

# The Trinitarian



## Pastoral Reflections – *Our Faith-filled witness*

I hardly ever watch the news or read my newspaper anymore. It's not that I'm not interested in what is going on in the world or even just that there are days when it's just too overwhelming. Most of the time what appears on the evening news programs or in the newspapers I have already read or seen through various social media channels.

An increasing challenge nowadays is looking critically at the news that finds its way onto our newsfeeds. It seems that no matter your "leanings", the news that we read or watch approaches their reports with their own slants. It's difficult to really discern what reality amidst all this information is.

I struggle with this – not just with discovering the truth of a story, but with the wide range of viewpoints. And even more so with the amount of division that arises from these varying perspectives. It's not just that they are different, but rather often seen as the only truth of a situation and that the opposing viewpoint is just wrong.

I mourn the loss of the ability to really listen and hear one another. I confess the ways in which I too find myself judging those who may see things differently. I wonder at how we have gotten to this time and place.

But even more so, as a person of faith – I pray for discernment – not only for truth but also for ways in which we are called to live and respond to this current reality in our country. Beyond my own personal viewpoints, how might I – how might we – be a Christian witness amidst it all. More than just forming a statement, but in our relationships with one another.

Jesus said *"For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them."* (Matthew 18:20). While this verse is often used in general gatherings of Christians, particularly worship, it is

always important to look at the context. This verse comes right after Jesus presents his version of a "conflict resolution policy" (Matt. 18:15-19) and before Jesus teaching on forgiveness with the parable of the unforgiving servant (Matt. 18:21-35).

Jesus is among us, not just when we gather for church events, but in all of our moments – even in our conflicts and divisions. Christ is not a silent bystander but at the center of our gatherings to point us to the way of love and mercy. Christ calls us into conversations to not just speak but to really listen to one another. We are called to speak and listen with mouths full of grace and ears opened with compassion. We are invited to hear not in order to respond but to listen with the intent to understand.

Sisters and brothers in Christ – we are God's beloved called to witness to the power of Christ's presence in all of our moments, particularly in the most difficult of moments. We are invited to think on our own perspectives, searching for the roots of our responses – thinking about what from our own backgrounds and experiences reflect our responses. We are then invited to do the same with those with whom we are in conflict or disagreement. Often things aren't as simple as we perceive them. And then we are to pray – without ceasing – for the discernment of God's Word amidst this moment. Not just what would Jesus do or say, but how might we experience and express Christ's love and mercy amidst this situation. How might the presence of Jesus be reflected here?

We live in a difficult time, one fraught with division. I wish there was a simple solution. I pray that all the vitriol would be silenced. Yet, as people of God – we still work/play/learn/live in this world. We are called as Christians to be those witnesses to Christ's presence in all of our moments.

Peace in Christ, *Pastor Jen*

## ELCA Church wide Assembly

During the week of August 5-10, the ELCA met in Milwaukee for the triennial assembly. Some of the highlights of this gathering were:

\*Re-election of Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton (on the 1<sup>st</sup> ballot with over 80% of the vote)

\* Election of the ELCA Secretary

\* Adoption/affirmation of the following

- Social statement: *Faith, Sexism & Justice: A Lutheran call to action*
- *Declaration of the ELCA to People of African Descent*
- *Declaration of Inter-religious Commitment*
- *Strategy toward Authentic Diversity within the ELCA*
- *Commitment to the World Council of Churches "Thursdays in Black" (a response to gender based violence)*
- *Establishment of June 17th at the Emanuel 9 Feast Day of Repentance*
- *Resolution to condemn white supremacy*
- As well as reports and presentations from organizations, committees and ministries of the ELCA
- Affirms long standing commitment to migrants and refugees and declares the ELCA to be a sanctuary denomination
- Encouraged all synods and congregations to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the ordination of women and the 40th anniversary of the ordination of women of color

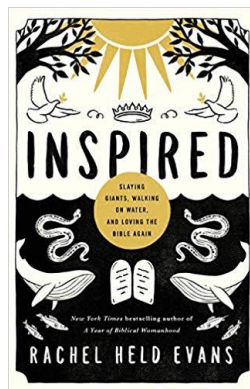
\*Additional information can be found at [www.elca.org/churchwideassembly](http://www.elca.org/churchwideassembly)

I will be having a forum on **Sunday, Sept. 15th** between services to talk about ways that any of these decisions impact us and our community.

## Off the shelf – TLC Faith Book club

We are starting a monthly book discussion group using primarily books on faith. You are invited to join the discussions IRL (in real life) and/or on our Facebook group. Below are the books we will be discussing over the next couple of months.

People will be responsible for obtaining their own copy of the books – however, if you need help in doing so, contact Pastor Jen



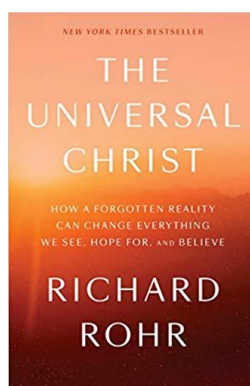
### September

"Inspired: Slaying Giants, walking on water, and loving the Bible again" by Rachel Held Evans

*This book invites us into the author's own reflections and musings on our stories of faith found in scripture. She tells many familiar*

*stories through poetry, her own short stories as well as personal reflections.*

**Monday, September 30<sup>th</sup> 7pm**(General Meeting room)



### October

"The Universal Christ: How a forgotten reality can change everything we see, hope for, and believe" By Fr. Richard Rohr

*Fr. Rohr invites us to see Christ as our "God who loves by becoming them". This book offers us ways to delve*

*into our understanding of God who transforms our lives.*

**Monday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at 7pm** (General meeting room)

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## **Faith @ Home**

### ***Praying & responding to the News***

In conjunction with the Pastoral reflections article, here are a few ways to respond in faith to the news:

- 1) Pray first (and without ceasing)!
- 2) Discuss and reflect on the various responses to a particular news event
  - a. What might we learn about why people respond in different ways based on...
    - i. Their life experiences related to: Their gender, economic, race, etc.
  - b. How is their response similar or different from your own?
    - i. How does your response reflect your own life experiences?
- 3) Pray again (and without ceasing)!
- 4) How is God present in this situation?
- 5) How might we respond out of faith?
  - a. NOTE: Often the ELCA will have resources for many of these occurrences. You can find numerous ways at the website: [www.elca.org](http://www.elca.org). For example:
    - i. our Presiding Bishop Eaton may release a statement
    - ii. there may be a social statement related to the event
    - iii. there may be ways to advocate for certain issues
    - iv. there may be a way to donate funds towards disasters and the like
- 6) In talking with others, how might you use the above questions with them?
- 7) Pray again (and without ceasing)!

## **Property News**

We now have three dehumidifiers working and in place on the lower level at Trinity. They all have direct draining set up so that we no longer have to empty the buckets by hand. This will help in our constant efforts to improve the air quality in our building.



New road signs have been ordered for our rear entrance way from ELCA. They are replacing the old signs that were very much worn out. These signs will clearly “point the way” to our church for those passing by on the roadway going in each direction.

The removal of dead trees is planned for our Rt. 6 frontage property in an effort to have Trinity clearly visible to those passing by and seeing a clean, fresh, cared for look at our entrance way.

Thank you to all who have joined in keeping our property, inside and out, looking good and in good working order this past summer. We will have a property committee meeting sometime soon and if you have an idea or a concern you’d like to voice, there is always room at the table for you.

It is every one of us at Trinity, who by working together, enable us as a church to accomplish “God’s work, with our hands.”

Sincerely,  
**Property Chairman**  
**Peter Donoghue**

## Social Ministry Schedule for 2019

Date	Activity
Sept 22	Lutheran World Relief School Kits
Oct 20	Breakfast Run
November	Thanksgiving baskets for Putnam CAP
December	Christmas satchels for Seafarer's International House

Please note that these dates are tentative and subject to change.

Any questions can be directed to Joanne Icken ([jiicken@yahoo.com](mailto:jiicken@yahoo.com))

If you have Kohl's cash that you are not using, I am happy to take it off your hands to use it for items needed for our social ministry projects.

### Lutheran World Relief School Kits

In September we will be assembling School Kits for LWR. Each kit requires the following:

- 4 notebooks – 70-sheet spiral notebooks wide or college-ruled**
- 1 – 12" ruler with inches and centimeters**
- 1 – Pencil sharpener**
- 1 – Pair of scissors (blunt)**
- 5 – Pencils (unsharpened)**
- 5 – Pens (blue or black)**
- 1 – 16 or 24 box of crayons**
- 1 – Eraser (2 ½" size)**

Special drawstring backpacks will be provided.

Please keep this in mind as you shop for your children for school.



### Midnight Run

In October we will once again be doing a breakfast run to NYC to feed the homeless. Please remember we can always use travel size toiletries and men's underwear and socks when you are doing your weekly shopping. Place the items in the "Social Ministry" container located in the Narthex.

### Putnam CAP

Thank you for your continued generosity in filling the shopping cart each month with food and home items for Putnam CAP. Their clients are very grateful for the extra help we give them with your donations.

Putnam CAP's food pantry is experiencing severe shortages on non-food items that our clients need and are unable to purchase with SNAP coupons. Please help by purchasing some of the following items:

- Shampoo/Conditioner**
- Deodorant**
- Paper Products**
- Toothbrushes**
- Laundry Detergent**
- Bar Soap**
- Feminine Hygiene Products**
- Shaving Cream**
- Cleaning Products**
- Baby Wipes**
- Diapers and Pull-Ups in sizes 4-5-6**

Here are also a few suggested non-perishable foods that would be greatly appreciated at the pantry:

- Juice (Non-Refrigerated)**
- Canned Beef Stew**
- Canned Tuna or Chicken**
- Canned Fruit**
- Crackers**
- Rice**
- Macaroni & Cheese**
- Pasta**
- Spaghetti Sauce**
- Cereal**

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## **WELCA- Women of the ELCA**

The Metro NY Women of the ELCA Gathering will be on **Saturday, September 14, 2019**, from **8:30 AM to 4 PM**. It will be at the Wartburg in Mt. Vernon, NY. Many of Trinity's women have gone before and have found it an inspirational day. Let Irene Germain, [irene6174@comcast.net](mailto:irene6174@comcast.net), know if you would like to go and check on the information listed below with details regarding the event.



### **Metro-New York Women of the ELCA 2019 Annual Gathering**

**Saturday, September 14, 2019 8:30 AM- 4  
PM**

**At United Evangelical Lutheran Church  
at**

**The Wartburg, Mt. Vernon, NY**

**\*Registration is at 8:30 followed by worship.**

**Pastor Perucy Bituku MNYS Global Mission –**  
Pastor Perucy will be sharing the many faces of Jesus through her art collection.

**Pastor Rosalind Brathwaite and Deacon Peggy Kurz MNYS-WELCA Board Members** will be presenting the Names of God.

**Thelma Ruffin Thomas** - Thelma is a renowned story teller and will help us discover love and forgiveness through Joseph and his brothers.

In kind gifts for homeless veterans serviced by the VA in Northport, NY: socks or gift cards for Target, CVS, Walmart, Stop and Shop etc. (card amount not to exceed \$15)

**Continental breakfast and lunch is included.**

Business meeting, election of new officers. Greetings from our WELCA Church wide representative Laura Krueger.

**Registration due by September 9, 2019**

**Cost is \$45 per person** (Program is free for girls 10 – 18 years old)

**Questions or need more information contact Evie Buhner at [eviline@optonline.net](mailto:eviline@optonline.net).**

## **Trinity's WELCA**

We will be meeting weekly in September. All women are welcome to attend. We will be working on crafts for our table for the Holiday Market to be held on November 16.

Our schedule is:

**September 5 - 10 AM** -Bible Study led by Debbie Lyon followed by planning meeting.

**September 12 - 10 AM** - Craft session

**September 19 - 10 AM** - Craft session followed by Lunch out at 12:30 PM

**September 26 - 10 AM** - Craft session



**Looking forward to  
seeing you.**

**Irene Germain**

## Choirs start soon!



Senior choir will start rehearsals on Thursdays beginning **September 12**. The first rehearsal will be at **7pm**. The **Hand bell Choir** will start **Thursday rehearsals on September 19** and we will then follow our normal rehearsal schedule of Hand bells from 6:45 to 7:20 and Senior Choir from 7:30 to 8:15. Senior Choir sings at the 8:30 Sunday service. You DO NOT need to read music to join either choir. There are lots of reasons to join, not the least of which is that we always have a lot of fun! Speak to **Franklyn or Mary Beth Commisso** or any choir member



### Wednesday Faith Formation

A new study will begin on **Wednesday, Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> (7pm)**, gathering in the General meeting room.

Our new study will be **It's about time**: Using Ecclesiastes 3 ("a time for every matter") as the frame, looking at the different ways that each of these "times" (to laugh, sow, etc.) is used in various parts of scripture and how we experience them in our lives.

Our first class will be an overview of the **book of Ecclesiastes**.

## Worship Schedule

September is a time of change and transition from our summer activities to the fall. Worship schedule for the month reflects this transition:

**September 1<sup>st</sup> (9:30 AM)**

The Gospel according to the Wizard of Oz

**September 8<sup>th</sup> (9:30 AM)**

God's work, our Hands Sunday

**September 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> (8:30 AM & 10:45 AM)**

Regular worship schedule and Sunday school resumes.

## Sunday School Update

**Welcome Back!** SCS rally Sunday will be September 8th at the 9:30 am service and regular SCS classes will begin on **September 15th at 8:30am** and our third graders will receive their Bible's at the 8:30 service.

Our third graders will begin their formal Bible classes on September 22nd with Deb Lyon teaching the class. We may need to ask parents to help out teaching this year. If anyone would like to be either a Sunday school teacher or a substitute please let me know. "See you in September"



**Jeanette Baldanza**  
Sunday School Superintendent

## Blood Drive

Our next Churches of Brewster Blood Drive will be **Tuesday, Sept. 24**, here at Trinity's Shepherd's Hall. This

is an open blood drive from **2:00 to 8:00 pm**. Nearly 2,000 donations are needed daily in NY and NJ alone. A single donation can save multiple lives. Please come and donate, and thank you for saving lives.



## 3rd Tuesday Table Talk

Our next gathering will be on **Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> (6:30pm)** at Cutillos (1196 Farmers Mills Rd, Carmel).

Join us for an evening of fellowship, food and faith-filled conversation. Please contact Pastor Jen or sign up at church to reserve your spot.

## First Friday Potluck



Pastor Jen will be sharing about her experiences at the **September First Friday, Sept 6<sup>th</sup>**.

Also if you would like to go with her

in the future, let her know or sign up in the Narthex.

## Brewster Fall Festival

We will once again have a presence at this annual street festival in the village of Brewster on Sunday, **September 8<sup>th</sup> (11am-4pm)**.

If you are able to help out at our table, please sign up in the narthex and/or contact the church office. *Join us as we bear witness to Christ's love in our community!*

# God's work. Our hands.



Evangelical Lutheran Church in America  
God's work. Our hands.

We will have gold t-shirts with "God's Work, our Hands" (front) and our name (back) for people to wear at the table. You may either borrow it or if you'd like to purchase one, they are \$10 each. If you already have one from a couple of years ago, please wear it.

## Affirmation

**Sunday, Sept 8, at 10:45 AM** (after church in the Fellowship Hall) we will meet with 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year affirmation students as an informal get to know each other meeting. We will also go over any questions regarding the Affirmation Retreat which is on **Sept 20 -22**. Please contact Charlie Germain [Charlieg424@comcast.net](mailto:Charlieg424@comcast.net) with questions.

## Office Hours

Starting in September Sarah, the office admin, office hours will return to Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM and Friday 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

## Recycling Reminder

Please be extra mindful when donating items from home to be recycle and placing items in the correct bins when recycling here at Trinity. Thank you!

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## Synod News

An introduction to our new Metropolitan New York Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Bishop:

### **Bishop Paul Egensteiner**

*"In this church, we learn more from the diversity than we do from the uniformity of those who have gone before us. I have always tried in some way to communicate that, through recognizing that each and every person is a child of God who deserves my love and respect."* —

Bishop Egensteiner, 2016



The Rev. Paul T. Egensteiner was elected on May 17, 2019, to serve a six-year term as bishop of the Metropolitan New York Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA).

He served as pastor of Emanuel Lutheran Church in Pleasantville, NY since 1997, and previously served as pastor of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Staten Island, NY from 1984 to 1997. A native New Yorker, Egensteiner grew up in Richmond Hill, Queens. Having come from a long line of Lutherans on his father's side, a "Lutheran of Lutherans," Egensteiner was baptized at Saint Philip Evangelical Lutheran Church in Brooklyn, NY.

In 1979, Egensteiner received his Bachelor of Arts from Wagner College in Staten Island, and in 1984, he earned his Master of Divinity from Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago.

Bishop Egensteiner has been active in ecumenical relationships, serving as a group facilitator of First Call Theological Education, ELCA, as Dean of the Tapan Zee Conference, as Chair of the Synod Candidacy Committee, as a diakonia instructor, and as Dean and Director of Pinecrest Lutheran Leadership School. Finding joy and purpose in caring for all of God's people in a collaborative way, Egensteiner works closely with staff, pastors, deacons, congregations, and the community at large. He has served as Chaplain of the Pleasantville Volunteer Fire Department, and as Coordinator of the Pleasantville Clergy Association.

As an advocate for mutual learning and growth, Bishop Egensteiner *"strives to make God the one that people see, and not me,"* upholding positive change as the Lutheran Church increases and maintains its inclusive love and care for all of God's children. With a pastoral style that sets the tone and model of a welcoming spirit, Bishop Egensteiner expresses that in *"being trustworthy, thoughtful and loving, changes come more easily and with more acceptance. This style leads to the willingness of the community to take greater risks and be more innovative."*

### **Save the Date: Installation Service**

Our bishop will be installed November 16th, 2019 Cathedral Church of Saint John the Divine  
1047 Amsterdam Avenue New York, NY 10025

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**



## Trinity Finances

It looks like the Spring showers might be stopping and the lazy days of Summer could be here. However, being your financial gnome, I always worry about the possibility of the summer doldrums affecting the largesse of our congregation.

Toward this noble act of stewardship, watching your money, I want to take this opportunity to, once again, remind everyone that Trinity's expenses don't take the summer off. So, in the words of the Beatles,

*Let me tell you how it will be  
There's one for you, nineteen for me  
Should five per cent appear too small  
Be thankful I don't take it all*  
(1966 Revolver, The Tax Man)

I'll be meticulously checking everyone's weekly/monthly contributions all summer long, so DON'T FALL BEHIND.

☺ Enjoy your Summer

**Your financial gnome,  
Don Icken**



## YEAR TO DATE BUDGET REPORT (THRU July 31, 2019)

### GENERAL CHECKING ACCOUNT

<u>Category</u>	<u>Actual</u>
<b>INCOME</b>	
Contributions	110,135.33
Other Income	10,629.67
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>120,765.00</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>	
Benevolence	\$ 4,300.00
Pastoral	\$61,966
Education	\$595
Evangelism	\$289
Worship & Music	\$12,515
Administration	\$27,011
Property	\$21,042
Misc	\$189
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$127,907</b>
<b>NET INCOME</b>	<b>(\$7,142)</b>

### CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCES

(Includes no loans)

January 1, 2019 Balance	\$ 36,572
<b>Current Balance</b>	<b>\$ 29,430</b>

### MORTGAGE FUND

<u>Contributions</u>	<u>Payments</u>	<u>Variance</u>
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

### COMMENTS

#### MORTGAGE FUND

- Mortgage is paid off as of 10/1/2018

#### MONTHLY INCOME

- July income was \$5,051 more than expenses.

#### YEAR-TO-DATE

- Expenses were \$7,142 more than income \*

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## *Happy Birthday*

JAMES TORLISH 9/1  
MEGHAN CALABRESE 9/4  
JOLENE BAKER 9/6  
NICK FERTIG 9/7  
CYNDI BEAL 9/9  
BRANDEN GREEN 9/9  
CHRISTOPHER HARLIN 9/9  
CARRIE DE MARCHI 9/10  
DOROTHY KAFALAS 9/10  
MACIE MARINICH 9/11  
JAMES NASTASI 9/12  
PAM CARLSON 9/13  
LLOYD JACOBSEN 9/13  
SAMANTHA NASTASI 9/14  
DANIEL KENNY JR 9/16  
DAWN MORELLO 9/16  
ETHAN KOVALEC 9/17  
RONALD STRAND 9/20  
EMMY CURCURUTO 9/21  
LINDA LUND 9/22  
KRISTINA RUSSELL 9/22  
ROBBY FENDT 9/25  
CIARAN CIOFFI 9/26  
JOHN POWELL 9/26  
CLOEY CALLAHAN 9/28  
ANGELINA GIACOMELLI 9/28  
MELANIE KALMMER 9/29  
JASMINE MOSCATO 9/29

## *Happy Anniversary*

♥ DOUGLAS & LINDA NOAH 9/4  
♥ JOAN & STEVE BRADLEY 9/5  
♥ HOLLY & CHARLIE LAROCCHIA 9/19  
♥ AGNES & BILL TORLISH 9/19  
♥ BRUCE & BARBARA MARKERT 9/24  
♥ DORIS & GEORGE O'TOOLE 9/24  
♥ MICHAEL & SUE STRINGER 9/25  
♥ STEPHANIE & JOHN HOWARD 9/26

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## **We Pray for Those Who Are ...**

**In the hospital, ill, recuperating from surgery, or undergoing medical treatment:** Anne-Marie, Ava, Beth, Brigitte, Lee, Tamara Bagen, Peter & Helene Basick, Joan Baum, Kitty, Ellen Bell, Barbara Jean Bennet, Mimi Berlin, Joe Bettcher, Nicole Bettcher, Cherish Bliefernich, Bella Bobinski, William Brown, Betty Buckmaster, Chuck, Colleen, Corrie, Helen Conte, Sharon Cooper, Lorraine Cornell, Robert Cowen, Linda Cowen, Ben Dalecki, Joanne D, Thomas DeMarchi, Maryann DeRose, Dilynn, William Eberhardt, Heather Evers, Wayne Farber, Tony Ferrajina, Stan and Linda Fitzgerald, Bruce Foley Sr., Kimberly Galantich, Christine Gallegher, George Gilleo, Thomas Ingate, , Lloyd Jacobsen, Jennifer Johnson, Janna Kreps, Pastor Tim Kennedy, Sofia Loraca, Judy Lutz, Chaleb McCaughey, Melanie, Raymond Maglio, Michael, Kelly Maxwell, Karen Myerwold, John Noone, Bob Obuck, Pat, Pr Garry Patrylo Jr, Donna Perrault, John Powell, Carol Richie, Nicholas Rogan, Liam Rogers, Helen Rosenbolm, Larry Ruhs, Marilyn Schoeller, Sharon, Joe Stark, Meyer Steinhardt, Curt Stiles, Walter Straub, Sara Tompson, Teddi Tom, Greg V., Henry Von Bargaen, Katherine Waldvogel, Alex Wallace, Mary Ann Wilk, Jessica Wilkson.

**Wrestling with long-term health issues:** Thomas Allen, Neil Amorusa, Morgan Andren, Judy B, Lisa Bagnati, Gloria Bretone, Jennifer Rebecca Butvinik, Janet Canor, Tony Cardella, Olivia Casale, Erin Conroy, Deena Cox, Copsy Cuomo, Tom Curran, Glen DiSanto, Bill & Mary Duzal, Tara Eacobacci, Gabriel Elliot, Donna Ficara, Margaret Fowler, Amanda George, Barbara Grispin, Kira Hansen, Catherine Henneforth, Corina Hohenstein, Sue Kaufman, Teresa Kemp, Raymond Kiernan, Ryan Lee, Kim Marshall, Allen McCaslin, Reneé McElroy, George Miller, Tanya Murgai, Laurie Nuchereno, Ed Ranieri, Rosaleen, Riley Rushia, Vera Scatigno, Zachary Schwartz, Linda Siebold, Zack Small, James Sorge, Phyllis Sorge, Audrey Stone, Dylan Stolper, Kenneth Strawn, Kathy Sullivan, Josephine Talley, Michael Tamborino, Kaeli, Mary Torlish, Gina Venezia, Glenn Wagner, Walt, Stephanie, Donna.

**Facing life's challenges:** Kim Andren, Wanda & Cliff, Della Arndt, Charlotte Berwind, the Bueti family, Catherine, Jeanne D, Marisa Pease Donlin, Liam, Noah, Barbara and JD Dorlin & Katie Ray, Dworkin family, Rebecca Elliot, Elizabeth Goscinski, Jeannie Graham, Terry Gregori, Joanne Halbekath & family, Larry Hampson, Frank Hastie, Lillian K, Logan Keane, Nicola Kenny, Matt, Bill & Debbie Logan, Anita Luhrs, Mary Jane McMahon, Ryan, Mariela Ramirez & family, Alexander Maxwell, Charles Maxwell Wieller, PJ, Sue Rodriguez, Melissa S, Alex Smith, Barbara Sparkes, Wanda & Cliff Strawn, Kristen Sullivan, Michael Talarico, Morgan Watt, Dave, Lisa, Jaimie Zeola, Zaccardo family.

### **Remembering the life of:**

**Restricted to home/nursing home:** Gerrit Franssen, Lawrence Henry, Rita Karlsson, Marian Langlois, Horatio Massatti, Elizabeth Waugh, Scott Werner

Serving in the Armed Forces: Michael Caitney, Carlos & Alyssa (Torlish) Class, Liam Conroy, Dylan Cumpston, Adam Elliott, Phillip Gerhardt, Ron Hansen Jr., Dylan Kinsella, Pr Anthony Stephens, Kyle Tiersch, Adam Vieux, Jessica Woodall, all those in the service of our country, especially in Iraq and Afghanistan, and their chaplains.

**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 Emergency Shelter Partnership (BESP), local small business owners in challenging economic times.

**Servants of the Church:** Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, and the Church-wide staff, Bishop Donald McCoid of the Metropolitan New York Synod and staff, Bishop elect Paul Egensteiner Pastor Jennifer Boyd, Deacons Charles Germain, Jr. and Dorothy Kafalas, Minister of Music Franklyn Comisso, Council members, Sunday School teachers, and worship leaders.

*To make changes, email: [trinlutheranoffice@yahoo.com](mailto:trinlutheranoffice@yahoo.com)*

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## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

### September 2019

**Sept 1** 9:30 AM HC

**Sept 8** 9:30 AM HC

**Sept 15** 8:30 & 10:45 AM HC

**Sept 22** 8:30 & 10:45 AM HC

**Sept 29** 8:30 & 10:45 AM HC

## DATES TO REMEMBER

- Rally Day
- Sr. Choir Rehearsal resumes
- Faith Formation resumes
- Sunday School starts
- Blood Drive
- Oktoberfest Fellowship
- Midnight Run

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### Trinity Lutheran Church Mission

**Statement:** As a people of God, we desire to experience the presence of God in our lives that we might be the presence of God in the lives of others.

#### Location

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