

# THE TRINITY LUTHERAN

January, 2019



**Trinity Preschool Benefit Breakfast**  
**Pancakes, sweet rolls, sausage, biscuits & gravy, milk, juice**

**Saturday, January 12, 2019**  
**7:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

**Adult - \$7.00**  
**Child under 12 \$3.00**

**Public is invited – please join us!**

**(WCM is asking for donations of baked goods for the breakfast)**



**Congregational Meeting!**

**Sunday, January 27th**

**Join us for Trinity's annual meeting on Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup>. We will have a carry-in lunch at 11:00 a.m. with the meeting immediately following.**

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED:** We are seeking individuals who would be interested in running the slides/sound on Sunday mornings. **Also, we have a special need for members to join our visitation team to visit and give communion to shut-ins. Training is provided. Please join us in this ministry.**

**BIBLE STUDY** will continue to meet on Wednesday, January 9<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> this month. Everyone is welcome!



**PLEASE LET THE OFFICE** know if we need to add or update any personal information including birthdays, anniversaries, mail or email address. You can email the office at [trinityolney@frontier.com](mailto:trinityolney@frontier.com) or call 392-4181. Thank you.

**TRINITY COUNCIL BIOS:** The council has written short bios on each council member to help the congregation become more acquainted with their council representatives. The bios are compiled in a booklet which is available on the table in the Narthex.

**ANNUAL MEETING REPORTS:** Please have all committee and organization annual reports in the church office by Monday, January 14<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

**STATEMENT OF GIVING FOR TAX PURPOSES** will be available the first of January. Let the office if you would like your statement emailed or sent out in the mail.

**A TREMENDOUS THANK YOU** for the beautiful Christmas decorating done in the sanctuary and around

the church building by Sarah Kincaid & Elaine Ochs.

**YOUTH FROM TRINITY** have the YMCA pools in Vincennes reserved on January 13, 2019. Our swim time is 3 p.m. until 4:30 p.m., Illinois time. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the narthex. We do need an accurate count of people in the water. Please indicate how many from your family will be IN the pool. They schedule their lifeguards according to the number of swimmers. If you do not sign up ahead of time and there are not enough lifeguards to cover, your child will not be able to swim. There is a warm pool and a lap pool. We can be in either pool. Parents will be responsible for transportation. If you have a child under 6 years of age, you need to be in the pool with them. If you have questions, call Sue Crum.

**SPECIAL THANKS TO DARLENE & ED FRITSCHLE** for cutting and planing the wood blocks that we will be using to make our nativity sets this evening. Thanks also to Barb Stiff for designing and cutting the characters. Not to forget Karyn St Pierre for preparing the meal. Thank you also to Bob and Nancy McClenathan at Print Force for copying the design for us. Thanks also to Kevin Scherer for allowing us to use his scan and cut. I think it will be a fun family event. If you have not signed up yet, but would like to participate, please let me know today. Sue Crum

**REMEMBER WHEN** is planning to go to Effingham to see the Church Basement Ladies on Thursday, March 28, 2019. We will be carpooling from the church, eat lunch some place in Effingham then go to the Performance Center for the show-which starts at 2:00 p.m. Please sign the sheet on the bulletin board in the Narthex if you plan to go. I will be looking in to ordering tickets soon. Darlene Fritschle

**THANK YOU** so much from our hearts. You all gave us an extra blessed Christmas. We all loved the gifts. Thank you so much. May God bless you all. Bessie, Sara, Camden, Zoe, Callee, & Jayden Rossiano.

**COUNCIL MEMBERS:**

Bruce Peters  
Carol Diel, Council Secretary  
David Britton  
Vicki Fehrenbacher  
Becky Holstrum  
Randi Cowan, Council President  
Larry Saler, Council Vice President  
Victoria Goad  
Barb Stiff  
Mike Kurtz ~ Church Treasurer

**December Council Minutes**

\*Council members present: Larry Saler, Randi Cowan, Bruce Peters, Becky Holstrum, Carol Diel, Vicki Fehrenbacher, Barb Stiff, and David Britton. Mike Kurtz also attended.

\*Treasurer Mike Kurtz reported to council he has opened two new CD's for Trinity

\*Grand piano is close to being paid off

\*Storybook ministry will be doing their annual Christmas ministry on December 17

\*Mid-week Advent services begin at Trinity on Wed., Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>. We will have joint services with the First Presbyterian Church with Rev. Pam Laing leading

\*There will be a 7:00 worship service with Pastor James presiding & 11:00 service with Rev. David McNabb on Christmas Eve.

\*There on volunteers working to start Sunday school again at Trinity

\*A donation of \$100 was made to Salvation Army in lieu of ringing bells

\* Trinity's congregational annual meeting will be on Sunday, January 27.

\*A special Christmas gift offering will be taken up for Pastor James to be presented Christmas Eve

\*Randi Cowan is working with nominating committee to fill council positions open in 2019

**STAFF:**

(Pulpit Supply) ~ Rev. Dr. James Mutayoba  
Pianist ~ Keegan Tucker

Choir Director ~ Andrew Flynn  
Sunday School Coordinator ~  
Altar Guild ~ Carol Diel  
Church Secretary ~ Rhoda Slichenmyer  
Financial Secretaries ~ Bob Crum, Bob Guinn, Mike Kurtz  
Custodians ~ Adam/Hilary Donaldson

**WEEKDAY CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:**

**Board Members**

Vicki Fehrenbacher, President  
Bob Crum, Treasurer  
Sandy Britton  
Mike Kurtz  
Beth Saler  
Victoria Goad  
Christina Diel

**TRINITY PRESCHOOL**

Director ~ Kristie Nosek  
Teacher ~ Tanara Ryden

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Teacher ~ Kayla Myers

**COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS:**

Bereavement ~

Convalescing Meals ~ Becky Holsturm

Funeral Luncheons ~ Elaine Ochs

Learning ~

Memorials & Special Gifts ~ Sarah Kincaid

Property ~ David Britton

Service ~ Randi Cowan

Stewardship ~ Carol Diel

Witness ~ Becky Holstrum

Worship ~ Beth Saler

Finance ~ Bruce Peters, Bob Guinn

**GROUPS:**

Remember When ~ Ed & Darlene Fritschle

**January 20**

**Lector:** Matt Powell  
**Acolyte:** Colin Diel  
**Com. Assistant:** Carol Diel, Jay St. Pierre  
**Sound:** Bob Guinn

**January 27**

**Lector:** Larry Saler  
**Acolyte:** Alex Diel  
**Com. Assistant:** Carol Diel, Kevin Scherer  
**Sound:** Bob Guinn, Tyler Stuck

**January 6**

**Lector:** Sarah Kincaid  
**Acolyte:** Jenna Neil  
**Com. Assistant:** David Britton, Rosemary West  
**Sound:** Tyler Stuck



**January 13**

**Lector:** Jean Weber  
**Acolyte:** Bree Holdren  
**Com. Assistants:** David Britton, Sue Crum, Jean Weber  
**Sound:** Steve Berry  
**Children's Sermon:** Matt Powell

**Birthdays in January**

2 Lauren Anne Oslawski  
5 Cynthia Neil  
6 Darlene Burgener  
9 Rylee Stuck  
12 Connie Ashby

12 Janet Bielecki  
12 Frances Stoll  
14 Breanna Shull  
14 Jonnie Cussey  
15 Jay St. Pierre  
16 Sam Beck  
22 Margaret Cartmill  
29 Lucille Kincaid  
30 Kimila Bussard  
31 Cindy Peters

## Anniversaries in January

2 Joe & Elaine Ochs



### SPECIAL CARE MEMBERS (as of 01/01/2019)

Jeannie Cantwell	Lavender Ridge, East Street ,Room #19
Loren Gerber	Brookstone #23, <b>869-2398</b>
Don Harriss	Brookstone #37, <b>395-4033</b>
Dorothy Lustfeldt	3 <sup>rd</sup> floor CRMH #25, <b>395-1549</b>
Elaine Pierzchalski	Life's Journey, 705 Kenton St., Paris, IL, 61944
Bill Barber	Lavender Ridge, 1304 N. East St., Room 1 North
Gerlind Dean	Lavender Ridge, 1304 N. East St. Olney
Patricia Roberts	Lavender Ridge, 1302 N. East St. Olney

### AT HOME MEMBERS:

Wilma Beck	6308 East Seven Hills Lane, Olney, <b>869-2394</b>
Luella Densmore	No address or phone number
Roberta Holstrum	320 West St. John Street, Olney, <b>392-5605</b>
Helen Meers	6943 N. Ste. Marie Rd., Dundas, <b>754-3573</b>
Jean Miller	518 N. Boone Street, Olney, <b>395-1809</b>
Mary Lou Sager	5322 N. Wood River Road, Claremont, <b>869-2358</b>
Don & Margaret Strole	1000 E. Laurel Street, Olney, <b>392- 3106</b>
Elfrieda Zerkel	Nursing Home in Altamont, IL.

