

Trinity Tidings

January 2017 Newsletter

Trinity Lutheran Church
11008 N. Church Street, Huntley, Illinois 60142

Special Dates to remember in January

- ♦ Confirmation classes resume Wednesday, January 4th
 - ♦ Sunday School resumes January 8th
- ♦ Congregational Meeting Sunday January 15th @ 11:30 am
 - ♦ Chili Cook-Off Sunday January 15th @ 11:30 am
 - ♦ Voters Meeting Sunday January 29th @ 11:30 am



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A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR HOFFMAN

*⁵ But I trust in your unfailing love;
my heart rejoices in your salvation.
⁶ I will sing the Lord's praise,
for he has been good to me."*

Psalm 13:5-6

Happy New Year!

I hope that everyone had a wonderful Christmas and safe season as we enter 2017. This year will be an exciting one with the celebration of the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation! There will be many and we have an important month ahead of us already. In January we will have a special Congregational meeting (**not a Voters' meeting**, but a Congregational meeting) on Sunday, January 15th following the second service. In conjunction with that meeting we will also have a Chili Cook-off, where everyone will be a judge for the best chili; so break out your recipes!

At this congregational meeting we will be discussing what a policy-based governance looks like as compared to our current parish planning council; the pros and cons of each will be looked at with an eye towards moving in a policy-based direction. In addition we hope to present an updated Constitution and By-Laws that will be voted on at a later date TBD. Our current Constitution/By-Laws were approved in 1983.

Finally, please join us in thanking Alyce Johnson, our organist, choir & hand bell director for the past 22 years. She will be retiring at the end of January and she will be deeply missed, yet it is with joy that she will be able to listen, worship and receive the sacrament freely. We also ask that the Lord would send us someone who can lead us in music ministry for many years to come.

*¹⁶ May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father,
who loved us and by his grace gave us
eternal encouragement and good hope,
¹⁷ encourage your hearts and strengthen you
in every good deed and word.*

2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

Newsletter Deadline

The third Monday of the month is the deadline to submit an item for the newsletter. Please call, email or drop by the church office to submit items.

Regular Worship Times

Saturday at 5:30 pm; Sunday at 8:00 & 10:30 am

Adult Education Hour—Sunday @ 9:15 am

Family Sunday School—Sunday @ 9:15 am

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Staff

Rev. Robert A. Hoffman, *Pastor*

Janice Krawczak,
Administrative Assistant

Alyce Johnson,
Organist, Bell & Choir Director

Vicky Piller, *TLC Preschool Director*

Confused? Questions? Comments?

If you have any questions or wish to make a comment, please contact:

Elders

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Richard Mueller	847-515-3704
Rick Payne	847-659-9086
Phil Post	847-204-5771
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Dale Schoenrock	847-961-6599
Gary Schultze	708-712-9672

Chairman of the Congregation

John Drafall 847-669-3025

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Voters Meeting Minutes—Trinity Lutheran Church, Huntley, IL

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Chairman John Drafall called the meeting to order Sunday, November 27, 2016 at 11:50 am. Pastor Hoffman opened the meeting with prayer.

The minutes from the previous voters meeting, September 25, 2016, were presented. A motion was made by Rick Payne to approve the previous minutes; seconded by Ken Ladage. Motion approved.

Treasurer's Report was presented. A motion to approve the report was made by Jim Bollinger; seconded by Phil Post. Motion approved.

Pastor's report

The By-Laws Committee should finish the new By-Laws and Constitution updates and submit it to the Northern Illinois District by the end of December. The new Constitution and By-Laws will present a new type of governance. An informational meeting to discuss the new type of governance will take place January 15, 2017.

Elder's report

Elder, Gary Schultze, reported:

Transfers in:

11/1 – Jim & Heidi Keller, children, Chase and Ciera

Transfer out:

11/7 – Betty Mahler

Death:

10/4 – Marian Stephenson

Gary reported that an additional continuing education expense was not in the 2017 budget. The expense is for Doxology seminars. There are three seminars; one for Pastor, one for Pastor and a lay person, and one for Pastor and his wife, with the costs spread over 2016-2017. Cost would be \$1,600. Nancy Dvorak made a motion to have \$800 come out of the 2016 budget and \$800 out of the 2017 budget; seconded by Rick Payne. Motion carried. Kathy Yerke made a motion to accept the Elders report, seconded by Norm Fossmeier. Motion approved.

Christian Education/Young Peoples Work

Missy Erath asked for prayers for the program. The children's Christmas program is December 17. The Very Merry Huntley event is December 3.

Missions/Evangelism

Marilee Payne reported that Trinity had a table at the October Del Webb Consumer Showcase. The missions/evangelism group adopted five families from the Grafton Food Pantry. Gifts requests are on the tree in the narthex. They have used Thrivent Dollars and left over were used toward LCC Comfort dogs, the Dakota Boys Ranch, Faith Lutheran Scholarship Fund, and the TLC Scholarship Fund.

Public Relations

Krissy Fossmeier reported that she is working on posters for upcoming events. Members will be serving hot chocolate at the Very Merry Huntley event on December 3.

Trustees

Jerry Nepermann reported that the church has been winterized and he is in the process of getting rid of items in the rental property.

TLC Preschool

Vicky Piller reported that there are 109 children attending.

Old Business

Expansion Update by Pastor Hoffman:

Pastor was interviewed by Lutheran Church Extension Fund. The McHenry County Sheriff's Department will hold a one day training at the rental house. The Huntley Fire Department will use the property for four days of training. After all the trainings are complete, the house will come down.

The Clarity event was held in October. A committee is being formed to help with the process. The surveys were positive; one of the best things Trinity has going is TLC Preschool.

New Business

The proposed 2017 Budget was presented. There was discussion about the Preschool Director salary. The church is sharing the expense. The position involves working with church members on Trinity's children's ministries as well as community events. The new budget reflects the church's commitment to funding this position.

Oktoberfest was discussed. Should we keep holding the event if we are not making a profit? Is \$5,000 in 2017 enough? A motion was made by Bruce Reinhold to amend the 2017 budget for Oktoberfest from \$5,000 to \$15,000. Ken Ladage seconded the motion. There was more discussion about the actual expenses for the event. The motion passed 21 – 4 by a show of hands.

A motion was made by Muriel Fink to approve the 2017 budget; seconded by Chris Furmanek. Motion passed.

The next voters meeting will be January 29, 2017, after the 10:30 am service.

John Drafall adjourned the meeting and Pastor closed the meeting with prayer at 1:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Lynette Schiesher,
Recording Secretary

*Each one should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not out of regret or compulsion.
For God loves a cheerful giver. (2 Corinthians 9:7)*

Building Expansion Fund Update
*The cumulative total (beginning 10/2015)
received as of 12/18/16 — \$75,331*

Building Expansion Updates

- ⇒ January 24, 25 & 26, McHenry County Sheriff will conduct training in the house next door. Everyone will be invited to watch, and we will be assembling a team of people to serve hot food and beverages for the officers on those days. If interested in helping out please call the church office.
- ⇒ The Values & Vision team has been meeting to develop and articulate the vision of the church and the values that our ministries will connect with.
- ⇒ Building Improvement projects are being considered in advance of the main expansion project.

VOTERS MEETING

The next Voters meeting will be held Sunday, January 29th at 11:30 am. Everyone is welcome to attend; all voting members are urged to be there. If you are a communicant member and would like to become a voting member, call the church office by Wednesday, January 11th. Names will be published in the bulletin the two Sundays prior to the voters meeting. You must also attend that meeting and sign the constitution to become a voting member. Currently, Dainen Bugh is applying to become a voting member.

**Please join us
on Sunday,
January 29th,
between services,**



**as we celebrate Alyce Johnson
and all that she has brought to
Trinity as organist and music
director. Alyce will be retiring
at the end of January.**



**Come for the Congregational meeting on
Sunday January 15th @ 11:30 am
and bring your best pot of chili!
(More details to follow) Look for the sign up
sheet on the narthex bulletin board.**

Mark your Calendars—Special Meeting

As noted in Pastor's page, a **Congregational Meeting** is set for **Sunday, January 15 at 11:30 am**. The Constitution and By-Laws committee will be presenting a new Constitution/By-Laws for Trinity Lutheran Church along with a proposed policy-based new governance for the church. **Please make sure that you can attend this meeting.**

A message from Alyce—

My time here at Trinity has been full of love, learning, and has given me both spiritual and personal growth. I have been truly blessed with the opportunity to serve this congregation through my love of music. I will miss playing for services and leading the music ministry more than anyone will ever know. But now, through HIS guidance, I am looking forward to the next phase of my life.

I have truly been blessed to have been given the opportunity to serve Trinity Lutheran Church congregation for more than 20 years. For that reason, I thank you from the bottom of my heart. I will always have the fondest memories of my time with you and the congregation

Yours in Christ,
Alyce Johnson-Donoho



- 1 Radic Dvorak, Josh Rolnicki,
Kristen Schroeder
- 2 Arik Ravagnie
- 3 McKenzie Krich, Jerry Nepermann
- 4 John Drafall, Eric Rieker
- 7 Alice Jordi
- 8 Don Jarva
- 12 Samantha Memmini
- 13 Greg Jensen, Kathy Yerke,
Hedy Kesterson
- 15 Inez Bundgard, Nancy Kemnitz,
Valerie Reinhold

- 16 Cody Bihun, Noah Drescher,
Grace Johnson, Frank Oliver Jr.
- 17 Robert Hoffman
- 18 Kyle DeVries, Christine Gillig,
Julie Meinen, Frankie Oliver III,
Sydney Whiting
- 19 Hudson Spears
- 20 Heidi Keller, Lauren Michel
- 22 Nikolas Bereolos, Ralph Drafall,
Lukas Lotter, Betty Orkfritz,
LouAnne Panning, Bert Stohs
- 23 Chris Furmanek
- 26 Max Bundgard

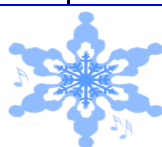
- 27 Jaxson Christensen, Hudson Fleck,
Colleen Wilkins
- 29 Janet Hulke, Sandy Vrugt
- 30 Rylan Castel
- 31 Adriaan Vrugt



- 1/1/1972 Donna & Jim Ketchmark
- 1/6/1990 Jerry & Cindy Gaitsch
- 1/16/2004 J.R. & Janet Westberg
- 1/21/1950 John & Virginia Imlah
- 1/24/1948 Max & Inez Bundgard

SERVING OUR LORD IN JANUARY 2017

DATE	TIME	ELDERS	USHERS	READERS	GREETERS	SOS TECHS/ MEDIA TECHS
12/31 C	5:30 pm	Phil Post	Ron Panning			Rev. Paul Krause
1/1	8:00 am	Rich Mueller	Howard Hoffman John Varga	Gerhard Pilz		Janice Krawczak
	10:30 am	Rick Payne	Norm Fossmeyer Tom Rolnicki	Valerie Reinhold		Solomon Post
1/7 C	5:30 pm	Larry Melman	Carol Colby		Roger & Betty Orkfritz	Nancy Dvorak
1/8 C	8:00 am	Bruce Krich	Ken Racine Ron Panning	Tara Nelson	Rich & Mary Mueller	Janice Krawczak
	10:30 am	Dale Schoenrock	Bill Eisenmenger Diane Schoenrock	Lou Anne Panning	Pat Krebs	Solomon Post
1/14	5:30 pm	Bruce Reinhold	Roger Orkfritz		Eric & Ceil Rieker	Melissa Massey
1/15	8:00 am	Larry Melman	Ken Mundt John Varga	McKenzie Krich	Bob & Chris Gillig	Janice Krawczak
	10:30 am	Rick Payne	Norm Fossmeyer Lyle Johannsen	Danielle Bahn	Herb & Hanna Wendes	Mike Finger
1/21	5:30 pm	Bruce Krich	Carol Colby		Evelyn Bicknese	Rev. Paul Krause
1/22 C	8:00 am	Tim Mahnke	Howard Hoffman Ken Racine	Nancy Dvorak	John & Becky Lesniewski	Janice Krawczak
	10:30 am	Dale Schoenrock	Ken Kemnitz Diane Schoenrock	Phil Post	Dick & Elaine Tanney	Solomon Post
1/28	5:30p	Gary Schultze	Carol Colby		Maxine Hischke	
1/29	8:00 am	Rich Mueller	Ken Mundt John Varga		Bill & Bev Eisenmenger	Janice Krawczak
	10:30 am	Phil Post	Niko Bereolos Donovan Johnson	Bridgid Furmanek	Phil & Mary Post	Solomon Post
1/1	<div>Chris & Bridgid Furmanek</div> <div>Bill & Bev Eisenmenger</div> <div>Roger & Betty Orkfritz</div> <div>Ron Panning & Marilee Payne</div> <div>Valerie Reinhold</div> <div></div> <div>ALTAR GUILD</div> <div>Carol Colby (224) 406-6757</div> <div>Missy Erath (847) 669-0419</div>					
1/8						
1/15						
1/22						
1/29						



TLC PRESCHOOL NEWS

by Vicky Piller, TLC Preschool Director

Ahhhh, it's January.

Time to kick back and relax...but not at TLC Preschool! We are beginning the registration process for the 2017-2018 school year, gearing up for another fundraiser (you're going to like this one; it won't cost you anything!), playing in the snow, learning new school skills as well as learning more about our friend Jesus. And, we'll also be celebrating Lutheran Schools Week.

Thank you to Trinity's members for the Christmas ornament that you gave to each TLC student. For many Christmases to come, this gift will be a reminder of their time at TLC as well as helping them remember that Christmas is all about that very first gift, our Savior, Jesus.

BIG NEWS! The State of Illinois has recently awarded TLC Preschool provisional Bronze status. This is the first step of the State's quality improvement program for Early Childhood Centers and is a voluntary program. Some of our teachers are currently applying for the State early childhood education teacher credentials. I have earned the director's credential and am already working on my next credential level. This is the beginning of our work as we look toward earning accreditation for TLC Preschool. This process requires a great commitment of time and energy as we participate in many hours of personal professional development as well as carefully evaluating our school and

what we can do to create an exemplary learning center that also fosters children's faith development. We are excited that the Bronze status comes with training stipends as well as some financial assistance to continue to purchase quality learning materials for our classrooms.



January Savers Fundraiser – it's officially "clean out the closet season"!

Let TLC Preschool inspire you to do this and help us raise a little money. During the week of January 16, we will be collecting gently used clothes, household items (no appliances larger than a microwave), anything you normally take to Goodwill. Savers of Crystal Lake will have a truck here on Saturday, January 21 (9 am – 1 pm) to collect everything we collect. You can drop your items off during the week of January 16 or just pull up to the truck on January 21 and let them help you unload your car. This is the perfect fundraiser – you get to re-organize your house, TLC earns a little money, and you don't have to spend any money :)

PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION for the 2017-2018 school year opens on January 4. Please tell people about TLC Preschool, encourage them to come tour a facility, and pray that God blesses us with many children. Registration information is also available on our website <http://TLC.trinityhuntley.org>.

TLC PRESCHOOL, A MISSION OF TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

HELP TO KEEP CHURCH RECORDS UP TO DATE

If your contact information has changed, please let the church know so that we can keep our records updated. Call the church office at 847-669-5780 x3 or email at Office@TrinityHuntley.org.

Mission Outreach Update

Adopt—A—Family

Many thanks to all who participated in the Adopt A Family Christmas Project.

Due to an overwhelming response, we were able to deliver to the Grafton Food Pantry presents for 30 people!

(Pictured right)
Marilee Payne, Ceil Rieker,
LouAnne Panning and Judy Ladage
—
sorting the gifts for the five families





God's blessings to you this Christmas season. We are so thankful for the love and support you've shown the LWML. Let us rejoice in this season of our Savior's birth.



Missions & Outreach Musings by Marilee Payne

A variety of ministry groups within the Missions Team have been busy. The quilters enjoyed a recent Christmas luncheon at Jameson's in Del Webb. The past few years the Galloping Horses Quilters have sent quilts in a variety of patterns to: The New Mom's Ministry, Lutheran World Relief, Elgin Pregnancy Center, McHenry County Foster Children, Orphan Grain Train and a variety of other groups. Many thanks to Jan Meyer for her fantastic leadership and to all the quilters for sharing their gifts for this ministry.



Galloping Horses Quilters (from left)—Bev Eisenmenger, Cheryl Ravagnie, Marilee Payne, Jan Meyer, Colleen Wilkins, Chris Gillig, Marlene Luedke, Connie Garrison, Ceil Rieker

This is the first year Trinity took part in the Grafton Township Food Pantry "Adopt A Family" program. Trinity members adopted 5 families for a total of 30 individuals to receive Christmas gifts from our Trinity family. Judy Ladage did a stellar job organizing this program. Hats, Mittens, and gloves were placed on the Christmas tree in the Narthex as part of the gifts to these five families. Judy and her committee wish to thank Trinity members for their generosity this Christmas season.

January and February the Missions Team will focus on the sanctity of LIFE. There will be an ingathering for the Elgin Pregnancy Center as well as an opportunity to attend the yearly dinner on their behalf. Details on this will be available soon.

Christmas followed by the New Year always brings forth a time of reflection and anticipation. What will the New Year bring? What can I do better next year? What habits do I need to shed and which do I need to form. Lord, lead us! Former President Jimmy Carter was quoted as saying:

"My faith demands that I do whatever I can, wherever I am, whenever I can, for as long as I can with whatever I have – to try to make a difference."

May that be the prayer for our entire Trinity family for 2017.

FELLOWSHIP VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to those who volunteered to host during fellowship time in December ...

We all enjoy fellowship time and newcomers to our church appreciate this warm inviting way of welcoming them.



- 12/4 LWML members
- 12/11 Advent Brunch by Parish Fellowship
- 12/18 Parish Fellowship

Volunteer signup spots are available! We all enjoy those special goodies provided by just a few.

Please consider volunteering to host — on your own, with a group, friend or another family.

Coming up in January ... Fellowship Hosts

- 1/1 **LWML members**
- 1/8 ... **OPEN ...**
- 1/15 ... **OPEN ...**
- 1/22 ... **OPEN ...**
- 1/29 ... **OPEN ...**



HOSPITAL VISITS

Please contact the church office if you or a family member are, or are planning to be, in the hospital. You can be added to the prayer chain and/or a visit can be scheduled. Due to new privacy laws, hospitals are no longer able to contact the church.

GRAFTON FOOD PANTRY

Thank you to everyone who has donated items toward the Grafton Food Pantry.

December's Focus Weekend is the 17th-18th. There are red Trinity shopping bags to hold your purchases. If you don't already have one, please take one the next time you are at church and bring it back on the third Sunday of the month with your items.



We also collect donations for food and household supplies for the Food Pantry all month. There is a basket in the Narthex to drop off items.

Also accepted—monetary donations (make checks out to Grafton Food Pantry) for the Food Pantry to purchase items from the Northern Illinois Food Bank.

A \$1 cash donation provides \$8 of buying power.

FLOWERS PLACED AT THE ALTAR IN DECEMBER...

were given to the glory of God and on ...

- 12/4 in honor of Mary Jo Simonsen on her 90th birthday, by Maxine Hischke
- 12/11 In celebration of Norm & Krissy Fossmeier on their 16th wedding anniversary.
- 12/18 See poinsettia list
- 12/25 See poinsettia list



FLOWER CHART

The flower chart for 2017 is on the bulletin board above the tract rack in the Narthex (at the east entryway entering from the parking lot). To place flowers at the altar for a special date, sign your name next to that date and occasion (if applicable). The cost is \$25. Altar flowers may be taken home after the last service. If more than 1 person has signed up, please just take 1 vase. Extra money is used to purchase flowers when no one has signed up. This is a great way to glorify God as you remember someone you love or celebrate a milestone! At Easter and Christmas Easter Lilies and Poinsettias are ordered and placed at the altar. *Please note: flowers are not placed on the altar during Lenten season.*

Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church, Huntley is a Proud Member of Faith Lutheran High School Assoc.
www.faithlhs.org

PRAYER CHAIN IS THERE FOR YOU

Trinity's prayer chain is always available to pray for you and those you know and love. Jesus hears our petitions and He will answer according to His good and perfect will. With thanksgiving, we make our requests to Him. Call or email the church office.

PINOCHLE GAME NITE ON JANUARY 8TH

We meet at Trinity (under the balcony) for Pinochle (*usually* on the second Sunday of each month) at 5 pm. Beginners & walk-ins are always welcome. Call the church office for more info. We ask that everyone bring a snack to share; dinner is not served.

Join this fun group of card players!



THE POINSETTIAS that grace the altar and Chancel area are presented to the glory of God and . . .

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

Donald "Mike" Bicknese, Franz & Louise Henning,
Fred & Freida Bicknese
Mom/Grandma, Doris Drafall
Parents/Grandparents, Don & Bobbie Tessmer
Jane & Jerry Wehrmeister
Our parents
Our daughter, Erin Jane
Our Grandparents
Nancy Killian, Mom, Mother-in-law & Grandma
Ma - Grandma Klemm
Dad - Grandpa Goers
Ma - Grandma Taylor
Roger Hagar, Frank & Lilian Sebastian
Robert Hischke
John & Louise Henning, Wm & Edith Hoffman
Art & Lucy Kahl, Paul & Eva Isenhardt
Fred, Larry & Michael Kahl
Franz & Louise Henning, Harold & Adeline Kunde
Otto & Cecile Lotter, Friedrich & Hilde Dabels
Ronald Luedke/Barbara Varga
Bob & Marj Mahnke
Helen Manke
Irvin Manke
McCleta Windle
Ted Michel
Barbara & Kenneth Hustel
Grandmas, Grandpas, Aunts & Uncles of both of our families
Mom, Dad & sister
Helen & Irvin Manke
Louise & Louis Kahl
Louise & Frank Manke
Winnie & John Pump
Louise & William Mueller
Elizabeth & John Pump
Pauline & Bob Rieker
Gordon Simonsen
Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Stading, Jr.
Our Parents

IN HONOR OF:

Dad/Grandpa, Ralph Drafall
Darren & Madeline
All of our veterans
John, Shelly & Kaylee Goers
Donny, Becky, Anna, Allison & Eliza Goers
Alyce
Our children & grandchildren
Our children & grandchildren

BY:

Evelyn Bicknese
John, Bobbi, Matthew & Juli Drafall
John, Bobbi, Matthew & Juli Drafall
Betty & Frank Dudek
Bill & Bev Eisenmenger
Paul & Cheryl Eisenmenger
Norm & Krissy Fossmeyer
John, Shelly & Kaylee Goers
the Wayne & Sue Goers family
the Wayne & Sue Goers family
the Wayne & Sue Goers family
Jana Hagar & Rick Sebastian
Maxine Hischke
Howard & Bernice Hoffman
Hop & Pam Kahl and family
Ruth Kahl & family
Robert & Marilyn Kunde
Raimond & Dorothea Lotter
Marlene Luedke/John Varga
the Mahnke family
Vernon, Joyce & Bryan
Vernon, Joyce & Bryan
Vernon, Joyce & Bryan
the Michel & Sukta family
the Michel & Sukta family
the Michel & Sukta family
the Nepermann family
Marlene & Rick Pump Sr.
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Marlene & Rick Pump Sr.
Ceil & Eric Rieker
Mary Jo Simonsen
the children & grandchildren
Herb & Hanna Wendes

BY:

John, Bobbi, Matthew & Juli Drafall
Dale & Missy Erath
the Fleck family
Dad & Ma/Papa & Grandma
Dad & Ma/Grandpa & Grandma
the Praise Team
Hop & Pam Kahl
Tom & Lana Rolnicki



"FUN"drive Fundraiser – for TLC Preschool

Collection
Week of
January 15th

Collection Day
January 21st

Here are the items
we accept and the price
we are paid for them..

Look for the drop off
box in the narthex!

SOFT GOODS
20¢ PER POUND



CLOTHING



SHOES



BEDDING / TOWELS



ACCESSORIES - HATS,
MITTENS, SCARVES,
TIES, SOCKS, PURSES,
WALLETS, BACKPACKS,
BAGS, BELTS, JEWELRY

HARD GOODS
10¢ PER POUND



ELECTRICAL ITEMS



TOYS & GAMES



KITCHEN ITEMS



KNICK-KNACKS



SPORTING GOODS -
BALLS, BATS, FRISBEES,
TENNIS RACKETS,
BASEBALL GLOVES

BOOKS/CDS/DVDS
5¢ PER POUND



400 BAGS = \$1000!

FUNDrive™

KICKSTART YOUR COMMUNITY FUNDRIVE



HELP SUPPORT TRINITY!

Advertising in the weekly bulletin and/or the monthly newsletter
- A chance for members to support fellow members businesses as well as those in the community. *This is not for business owners only!* Place an ad to celebrate a milestone, such as a wedding anniversary, graduation or birthday; in memory of a loved one; or to sponsor an organization. Costs range from \$10 – \$45 per month, with savings with a yearly commitment. Call the church office @ 847-669-5780 for terms & prices.

Eat at Culver's ANY Wednesday, Saturday
Eve or Sunday & Support Trinity!

Head over to Culver's Restaurant of Huntley, Rt. 47, on **ANY** Saturday evening or **ANY** Sunday and present your weekend worship bulletin when ordering and **Culver's will donate 10% of your total order to our Trinity youth activities.** The 3rd Sunday of every month is designated "Trinity Sunday". Join us after church—enjoy a great meal and support Trinity's youth.



EAT AT PARKSIDE!

Let your server know that you're a member of Trinity and 10% of your total bill goes toward our Building Expansion Fund!

OPPORTUNITY TO SUPPORT TRINITY!

Prepaid gift cards for purchase *or to order!* Check out the latest participating retailer list in the Narthex or below. Then put your shopping dollars to work for our church by making regular household purchases (groceries, clothing, toys, gifts, even gasoline).

THE TOP FIVE (ALWAYS AVAILABLE)!

DUNKIN DONUTS ☆ JEWEL ☆ STARBUCKS
☆ SUBWAY ☆ WALMART

Other Cards (existing inventory)
are also AVAILABLE NOW!

Group orders are placed once a month, and **available to be picked-up the first or third Sunday between/after services.**

Scrip Coordinator available in the narthex after those services to answer any questions or to purchase cards.

January 2017

January 2017							February 2017						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	26	27	28				
29	30	31											

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
WEEK 1	Jan 1, 17 ** NEW YEAR'S DAY ** 8:00am Worship Service 9:15am Adult Ed Hour 10:30am Worship Service	2 TLC Preschool - Christmas Break Church Office Closed	3 6:00pm Bell Choir Practice 7:00pm Praise Team Choir Practice	4 *** TLC Preschool *** TLC Chapel - 9:15am & 12:45pm 4:30pm Confirmation Class (under balcony) 6:30pm Board of Ed meeting	5 Wednesday - Friday 9 am - 3 pm 11:00am Pastor Circuit Meeting (offsite)	6 TLC Chapel - 9:15am	7 10:30am Value & Vision Meeting 5:30pm Worship/Comm
	8 8:00am Worship/Comm 9:15am Adult Ed Hour 9:15am Family Sunday School (bsmt) 10:30am Worship/Comm/Baptism 11:30am Confirmation Family Mtg 5:00pm GAME NITE!	9 *** TLC Preschool *** 9:30am Quilters Group (offsite)	10 6:00pm Bell Choir Practice 7:00pm Praise Team Choir Practice	11 *** Monday - Friday 9 am - 3 pm *** TLC Chapel - 9:15am & 12:45pm 10:00am Missions Meeting (under balcony) 4:30pm Confirmation Class (under balcony)	12 4:30pm Church Staff Meeting 7:00pm Finance Meeting (under balcony)	13 TLC Chapel - 9:15am 9:15am Parent's Group	14 8:00am Men's NetWork (onsite) 10:00am Expansion Meeting 12:00pm - 3pm Birthday Party (bsmt) 5:30pm Worship
	15 8:00am Worship Service 9:15am Adult Ed Hour 9:15am Family Sunday School (bsmt) 10:30am Worship Service 11:30am Congregational meeting 12:30pm Chili Cook-Off!	16 NEWSLETTER DEADLINE! TLC Closed-Martin Luther King Day 9:30am Quilters Group (offsite)	17 *** TLC Preschool *** 3:30pm TLC Staff Meeting (under balcony) 6:00pm Bell Choir Practice 7:00pm Praise Team Choir Practice	18 Tuesday - Friday 9 am - 3 pm TLC Chapel - 9:15am & 12:45pm 4:30pm Confirmation Class (under balcony)	19 1:00pm Book Review (offsite) 6:30pm TLC Preschool Board Mtg (under balcony) 7:00pm Elders meeting	20 TLC Chapel - 9:15am	21 Grafton Food Pantry Collection 5:30pm Worship/Comm
	22 Grafton Food Pantry Collection	23 *** TLC Preschool *** Lutheran Schools Week	24 McHenry Co. Sheriff Training (at 11006 Church St. house) 6:00pm Bell Choir Practice 7:00pm Praise Team Choir Practice	25 Monday - Friday 9 am - 3 pm TLC Chapel - 9:15am & 12:45pm 4:30pm Confirmation Class (under balcony)	26 4:30pm Church Staff Meeting	27 9:15am Parent's Group	28 8:00am Men's NetWork (onsite)
WEEK 4	29 8:00am Worship/Comm 9:15am Adult Ed Hour 9:15am Family Sunday School 9:15am LWML meeting 10:30am Worship/Comm	30 *** TLC Preschool *** Monday - Friday 9 am - 3 pm	31 TLC Chapel - 9:15am & 12:45pm 4:30pm Confirmation Class (under balcony) 6:30pm Board of Ed meeting	Feb 1 TLC Chapel - 9:15am	2 TLC Chapel - 9:15am	3 5:30pm Worship/Comm	4 5:30pm Worship Service
	8:00am Worship/Comm 9:15am Adult Ed Hour 9:15am Family Sunday School (bsmt) 9:15am Farewell To Alyce Johnson 10:30am Worship/Comm 11:30am VOTERS MEETING						

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Trinity Worship Opportunities in JANUARY

Weekend Worship Times

Saturday @ 5:30 pm

Sunday @ 8 + 10:30 am

Holy Communion on the 2nd, 4th + 5th Sundays

Adult Education Hour @ 9:15 am

Family Sunday School @ 9:15 am

Confirmation class meets Wednesdays 4:30-6 pm
(follows District 158 schedule)



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