

Karin and Murray wish to thank our Trinity congregation for the many cards, gifts, and well-wishes that were offered this past week in honor of our service to the church as highlighted by Pastor's Appreciation Month. The reception following worship was a pleasant surprise to say the least . . . both the cake and fellowship

were divine. We are truly grateful for these expressions of your love and care, but value your friendship even more. Thank you and blessings to all.

The Women of Trinity - our October luncheon meeting will be on Wednesday, October 18th. at 1:00 p.m. at the T&C Grille, Rt. 6 in Tunkhannock. The carpool will leave the church at 12:30 p.m. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the hallway. All of the women at Trinity are invited to attend for good food, fun and fellowship.





We will continue the tradition of collecting food for the food pantry during the holiday season... Starting October 15th through December 17th., please donate nonperishable food items that will be delivered to the Back Mountain food pantry. One delivery will

be made the week before Thanksgiving and the second one will be right before Christmas. If you don't feel like shopping, monetary donations will be accepted. They will be added to the monetary donation the deacons will be making. Please keep in mind that the deacons do have a few activities through the year that include asking for money. We do not expect every person to participate in every activity. Please choose what activities work for your interests and budget. Thank you very much for helping us serve our community. The Deacons...

The following food items are needed: peanut butter, jelly, canned vegetables, stuffing mix, cranberry sauce, canned fruit, gravy, instant potatoes, canned or bottled juice, rice or rice mixes, cereal, sugar, salt, flour, cake mixes, icing, canned tuna or chicken, coffee, tea, pie filling, canned soup, pudding & Jell-O mixes, spaghetti or tomato sauce, pasta, powdered drink mixes.

The Mission-Outreach Committee is sponsoring their annual "Trunk or Treat" again this year for Trinity's family and friends, as well as the Trinity Learning Center children. This will be held on October 30 at about 10:00 AM in the back parking lot of the



church. If you would like to participate and enjoy the children, please see Barbara Rinker. Donations are also welcome to purchase treats for the children.

Mission/Outreach Committee's next meeting is November 13th here @ 7p.m.

As you know, the mission/outreach committee has been collecting items throughout the year for their Samaritan's Purse Christmas Project. We are coming down to the wire as the donation boxes will be packed on November 5. We have found ourselves short on some items and we're asking the congregation if they can open their hearts and pick up some of the items on the list in the back of the church. Please sign your name and the quantity you purchase so we know what we may have to buy, if we don't receive all of the items requested. Thank you so much for your generosity. These boxes will be sent all over the world to children who will have nothing to open on Christmas morning but our boxes. Thank you again.

Request for Liturgists - We need liturgists. If you are interested in serving as a Liturgist, please check the poster on the bulletin board in the hallway and select a date. Nicole Fleschut, Administrative Assistant, will send you your material prior to the date you are scheduled to be the Liturgist. Thank you, Art Peoples, Clerk of Session.



October 22	
October 29	Barb Rinker



Meals on Wheels ~ If you would like to volunteer for Meals on Wheels on any open dates, please call Meryl Davis @ (570) 310-1556.

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October 19	Windsor & Meryl Davis
November 2	_

<u>Flower Chart</u> - There is a flower chart sign-up sheet in hallway for anyone wishing to honor a loved one. The cost of flowers is \$50 per week so please plan accordingly.





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TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH HOAGIE SALE

J&J Deli is offering any 8" Sub <u>UP TO</u> \$8.00.

For each hoagie sold, J&J Deli will return \$2.00

to Trinity Presbyterian Church.

Hoagie coupons do not expire and are redeemable at J & J

Deli. Please see any member of the Helping Hands

Committee to purchase your tickets.



Subscribe to our Email list for updates - Be sure to be in the know about all that is happening at Trinity Presbyterian Church by joining our email list. Use the QR code next to this announcement to join (take a photo of it with a smartphone and the webpage will open) or go to http://www.dallastpc.org/join-our-email-list

PRACTICAL IDEAS FOR TODAY'S CHURCH

OCTOBER 21, 2023 | 9AM-2PM CAMP LACKAWANNA

Where do we go from here? How your congregation can act on its gifts.

Three-person teams from all Lackawanna and Lehigh churches are invited to attend this practical workshop. A continental breakfast, catered lunch, and resources will be provided. The event is sponsored by a grant from the Synod of the Trinity and is free to all who attend.

Space will be limited, and registration begins September 1, when a link will be provided.

THE VALLEY UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PRESENTS TRIBUTE QUARTET



NOVEMBER 17, 2023
7:00 PM
VALLEY UNITED
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

459 PARK AVENUE WAVERLY, NY 14892

TICKETS ARE NOT REQUIRED. FREEWILL OFFERING WILL BE COLLECTED.





call the Church Office: (570) 609-5410.

Trinity Presbyterian Church Building Use Calendar - The Session is requesting everyone who wishes to use the facilities at Trinity to schedule their events with Nicole Fleschut, Administrative Assistant. By phone: 570-675-3131 Or by email: trinitypress@frontiernet.net. This will ensure that everyone has an opportunity to use the building for approved activities, and we will not have double bookings. Thank you for your support. Art Peoples, Clerk of Session.



Announcements need to be either emailed to trinitypress@frontiernet.net by **Tuesday morning at 10 am** or written on one of the forms found on the bulletin board and deposited in the office. **Newsletter articles** need to be submitted to the church office by **October 30**th . They need to be emailed to trinitypress@frontiernet.net along with any images.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Members of Trinity:

Rich Burkhardt Mary & Walter Chappell Neil & Mary Morrison

Tom PickettJim SnyderDoug StevensNancy WilliamsPhil & Leona WalterShirley Wolfkeil

Friends of Trinity:

David Brobst – stroke- Friend of Alice & Don Kocher

Neil & Jennie Carlson - Friends of the Thompson's

Erika Dixon - Seizure 16-year-old great niece of Rev. Murray & Karin

Rev. Roger Griffith - Second Presbyterian Church

Sandy Goodwin - Dr. Curt Goodwin's sister

Carol Gumienny- Stroke- eyes & balance- Nancy Thomas's sister

Wren Hopper – Murray & Karin's 8-month-old great-great niece. She is blind and has many other serious health problems.

Sara & Dennis Heil – Marianne's sister & husband

Fred Hunt

Barbara Jones – Betty Handley's sister

Bob and Jane Kopp

Marlene Kubosky - Health issues - Friend of Ken Jones

William Lukesh

Jill Lukesh

Jeff Lukesh

Sean McHale - Friend of Wayne & Marianne - serious illness

Bill Morrison – poor health – Neil's brother

Fred and Fran Moody

Sandi Morris

Claudette Partington - medical issues - Friend of Allyson Lord

Rev. Murray & Karins, daughter & son in-laws, oldest son

Ann Roberts – Friend of Ken Jones

Harry Rosencrans – transplant successful but continued prayers. Friend of Wayne Williams.

Bob and Barb Thomas

Amy Wert – paralyzed from accident – daughter of Janie Millers co-worker

Jeanette Yatsko - Concussion

Rev. H. Chase Page