

<p>Sunday 12/15 08:30 AM Affirmation Class, Fellowship Hall 09:30 AM Holy Communion, Nave 10:30 AM Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall 11:00 AM RBC, Shepherd's Hall 04:00 PM RBC Art Class, Fellowship Hall 06:00 PM Iglesias Congregation, Nave 09:00 PM Iglesias Congregation, Fellowship Hall</p>
<p>Monday 12/16 BREWSTER CARES SHELTER 07:00 PM Men's AA Group, Shepherd's Hall</p>
<p>Tuesday 12/17 BREWSTER CARES SHELTER 09:30 AM Yoga, Shepherd's Hall 10:25 AM Putnam Ridge Worship, Offsite 11:00 AM Chair Yoga, Shepherd's Hall 07:00 PM Men's AA Group, Shepherd's Hall 07:00 PM Al-anon, General Mtg. Room 07:30 PM Finance Meeting, Zoom</p>
<p>Wednesday 12/18 BREWSTER CARES SHELTER 07:00 PM Church Council, Gen Mtg Room 07:00 PM Men's AA Group, Shepherd's Hall</p>
<p>Thursday 12/19 BREWSTER CARES SHELTER 08:30 AM Yoga, Shepherd's Hall 10:00 AM Adult Formation, Fellowship Hall 11:00 AM Music Together, Shepherd's Hall 12:00 PM Worship, Thursday Svc, Nave 03:00 PM Choir Practice, Nave 07:00 PM C.A.F.E. Parents' Group, Youth Room 07:00 PM Iglesias Pentecostal, Nave</p>
<p>Friday 12/20 BREWSTER CARES SHELTER 07:00 PM Men's AA Group, Shepherd's Hall 07:00 PM Al-anon, Gen. Mtg. Rm.</p>
<p>Saturday 12/21 BREWSTER CARES SHELTER 07:00 PM Iglesias Music Lesson, Shepherd's Hall</p>
<p>OUR STAFF Rev Jennifer Boyd, Pastor (revjedyer1@yahoo.com) Charles A. Germain, Jr., Deacon Franklyn W. Commisso, Ph.D., Minister of Music Sue Ellen Kelly, Office Admin. (trinlutheranoffice@yahoo.com)</p>

<p>Sunday 12/22 BREWSTER CARES SHELTER 09:30 AM Holy Communion, Nave 10:30 AM Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall 11:00 AM RBC, Shepherd's Hall 11:00 AM 3rd Yr Affirmation Class, Gen Mtg Rm 06:00 PM Iglesias Congregation, Nave</p>
<p>Monday 12/23 07:00 PM Men's AA Group, Shepherd's Hall</p>
<p>Tuesday 12/24 CHRISTMAS EVE 09:30 AM Yoga, Shepherd's Hall 11:00 AM Chair Yoga, Shepherd's Hall 04:00 PM Children's Christmas Svc., Nave 07:00 PM Men's AA Group, Shepherd's Hall 07:00 PM Al-anon, General Mtg. Room 08:00 PM Candlelight Service, Nave</p>
<p>Wednesday 12/25 CHRISTMAS DAY 10:00 AM Christmas Day Service, Nave</p>
<p>Thursday 12/26 07:00 PM Iglesias Pentecostal, Nave</p>
<p>Friday 12/27 07:00 PM Men's AA Group, Shepherd's Hall 07:00 PM Al-anon, Gen. Mtg. Rm.</p>
<p>Saturday 12/28 07:00 PM Iglesias Music Lesson, Shepherd's Hall</p>
<p>Sunday 12/29 09:30 AM Holy Communion, Nave 10:30 AM Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall 11:00 AM RBC, Shepherd's Hall 06:00 PM Iglesias Congregation, Nave</p>

WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER



PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING:

PRAYERS OF HEALING: Morgan Andren, The Brink Family, Jeff Brown, George Cardella, Fred Carlson, **Charlie**, Brandon Citrone, Tom Curran, Jayne D'Ambrosio, Raul Davila, Karen Delduco, Maryann DeRose, Matt Donovan, Kathy Doering, Logan Doyle, **Barbara Duchon**, Marilyn Dyer, Rabbi Sarah Freidson, Donna Ficara, **Brian Foley**, **Barbara Grispin**, Mary Heller, Chuck **Helvig**, **James**, Jaxon, Jayne, Dorothy Kafalas, Melanie Kane, Heidi Kuhland, Joseph Laird, Shaun Larraburu, Lois, Vinnie Lyon, Madeline, Georgina Marek, Mackenzie Masucci, **Shannon McDonnell**, Ursula Merolla, Mary & Rob Montross, Donna Muscente, The Myers Family, Carole Neumuller, Loretta Noonan, John Noone, Joyce Northridge, Megan Osborne, The Parraggio Family, Franco Passaniti, Joseph Percacciolo, **Tara Percacciola**, Peter, Kate Quezada, Ed Ranieri, **Lucy Rizzo**, Rose Schrantz, Martin Schuldt, Kyle Smith-Kayler, Anna Spannaus, Joan Strong, Steve Strunk, Judy Tasadfoey, Sara Thomson, Maisa Tompuri, Jim Torlish, Mary Torlish, Debbie Tripp, Lucia Trovato, Nicole Tuboli, **Bill Williams**, **Carol Wise**, **David Wise**, **Alan Woermann**

PRAYERS FOR OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

† For all our local agencies as they offer help and hope amidst people's lives

PRAYERS FOR OUR COUNTRY

† Those recovering from natural disasters
 † For those who reach out with help and hope in the midst of the chaos, particularly organizations like Lutheran Disaster Response & ELCA World Hunger

PRAYERS FOR OUR WORLD

† For the care and faithful stewardship of God's creation
 † For those who live in the midst of the dire effects of climate change
 † For those who live amidst war, disease, famine, particularly Ukraine, Israel and Gaza
 † those who mourn the death of loved ones and for peace to be brought to bear upon the hearts of those who hate

SERVANTS OF THE CHURCH: Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, and the Church-wide staff, Bishop Paul Egensteiner of the Metropolitan New York Synod and staff, Rev. Chris Mietlowski, deployed to asst. to Bishop for our area), Pastor Jennifer Boyd, Deacon Charles Germain, Jr., Minister of Music Franklyn Commisso, Council members, Sunday School teachers, and worship leaders.

Names in boldface are read aloud in the Prayers of Intercession during service, Underlined names are new on the prayer list. To make changes, email: trinlutheranoffice@yahoo.com

Trinity Weekly

Scheduled to Serve:

All Servers: If you are unable to serve as scheduled, please arrange for your own substitute and inform the office and Kathie Ruhs.

	<i>Assisting Minister</i>	<i>Ushers</i>	<i>Acolyte</i>
December 15th @ 9:30 AM	Charlie Germain	Jo-Anne Nestor Ken von Bergen	Zach Duben

READ & PRAY THE TEXT EACH WEEK:

Come to worship prepared & eager to hear God's word

12/15	Spirit of the Lord Upon Me	Isaiah 61:1-11	Luke 4:16-21
12/22	Jesus' Birth Announced	Psalm 113	Luke 1:26-49
12/24	Christmas Eve: The Birth of Jesus	Psalm 96	Luke 2:1-14, [15-20]
12/25	Christmas Day: Shepherds Visit	Psalm 123:1-2	Luke 2:8-10
12/29	Lessons & Carols		

PRAYER SHAWLS:

we are blessed by the gifts of our crafters and have many prayer shawls available to share with others. You are invited to take them to give to those going through times of transition - joyous (birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, retirements, etc.) or difficult (health issues, death, unemployment, other stressful situations). There are prayer cards for many of these situations to accompany them.



PUTNAM CAP is currently accepting donations of NEW, with tags on, children's winter coats (0-18 years). Donations can be dropped off at the Putnam CAP office, located at 121 Main Street in Brewster, Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm, with extended hours until 6:30 pm on Wednesdays.



LAST DAY TO ORDER POINSETTIAS
SEE FLYER INSERT FOR ORDER FORM

OFFER YOUR MUSICAL GIFTS ON CHRISTMAS EVE. Looking for instruments or singers for special music, especially at the 4pm service. Our young members are especially encouraged to share their musical talents. Please speak with Franklyn Commisso.



In preparation for this season's **Brewster Cares Shelter**, Helpers can use the link below to sign up to volunteer at this year's Brewster Cares Shelter. Or contact Julie Warbrick at jwarjwar@optimum.net or (845) 238-1516.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4CA9AD23AAFEC70-52896253-volunteers>

BREWSTER CARES SHELTER:

Trinity's first week for the Brewster Cares Shelter will be December 16 - 22, 2024. At this point, we are asking for hard boiled eggs, oranges, bananas, and apples. There is a sign up sheet in the narthex. Please bring your contributions to church by Sunday, December 15, so we can be prepared to host our guests. The fruit can be put in the Brewster Cares basket in the narthex and the hard boiled eggs can be left in the refrigerator. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Kathleen Harpster at kathleenf00@gmail.com or call me at (707) 478-6786.

ADVENT DEVOTIONAL: This year, we are offering the devotional "A Weary World Rejoices" by Prof. Kate Bowler for daily prayer. It offers scripture, a reflection with a few questions and a prayer. It revolves around God's promises of truth, compassion, restoration and justice. We have some hard copies available, but it can also be downloaded here: https://katebowler.com/seasonal_devotional/the-weary-world-rejoices/#individual

ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING: Each Sunday, we light another candle on our wreath. We will have a brief litany as we do so. If you and/or your family is willing to lead this litany on one of these weeks, please contact Pastor Jen.

CHRISTMAS CATALOGS: In this season of giving as our mailboxes are inundated with catalogs, we offer another one. ELCA World Hunger has a "Good Gifts" catalog where you can give water, a chick, goat, pig, education and more in honor of your loved ones. There are copies in the narthex or you can go to: <https://goodgifts.elca.org/>

