

Trinity Calendar † April 8-22, 2016

Friday, April 8

- PAINT & SIP PARTY (Trinity fundraiser), 6:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Al-anon, 7:30 PM, GMR
- AA, 8:00 PM, Shepherd's Hall

Saturday, April 9

- FREEZIN' FOR A REASON, 3:00 PM, Mahopac

SUNDAY, April 10

- Holy Communion, 8:30 AM & 10:45 AM
- Sunday School, 8:30 AM
- 9:30 AM coffee/fellowship
- Faith Formation—adults & affirm, 9:45 AM
- Resurr Bible Ch, noon, Shep Hall & Youth Rm

Monday, April 11

- Mother's Connection not mtg
- Memorial service for Russell O'Leary Sr, 10:00 AM
- Cub Scouts, Shepherd's Hall, 6:00 PM

Tuesday, April 12

- Yoga, 9:30-11:00 AM, Shepherd's Hall
- CBS, 10 AM-noon, Youth Room
- AA, 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Education Min mtg, 7:00 PM, Pr's office
- Finance mtg, 7:30 PM, GMR

Wednesday, April 13

- Bible study, 7:00 PM, Youth Rm
- Nar-Anon, 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- AA, 8:00 PM, Shepherd's Hall

Thursday, April 14

- WELCA Craft, 10:00 AM, GMR
- Holy Communion/Spoken worship, noon
- Handbells, 6:45 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Senior choir, 7:15 PM, Nave
- Yoga, 7:30 PM, Shepherd's Hall

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OUR STAFF

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Friday, April 15

- Al-anon, 7:30 PM, GMR
- AA, 8:00 PM, Shepherd's Hall

SUNDAY, April 17

- Holy Communion, 8:30 AM & 10:45 AM
- Sunday School, 8:30 AM
- 9:30 AM coffee/fellowship
- WELCA, 10:30 AM, GMR
- Faith Formation—adults & affirm, 9:45 AM
- Resurr Bible Ch, noon, Shep Hall & Youth Rm

Monday, April 18

- Mother's Connection, 9:30 AM, Shepherd's Hall
- Cub Scouts, Shepherd's Hall, 6:00 PM

Tuesday, April 19

- Yoga, 9:30-11:00 AM, Shepherd's Hall
- CBS, 10 AM-noon, Youth Room
- AA, 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, April 20

- Bible study, 7:00 PM, Youth Rm
- Nar-Anon, 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall
- AA, 8:00 PM, Shepherd's Hall

Thursday, April 21

- WELCA Craft, 10:00 AM, GMR, followed by lunch at Olive Garden
- Holy Communion/Spoken worship, noon
- Handbells, 6:45 PM, Fellowship Hall
- Senior choir, 7:15 PM, Nave
- Yoga, 7:30 PM, Shepherd's Hall

Friday, April 22

- Al-anon, 7:30 PM, GMR
- AA, 8:00 PM, Shepherd's Hall

Trinity Lutheran Church † Brewster, New York

April 10, 2016

Please contact Amy in the church office trinlutheranoffice@yahoo.com if a person should be moved to a different area of concern or removed from this list.

WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WHO ARE

In the hospital, ill, recuperating from surgery, or undergoing medical treatment: Brigitte, Lee, Augie Autieri, Tamara Bagen, Lisa Bagnati, Joan Baum, Kitty, Barbara Jean Bennet, Patricia Berwind, Joe Bettcher, Nicole Bettcher, Michael Boyd, William Brown, Lilly Browne, Wendy Bucaj, Betty Buckmaster, Gail Cardella, Diana Carrano, Tamara Casablanca, Christine, Colleen, Erin Conroy, Helen Conte, Sharon Cooper, Jon Cope, Linda Cowen, Ben Dalecki, Karen Delduco, Kathren Devine, Dilynn, Dominic, Gert Donovan, Wayne Farber, Kristin Foley, Christine Gallagher, George Gilleo, Barbara Goos, Eleanor Greene, Alexandra Grimaldi, Eric Halbekath Sr, Thomas Ingate, Joe, JoAnn Johnston, Kelly Kern, Sally Kindt, Dick Kittle, Bob Koenig, George Kramer, Matthew Kromar, Jean Lamberston, Pr Sandy Leifster, Judy Lutz, Raymond Maglio, Meg, Michael, Beth Maley, Hedy McCloskey, Dan McGill, Ziggy Mignanelli, Oliver Milton, Michael Montana, Karen Myerwold, John Noone, Pr. Paul Nordeen, Bob Obuck, Pr Garry Patrylo Jr, Ed Ranieri, Muriel Rapp, Elaine Rigo, Nicholas Rogan, Ronnie, Larry Ruhs, Marilyn Schoeller, George Schwarz, Sharon, James Sorge, Phyllis Sorge, Joe Stark, Meyer Steinhardt, Curt Stiles, Walter Straub, Michael Stringer, Meranda Sue, Grace Tadler, Michelle Tessier, Teddi Tom, Tony, John Torlish, Mary Torlish, Greg V., Vicki, Henry Von Bargen, Katherine Waldvogel, Alex Wallace, Mary Ann Wilk, Jessica Wilkson, Gina, Cele, Marv, Arthur, Jeff

Wrestling with long-term health issues: Moshen Alameldin, Morgan Andren, Judy B, Malcolm Beal Sr, Amanda Beneway, Gloria Bretone, Janet Canor, Tony Cardella, Dorothy Cordell, Deena Cox, Nancy Cuomo, Tom Curran, Glen DiSanto, Al Eberhardt, Priscilla Elz, Donna Ficara, Jim Fiore, Mollie Fitzpatrick, Gary Foster, Margaret Fowler, Amanda George, Catherine Henneforth, Sue Kaufman, Raymond Kiernan, Janet Kniffin, Ryan Lee, Allen McCaslin, Renee McElroy, Thaine Manske, George Miller, Tanya Murgai, Regina Paulson, Katie Ray, Betty Rodda, Rosaleen, Riley Rushia, Otto Schmid, Linda Siebold, Sindy, Sally Sheets, Zack Small, Michael Smith, Audrey Stone, Kenneth Strawn, Kathy Sullivan, Josephine Talley, Kaeli Tretera, Gina Venezia, Glenn Wagner, Walt, Elizabeth Waugh, Cecilia Winters, Stephanie, Donna, Richard Yessian

Remembering the lives of: Neal Brundage; Russell O'Leary Sr

Facing life's challenges: Kim Andren, Daniel Baggetta, the Banuelos/Cable/Lyon family, Wanda & Cliff, Della Arndt, the Bueti family, Eleanor Byrnes, Catherine, Lillian Eberhardt, Jeannie Graham, Terry Gregori, Larry Hampson, Frank Hastie, Logan Keane, Nicola Kenny, Matt, Bill & Debbie Logan, Anita Luhrs, Mary Jane McMahan, Ryan, Mariela Ramirez & family, Isabel Ranieri, Sue Rodriguez, Twila Skeels, Alex Smith, Barbara Sparkes, Katelyn Stufano, Kristen Sullivan, Michael Talarico, Morgan Watt, 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, Alyssa Torlish, 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, Gerrit Franssen, Marian Langlois, Horatio Massatti, Virginia Mead, Marge Popham, Sylvia Rieg, 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

Trinity Weekly

SCHEDULED TO SERVE—*servers subject to change*

SUNDAY, April 10

8:30 AM: Assisting Ministers/Rdrs—Lois Lawrence, Mary Gerhardt; **Ushers**—Charlie Germain, Paul Doster; **Acolyte**—Lillie Giacomelli

10:45 AM: Assisting Ministers/Rdrs—Joanne Halbekath, Joan Bradley; **Ushers**—Peter & Stephanie Lyons; **Acolyte**—Winter Stathis

SUNDAY, APRIL 17

8:30 AM: Assisting Ministers/Rdrs—Kathie Ruhs, Kemi Gerfen; **Ushers**—Don Icken, Jo-Ann Nestor; **Acolyte**—Jenna Meissner

10:45 AM: Assisting Ministers/Rdrs—Dee Lockshiss, Joanne Halbekath; **Ushers**—Ed Johnson, Ken Mongold; **Acolyte**—Tyler O'Toole

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

ALL SERVERS: If you are unable to serve as scheduled, please arrange for your own substitute and inform the office **and** Mary Beth Commisso. **FOR ACOLYTE SCHEDULING**, contact Charlie Germain.

READINGS for Sunday, April 10—Acts 3:1-10; Mark 6:53-56. **Sunday, April 17**—Acts 17:1-9; 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10; Mark 13:9-11. Read and pray the text each week. Come to worship prepared and eager to hear God's word.

PRAYER CALENDAR—We are asking every member (all ages) to pray for the Mission & Ministry of Trinity during 2016. Sign up today! **April 8**—Lynn Byrnes; **April 9**—Joanne Halbekath; **April 10**—; **April 11**—Arnold Schuff; **April 12**—; **April 13**—Doris O'Toole; **April 14**—; **April 15**—Lynn Byrnes; **April 16**—Joanne Icken

FAITH FORMATION

Sundays 9:45 AM: Starting Sunday, April 3, we will be sharing **Stories of Faith** from scripture and beyond. Each week, we will hear a different story, reflecting on their witness. Do you have favorite person of faith that you would like to share and/or learn more about? Let Pastor Jen know.

Wednesdays 7:00-8:00 PM: "Unbinding the Gospel" book study will look at what is it about the Good News that we are called to live out. Please see Pastor Jen for a book if you are interested in attending. (Does not meet Wednesdays when there is a council meeting)

FELLOWSHIP WINDOWS RENOVATION—We are getting closer to our goal, but every contribution counts. Please consider pledging toward this worthwhile project. **ANY AMOUNT IS WELCOME!** *Blue* pledge forms can be found on the table in the narthex. Thank you! Ken Mongold, Property Coordinator

ONLINE GIVING—Don't forget that you can go to our webpage (www.trinitybrewsterny.org) to make a one-time or recurring gift to Trinity. Also, if you use Amazon to make purchases, go through their smile.amazon.com site and designate Trinity Lutheran Church, Brewster NY as your charity. We will receive a small percentage from many of your purchases.

SPRING CLEAN UP Saturday, April 30, 8 AM-2 PM. Come for an hour or the entire morning—however much time you can offer. Bring gloves, rakes, wheelbarrows. Sign up on the sheet in the narthex. Questions? Contact Ken Mongold

Trinity Weekly and the *Trinitarian* can also be found at www.trinitybrewsterny.org

Paints, crayons, markers, colored pencils, construction paper, pipe cleaners, glue, stickers, paint brushes, beads, yarn, ribbon, or **any spare art materials** are greatly appreciated for **Green Chimney's art program**. Part of my Girl Scout Gold Award project is to improve the facility's afterschool art club—Lamorna Coyle. Email lamorna.coyle@gmail.com for more information. Thank you!

TERRACYCLE & EARTH DAY—Invite friends, family, and others to help care for God's creation by saving items on our Terracycle lists. On **Sunday, April 24, 2-4 PM**, we invite people to drop off items from our lists to be recycled. **THIS WILL BE THE LAST TIME E-WASTE (cell phones etc) WILL BE ACCEPTED BY TERRACYCLE. Pick up copies of the green list on the narthex table to share with others.** For more information, please contact council member Georgina Marek.



Our Synod's **Tanzania Companionship Committee** has informed us that a number of churches in our companion synod, the **Northwest Diocese of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Tanzania**, have been damaged by arson perpetrated by radical non-Christian arsonists. The damage totals about \$12,000—a considerable amount in a country where the average per capita income is \$600 per year! After consulting with diocesan leaders in Tanzania, the Tanzania Committee is encouraging individuals and congregations in Metro New York Synod to raise the full amount to cover the cost of repairs. If you would like to give to this cause, please make a check out to Emanuel and write "Tanzania churches" on the memo. Asante sana for your generosity! Pastor Paul Egensteiner, Emanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church, Pleasantville

SPEAKEASY: Healthy Conversations in Difficult Times—Sunday, May 1, 2:00 PM—We live in a time of increasing polarization between people who have different perspectives. We are offering a way through these difficult conversations. We are beginning a conversation series around issues of justice and peace. Many times, they will be prompted through discussions of a variety of books and/or panel discussions. We invite you to read either or both: *Reclaiming Conversation: The Power of Talk in a Digital Age* by Sherry Turkle // *Difficult Conversations: How to Discuss What Matters Most* by Douglas Stone, Bruce Patton, and Sheila Heen. These books will be setting the stage for future conversations. If you have any questions or would like to let us know that you will be attending, please contact Pastor Jen (revjedyer1@yahoo.com).

WELCA is assembling **LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF BABY CARE KITS** and needs items such as used cotton T-shirts, cloth diapers, and so on. The content of these kits is very specific. Please see the *pink* list on the table in the narthex or in the April *Trinitarian* for needed items.



MOTHER'S DAY GIFT SALE Sundays April 24 and May 1, between services, by WELCA. Come browse for gifts for the mothers in your life!

Creating another **BANNER** for the sanctuary would balance the one created for our 75th anniversary. **Are you a quilter? Do you have artistic skills or ideas for a new banner? Can you volunteer some time?** Join the WELCA meeting on Sunday, April 17, after Faith Formation to discuss ideas for creating this and possibly smaller seasonal banners.

WELCA April Schedule—Thursdays, April 14, 10 AM—Craft; April 21, 10 AM—Craft followed by lunch at Olive Garden in Danbury; April 28, 10 AM—LWR kits. Irene Germain, Irene6174@comcast.net, 845-225-4698; **Sunday Morning WELCA Group** will meet Sunday, April 17, after Faith Formation, to discuss creating a new quilt. Coordinators Joanne Icken (jicken@yahoo.com) & Heidi Kuhland (CraftierQ@aol.com)

Please take this and the 'Sharing God's Story at Home' insert home with you