7,159
Youth & Family Ministry	6,143
<u>Administration</u>	
Archives	133
Property (building maintenance)	95,997
Office Management (administration)	12,457
Salary/Support	222,228
Vision of Ministry	-
Total Expense	<u>398,372</u>
Net Income	<u>35,356</u>

If you would like a pastoral visit, please contact the church office. 717-766-7091.

ZUMBA ~ 2020!

Meets every Tuesday in the Fellowship Hall* at 6:00 p.m.!

(Women only.) (Cost \$5/class)

(*Check the church calendar to confirm location.)

ZUMBA

DID YOU KNOW?

The Sunday sermon is placed on-line every week on our church website and also posted to Facebook. Be sure to “like” Trindle Spring Lutheran Church on your Facebook feed.

www.trindlespringlutheranchurch.org



GIVING ONLINE THROUGH VANCO

Take time now to set up automatic recurring contributions and then you can view your complete online giving history from anywhere you have access to the Internet.

Follow these easy steps:

1. Visit the church website at: www.trindlespringlutheran.org
2. Click on the **Donate Now** button;
3. Click on the **Login/Create Profile** button;
4. Follow the onscreen instructions to **login** or **create** an online profile and to schedule your recurring or one-time contributions to various listed funds
5. **For any questions, or for a demonstration of how to set it up online, call the church office. 717-766-7091**



Welcome New Members, Vinny, Carla, & Vincent Rotondaro.



We welcome through Holy Baptism **Vincent Anthony Rotondaro, III**. His parents are Vinny & Carla Rotondaro.

A signup sheet to take our seminarian, Daniel Collins out to lunch is on the bulletin board outside the church office.

GIVE PLUS⁺
A VANCO COMPANY

WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS IN FEBRUARY

Each week we gather at 8:00 am and 10:30 am for worship on Sunday mornings, and again on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm. Below are some special highlights in worship this month.

Transfiguration Sunday is on February 23rd. This festival marks the last Sunday before Lent starts, and tells the story of Jesus going up the mountain with a few of the disciples where he is joined by Moses and Elijah and transfigured right before their eyes. In this story Jesus is once again announced to be God's Son and now his face is set toward his work and sacrifice in Jerusalem. This Sunday we will also put the "Alleluias" away until Easter.

Our Lenten Journey begins **Wednesday, February 26th** with our Ash Wednesday Service at 9:15am and 7:00pm. This service includes the imposition of ashes and Holy Communion. Come and join us as we enter in to this reflective and important season of the church year.

Our Lenten journey continues on Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings. Our Sunday morning schedule stays the same with worship at 8:00am and 10:30am. On Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm our Midweek worship services will be using Holden Evening Prayer. The worship service is preceded by a Lenten Soup Supper at 6pm. Please sign up for the supper so we know how many people to plan for.

Don't forget to bring your palms in from last year's Palm Sunday celebration. We will be burning those palms and making them into the ashes that we will use for our Ash Wednesday worship on **Wednesday, February 26th**. Please bring your ashes to the church **no later than Sunday, February 23rd**.

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS~2020

Kenneth Boyer
Emily Bortz
Dean Hornberger
Elias Stoner
Deb Smith
Paul Glantz
Andrew Thomas
Tanya Eppley
Shane Hallett
Mason Wolfe
Brian Westby

Tyler Cashman
John Rupp, Jr.
Richard Harbold
Liam Eichelberger
Katelyn Kopacko
Diane Boone
Gertrude Kauffman
Susan Starr
Barbara Glinski
Sharon Gregg

Deb Cline
Bev Hertzler
Angie Hummel
Norma McCartney
Joe Knisely
Lanette Yohn
Earl Fertenbaugh
Gary Stonemetz
Paige Schank
Brenda Freed

Alan Knisely
Karen Eppley
Ryan Kelly
Rebecca Fahnestock
***Reba Holler**
Sara Jane Basehore
Sue Rupp
Warren Weber
Chuck Sterling
Lori Genchur



IF THERE ARE ANY BIRTHDAYS THAT WE HAVE NOT LISTED, PLEASE LET THE PARISH ADMINISTRATOR KNOW AND SHE WILL MAKE SURE TO GET THEM IN THE NEXT NEWSLETTER

* The name in bold is on the Visitation List.*

Your Trindle Spring Lutheran Church Council Highlights

Council Meeting Highlights

TSLC Church Council met on Tuesday, January 14th. Below are the highlights and actions taken during the meeting.

SPECIAL GUEST – Charlie Roberts: Charlie is the Director of Faith Formation and Youth Ministry at the Synod. He spoke to the council regarding our future direction in relationship to the open staff position. It was decided that Pastor Aaron will put together a small team to discuss and provide a rough job description for the open position.

SENIOR PASTOR REPORT:

- Pastor noted that there are 4 members that have requested to be removed from the roles
- The organ installation will begin the last week in January.
- Pastor presented an update on the new Church Directory. LifeTouch Photography donates a portion of their sales back to the congregation. We have received a check for \$1,156 from LifeTouch. Council will ask the Outreach Committee for recommendations as to how that money should be used.
- It was noted that the Personnel Committee is very close to finalizing the personnel policies. They have a few questions for the Council and will be attending the February meeting to discuss.
- Pastor encourage each Council member to write a devotion for the Lenten Devotional book.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Synod Assembly Representatives: Cindy Duck and Sid Deyo will be TSLC representatives this year. We have one additional opening for someone under the age of 30. We will continue to see if we can find someone that would like to fill that vacancy.
- ELCA Social Statements: Discussion was held regarding how to handle Social Statements distributed by the ELCA. In the future we will focus on making sure that TSLC is part of the study that the ELCA conducts prior to writing any new Social Statement in order to ensure that our voice is heard.
- Constitution/By Laws/Continuing Resolution Changes/Updates: Joanna McIntyre will work on reviewing the current documents and making recommendations for changes.
- Wi-Fi in the Christian Education Wing: The Property Committee is working on getting this done.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Gifts and Donations Earmarked for Particular Aspects of Ministry: A discussion was held regarding our Memorial Policy. The Finance Committee liaison was instructed to have the Finance Committee review the current Memorial Policy and make recommendations regarding any necessary changes as well as including verbiage for gifts that are not memorials.
- Checking Account Balance: The following motion was made by Mark Eppley (Finance Committee liaison): “To allow the treasurer to transfer \$28,000 from the checking account to the Capital Improvement Fund and to look into other investment opportunities for excess money” The motion was seconded by Jerry Frankenfield. The motion was unanimously approved. Mark also noted the Finance Committee will be working with the Property Committee to come up with a 3 to 5-year plan.

GOOD AND WELL BEING:

- The Council Retreat is scheduled for Saturday, February 29th. Committee Chairs will be asked to arrive for lunch. If the chairperson is not available, we will indicate to the committee that we would like someone from the committee to attend in their place.

A full copy of the Church Council Minutes can be found in various places. A copy to review, along with extra copies, are on the bulletin board down the hallway, past the kitchen. Also, the Parish Administrator will gladly add you to an email list of receiving them via email every month or send you a copy in the mail.



Parish News

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

THE BLESSINGS OF YOUR SUPPORT OF THE SHAWL MINISTRY
(Please take the opportunity to read these messages.)

From Jasper, IN

Thanks you so very much for the beautiful ornament! Merry Christmas and God Bless You Always!
Sandy Terwiske Gold star Mother of LCPL Alec Terwiske KIA Afghanistan 9/3/2012

From Webster, NY

I want to thank you for the beautiful ornaments I receive every year from you. I look forward to it every year and the fact that perfect strangers remember my son, Christopher Simpson, is a gift in itself. God Bless, Kate Mclaughlin Gold Star Mom

From Lake Elsinore, CA

Thank you all for the beautiful ornament. We look forward to it every year. We know it was made with love. God Bless, Merry Christmas! Mark and Terri Korte proud parents of SSG Noah M. Korte

From Kent, OH

Thank you once again for the lovely wooden ornaments you faithfully send me every Christmas! It tells me my son is indeed, not forgotten! Thank you beyond words. Donna Faull

From Burlington, CO (Christmas card received with picture of fallen son, Caleb, and his dog, Griz) Every year since my son went to heaven, you have been faithful in sending me an ornament. I so look forward to them every year. Your ornaments touch my heart and mean so much to me. It means you remember. Even though you never met Caleb, you remember him - and me, every year. Thank you so much. I know Caleb is in heaven and is in the presence of Jesus our Lord - Christmas everyday! One day we will be together again. Until then, I'm so grateful for people like you who bring a blessing at Christmas, because even though I know there is joy - there is also sadness at missing my son - SSGT Caleb Medley. Thank you, Diane Homm

From Clarks Summit, PA

Thank you so much for continuing to send the special gift every year. Peace and Love, Donna Veater

From Fredericksburg, TX

Thank you yet again for remembering our family with a Christmas ornament, as a token of recognition of comfort for the death in war of our son, Phillip, with whom we can no longer celebrate Christmas joy, Praise God that Phillip is in the very midst of that Joy, Christ himself. Because we believe in the name above all others, Jesus Christ. Thank you for your gift and remembrance. I see from the news y'all have another family to comfort, Sgt. 1st Class Michael J, Goble of Washington Township, NJ. I pray he was a believer in the finished work of Christ. I pray his family is comforted by your sincere efforts. May God bless y'all abundantly in 2020. Looking for Christ's return for the rapture. Love, Kathy Neel

We received an unusual request from Prayer Shawls 4 Fallen Soldiers this past month. The brother of a man who fought in the Korean War requested a prayer shawl, as he welcomed home the remains of his brother. Through cooperation and modern technology, his brother was identified, brought home and was buried with full military honors. We were honored to be able to fulfill his request. Praise God.

Dear Lynda and prayer warriors - It was such a blessing to receive the lovely prayer shawl (the color is perfect!) and to be assured of your prayers. The Lord has been so faithful in encouraging me through His people and His word. He reaches right into my life and strengthens me. Thank you all for shining for Him! In His love, Kathleen

During worship in November, 95 items were blessed and are ready to deliver. Those items included: shawls, blankets, lap robes, baby blankets, children's sweaters, hats, scarves and a plastic mat. Thanks to all the busy hands. Some items will be given to Operation Warms Hearts and others to World Vision. We ask that you contact us if you know of anyone who would like to receive a prayer gift; we have a generous supply.

God's Spirit is working among us and through us. Our congregation has reached so many lives because of your faithful support of this ministry. Thank you.

Join us next month on February 9th at 3:00 PM in the church lounge. We are in need of people willing to help to make plarn (plastic yarn for mats, used by the homeless). No previous experience or specific skills required. This ministry can use your willing hands and prayerful heart.

"Let the pleasure of the Lord be on us. O, Lord, give strength to the work of our hands." Psalm 90: 17

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The Fellowship Committee
is sponsoring a trip to
Sight & Sound Theatre
in Lancaster to see
"Queen Esther"



Experience one of the most riveting Bible stories of the Old Testament as it comes to life with magnificent sets, special effects and live animals. A block of 25 seats has been reserved and are available on a first come, first served basis at a discounted group rate. Transportation will be on your own.

Date: Friday, April 24th at 7:00 p.m.
Tickets: Adult - \$67.50
Child (3-12) - \$34.00

In addition, a behind-the-scenes tour will be available at 4:00 p.m. at no additional cost.

A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board outside the church office.

Deadline for sign-up and payment is March 22nd. Make checks payable to Lee Yohn.

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING~ 2020

The Souper Bowl of Caring is in its 30th year of working to alleviate hunger in local communities. Since its inception, this has been a youth led and directed organization. So, in December, TSLC youth in grades 6-12 gathered to learn more about hunger in our community and decide how they wanted this year's Souper Bowl of Caring to work.

For the past several years, TSLC members have brought in their favorite choice of soup between chicken noodle and tomato to see who won our "Souper Bowl." However, the youth discovered through their food scavenger hunt and learning more about New Hope ministries that several hundred cans of soup is NOT what they need. They wanted to make sure that our donations are useful and meet the needs of those facing hunger in our community. **There are now 3 "teams" competing for our "Souper Bowl" - Teams Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner!** They have chosen items off of New Hope's "most needed" list, highlighting those things that are essential but are often not donated. We ask that you check out the list below, decide which "team" you are on, and bring in any of the items for that team **through Sunday, February 2nd**. Bins are in the narthex.

TEAM BREAKFAST:

Cereals
Pancake Mix/Instant
Oatmeal
Canned fruit and fruit cups
Toothpaste/Toothbrush
Deodorant

TEAM LUNCH:

Canned vegetables
Peanut Butter
Jelly/Jam
Ketchup/Mustard/Mayo
Laundry Detergent
Hand/Bar/Dish Soap

TEAM DINNER:

Canned Meats
Pasta
Boxed Meal Mixes
Diapers/Wipes/Diaper Cream
Feminine Hygiene Products
Shampoo/Body Wash/Razors



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SECOND SATURDAY

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8th, 2020

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

TRINDLE SPRING LUTHERAN CHURCH
FELLOWSHIP HALL

YOU ARE INVITED! BRING YOUR NEIGHBOR!

MENU:

Baked ZITI (A GF/LF version will be available)
Vegetarian Minestrone
Tossed salad
Pear Half w/ Cherry
Assorted Breads & Muffins
Assorted Desserts
Hot/Cold Beverages

Please use the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board outside of the church office or call the church at 717-766-7091 to let us know if you plan to attend (so we know how many to plan for). If you forget to sign up after church, feel free to call the Parish Administrator, who will place your name on the list.
Join us for good food, fun, and fellowship.

TSLC Men's Breakfast



Join us for breakfast
at the **Middlesex Diner**
at 1803 Harrisburg Pike, Carlisle, on

Saturday, February 8th, at 7:30 a.m.

All of the men of the congregation (all ages) are invited to attend for food and fellowship. There is a sign-up sheet located on the bulletin board by the church office. See you there!

**THE TSLC SENIORS WILL BE HAVING A
LUNCHEON ON:**

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH, AT 11:30 A.M.
AT HOSS'S.**

Please sign up on the seniors
bulletin board located to the
right of the narthex in the
hallway, with your name and
the number attending.



CARE PACKAGES FOR TSLC YOUTH AWAY FROM HOME

It's time again to send care packages to the members of the congregation that are away from home for college or other reasons. Every semester we send them packages of snacks, knick-knacks and a little note from their TSLC family.

All donated items should be individual packages of personal-sized portions and placed in the designated bin, located in the narthex.

Suggested Items:

Hot chocolate packets, tea or coffee,
Snack-sized candy bars, granola/cereal bars, gum,
Instant oatmeal, microwave popcorn, fruit snacks,
Pop-Tarts, pudding, applesauce, crackers, cookies, pretzels
Post-It notes, pencils, pens, highlighters
Fun items such as bubbles, bouncy balls, etc.

Please no drink boxes or pouches as their weight increases mailing costs.

We will gratefully accept donations for these care packages **February 9th through March 8th.**

If your son, daughter, grandson, or granddaughter are in college or away from home, please make sure the church office has their current address. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Kristin Cleaver.



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Save the Dates

February 1, 2020 – 7:00 pm - Hershey Bears
Hockey Game (Reminder)
February 14 – 16, 2020 – Family Retreat at
Nawakwa
March 20, 2020 – 6:30 - TSLC Dinner Out –
Esh's Country Kitchen
April – Sight and Sound – New Show:
Esther
-Fellowship Committee



It's time to make Easter Eggs and Chocolate covered pretzels again! Join the TSLC crew this year! Please see the order sheet on page 11 and place your order with payment in the envelope by the church mailboxes.

Questions - call Lee Yohn at 717-766-7844 or Bob MacGregor at 717-766-3986



Upcoming Fellowship Committee Event.....Mark Your Calendars!!

Dinner at Esh's Country Kitchen

Genuine Amish cooking, a country atmosphere, and warm hospitality provide a perfect setting for a delicious meal.

Where: 1803 Mountain Road, Newburg, PA 17240

When: Friday, March 20, 2020

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Price: Adults (13 years +) - **\$25.00**

Youth (6 years – 12 years) - **\$12.00**

Children (under 6 years) – **No Charge**

***PLEASE NOTE: All money will be collected prior to the event. Cash and checks payable to Sandy Greiss may be placed in the "Keith Greiss" mailbox located by the church office, no later than Sunday, March 15, 2020. Please also be prepared to offer our hosts a tip (cash/check). The tip will be collected at Esh's Country Kitchen after the meal.**

A sign-up sheet will be posted on the bulletin board by the church office.

**A minimum of 40 adults is required for this event.

****Deadline for sign-up is Sunday, March 15, 2020.**

Questions? Contact Sandy Greiss at segreiss@comcast.net

Menu is as follows.

Turkey & Stuffing

Roast Beef

Mashed Potatoes

Green Beans

Wilted Lettuce with Warm Bacon Dressing

Apple Salad

Chocolate Cake with White Icing

Apple Pie

Peanut Butter Cream Pie

**Homemade Bread, Noodles, and Vanilla Ice Cream are also included with meal



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2020 FAMILY PROMISE

Before you know it, spring will be knocking at the door and our first 2020 **FAMILY PROMISE** host week will be here! *Mark your calendars now* if you want to help with hosting during the week of **April 12-19**. We need meal preparers and hosts, overnight hosts and van drivers! Or maybe you can help setup or tear down the rooms our guests use or launder the bed linens at the end of our host week. Your support and participation helps give hope to families that are currently displaced from their homes. Be the hand of Christ reaching out to parents that need encouragement or maybe a listening ear. And be the outstretched arms of Christ to the children who need kind words, compassion, and a reason to smile. 🥰

Family Promise

Trindle Spring Lutheran Church Safety and Security Taskforce February Newsletter

As I write this we are two weeks into 2020. I hope the New Year has been good to you so far and I pray it is safe year for you and your family. I urge you to be prepared for the bad weather that I'm sure we will be encountering in the upcoming days and weeks.

The members of the Safety and Security Taskforce continue to watch out for you and your safety as you worship. We all would like to know we are safe while we are in our Houses of Worship. Years ago that might have been true, but as recent history has proven, churches and church goers are increasingly targets of nefarious individuals. Churches have had bad things happen, such as the shooting in the Texas church back around Christmas or the churches where clergy or other adults who are tasked with ministering to the youth have abused those in their care. None of those churches went into their service expecting to be on the evening news that night. In recent news there was a story of an Upper Allen church which had money stolen from a locked container. Don't be fooled by the sleepy appearance of Mechanicsburg, there are criminals around us. I am not attempting to scare anyone. I am simply saying make sure you are aware of your surroundings. If you see something that does not look right to you, report it to someone. We have our ushers wearing name tags identifying them to visitors but if you are unsure who to report something to, they maybe a good place to start. While they may not be equipped to handle the problem, they should have some idea who to pass that information on to.

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me via my cell phone at 717-418-9370 or via email hemimedic37@gmail.com.

Be Safe,
Dennis Stoner, Paramedic
Paramedic

Notes of Thanks

Dear Trindle Spring Church Family:

Received from your members on:

Food blessed on December 22, 2019 - 367 lbs.

Thank you for providing help for those in your community who are in need!

-New Hope Ministries, Mechanicsburg



Dear Friends,

1.15.2020

Happy New Year to you! We are thankful for your kind and generous gift of \$80 received on 1/8/2020. Your support directly helps (so many people). We're serving more than 22,000 people in a year's time who rely upon our programs and services every day. Your gift ensures that every guest has their need met for today and in months to come – **thank you!**

Gratefully,
Eric Saunders, Executive Director

thank you!

Dear TSLC family,

On behalf of my family, I would like to thank the congregation of TSLC for their prayers of comfort and support during the last week of my mother, Arlene Mixell's life. We also are grateful for the love, caring, and sympathy expressed in the many cards we received.

My mother was a woman of great faith and left this world on Christmas Morning! What a most blessed day to join our Lord! I know she is at peace and she felt your prayers.

Most appreciative,

Angie and Greg Hummel
Ashley and Sean Murray
Joe Kotinsky



We wanted to take the opportunity to say thank you for the Christmas cards and gifts that you so graciously gave to us over the Christmas holiday. It is wonderful to be at a place that is so loving and supportive of their staff.

Thank you, and blessings on the New Year.

-Pastor Aaron and Danielle



A special thank you to Chuck Sterling and Forrest Cleaver for the wonderful nativity scene we were able to enjoy at Christmas time, which was located at the cross, out in front of the church. Thank you for all the work you put in to it!

Bless you!

Church Office

THANK YOU



Dear Friends,

Thank you for your generous gift to Lutheran World Relief's Quilt and Kit Shipping Fund! Your donation ensures that LWR Quilts and Kits get into the hands of a person who needs it. Please accept by heartfelt thanks.

Warm Regards,

Ambassador Daniel V. Speckhard (ret.)
President and CEO



Dear TSLC Church family,

On behalf of my mother, Arline Baker, I would like to thank the congregation at TSLC for all the visits, cards, and flowers she has received throughout this past year.

A big THANK YOU to the Hertzler's for all those "comical" letters. They made both of us smile.

Thanks for remembering her.

Judy Brandt

Thank You

Dear Church Family,

I love being your Parish Administrator! Just a note of grateful thanks for all the Christmas cards, special gifts, Christmas treats, your visits, and all you do to make my job such a joy!

Blessings and thanks,

Cheryl



Thank you to my church family for all of the get well wishes for a speedy recovery. They helped to brighten my day.

Stacy Rider



EASTER EGG INFORMATION - 2020

Plans are underway for this year's Easter egg project. Everyone is invited to help and experience is not required. We're always looking for new faces to enjoy the fellowship and pot luck lunches. We will be making eggs each Tuesday (8:00 a.m. to about 2:00), **beginning February 18th** and ending March 31st. In order to get a head start, we will need a limited crew to do **pretzels only on February 11th**. If you are able to help, even for a few hours, please sign up on the bulletin board outside of the office.

We will be making peanut butter, butter cream, and coconut cream eggs, along with pretzels covered with milk chocolate. We will also make dark chocolate covered eggs and pretzels on **March 10th**, so orders for dark chocolate items need to be submitted by **March 8th**. Orders combining milk and dark chocolate will be filled the same week dark chocolate products are made. Based on last years' experience, we most likely will need to add an extra workday that week to cover the milk chocolate orders.

Order forms are available in an envelope attached to the mailboxes outside of the church office. Completed order forms and payment may be placed in the separate envelope underneath. We ask that orders of \$20 or less be prepaid with the order.

Trindle Spring Lutheran Church

Easter Egg Order Form DATE ORDERED _____

NAME _____ PHONE _____

		Milk Choc.	Dark Choc.	
PEANUT BUTTER	\$1.00 each (\$5/6 or \$10/12) x _____	_____	_____	= \$ _____
BUTTER CREAM	\$1.00 each (\$5/6 or \$10/12) x _____	_____	_____	= \$ _____
COCONUT CREAM	\$1.00 each (\$5/6 or \$10/12) x _____	_____	_____	= \$ _____
PRETZELS (1/2 lb.)	\$4.00 x _____	_____	_____	= \$ _____

Amount Due = \$ _____

We ask that orders of \$20 or less be prepaid.

Amount Paid = \$ _____

Pick up your order the next Sunday in the church kitchen. Payment may be placed in the church office.
Orders combining milk and dark chocolate will be filled the week dark chocolate products are made.

Questions - call Lee Yohn at 717-766-7844 or Bob MacGregor at 717-766-3986



FEBRUARY 2020 Worship Assistants

		February 2 February 2	February 9 February 9	February 16 Retreat Weekend	February 23 Transfiguration Sunday	February 26 Ash Wednesday		
		8:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	7:00 p.m.
Acolyte(s)	Megan Talton Ryan Talton	Ryan Smith Jack Boyer	Christian Giordano	TBD	Hannah Reed Owen Reed	Ryan Smith Thomas Burns	Brayden Pownell Gavin Reinfeld	
Greeter(s)	Barb Kline	The Pownell Family	Linda Rodgers	Donna Stone Sara Jane Basehore	Howard Hertz- ler Bev Hertzler	Eugene McCart- ney Norma McCart- ney	Nancy Hornberger	
Lay reader	Barb Kline	Cindy Duck	Bonnie Distad	Mark Eppley	Nancy Luley	Forrest Myers	Pam Crider	
Communion Assistants	Bob Warren (Wine) Barb Kline (Wine) Cups: Usher Usher	David Boose (Wine) Mike Snyder (Wine) Sherry Stoner (Cups) Linda Glantz (Cups)	Intinction	Intinction	John Rupp (Wine) Erica Reinfeld (Wine) Cups: Usher Usher	Ron Stevens (Wine) Cindy Duck (Wine) Judy Stevens (Cups) Marie Krall (Cups)	John Rupp (Wine) Bob Warren (Wine) Cups: Usher Usher	
Ushers * Team leader	Marlin Yohn* Pat Harbold Myra Badorf Andie Teeter	Wilbur Heiges* John Talton Bill Grant Ryan Jones Bonnie Distad Nancy Luley	Wilbur Heiges* John Talton Bill Grant Ryan Jones Bonnie Distad Nancy Luley	Marlin Yohn* Pat Harbold Myra Badorf Andie Teeter	Marlin Yohn* Pat Harbold Myra Badorf Andie Teeter	Wilbur Heiges* John Talton Bill Grant Ryan Jones Bonnie Distad Nancy Luley	Steve Vogelsong* Evelyn Vogelsong Wayne Martens	
Nursery	N/A	Wendy Ricedorf Evelyn Vogel- song	Jamie Nace Erika Sterling	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Altar Guild * Team Leader	Carlotta Strohl*, Joanna McIntyre, & Joan Broditsch							

Note: If you can't make it to church to serve, please contact the Team Leader of that area as the voice mail in the church office isn't normally checked on the weekends.



FEBRUARY 2020 Church Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Hershey Bears Hockey 7:00 pm New Life Group 7:30 pm
2 Worship 8:00 & 10:30 am Christian Ed. 9:15 am Souper Bowl Sunday Last day to bring in your Team items!	3	4 Zembo Shrine Usher Group All Day and Eve F Hall Zumba 6:00 pm F.U.M.C GFWC 6:00 pm Christian Ed 7:00 pm Fellowship 7:15 pm	5 Worship 7:00 pm 2020 Retreat Planning meeting 7:30 pm Stewardship 7:30 pm	6 Quilting 8:30 am Bell Choir 6:30 pm Brass Ensemble 6:30 pm Chancel Choir 7:30 pm	7	8 Men's Breakfast Middlesex Diner 7:30 am SECOND SATURDAY MEAL 4:00-6:00 pm New Life Group 7:30 pm
9 Worship 8:00 & 10:30 am Christian Ed. 9:15 am Care Package collection begins Shawl Ministry 3:00 pm Koinonia 5:00 pm	10 March Newsletter Article Deadline	11 Make Pretzels only today. Zumba 6:00 pm F. Hall Church Council 7:00 pm Conference room CPAL 7:00 pm YAH room	12 Worship 7:00 pm	13 Quilting 8:30 am Bell Choir 6:30 pm Brass Ensemble 6:30 pm Chancel Choir 7:30 pm	14 	15 New Life Group 7:30 pm
16 Worship 8:00 & 10:30 am Christian Ed. 9:15 am <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content;">CONGREGATIONAL RETREAT</div>	17 Seniors Luncheon 11:30 am Hoss's 	18 MAKE EASTER EGGS Zumba 6:00 pm F. Hall KYCS 6:00 pm Property 7:00 pm Worship & Music 7:00 pm	19 Worship 7:00 pm Evangelism 7:30 pm	20 Quilting 8:30 am Newsletter Assembly 9:00 am YAH Room Bell Choir 6:30 pm Brass Ensemble 6:30 pm Chancel Choir 7:30 pm	21	22 New Life Group 7:30 pm
23 Worship 8:00 & 10:30 am Christian Ed. 9:15 am New Hope Food blessing MALC Confirmation 5:00 pm	24 Safety Taskforce meeting 7:00 pm	25 MAKE EASTER EGGS Zumba 6:00 pm F. Hall Y&F Middle-High Team 6:30 pm	26 Ash Wednesday Worship 7:00 pm	27 Quilting 8:30 am Bell Choir 6:30 pm Chancel Choir 7:30 pm	28	29 

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Synod News

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March 2020 newsletter
article deadline is:
February 10, 2020.

Assembly Date:
Thursday,
February 20, 2020
9:00 a.m.
in the Y.A.H. Room

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- ⇒ Mailing Address
- ⇒ Cell/Home Phone
- ⇒ Email
- ⇒ Life Events
- ⇒ Children going to college