

HELLO TRINITY FRIENDS!

News for the week of September 8, 2024

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS...

- Ray Turski (brother of Frank Turski), who recently suffered a heart attack
- Howard Finkenbiner (brother of Sue Turski), battling a severe infection
- Ron Watkins, preparing for open-heart surgery on Sept. 17
- Elliott Althouse, recovering from surgery and COVID-19

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MINISTRY – FAITH, FAMILY, AND FUN! This fall, we look forward to offering a new opportunity to gather in community and fellowship around the Word of God. All are encouraged to join us for Faith, Family, and Fun each Wednesday evening **beginning September 11.** A meal will be served at 5:00p; studies for children and adults begin at 5:45 (see the postcards and flyers on the church information tables for details). To help our wonderful volunteers estimate how much food to prepare, we ask all interested households to complete a brief survey (click here, scan the QR code at right, or contact the office at 734-242-2308). Hope to see you on the 11th!



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY CARNIVAL Trinity's Children's Ministry program will host a carnival **this Sunday**, September 8, from 12-2p in the parking lot. Entry is free, and all are welcome - come enjoy an afternoon of fun!

WELCOME BACK, CHOIR! Rehearsals resume Tuesday, September 10, at 7:00p in the chapel. Like to sing? Please join us! Contact the office (734-242-2308) or director Mary Holtzen for more information.

Sing praises to the Lord, O you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name. Psalm 30:4



WinGS SEPTEMBER MEETING Monthly WinGS (Women in God's Service) gatherings resume Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 12:30p in Graceful Grounds. Join us for a potluck luncheon and fellowship! All ladies of the congregation are welcome. Pastor Duerr will offer a presentation about the symbols on his new stoles, and items will be gathered in support of Trinity's "God's Littlest Blessings" ministry. Suggested donations include pacifiers and holders, devotions for parents, hardcover baby books, baby Bibles, diapers (size 2), wipes, baby soap and shampoo, crosses to hang in nurseries, small stuffed animals, clothing, and/or gift cards.

TRANSPORTATION NEEDED Two Trinity visitors are seeking a monthly ride to church. The couple lives on Macomb St., approximately five minutes from Trinity. They prefer the 8:30am service and would like to attend on either the 1st, 3rd, or 5th Sunday of the month (to receive Holy Communion). Could you help? Please contact the office for details.

ADVANCEMENT PROGRAM Have you heard about the new Advancement Program we're kicking off this fall? The goal is to reconnect with our alumni and friends, and to share with them ways that they can support our school. If you'd like to help us, you can provide names and contact information for alumni or Trinity friends who are no longer active at Trinity. Please scan the QR code at right, or find printed forms attached to the weekly newsletter email, on the church information tables, or in the office. Forms may be returned to the office. Your assistance in building this database would be greatly appreciated. — Advancement Program Committee



CONTACT INFORMATION NEEDED TLC Cemetery sexton Gary Sachs is seeking contact information for members of the Kronbach family, including descendants or other relatives of George, Adam (a Civil War veteran), and Louisa. Please contact the church office (734-242-2308) with any details that may be helpful to Gary.

HEARTBEAT GOLF TOURNAMENT & ANNUAL BANQUET On September 12, Heartbeat of Monroe will host a golf outing and banquet to support their ongoing Christ-centered,

Heartbeat of Monroe will host a golf outing and banquet to support their ongoing Christ-centered, life-affirming ministry to parents and children. Golf "Fore" Heartbeat, a four-person scramble event, begins at 8:30a at Monroe Golf and Country Club. The \$100/person entry fee includes cart, range balls, and prizes. Heartbeat's annual Joy of Life Banquet, also hosted at Monroe Golf and Country Club, will be held later that evening (doors open at 6:00p; dinner is served at 6:30). Christian apologist and radio host Bob Dutko will serve as guest speaker; your choice of beef



bourguignon or salmon with dill is \$50/person (or \$320 for a table of eight). To purchase tickets for either event, please visit https://www.heartbeatofmonroe.org/about2. For more information, including details on golf sponsorships, contact Heartbeat (734-243-6550).

ALTAR FLOWERS This weekend's flowers are given in memory of Andrew E. Novak for his heavenly birthday. If you would like to provide altar flowers in honor/memory of someone, contact Shelly Vorrath at (734) 621-3548 or email: 1wyldkingdom@comcast.net. The sign-up board is posted on the wall near the rear of the sanctuary. If you sign up on the flower board, please include your phone number and email address.



THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

(Please contact the church office for more information)

Sunday, 9/8: Worship @ 8:30a (usher team A-2)

Bible Study @ 9:30am in Graceful Grounds Worship @ 10:30a – HC (usher team B-3) Children's Ministry Carnival from 12-2p

in the parking lot Trinity Family Meal @ 6p

Tuesday, 9/10: WinGS @ 12:30p in Graceful Grounds

Choir @ 7p in the chapel

Wednesday, 9/11: Faith, Family and Fun @ 5p in the gym Saturday, 9/14: Braille @ 9a in the church basement

Bible Study @ 9a in Graceful Grounds Worship @ 6p – HC (usher team B-1)

8/31 & 9/1 attendance: 6:00p - 70 8:30a - 80 10:30a - 89

THIS WEEK IN THE WORD

Readings for this weekend's services include Isaiah 35:4-7a, James 2:1-10, 14-18 & Mark 7:31-37

Say to those with fearful hearts,

"Be strong, do not fear;

your God will come,

He will come with vengeance;

with divine retribution

He will come to save you."

Isaiah 35:4



How to Watch / Worship / Join Us! Weekend Worship -

- In Trinity Sanctuary Times: Sat. 6 p.m. and Sun. 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
 - Facebook LIVE Sundays at 8:30 a.m. (or later on our website)

Blessings from all of us at Trinity!

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