



The Deacons are collecting non-perishable food items ending December 18<sup>th</sup>. The food will be donated to the Back Mountain Food Pantry. 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 Women of Trinity** - December luncheon meeting will be held on Wednesday, December 7th at noon at the home of Allyson Lord, 537 Bodle Road, Wyoming. We will carpool from the church at 11:30. Parking is limited. A sign-up sheet has been posted on the bulletin board in the hallway. Come and enjoy Allyson's vintage Christmas decorations, wonderful fellowship and a delicious lunch.



**ATTENTION!!!** There is a new group forming in the church regarding fund-raising activities that will be starting in January. We would love your feedback, ideas, time and overall good old-fashioned fellowship to get this new group off the ground. To let us know you are interested (we can't have a group without people!), please reach out to Cindy Williams or Karen Perzia. You can let Cindy or Karen know when in church, or call or text to 570-881-7746 or email [aizrep@hotmail.com](mailto:aizrep@hotmail.com). Remember "MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK!"

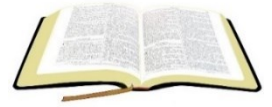
**Confirmation Class will be** on Sunday, December 11, 2022 starting at 9:00AM, just prior to our regular Sunday morning worship service. Your young adults, ages 12 and up are more than welcome to attend this class in preparation for full church membership planned for Easter Sunday, April 9, 2022. During an eight-week period of instruction, both Rev. Murray, in coordination with our Church Elders will be providing interesting classes designed to introduce your young adult(s) to our faith experience in the Presbyterian Church (USA) with each class lasting for about 40 minutes.

**Stewardship** - If you have not sent in your 2023 pledge card, please send to Trinity Presbyterian Church P.O. Box 239 Dallas, Pa 18612 @ your convenience.

Offering envelopes for 2023 are here and available for pickup either after church or during office hours. If you need other arrangements, please call the church office 570-675-3131.

**2023 Per Capita** - The Per Capita for 2023 has been set at \$42.00 per person. The total is divided among the Presbytery - \$29.75, the Synod of the Trinity - \$2.40, and the General Assembly - \$9.85. Your support is greatly appreciated.  
Art Peoples, Clerk of Session

Request for Liturgists - We are in need of 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



December 11, 2022	Sherri Newell
December 18, 2022	Josh Coy



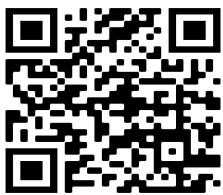
**Meals on Wheels** ~ If you would like to volunteer for Meals on Wheels on any open dates, please call Meryl Davis @ (570) 310-1556.

December 15, 2022	Windsor & Meryl Davis
December 29, 2022	Beth & Meryl Davis

**Flower Chart** - 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.



December 11, 2022	Wayne & Marianne Williams
December 18, 2022	



**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>.

**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](mailto:trinitypress@frontiernet.net). This will ensure that everyone has an opportunity to use the building for approved activities, and we won't have double bookings. Thank you for your support. Art Peoples, Clerk of Session



**Announcements** need to be either emailed to [trinitypress@frontiernet.net](mailto: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 **December 28<sup>nd</sup>**. They need to be emailed to [trinitypress@frontiernet.net](mailto:trinitypress@frontiernet.net) along with any images.

## Presbytery News

Tutoring Table, a reading and math assistance program for elementary aged children at Wyoming UPC, is seeking adult and high-school volunteers to serve as tutors, cooks, kitchen and childcare helpers. Fall dates are November 30, and December 14, with a family meal served at 5:30 PM followed by tutoring sessions from 6:00-7:30 PM. Volunteers are required to have or to obtain PA clearances (assistance is available.) To volunteer or request more information, contact [tutoringtable40@gmail.com](mailto:tutoringtable40@gmail.com)

Sunday, December 4, 2022 at 3:00 PM Montrose Community Chorale Concert at First Presbyterian Church of Montrose 367 Church Street, Montrose, PA 18801 and digitally, go to [fpcmontrose.org](http://fpcmontrose.org) for connection information. . All are welcome.

Sunday, December 11, 2022 at 3:00 PM Advent Organ Meditation featuring Martha Denkenberger on the Organ and Jean Starzec on the Piano at First Presbyterian Church of Montrose 367 Church Street, Montrose, PA 18801 and digitally, go to [fpcmontrose.org](http://fpcmontrose.org) for connection information. All are welcome. Light refreshments will be served after in the Missionary Room.

Sunday, December 18, 2022 at 3:00 PM Blue Christmas Service at First Presbyterian Church of Montrose 367 Church Street, Montrose, PA 18801 and digitally, go to [fpcmontrose.org](http://fpcmontrose.org) for connection information. All are welcome.

Saturday, December 24, 2022 at 7:00 PM Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at First Presbyterian Church of Montrose, 367 Church Street, Montrose, PA 18801 and digitally, go to [fpcmontrose.org](http://fpcmontrose.org) for connection information. All are welcome.

Sunday, December 25, 2022 at 10 AM Christmas Service at First Presbyterian Church of Montrose, 367 Church Street, Montrose, PA 18801 and digitally, go to [fpcmontrose.org](http://fpcmontrose.org) for connection information. All are welcome.

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### **I KNOW SOMETHING GOOD ABOUT YOU**

Wouldn't this old world be better  
If folks we meet would say,  
"I know something good about you"  
and then treat us just that way?

Wouldn't life be lots more happy  
If the good that's in us all,  
Were the only thing about us  
That folks bothered to recall?

Wouldn't it be nice to practice  
that fine way of thinking, too?  
You know something good about me!  
I know something good about you!

Author Unknown

## **PRAYER CONCERNS**

### **Members of Trinity:**

Al Brown

Betty Handley

Rev. Murray

Rich Burkhardt

Tom Pickett

Phil & Leona Walter

Mary Chappell

Jim Snyder

Shirley Wolfkeil

### **Friends of Trinity:**

Richard & Linda Armbrust

Craig Berlew- Medical/blood pressure issues

John Butler – Cousin of Nancy Thomas – Back operation

Ellie Caruthers – Friend of Ken Jones

Katie DiSimone – Glioblastoma

Rita Groboski

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

Michael Gusher Jr

Wren Hopper

Barbara Jones – Betty Handley's sister

Del Jones- Betty Handley's son

Jeri Kane – Karin Thompson's sister

Marge Kishbal

Lieutenant General Charles Mahan and his wife, Jamie. Rev Murray's former commander in Crailsheim, Germany.

Gladys Masoner- Michele Steele mother

Bill Morrison – poor health – Neil's brother

Peter Stevens – Doug Stevens's brother – serious health problems

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

Jules Williams – Brain Tumor – Allan & Carol Hobbs's son in law

Richard Williams – Nancy Williams's son & Karen Perzia's brother

Nick Yatsko – Rev. Murray and Karin's son in law – massive heart attack

Nick James Yatsko – Rev. Murray & Karin's grandson

Bonnie Zim – Fall- Allyson Lord's sister