

Trinity Calendar March 6-21, 2015

Friday, March 6

- **FIRST FRIDAY POTLUCK**, 6:00 PM, Shepherd's Hall
- Al-anon mtg, 7:30 PM, GMR
- AA, 8:00 PM, Shepherd's Hall

Saturday, March 7

- Change your clocks before you go to bed
CLOCKS SPRING AHEAD

SUNDAY, March 8

- Holy Communion, 8:30 & 10:45 AM
- Faith Formation classes, 9:45 AM
- Outreach meeting, ~9:30 AM
- God & Me, 10:30 AM
- Affirmation Huddle (parents), 6:00 PM, off site

Monday, March 9

- Mother's Connection, 9:30 AM, Shepherd's Hall
- Cub Scouts, 6 PM, Shepherd's Hall
- Leukemia & Lymphoma mtg, 7:00 PM, GMR

Tuesday, March 10

- CBS, 10 AM-noon, Fellowship Hall
- **BLOOD DRIVE, 2 PM-8 PM, Shepherd's Hall**
- AA, 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Education Min, 7:00 PM, Pastor's office
- Finance team mtg, 7:30 PM, GMR

Wednesday, March 11

- Bible Study, 7 PM, GMR
- Nar-Anon, 7 PM, Fellowship Hall
- AA, 8 PM, Shepherd's Hall

Thursday, March 12

- WELCA Lenten Study, 10 AM, Fellowship
- Spoken worship, noon
- Sr Handbells, 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Yoga, 7:30 PM, Youth Rm
- Sr Choir, 7:45 PM, Choir Room

Friday, March 13

- Bereavement grp, 11:00 AM
- Youth Quake departure for NJ, 4:30 PM
- Al-anon mtg, 7:30 PM, GMR
- AA, 8:00 PM, Shepherd's Hall

SUNDAY, March 15

- Holy Communion, 8:30 & 10:45 AM
- Thrivent rep at coffee hour
- Faith Formation classes, 9:45 AM
- Return from Youth Quake, 2:30 PM

Monday, March 16

- Council reports and *Trinitarian* items due
- Mother's Connection, 9:30 AM, Shepherd's Hall
- Cub Scouts, 6 PM, Shepherd's Hall

Tuesday, March 17

- CBS, 10 AM-noon, Fellowship Hall
- AA, 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, March 18

- Bible Study, 7 PM, GMR
- Nar-Anon, 7 PM, Fellowship Hall
- AA, 8 PM, Shepherd's Hall

Thursday, March 19

- WELCA Lenten Study, 10 AM, Fellowship, followed by lunch out
- Spoken worship, noon
- Sr Handbells, 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Yoga, 7:30 PM, Youth Rm
- Sr Choir, 7:45 PM, Choir Room

Friday, March 20

- Bereavement grp, 11:00 AM
- Al-anon mtg, 7:30 PM, GMR
- AA, 8:00 PM, Shepherd's Hall

Saturday, March 21 Moravian Love Feast, 5:00 PM

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OUR STAFF

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Trinity Lutheran Church Brewster, New York

March 8, 2015

WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WHO ARE

In the hospital, ill, recuperating from surgery, or undergoing medical treatment: Brigitte, Lee, Nan Bader, Lisa Bagnati, Kitty, Joe Basara, Joe Bettcher, Nicole Bettcher, Mark Boldish, Amy Booth, Michael Boyd, John Boyle, William Brown, Lilly Browne, Wendy Bucaj, Betty Buckmaster, Lynn Byrnes, John Cannon, Gail Cardella, Tamara Casablanca, Christine, Erin Conroy, Helen Conte, Jon Cope, Lorraine Cornell, Linda Cowen, Eileen Dahlia, Ben Dalecki, Karen Delduco, Kathren Devine, Dilynn, Gert Donovan, Joanne Dzibela, Lillian Eberhardt, Altjie Egmon, Priscilla Elz, Wayne Farber, Linda Fitzgerald, Christine Gallegher, Avril Gelder, Robert Glad, Barbara Goos, Eleanor Greene, Eric Halbekath Sr, Jeannine Harris, Jean Hnatow, Walter Jakymiw, Joe, Dick Kittle, Karen Krebs, Joe Laird, Justin Larocchia, Michael, Beth Maley, Dan McGill, Bill McMahon, Mary Jane McMahon, Ziggy Mignanelli, Oliver Milton, Michael Montana, Karen Myerwold, Mike Nicholson, Barbara Nicoletti, John Noone, Pr. Paul Nordeen, Bob Obuck, Pr Garry Patrylo Jr, Ed Ranieri, Ronnie, Rosaleen, Larry Ruhs, Debbie Ruxton, Marilyn Schoeller, George Schwarz, Marian Schwarz, John Simon, Theresa Smith, Joe Stark, Curt Stiles, Walter Straub, Meranda Sue, Grace Tadler, John Torlish, Mary Torlish, Greg V., Henry Von Bargen, Katherine Waldvogel, Mary Wilkat, Jessica Wilkson, Gina, Cele, Marv, Arthur, Richard Yessian, Jeff

Wrestling with long-term health issues: Moshen Alameldin, Morgan Andren, Malcolm Beal Sr, Gloria Bretone, Janet Canor, Tony Cardella, Deena Cox, Tom Curran, Glen DiSanto, Al Eberhardt, Donna Ficara, Jim Fiore, Mollie Fitzpatrick, Margaret Fowler, Amanda George, Chuck Helvig, Sue Kaufman, Raymond Kiernan, Ryan Lee, Reneé McElroy, Thaine Manske, Virginia Mead, George Miller, Tanya Murgai, Regina Paulson, Katie Ray, Betty Rodda, Riley Rushia, Sindy, Zack Small, Kenneth Strawn, Audrey Stone, Kathy Sullivan, Josephine Talley, Gina Venezia, Glenn Wagner, Elizabeth Waugh, Cecilia Winters, Stephanie, Donna

Facing life's challenges: Daniel Baggetta, the Banuelos/Cable/Lyon family, Wanda & Cliff, Della Arndt, Danielle Blummer, the Bueti family, Catherine, Jeannie Graham, Terry Gregori, Larry Hampson, Logan Keane, Austin King & family, Matt, Bill & Debbie Logan, Anita Luhrs, Isabel Ranieri, Sue Rodriguez, Alex Smith, Barbara Sparkes, Katelyn Stufano, Kristen Sullivan, Michael Talarico, Jennifer West, Helga Whalen, Dave, Lisa, Jaimie Zeola

Serving in the Armed Forces: Michael Caitney, Dylan Cumpston, Adam Elliott, Phillip Gerhardt, Ron Hansen Jr., Dylan Kinsella, Pr Anthony Stephens, Adam Vieux, Jessica Woodall, all those in the service of our country, especially in Iraq and Afghanistan, and their chaplains

Restricted to home/nursing home: Marge Christie, Frank Cucinella, Gerrit Franssen, Lucy Hillers, Heddie Kessel, Marian Langlois, Horatio Massatti, Marge Popham, Scott Werner

Attending seminary: Dawn Morello

Partnership Ministries: The Northwest Diocese of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Tanzania; the Brewster Soup Kitchen (Brewster 1st Baptist Church) and Brewster Food Pantry (St. Andrew's Episcopal), Brewster Ecumenical Service Partnership (BESP); local small business owners in challenging economic times

Servants of the Church: Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, and the Churchwide staff; Bishop Robert Rimbo of the Metropolitan New York Synod and staff; Pastor Jennifer Boyd, Deacons Charles Germain, Jr. and Dorothy Kafalas; Minister of Music Franklyn Commisso; Council members; Sunday School teachers, and worship leaders

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS: To add a name to Trinity's prayer list, please complete a request form located in the pew and place it in the offering plate or send it to the church office. Names are usually listed for four weeks. Please contact **Amy** in the church office trinlutheranoffice@yahoo.com if a person should be listed for a longer period of time, moved to a different area of concern, or removed. Wednesday is the deadline for including names in the following Sunday's printed list.

Trinity Weekly

SCHEDULED TO SERVE

Sunday, March 8

8:30 AM: Assisting Ministers/Rdrs—Bruce Markert, Lois Lawrence; **Ushers**—Paul Doster, Scott Dzibela Sr; **Acolyte**—Meagan Beal

10:45 AM: Assisting Ministers/Rdrs—Kathie Ruhs, Joanne Halbekath; **Ushers**—Jo-Ann Nestor, one needed; **Acolyte**—Alex Bertone

Sunday, March 15

8:30 AM: Assisting Ministers/Rdrs—Dawn Morello, Ralph Rudolph; **Ushers**—Charlie Germain, Don Icken; **Acolyte**—Scott Stoecker

10:45 AM: Assisting Ministers/Rdrs—Joan Bradley, Gail Pease; **Ushers**—Stephanie & Peter Lyons; **Acolyte**—Florence Cuomo

IF YOU CAN FILL A NEED, please contact Mary Beth Commisso at mbjerry@comcast.net ASAP.

ALL SERVERS: Please sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex. If you are unable to serve as scheduled, please arrange for a substitute and inform the office **and** Mary Beth Commisso. **For acolyte scheduling**, contact Charlie Germain.

Readings for March 15—Psalm 43:3-4; Matthew 25:1-13. Read and pray the text each week. Come to worship prepared and eager to hear God's word.

BULLETIN COVERS are needed for March 29 and beyond. Please sign up in the narthex.

LENTEN RESOURCES—Check out the table in the narthex for a variety of resources for you as well as families to use during these 40 days. We will also have a daily blog written by members and others from the wider Church. It will be posted to our Facebook page, sent out in an email (if you would like to be on this email list, please let Pastor Jen know) and a few paper copies will be made available weekly.

WELCA Thursday Morning Group

Pastor Jen will be leading us in a Lenten Study on the following Thursdays. All are welcome.

We will be using the ELCA "Claimed, Gathered, Sent: Guide for Conversation"

March 12, 10 AM	We are Church
March 19, 10 AM	We are Lutheran; followed by lunch at 12:45 PM
March 26, 10 AM	We are Church Together/We are Church for the World

MORAVIAN LOVE FEAST: A Special and Unique Opportunity for Lenten Worship, Fellowship, & Music—Saturday, March 21, 2015, 5:00 p.m. The Love Feast is a service of song and prayer that follows the practice of the early church, in which believers met to worship and share a fellowship meal to show their bond as Christ's family. The service will be followed by refreshments. Meet your friends and make new ones.

THRIVENT Financial Services representative Rob Headley will be at coffee hour March 15.

Yoga is at Trinity!! Thursdays 7:30 pm-8:45 pm. Information: Cyndi Bertone, RYT, 279-8240.

BLOOD DRIVE—Here at Trinity on **TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2:00-8:00 PM** downstairs in Shepherd's Hall. Please come and donate life-saving blood. It doesn't hurt and only takes about 45 minutes start to finish. You must be age 17 or over and have a valid ID (driver's license, etc.). There is no substitute for blood. You can sign up with me or just come in. Thank you. Carol Fendt, 845-277-5126

Getting from HERE to THERE—In March we will be collecting used clothing, including handbags, belts, shoes, etc. **We need 200 bags to raise funds for our trip to the ELCA Youth Gathering in Detroit in July.** It can be old stuff that no one can use anymore. Please see the special blue insert and watch here for dates. Deacon Charlie Germain



BREWSTER EMERGENCY SHELTER PARTNERSHIP (BESP), the temporary shelter, runs December 8, 2014 through March 29, 2015 (Palm Sunday). Trinity's remaining dates for providing a hot meal and overnight volunteer hosts (along with the paid overnight host) are: **March 16-March 22.** Contact Gail Pease at 845-225-8921 or gpeasesoar@aol.com or Irene Germain at 845-225-4698 or Irene6174@comcast.net for questions or to volunteer.

EASTER FLOWERS—Please see the white insert for ordering information. Orders due March 22; \$12.00.

TRINITY HAS JOINED THE TERRACYCLE BRIGADE! Don't forget about this exciting opportunity to turn ordinary recyclable items such as shampoo bottles, toothpaste tubes, printer cartridges, and cell phones into cash for Trinity while keeping items out of landfills and the ocean. For more information, see the lilac sheet in the narthex, the March *Trinitarian*, or contact Georgina Marek.

FAITH FORMATION

SUNDAY MORNINGS (9:45-10:30 am)

Faith Formation for Adults—Course descriptions in the *Trinitarian*.

- **Transformation: Holding the Hands of God**—led by Dee Lockshiss
- **Challenges for Faith Formation**—led by Charlie Germain
- **Affirmation**—General Meeting Room; led by Pastor Jen
- **Sunday School** in Shepherd's Hall

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS (7:00-8:00 pm) Wednesday Bible study is looking at the book of Judges as we explore the faith experiences of such biblical characters as Samson, Gideon and Deborah. All are welcome to join us. (Does not meet Wednesdays when there is a council meeting)

FIRST THURSDAY OF MONTH Transforming Life and Faith Bible Study at WELCA meetings at 10:00 am in Fellowship Hall led by various leaders

GOD & FAMILY meets 1/25, 2/1, 2/8, 2/22 (3/1 avail for "snow day") with John Bertone.

GOD & ME meets 1/25, 2/8, 2/22, and 3/8 10:30 AM, Shepherd's Hall, with Irene Germain.