

# 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**

**March 2020**

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As I am writing to you this morning (2/18), I am just coming off of a weekend with folks from Trindle Spring Lutheran at our annual Congregational Retreat at Camp Nawakwa. It was a great weekend together, filled with fun and conversation, worship and study, music and great food. There is something special about getting away from the “everyday” and going to camp. It is the perfect time to disengage from the chaotic nature of life for a little while in order to recharge, re-center yourself, and reconnect with God and other brothers and sisters in Christ. Over the course of the weekend we spent time centering ourselves on what it means to see, to truly see the vision that God has for us as a community, and as individuals.

We spent time in Ephesians 4 and I Corinthians 12 in order to remind ourselves that God has gifted all of us with talents and skills to be used to glorify God and especially to build up the Body of Christ. We also heard that Christ’s body does not function at its best without the participation of every body part. We need each part of “The Body” in order to be at our best, and that includes each one of you. Whether you volunteer in the kitchen on Second Saturday, help lead worship in one of a variety of ways, work with Christian Education or Youth Ministries, or are simply a constant presence in worship and the life of the congregation, your gifts and presence are indeed needed to build up the Body of Christ here at Trindle Spring.

The retreat weekend was wonderfully exhausting, and I am reminded that sometimes we need the rest and quiet in order to build up the body again. As we move into the season of Lent, I want to invite you to those quieter moments of restful reflection and those quiet moments that allow us to build up the body. Come and join us for the Midweek Holden Evening Prayer Services, also take advantage of the Lenten devotions that will be available in the narthex at church or online. These are both intended to provide moments for you to spend time with God in reflection and prayer. We also have the Soup and Bread suppers on Wednesdays throughout Lent, (remember to sign up).

May your journey of Lent be blessed this year as we seek to reconnect with God in new ways and seek to build up the Body of Christ for the work God has given us to do.

Yours in Christ,

*Pastor Aaron*

The March 2020 Newsletter is dedicated to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for our Wedding Anniversary on March 3rd, and for all God's people, by Lynda & Ken Farnar.

# Notes from the Office

## Income & Expense Report (General Fund) Jan-Jan 2020

<b>Income</b>	
Offering	37,403
Misc. Income	391
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(ie: Thrivent Choice, Community Aid, Building Use, Donations, etc.)	
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>37,794</b>
<b>Expense</b>	
<u>Ministry to Others</u>	
Outreach Ministry	2,757
Evangelism	367
Parish Life	(226)
<u>Ministry within Our Congregation</u>	
Christian Education	6
Fellowship	(1,706)
Keeping Our Church Safe	-
Stewardship	-
Worship & Music	731
Youth & Family Ministry	-
<u>Administration</u>	
Archives	-
Property (building maintenance)	9,828
Office Management (administration)	2,303
Salary/Support	17,227
Vision of Ministry	-
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<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>31,287</b>
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<b>Net Income</b>	<b>6,507</b>

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](http://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](http://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**



The congregation extends condolences to the family of Richard "Dick" Seitz, who passed on January 22, 2020.

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

*Congratulations* on the engagement of our seminarian, Daniel Collins, to Amelia Pakarati, which took place in December.



**GIVE PLUS<sup>+</sup>**  
A VANCO COMPANY

## WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS IN MARCH

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.

With the First Sunday in March we continue our Lenten journey that began on Ash Wednesday. Each week during Lent we will be exploring the theme of “Living Waters.” In addition to our regular Sunday worship services, our Wednesday evening service will be switching to Holden Evening Prayer for the season. It is a service of music and reflection, including Holy Communion. Join us at 7pm for this worship service, and you can also sign up to join us for a light soup supper at 6pm as well.

### LENTEN OFFERING

Hello everyone. My name is Ryan Talton and I will be completing my Confirmation Project during Lent. For the Project, I will be collecting materials that are needed by the 15 homeless veterans in the greater Harrisburg area, that are served by Bethesda Mission. The items that are needed by them are socks, underwear, shower shoes, CAT bus passes for 10 rides or so, and gift cards to fast food restaurants. Although none of these items will eliminate their homeless situation, they will improve their current lives. Please help those who helped to keep America safe.



### FROM OUR CHOIR DIRECTOR:

#### JOYFUL NOISE CHOIR

The Joyful Noise Choir will be singing for the 10:30am worship service on Sunday, March 15. This choir is open to all TSLC members ages PreK-Grade 5, and we hope you all will join us! Rehearsals for singing on 3/15 are as follows:

Sunday, March 1, immediately following 10:30am worship service in the choir room  
Friday, March 13, from 6-6:30pm in the Sanctuary

- Please contact Danielle Erdley with any questions!



#### NO CHOIR REHEARSALS ON MARCH 12

A note to all Bell Choir and Chancel Choir members - please remember there are **NO REGULAR REHEARSALS** on Thursday, March 12, 2020. Enjoy your night off!



# Your Trindle Spring Lutheran Church Council Highlights

## February 11, 2020 Council Meeting Highlights

TSLC Church Council met on Tuesday, February 11<sup>th</sup>. Below are the highlights and actions taken during the meeting.

**SPECIAL GUEST – Ryan Jones:** Ryan is the chair of the Personnel Committee at TSLC. Ryan presented the Personnel Handbook that his committee has been working on over the past two years. The Council discussed the handbook, clarified areas with questions and gave Ryan feedback to take to his committee. The committee will make the appropriate changes and present a final copy to Council at a future date for approval.

### SENIOR PASTOR REPORT:

- The organ installation is complete and it sounds great!
- A Transition Team has been organized to develop a job description that will be used to fill the vacancy left by Pastor Sigrid. The goal will be to complete the job description in order to begin interviews around Easter or shortly thereafter.
- Pastor requested the Finance Committee look into obtaining a TSLC credit card that can be used by staff and members when purchases need to be made for church-related expenses.
- Pastor indicated Cheryl Guinther, Parish Admin., would like to have a lockbox with a small amount of cash available for small purchases she is required to make during her work for the church. Council tabled the decision on this item until the Finance Committee makes a decision on the credit card as this could be used for those types of purchases.

### OLD BUSINESS:

- A Motion was made approved to accept Pat Beaver as the 3<sup>rd</sup> member of the Audit Committee.
- Year-End Budget Surplus: Discussion continued as to how to handle any surplus we have in the budget at the end of the year. Outreach Committee has been asked to discuss and come back to Council with a motion regarding where they believe some of the 2019 surplus can be used. Council agreed this is a much larger discussion and a portion of the Council Retreat will be used for that discussion.
- Staff Bonuses / Gifts: The Personnel Committee recommended we avoid distributing bonuses as they are seen as taxable income. Gifts can be given at Council's discretion.
- Wi-Fi in the Christian Education Wing: The Property Committee continues to work on getting this completed.

### NEW BUSINESS:

- Dedication for the new organ will be held on Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- Sanctuary Lighting: It was brought up that there are areas in the sanctuary where the lighting is very dim and others where it is bright. The Property Committee will be asked to look into this and see if anything can be done.

### GOOD AND WELL BEING:

- Erika asked about the progress on creating an area in the narthex that could be used during late service for parents with small children instead of the nursery. Pastor indicated there has been no progress at this point.
- Council Retreat is scheduled for Saturday, February 29<sup>th</sup>. Pastor reminded council members to ask their committees to send a representative.

**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

## MARCH BIRTHDAYS ~ 2020

Lawrence Rider  
Judith Durnin  
Kevin Cashman  
Jane Coover  
Jeff Snyder  
Richard Holler  
Brenda Wood  
**Mary Deitch**  
James Miller  
Patricia Harbold  
Amanda Kemp  
Mary Eberly

Robin Garlick  
Frank Guswiler  
Ryan Smith  
Marty Baim  
Becky Heimbach  
Lee Yohn  
Matthew Giordano  
Anne Luley  
Donna Rager  
Judith Seitz  
Braxton Boyer  
Forrest Cleaver

Terry Hartzell  
Ronald Beers  
Stephen Boone  
Barbara Menegat  
Denise Palmer  
Dawn Rupp  
Donald Milbrand  
Ronald Stephens  
Robert Warren  
Stephanie Schank  
Caleb Eichelberger  
Doris Gochenaur

Andrew Pagel  
Adam Keister  
Jolene "Jo" Stonemetz  
Lee Seitz  
William Lefin  
Cole Genchur  
Logan Liebel  
Abigail Lefin  
Becky Jo Knisely  
Bradford Ray  
Bob Stailey  
Cameron Weiser



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

\*Any names in bold are on the Visitation List.\*

## 2020 TSLC Congregational Retreat - "Vision 2020"

What a wonderful retreat at Camp Nawakwa on February 14-16th!  
*Please join us next year!*



Food, Fun, Fellowship!



Mandala we colored.



# Parish News

## PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Spring will soon be here and maybe you would like to try something new. We welcome anyone interested in learning about or helping with Shawl Ministry to attend our meeting on **March 8th at 3:00** in the church lounge. We can find a job for you or you can learn to knit or crochet.

Please consider joining our committee as we work to provide hats, scarves and ground mats for the homeless, sweaters and hats for World Vision, prayer gifts for families of fallen shoulders, and shawls and blankets for members of our congregation and the community.

In February we donated 10 prayer gifts to be distributed by Pink Hands of Hope. Six Lap Blankets and 2 Prayer Shawls went to the Claremont Nursing Home in Carlisle.

Remember to contact the committee or the church office if you know of anyone who would like to receive a handmade prayer gift from our congregation.

Thank you notes:

Hi Lynne,

Thank you very much for going the extra mile to get in touch with me. My brother will be visiting me from Tallahassee on the weekend, he will love the ornament in memory of my nephew, Spc Dane Balcon, and for my mom, Yvonne. Please thank the gentleman who makes the ornaments.

God bless him and you and your church .

Love, Debbie

Thank you to shawl ministry for the beautiful shawl and a lovely visit from Lynn. We at Trindle Spring are so blessed to have such a talented family.

-Stacy Rider

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

### Meals Ministry



Our congregation currently has a ministry for those in need of meals during times

of illness, tragedy, birth of a baby or personal/family challenges. If there is a time when this ministry would be helpful to you, please contact the pastor, the Parish Administrator, or Diane Boone.



### Transportation Ministry

There are times when congregation members are not able to drive and are in need of assistance with travel to and from necessary medical/dental appts, grocery store trips, church, etc. If you are interested and willing to be a driver for those in need, please sign up on the form on the bulletin board outside of the church office.



Please give prayerful consideration to helping with this important ministry. If you have any questions, please contact Diane Boone.

EASTER LILIES/TULIPS ORDER FORM  
EASTER - APRIL 12, 2020

**Easter Lily/Tulips order form**

I/we would like to place a Lily (lilies) \_\_\_\_\_ and/or a Tulip (s) \_\_\_\_\_ in the sanctuary on **Easter Sunday**.

**L or T Lily \$10.00** (6" pot - 4 to 5 blooms) or **Tulip \$9.00** (6" pot- 5-6 blooms)

\_\_\_ In Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ In Thanksgiving for \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ In honor of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Given by \_\_\_\_\_

**Please pick up your flower (s) following the 10:30 am service  
on Easter Sunday, April 12th.**

**Deadline for orders Sunday, March 29th.**

**Please place order form, along with payment, in the Parish Administrator's mailbox.**



<b>Office use only:</b>	
Date received: _____	Lily Total: _____
Check date: _____	Tulip total: _____
Check # _____	
Paid in cash: _____	
Amount Paid: \$ _____	

LAWN MOWING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**LAWN MOWING HELP WANTED !**

**Would you be willing to take a turn mowing the church lawn during the 2020 lawn mowing season?**

Equipment provided and your commitment will only be for the  
14 State Road property and the week (s) you sign up for.

See the "Sign Me Up!" Volunteer Lawn Mowing Team  
sheet posted on the bulletin board outside the church office or at the "Sign Up Central"  
station in the narthex.

(Scheduling sign-ups to follow.)

**Thank you!**



# Parish News



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 24<sup>th</sup> 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 22<sup>nd</sup>.** Make checks payable to Lee Yohn.

## SOUPER BOWL OF CARING RESULTS~ 2020



Thank you to every one who gave this year to the below teams! Together, we collected **849** items for New Hope Ministries. **TEAM BREAKFAST** won the Souper Bowl of Caring award this year!

### 429 ITEMS

#### TEAM BREAKFAST:

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

### 175 ITEMS

#### TEAM LUNCH:

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

### 245 ITEMS

#### TEAM DINNER:

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



# Parish News

**\*\*Note:  
April's  
Second  
Saturday  
will be held  
on  
April 4th.\*\***



**SECOND SATURDAY  
SATURDAY, MARCH 14th, 2020  
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
TRINDLE SPRING LUTHERAN CHURCH  
FELLOWSHIP HALL**

**YOU ARE INVITED! BRING YOUR NEIGHBOR!**

**MENU:**

- Baked Fish or Tuna Salad sandwich
- Seafood chowder, Stuffed Peppers
- Chicken Noodle Soup
- Fruit Cocktail
- Assorted Breads & Muffins
- Hot/Cold Beverages
- Assorted Desserts

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, March 14th, 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, MARCH 16TH, AT 11:30 A.M.  
AT DUKE'S, CARLISLE PIKE.**

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

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 **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.



# Parish News

## Save the Dates

March 20, 2020 – 6:30 - TSLC Dinner Out –  
Esh's Country Kitchen  
April – Sight and Sound – New Show:  
“Esther”  
-Fellowship Committee



## BLESSING BAGS

We are in need of the following items: 3 oz. travel-size shampoos and travel-size tissues. Please place in the round blue bin in the narthex.



**Matthew 25:40** “The King will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.’”

## 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](mailto: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



# Parish News

## 2020 FAMILY PROMISE

Our first 2020 **FAMILY PROMISE** host week is around the corner in April! The online AND paper signup will be available by **March 1**. 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. Our week starts with meal hosting and overnight hosting on Easter night, so any volunteer available to help, it would be most helpful so we can have coverage for this holiday. 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 March Newsletter**

I hope the March Newsletter finds everyone healthy and happy. As I'm writing this, I have received multiple emails from various sources regarding the Coronavirus. I see on the news deaths from this specific virus have reached over 900 in China. I've read the Chinese Government has quarantined over 35 million people, mainly in one specific Province. While there have been a few cases diagnosed here in the USA, it has not reached the level that China is seeing. Hopefully we never see an epidemic such as this in our area. We do however see colds, the flu, sore throats, nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea. While we can't necessarily prevent all exposures to these nasty illnesses, there are things we can do to help lessen our chances of getting or spreading them. Please make sure you are exercising proper hand hygiene, thoroughly washing your hands with soap and water when possible and when water is not available, use hand sanitizers. If you are coughing, try bending your arm and cough into the bend of your elbow. This helps prevent the spread of germs from coughing into your hand and then touching items like doorknobs and such. If you get sick, please notify your Primary Care Physician. They are often the best for telling you, what may be your best course of action. Some people use the Hospital Emergency Department, which can overwhelm both the Ambulance Services and the Hospitals. That being said, if you are feeling poorly, please do call 911. It is better to go by Ambulance or someone else driving you than causing an accident if you are weak, dizzy or just really sick.

Please note I am not a doctor. I am simply trying to pass along some simple things you can do in an attempt to prevent the further spread of illnesses for yourself and others. Your doctor's advice supersedes anything I may say here. I pray that we all stay safe and healthy.

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](mailto:hemimedic37@gmail.com).

Be Safe,

Dennis Stoner, Paramedic



# Notes of Thanks

Dear Trindle Spring Church Family:

Received from your members on:



**Extra food from Sunday, January 26th - 15 lbs.**  
**Souper Bowl Sunday, February 2nd - 849 items.**  
**Extra food from Shriner's Dinner, February 4th - 14 lbs.**  
**Food from Second Saturday, February 8th - 28 lbs.**

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

**-New Hope Ministries, Mechanicsburg**

Hello Trindle Spring family!

I am late in writing due to a very busy schedule and the holidays. Please accept my apology.

Thank you so much for the thoughtful care package of goodies you sent me in the winter. The items were plentiful and enjoyed. It is nice to receive a "surprise" to break up the struggles of classes and finals.

God is hard at work and your kindness reminds me of that.

Camden Myers, IUP '23



PS- I made Dean's list!

Note: Camden is a new member, along with mom, Jill, and dad, Forrest. If you would like to send him a note to congratulate him on making the Dean's List, contact the church office.

To the church council and congregation,

I wanted to thank you for the generous gift. It means so much to have your support and I appreciate having the privilege of providing music for the church.

Ann Kopacko  
Organist



January 29, 2020

Dear Friends,

Thank you for helping more people around the world experience the truth of God's Word and discover His "second chances." I pray that the year ahead will be one of the most spiritually fruitful of your life as you draw closer to our Lord and Master. Thank you for your \$90.00 gift.

Gratefully,  
Rick DeHaan, President  
Our Daily Bread



Good afternoon, Trindle Spring!

We at Family Promise are so happy to have your church as a partner. We could not do this without you. We were hoping to include a thank you note in your church's newsletter or bulletin so that we can make an effort to thank everyone involved. Would it be possible to include this in the next newsletter? Thank you so much!

If you haven't met me yet, my name is Angela Mountz, and I'm the new Executive Director at Family Promise. I wanted to take a moment to mention how thankful I am to be in this position where I can make an impact on local families but also that I get the opportunity to work with all of you. If you have ever served as a Volunteer Leader, made a meal, hosted our families, slept (or not slept, lying on a deflated mattress!), driven the van, donated food or other items, volunteered at the Day Center, helped on one of our committees, served on the Board, attended one of our fundraising events, donated money, or prayed for our ministry, I sincerely thank you. We've helped so many families together. Thank you for partnering with us to do this good work!

Have a wonderful day,  
Krissy Marshall, MSW



January 2020

Dear Friends,

Thank you for your support of *She's Somebody's Daughter* in 2019. Because of your financial investment we have been able to continue to increase awareness as we seek to erase lines of separation that isolate women affected by sexual exploitation and abuse.

Thankful for you!  
The Staff of SSD



January 30, 2020

Thank you for your generous gift of \$650.00 to ELCA ministries through ELCA Good Gifts. Thank you for your leadership in the vital ministries we do together.

In God's abundant grace,

Rachel Wind, Exec. For Development, ELCA



## 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 are making eggs now, each Tuesday (8:00 a.m. to about 2:00) and ending on **March 31<sup>st</sup>**. We are 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 10<sup>th</sup>**, so orders for dark chocolate items need to be submitted by **March 8<sup>th</sup>**. 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





# MARCH 2020 Worship Assistants

March 1  
Lent 1

March 8 Lent 2  
Daylight Savings  
time begins today.

March 15  
Lent 3

March 22  
Lent 4

March 29  
Lent 5

	8:00 am	10:30 am	8:00 am	10:30 am	8:00 am	10:30 am	8:00 am	10:30 am	8:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
<b>Serving in Worship</b>										
<b>Acolyte(s)</b>	Megan Talton Ryan Talton	Owen Reed Jack Boyer	Thomas Burns	Gavin Reinfield	Hannah Reed	Christian Giordano	Alex Strawser	Abby Jones	Ryan Smith	
<b>Greeter (s)</b> Nancy Hornberger*	John Eberly Mary Eberly	Lee Yohn Linda Yohn	Donna Sone Sara Jane Basehore	Debbie Rider	Kristin Platzer and Lucy_____	Barry Meck Judy Beck	Maggie Strawser Sandy Breech	Donna Schuchman	Jim Duck Cindy Duck	
<b>Lay readers</b> Barb Kline*	Sally Holbert	Trisha Reed	Barb Kline	Robin Cleaver	Kristin Platzer	Nancy Luley	Bonnie Distad	Gary Collier	Cindy Duck	
<b>Communion Assistants</b> Bev Hertzler*	Wine: Sally Holbert Mark Eppley Cups: Ushers Ushers	Wine: Jean Brackbill Bonnie Distad Cups: Linda Yohn Lynda Farmer								Intinction
<b>Ushers</b>	Scott Eppley* Scott Durmin Deb Rider Stacy Rider	Andrew McIntyre* Marty Baim Carlotta Strohl Sid Deyo Patricia Beaver Allen Stauffer	Scott Eppley* Scott Durmin Deb Rider Stacy Rider	Scott Eppley* Scott Durmin Deb Rider Stacy Rider	Andrew McIntyre* Marty Baim Carlotta Strohl Sid Deyo Patricia Beaver Allen Stauffer	Scott Eppley* Scott Durmin Deb Rider Stacy Rider	Andrew McIntyre* Marty Baim Carlotta Strohl Sid Deyo Patricia Beaver Allen Stauffer	Scott Eppley* Scott Durmin Deb Rider Stacy Rider	Andrew McIntyre* Marty Baim Carlotta Strohl Sid Deyo Patricia Beaver Allen Stauffer	Andrew McIntyre* Marty Baim Marty Baim Carlotta Strohl Stacy Rider
<b>Nursery</b> Lisa Talton*	N/A	Lisa Talton Robin Garlick	N/A	N/A	Donna Leitzel Joyce Stine	N/A	Wendy Riceford Evelyn Vogelsong	N/A	Jamie Nace Erika Sterling	
<b>Altar Guild Team Leader*</b>	Robin Garlick*, Erica Reinfield, Linda Stailey, & Paula Duffie <b>GREETERS for Wednesdays in Lent: March 4:</b> Ken & Lynda Farmer, <b>March 11:</b> Barb Kovalchik <b>March 18:</b> Howard & Bev Hertzler <b>March 25:</b> Sandy Breech									

**Note: If you can't make it to church to serve, please contact the Team Leader.**



# MARCH 2020 Church Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><b>1 Lent 1</b>  <b>Worship 8:00 &amp; 10:30 am</b>  <b>Christian Ed. 9:15 am</b>            Chancel Choir sings 10:30 am warm-up at 10:05 am            Joyful Noise Choir rehearsal 11:30 am Choir room</p>	<p><b>2</b></p>	<p><b>3</b>            MAKE EASTER EGGS            8:00 am-2:00 pm            ZUMBA 6:00 pm            GFWC 6:00 pm            Christian Ed 7:00 pm</p>	<p><b>4</b>            Soup &amp; Bread Supper 6:00 pm  <b>Worship 7:00 pm</b>            Stewardship 7:30 pm            Brass Ensemble 7:30 pm (Moved to Wednesdays.)</p>	<p><b>5</b>            Quilting 8:30 am            Bell Choir 6:30 pm            Chancel Choir 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>6</b></p>	<p><b>7</b>            New Life Group 7:30 pm</p>
<p><b>8 Lent 2 / Daylight Savings time begins today.</b>  <b>Worship 8:00 &amp; 10:30 am</b>  <b>Christian Ed. 9:15 am</b>            Bell Choir in worship at 10:30 am warm-up 9:50 am            Take orders for dark chocolate eggs            Care package collection ends today.            Shawl Ministry 3:00 pm            Koinonia 5:00 pm</p>	<p><b>9</b>            Make milk chocolate products today 8:00 am-2:00 pm            CPR Training 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>10</b>            MAKE EASTER EGGS            8:00 am-2:00 pm            Dark chocolate Zumba 6:00 pm            Church Council 7:00 pm Conference room            CPAL 7:00 pm YAH room</p>	<p><b>11</b>            Soup &amp; Bread Supper 6:00 pm  <b>Worship 7:00 pm</b>            Brass Ensemble 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>12</b>            Quilting 8:30 am            NO Bell Choir            NO Chancel Choir</p>	<p><b>13</b>            Joyful Noise Choir rehearsal 6:00-6:30 pm            Sanctuary</p>	<p><b>14</b>            Men's Breakfast Middlesex Diner 7:30 am            SECOND SATURDAY MEAL 4:00-6:00 pm            New Life Group 7:30 pm</p>
<p><b>15 Lent 3</b>  <b>Worship 8:00 &amp; 10:30 am</b>  <b>Christian Ed. 9:15 am</b>            Joyful Noise Choir in worship 10:30 am            Deadline to sign up for Esh's Fellowship event</p>	<p><b>16</b>            April Newsletter Article Deadline            Seniors Luncheon 11:30 am Duke's Bar &amp; Grille            CPR Training 6:30-8:30 pm</p>	<p><b>17</b>            MAKE EASTER EGGS            8:00 am-2:00 pm            Zumba 6:00 pm F. Hall            Property 7:00 pm            Worship &amp; Music 7:00 pm</p>	<p><b>18</b>            Soup &amp; Bread Supper 6:00 pm  <b>Worship 7:00 pm</b>            Evangelism 7:30 pm            Brass Ensemble 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>19</b>            Quilting 8:30 am            Bell Choir 6:30 pm            Chancel Choir 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>20</b>            CPARC Dance "The Boogie Shoes" 6:00-8:00 pm            Esh's Country Kitchen Fellowship Event 6:30 pm</p>	<p><b>21</b>            New Life Group 7:30 pm</p>
<p><b>22 Lent 4</b>  <b>Worship 8:00 &amp; 10:30 am</b>  <b>Christian Ed. 9:15 am</b>            Sunday School Grades 3-8            Homebound visit 10:15            Friends over Fences- Stephen Sands Temple            Talk and speak in Adult SS            Chancel Choir in worship 10:30 am warm up 10:05            MALC Confirmation 5:00 pm</p>	<p><b>23</b></p>	<p><b>24</b>            MAKE EASTER EGGS            8:00 am-2:00 pm            Zumba 6:00 pm            F. Hall            Y&amp;F Middle-High 6:30 pm</p>	<p><b>25</b>            Soup &amp; Bread Supper 6:00 pm  <b>Worship 7:00 pm</b>            Brass Ensemble 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>26</b>            Quilting 8:30 am            Newsletter Assembly 9:00 am YAH Room            Bell Choir 6:30 pm            Chancel Choir 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>27</b></p>	<p><b>28</b>            New Life Group 7:30 pm</p>
<p><b>29 Lent 5</b>  <b>Worship 8:00 &amp; 10:30 am</b>  <b>Christian Ed. 9:15 am</b>  <b>Noisy Offering</b>            Chancel Choir in worship warm up at 9:45 am</p>	<p><b>30</b>            Safety &amp; Security Taskforce 7:00 pm</p>	<p><b>31</b>            MAKE EASTER EGGS            8:00 am-2:00 pm            Zumba 6:00 pm            F. Hall</p>				

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Don't forget to turn your  
clocks ahead one hour!

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

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article deadline is:  
**March 16, 2020.**  
Assembly Date:  
Thursday,  
March 26, 2020  
9:00 a.m.  
in the Y.A.H. Room