

HOLY TRINITY

Evangelical Lutheran Church

ECHOES NEWSLETTER

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Pastor

The Rev. Lawrence Guenzel,
Interim Pastor

Staff

Mrs. Jacqueline Smith, *B. Mus.*
M. Mus., Director of Music
Mrs. Deborah Mumford,
Office Administrator
Mrs. Alyson Kuenstner,
Assistant Treasurer

Worship Services

Saturday at 5 p.m.
Sunday at 9 a.m. (also live-streamed)
Sunday Church School at 10:30 a.m.

Holy Communion

Saturday evening, Sunday morning
& Festival Days

*Deadline for submission of material
for the Echoes Newsletter is 9 a.m.
the 15th of each month.*

From the Pastor

Break the Bad News Cycle

Add a new vocabulary word to your mental dictionary: doomscrolling. It's the habit of scrolling through news or social media apps or flipping through your TV channels looking for the latest updates on what's happening with the pandemic, political issues, natural disasters, murder rates, etc. People have been doomscrolling since the advent of apps and 24/7 news, but 2020 made it more prevalent due to people being at home more and the cancellation of other day-to-day activities, special events, and social gatherings.

The numbers confirm the trend: news and social media app usage is up by 25 percent and as many as 49 percent of adults say they are depressed- up from a norm of 37 percent.* Constantly reading bad news can be bad for your health. It can lead to greater fear and anxiety and can increase levels of cortisol and adrenaline, both of which are stress hormones. Research shows that chronic levels of elevated stress hormones are associated with health issues such as heart disease, diabetes, and obesity. The overload of glooms-day news can also disrupt your sleep and make you less attentive and effective at work.

The solutions may seem simple but hard to do if you're addicted to constantly wanting updates:

--Take a break from the news, especially a few hours before bedtime. Read a book, solve a puzzle, watch a comedy, play a game, or call a friend.

--Instead of scrolling, go strolling. Take a morning and/or evening walk to calm your mind.

Set a time limit on the number of minutes each day you spend looking at the news.

--Being informed is important, but so is paying attention to your mental health. You need to recognize when it's time to tune out if you're spending too much time tuning in.

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Holy Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church

Mission Statement

We proclaim the
Gospel of Jesus Christ,
making disciples
and serving in His name.



Altar Flowers

The Altar Flowers have been presented to the Glory of God by the people of Holy Trinity. Altar Flowers must be ordered no later than the Tuesday afternoon preceding the Sunday they are presented. They may be ordered through the Church Office (215-659-2642). You may pay by placing \$20.00 in a small white pew envelope checked, "Altar Flowers." If you know it, indicate your envelope number.

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--Best of all is to tune in to God's Word. Spend time reading a portion of the Bible each day. It helps to have a Bible-reading plan or program. Read a daily devotional such as "Portals of Prayer" which is available free in Holy Trinity's narthex. Participate in a regular Bible Study group – in person or online, use the daily Devotions and Bible Readings on the NALC website: www.thenalc.org then click on "devotions." Spend time in prayer each day.

Here are some beloved Scripture passages that are so very helpful --

--Isaiah 43:1 "But now, this is what the LORD says— he who created **you**, Jacob, he who formed **you**, Israel: "Do not fear, for I have redeemed **you**; I have summoned **you** by name; **you are mine.**"

--Luke 12:32 "Do not be afraid, **little flock**, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom."

--Romans 8:38-39 "For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons,^[a] neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, ³⁹ neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord."

Let's face the future with full confidence in our Lord who loved us to the point of death on the cross. In His loving care we are able to rest in His abiding presence.

In Christ,
Pastor Larry Guenzel

*Better Health; Concordia Plans Newsletter





Healing Prayer Ministry

Prayer cards are available in a basket on the Altar in the Chapel of the Good Shepherd. Fill out your prayer requests and members of the Healing Prayer Ministry will pray for your needs. If you leave your contact information a team member will contact you.



† Women's Prayer Group

The Holy Trinity
Women's Prayer Group
will resume meeting
in September.

For prayer needs
over the summer please
contact Rosemary Hinkle at

Rosemaryhinkle@comcast.net

The group will gladly gather
to lift up any in need of
intercessory prayer.

Next meeting
Monday, Sept. 13th
7:30 PM

“All these with one accord were
devoting themselves to prayer,
together with the women and Mary
the mother of Jesus, and his
brothers.” Acts 1:14

Prayer List



**One of the beautiful aspects of Christian Fellowship
is that we can share one another's concerns through prayer.**

Please pray for the following:

Please pray for the following individuals & their families: *(we cannot add last names or initials)* The families of the members Holy Trinity together with those they love, including: Adam, Alanna, Aleksandr, Aleksei, Alexandr, Allan, Amanda, Antonette, Art, Aubrey, Audrey, Barbara, Baby Helen Elsie, Bill, Bob, Carly, Charlie, Chris, Christopher, Colleen, Connie, Cory, Craig, Dalilah, Dallas, Darcy, Dave, David, Dennis, Dinda, Donna, Dottie, Ed, Eda, Ekaterina, Elaine, Ella, Emma, Eric, Erica, Erika, Ernie, Frank Sr., Fred, Gavin, Gene, Georgia, Gloria, Hannah, Harry, Helen, Ingrid, Irina, Ivan, James, Jamie, Jane, Jason, Jean, Jen, Jenn, Jennifer, Joan, John, Joseph, Josh, Joyce, Julia, Karen, Karin, Kas, Katherine, Kathleen, Kathy, Kelly, Ken, Laura, Levi, Lily, Linda, Logan, Louise, Luke, Maddie, Maggie, Mali, Marlisa, Matthew, Mayet, Melissa, Milt, Nancy, Paul, Penny, Phil, Rachel, Rick, Roger, Ron, Ronnie, Ryan, Sam, Sarah, Sean, Sharon, Shary, Shelli, Sherri, Sherry, Sigrid, Silvia, Stanislav, Sue, Tammy, Tatiana, Tina, Todd, Trudy, Tyler, Valentina, Vicki, William, Willow.

Please pray for the following families:

All of the families of Holy Trinity, together with those they love and pray for; especially we pray for the: Barnes, Bell-Powell, Bertsch, Blessington, Breslin, Brown, Bundy, Canaan, Colussi, Cook, Custer, DiGiovanni, DiToro, Dominek, Engelke, Erb, Fisher, Ford, Frandsen-Canaan, Freer, French, Godfrey, Gregg, Guckin, Hoffmann, Houck, Ingerson, King, Kreisich, Lacy, Laemmler, Linn, Lockhart, Mackintosh, Maieron, Mansell, McGovern, Myers, Nash-Lockhart, Reinert, Samulis, Schenck, Schimpf, Seamon, Shannon, Skilton, Steinhofner, Sullivan, Tolton, Williams, Zieger.

Please pray for the following petitions:

- That God would bless and protect all members of Holy Trinity, together with those they love and pray for.
- That God would guide each of us to grow in grace and that He would please send workers into the Harvest.
- For all who are chronically ill and/or shut-in.
- For all who are fighting addiction to drugs and alcohol.
- For the sick and the grieving.
- For all congregations of the NALC.
- For all travelers and for the dying.
- For the military and their families.
- For all Native Americans living on U.S. reservations.
- For refugees and immigrants.
- The unemployed, the underemployed & the uninsured, especially those in our own families.
- All Caregivers, rescue workers, doctors, nurses, firefighters, EMTs.
- For the members of the Mekane Yesus Lutheran Church in Ethiopia, and for the Nifas Silk Congregation.
- For our sister congregations: Nifas Silk in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia and First Lutheran in Kirkland Illinois.
- For all Christians who are being persecuted for the faith throughout the world.
- For the victims of rains, wildfires, earthquakes, hurricanes;
- For favorable weather & an abundance of crops.
- For all in financial difficulty that they may be totally restored.
- For those suffering from racial injustice, bigotry, and oppression in our nation and in the world.



Our Christian Sympathy to

Sharon, David, Kathryn, Michelle
and the entire Kennedy family
on the death of **Marilynn Kennedy**

April 12, 2021

Beloved wife, mother and grandmother.

Janet, Ruth, Joyce, Roy
and the entire Myers family
on the death of **Virginia Myers**

June 7, 2021

Beloved wife, mother and grandmother.

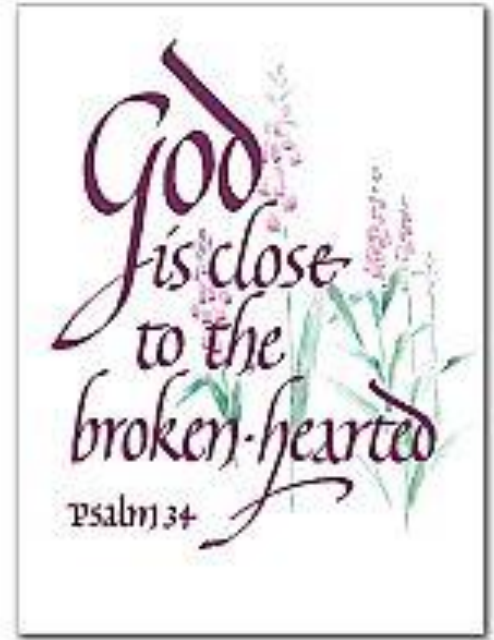
Craig, Eric
and the entire Fisher family
on the death of **Ingrid Fisher**

June 17, 2021

Beloved wife, mother and grandmother.

Psalm 112:6

“For the righteous will never be moved;
they will be remembered forever.”



Congratulations Class of 2021

Audrey Brown, Lower Merion High School



SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP IS AVAILABLE LIVE ON YOUTUBE (HOLY TRINITY, ABINGTON) OR OUR WEBSITE HOLYTRINITY.NET OR OUR FACEBOOK PAGE.
JOIN US AT 9 AM ON SUNDAYS

Treasurer's Report

May 31, 2021 (For the Year 2021)

	Holy Trinity Ministries	Wider Church
Year to date received for current income	\$ 145,835.90	\$ 30,342.10
Carry over from 2020	\$ 10,949.08	\$ 41,199.10
Expenses paid to date	\$ 170,726.55	\$ 25,019.26
Surplus/(Deficit) 2021	(\$13,941.57)	\$ 46,521.94

Martin Luther Quotes:

A Christian is a perfectly free Lord of all; subject to none.
A Christian is a perfectly dutiful servant of all, subject to all.
-- "The Freedom of a Christian"

To have peace and love in a marriage is a gift that is next to the knowledge of the gospel.

The more a person loves, the closer he approaches the image of God.



Support Us

Please consider a gift of appreciated securities to Holy Trinity as you do your tax planning for this year.

Important new information:

If you are over 70 and 1/2 years old you may also direct part of your required minimum distribution for your IRA directly to Holy Trinity. You may direct questions about how to do this or the tax benefits by contacting Alan Hinkle @ alanhinkle@comcast.net.

Keep in your prayers the following individuals serving in the armed forces:

Christopher Biehl
Michael Boerner
Phillip Gettmann
Shaun Hall
Eric Henderson
C.J. Hess
Nathan Quinlan
Vikas Shah
Jonathan Skilton, MD
Jeremy Zar

Please remember your Church in your will.



Dear Friends,

Now that movie theaters are opening, I find myself day dreaming of their tubs of popcorn soaked in butter and salt. It often reminds me of an illustration that my Dad used in a sermon years ago. I still think about it and apply it to life.

He highlighted the saltiness of popcorn and how after eating a tub of popcorn he would be thirsty for a large Diet Coke. I do not agree with his choice of drink, but I understand that popcorn requires the accompaniment of a refreshing beverage. Salt makes us thirsty.

"You are the salt of the earth, but if salt has lost its taste, how shall its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trampled under people's feet. You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven."

Matthew 5: 13 -16

Perhaps we could add, "let your light shine and may you be salty, so that they may thirst for, and give glory to your Father in heaven."

At the Cradle of Hope, we strive to create an environment that radiates love and support. Being a single mom can be overwhelming and exhausting. There are so many outside pressures loaded with negativity that threaten any sense of hope for survival.

This world is full of darkness and empty promises. We must be different. Not only to the mothers we serve, but to each other. It has been a year of separation for many. We need salt and light to revive our communities.

I want to specifically thank you for being part of the Cradle family. In the midst of the challenges due to the pandemic, we have been abundantly cared for. In the fall, supporters "Ran for Cover" and now we have two brand new, beautiful roofs on our houses.

Last month, during our Spring fundraiser, we surpassed our goal and **raised over \$40,000!** These are only two examples of being "salt of the earth." As a result, we are thanking God for His provision that comes from your faithfulness.

There have been multiple times that my mouth just hangs open. Shocked, humbled, excited, overwhelmed, grateful, amazed... Thank You God.

Thank you for your support!

Rachel Mullely
Program Director



Summer Food Requests for families with children.

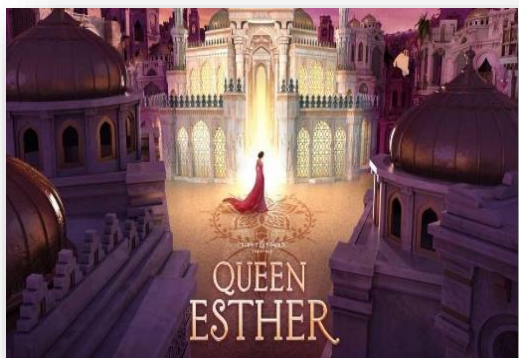


We have so many families that we serve, many with children and we always try to do a little more to help during the summer months.

We are requesting donations of: **powdered drink mixes (Kool-aid, lemonade, iced tea), juice boxes or pouches, fruit cups, canned ravioli and spaghetti, granola bars, cheese and peanut butter crackers, freeze pops, pretzels, chips and popcorn in individual bags.**

Additionally if you shop at Produce Junction or any produce outlets and they have a bargain on eggs or other fresh fruits/veggies but you don't need 3 dozen of that item: we have refrigeration and will gladly take your excess items!

Calling all gardeners: We are always happy to accept your donations of fruits & vegetables grown in your gardens!



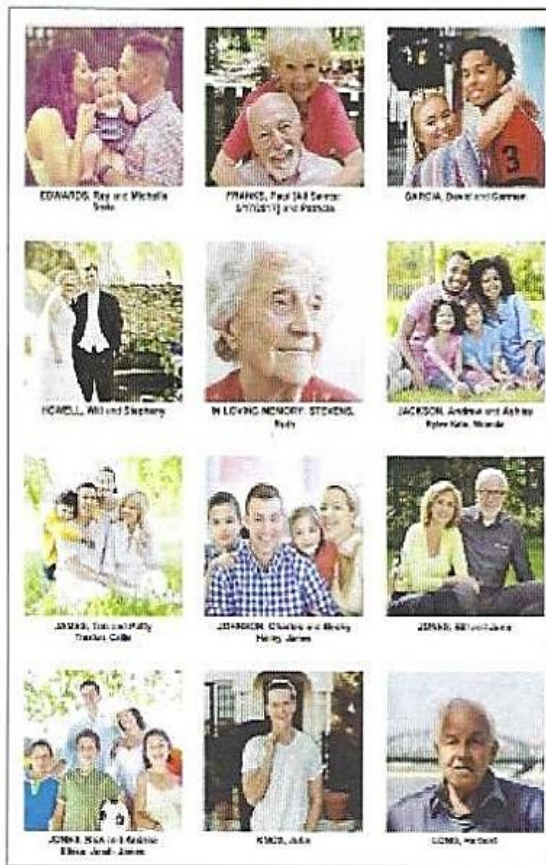
Summer Bible Study: Esther on the Sundays in July For such a time as this

Join us the **Sundays in July** for a study of the Book of Esther in Fellowship Hall after worship.
All are invited!

Then, in August, experience this most riveting Bible stories of the Old Testament as it comes to life with magnificent sets, special effects, and live animals in the original stage production at **Sight and Sound**, Lancaster. We're planning to car-pool to Lancaster, see the show and have dinner together in Lancaster. Tickets will be around \$61.00 for the show. The date has not been set yet but it probably will be a mid-week afternoon show. If we get enough interest, we may rent a bus to transport us. If you are interested in going to see **Esther** with the group from Holy Trinity, please speak to Pastor Guenzel or email at pastor@holytrinity.net or phone the office at 215-659-2642.

Church Directory

The church directory of “yesterday” which required photo shoots and optional (sometimes, hard-sell) purchases, would quickly go out-of-date; however, times have changed. At Pastor Larry’s suggestion, we are in the process of developing a Directory that can age and grow as our parish family ages and grows. It will provide for a paper copy as well as online and mobile app access and updates. The program we have selected for our Church Directory is *Instant Church Directory*.



Professional photos are nice but, there is something to be said for candid photos and the family-feel they reflect (see sample page to the left). With this program, we can use our own personal photos.

Please look through your family photos and see what you would like to submit to represent your family in the Directory. It will be as simple as sending in your digital image...soon, but not yet. *In the next two weeks, we will let you when and where to send those images. Please do not send them to the church office.*

If you don't have a photo to use, we will be scheduling photo appointments with Ernie Koch here at church. There will be nothing to purchase and Ernie will send a digital copy of the photo selected for the directory to you via email.

We will also be including groups in the Directory. If you are the leader of a Holy Trinity group/ministry/activity, please send a list of the names of your members (and your group name) to sharonkoch1304@gmail.com.

This is all new to us and we appreciate your patience as we learn the process and pull the pieces together. If you wish to learn more about the features and high-level security of this program, please visit instantchurchdirectory.com or see Sharon Koch. We look forward, with you, to seeing our “Family of Faith Photo Album” come together.

Christ's Home

Caring. Compassion. Community.

SOCKS

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What does Christ's Home Need this Summer?

**Black Gray White
Ankle & Crew Socks
for Teen Boys**



Please leave your
contributions in
the narthex under
the Christ's Home
sign.

**No-Show & Ankle
Socks in Colors
for Teen Girls**



**Assorted Size Socks
Fun Designs & Colors
for Children of All Ages**



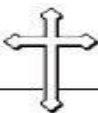


LISTEN ON THE LAWN
SUMMER LAWN CONCERT #1
WEDNESDAY, JULY 7 @ 7:00 PM
BRASS QUINTET

Featuring light music favorites:
Marches, polkas, jazz pieces,
hymn settings. All welcome!



Ice cream will be served. No masks required for outdoors.
In case of rain concert will be moved inside.
Posted revised Covid-19 protocol will be followed.



Holy Trinity is hosting a **Blood Drive** for the Red Cross
Friday, July 16th
1:30 PM to 6:30 PM



Make the most of your summer!

- * The need for blood never takes a vacation
- * Every 2 seconds someone in the US needs blood
- * Type O blood is the most requested by hospitals
- * You can donate blood every 56 days
- * 16 year-olds can donate with parent permission

Contact Karen McGovern (267) 968 - 5485 to schedule an appointment.

SUMMER IS HERE AND HERE IS THE LATEST FROM

Sarnelli House...



Men's and Women's Underwear & Socks NEW ONLY

New or used Summer Clothing

Men's Shirts & Shorts

Women's Clothing - small and medium sizes

Street Shoes & Sneakers for men and women

Belts and Baseball Caps

Thank you for your continued support of this vital ministry.

Lutheran Church Women's Circle Bible Study

As everyone *is enjoying* these summer months please keep in mind if you have changed your address/phone number/email send that information in to secretary@holytrinity.net as the new LCW booklet will be put together in early August. Have a *blessed* summer!



A response from Cradle of Hope for the LCW Thank Offering...

Dear Holy Trinity Church Women,
Thank you for your generous donation to our Spring Thank Offering. We had designated Cradle of Hope as our recipient. Your wonderful donation totaled \$530.

We just spoke with Rachel at Cradle of Hope. They have been replacing flooring in the houses. They still needed to replace the floor in one bathroom and one kitchen. Your gift will be put towards that. Rachel said that our church always comes through with just the right thing at just the right time.

Thanks again for all your help.
The LCW Executive Board.



More Shoeboxes Needed!

**Why We Need You To Pack Individual Shoeboxes
In addition to our church packing party this fall!**



The number of shoeboxes packed in 2020 was 14% lower than in 2019, a six-year pandemic setback to 2013 totals.

International church leaders were begging for more shoeboxes to give to children in need and change their lives and the lives of their families forever with the demonstrated love of Jesus.

At a Tanzania church, children were left playing outside while shoeboxes were being presented inside because there were not enough boxes to include them.

Imagine yourself handing out shoeboxes to eager children who have never received a gift. You discover you are running out of boxes, but there are still more excited children in line.

When you pack a shoebox, don't see a box. See the face of a child who will be given your box,

Packing shoeboxes blesses YOU to become a world missionary right from your own home.

Consider the occasions when children you know receive gifts: Christmas, Easter, Birthday, Baptism, First Communion, Graduation, Halloween & Valentine's Day. tooth fairy visits, relative visits.

What if none of these occasions ever took place for the children you love? What if their toys were made of sticks and leaves and rocks and household trash?

A bar of soap is a luxury in many developing countries.

Families have shared toothbrushes if they are fortunate enough to obtain one.

Children in orphanages have shared washcloths...one for 30 or more.

Churches throughout the giving world are being asked in 2021 to increase their number of shoeboxes by 10%. Last year Holy Trinity contributed 400 boxes. That means we are hoping you and/or your family and friends will pack an additional 40 boxes...or more!

IF you have filled shoeboxes in the past, PLEASE keep doing so this year.
you have not, may this be your first joyful year of helping to bring children to Jesus..
you packed boxes in the past, please consider doubling or tripling your efforts this year.

Consider both Quality and Quantity:

Please FILL boxes (but not overflowing) so that volunteers at processing/ inspection centers will not have to search for appropriate filler gifts.

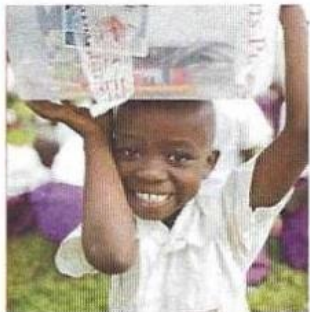
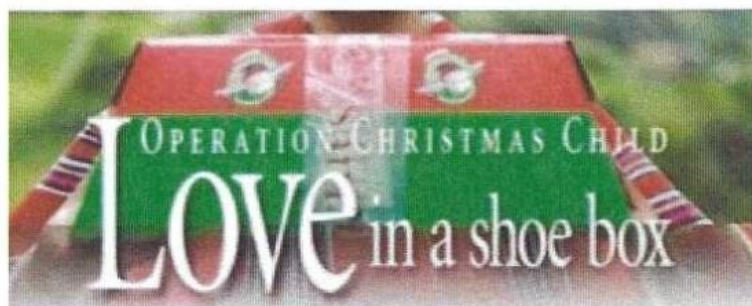
About Quality, if it is not good enough for your children, then don't include it. For example, no plastic water bottles with BPA; no shoddily made items.

Include a WOW item in every box you pack, such as a special doll with clothes, a larger stuffed animal, a deflated soccer ball and inflation needle, a jewelry making kit, a shoebox-size top to pump and spin, a Lego kit or a backpack.



Shoebox Questions: Rosemary Hinkle or Nancy Ischinger

Summer Fun Pack Shoe Boxes for Children Around the World



Have fun filling shoe boxes with School Supplies, Toiletries (soap, wash cloth, toothbrush), Toys, Stuffed Animals/Dolls, Accessories (jewelry, gloves, scarves, socks, t-shirts). You can make a difference in the lives of children and their families by being the hands and feet of Jesus. These children have suffered war, famine, disasters, and/or poverty. You can be the first to give them a gift in their entire lifetime! The children will also receive the Gospel story presented in their heart language with culturally appropriate pictures.

Boxes will be available in the narthex for you to take and fill.

You may also pack your own shoe boxes but please NO PLASTIC containers UNLESS they are the green & red plastic shoe boxes from Samaritan's Purse. Also NO boot boxes. Please think the size of a typical shoe box.

Some No-No's

No food/candy, toothpaste, or anything that is a liquid, such as lotions, balls containing liquids, nail polish, etc.
No war toys.

Good Places to Shop for Deals

Jane's Cottage @ 1771 Old York Road, Abington
Dollar Stores ~ Michael's (lots of kids' crafts)
Target dollar section
And watch for those mid & late summer sales!



Be sure to take an Operation Christmas Child brochure from the narthex to guide your packing.
And invite friends & family to participate!
Remember, each box represents a child and an opportunity for that child and family to know Jesus.



Need for Boxes 10-14 Year-Old Boys

This age group receives the fewest contributions, in part because many people have trouble with ideas for this age. If you choose to pack boxes for these boys, here are some ideas:

* Soccer Ball & Pump with Inflation Needle * Absolute Favorite!

\$5 backpacks from Five Below folded in thirds
 Ball cap or visor
 Definitely a ball!
 Ruler, eraser, glue stick, scotch tape, scissors
 Marbles, Glo sticks, fold-up Frisbees, yoyo
 Puzzles, Lego or K-Nex kits
 Coloring books, maze books
 Vehicles like remote control cars
 Nail clippers, Band-Aids, chap sticks, tissue pack, comb

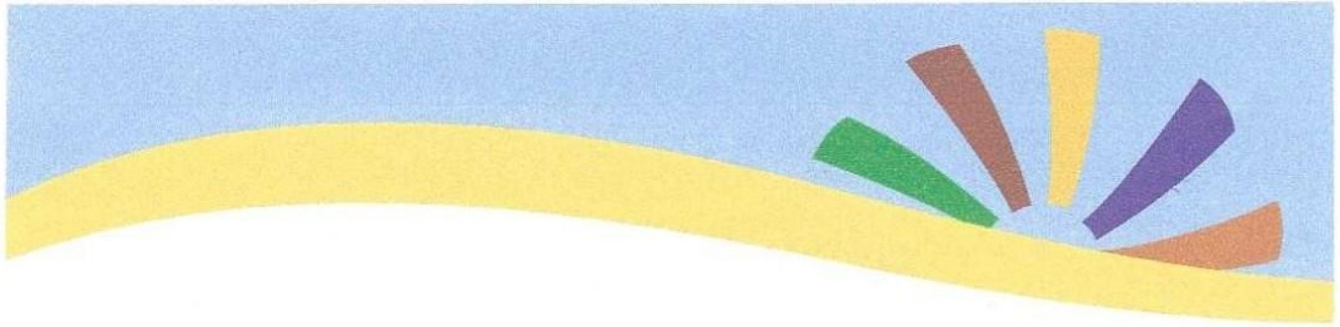
Flashlight—crank or with 2 sets of batteries
 Notebook or pad of paper (5" x 8")
 Pencils, sharpener, pens crayons/colored
 Calculator preferably solar
 Mini hammer, screw driver set, etc.
 Socks, gloves
 Stuffed animal: tiger, lion, dog, etc.
 Soap, toothbrush, washcloth, sports towel

Also Need More Boxes for 2-4-Year-Olds

small stuffed animal, doll
 tiny purses & barrettes, hairbands/ties
 size 4T/4 T-shirts; socks & gloves
 child's toothbrush
 decorative Band-Aids
 stickers
 5"x8" pad of construction paper and/or
 plain paper

puzzles, cars & trucks (age appropriate)
 ball, spinning tops, balloons
 puppet washcloths, soap,
 coloring books & crayons
 child sunglasses
 musical toys
 child scissors





AMR Logo Design Contest

Guidelines:

- The logo should be simple and easily reproduced.
- The design should be an identifier of our Atlantic Region and 4 Core Values.
- All submissions to the logo contest must be original work.
- Each submission will be vetted by the AMR Council before being included in the contest.
- Each submission will become the property of the Atlantic Mission Region.

The contest will be held at our October Convocation at Holy Cross, Nazareth, PA. Each participant at the Convocation will get a vote for their favorite design.



*Deadline is
August 27, 2021.
Submit to
Robin Harris at
rjhh67@gmail.com*

Logo Contest Submission

Name _____

Congregation _____

Congregation Address _____

Email address _____

Please read and check the following:

- This logo is my original artwork and does not infringe on copyrighted material.
- I understand that my artwork will be vetted by the AMR Council before being included in the AMR logo contest.
- I understand that this logo submission will become the property of the Atlantic Mission Region.

Signature _____

Deadline for submission is Friday, August 27, 2021. Please email logo submission to Robin Harris at rjhh67@gmail.com.



2021 Vacation Bible School

It is now officially summer and VBS is Back!

**Monday, August 2 through Friday, August 6
9:00 AM to 12:15 PM**

Our theme for VBS 2021 is “**God's Wonder Lab- Jesus Does the Impossible**”

We need *your* prayers, and we also need **your participation** to provide the best Vacation Bible School possible. Please consider volunteering your time and talent to make this year's VBS one of the best weeks of the summer for the children in our community.

Thank you for your willingness to help! Please place the volunteer form in the offering plate or return it to the office. The earlier I have the classes and centers staffed, the sooner I can distribute all of the necessary materials. If you have any questions please contact Nancy Ischinger at 267-803-1384 or email at nancymaeisch@yahoo.com.

VBS Dates: August 2nd to August 6th 9:00 AM to 12:15 PM

Be a Vacation Bible School Volunteer! Don't miss the fun!!

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Full Address: _____

Yes! I would like to help with VBS in the areas I have marked below.

_____ Pre-School teacher/helper _____ Bible Story Center leader/helper.

_____ Kindergarten teacher/helper _____ Game center leader/helper

_____ Art Center teacher/ helper _____ Group Guide

_____ Snack Center helper

All volunteers over the age of 18, will need to provide a copy of their PA state clearances in order to volunteer

HOLY TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
2021 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION FORM

STUDENT'S NAME: _____

BIRTH DATE: _____ AGE: _____ SCHOOL GRADE IN FALL: _____

ALLERGIES, MEDICAL CONDITIONS OR SPECIAL NEEDS:

PARENT'S NAME: _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____

TOWN: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK PHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: (NAME & NUMBER) _____

PARENT'S CHURCH: _____

BROTHERS & SISTERS: _____

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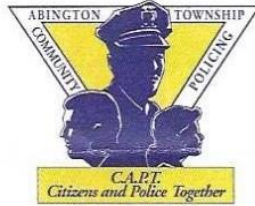
EMERGENCY CONTACT: (NAME & NUMBER) _____

PARENT'S CHURCH: _____

BROTHERS & SISTERS: _____



POLICE-COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS



**MONDAY
AUGUST 2nd
5 - 9 P.M.**

(Rain date: Tuesday, August 3rd)

See Presentations By

- Abington Tactical Unit
- Abington K-9 Unit
- Abington Traffic Safety Unit
- Neighborhood Police Departments
- Montgomery County Sheriff's Department
- Fire Equipment & Smokehouse
- County Detective's Forensics Unit
- Pennsylvania State Police

PRE-NIGHT-OUT BLOCK PARTY

**Abington Town Center, London & Old York Roads
(Target Parking Lot)
Abington, PA**

"An Evening of Fun For The Whole Family"



For More Information Contact: Sgt Roger Gillispie 267-536-1077, email: rgillipie@abingtonpd.gov
CSO Ken Hoffman 267-536-1081, email: khoffman@abingtonpd.gov



Saturday, August 7th @8 AM

Our RunTheDay event is live & ready (and anxious) for registrations.
<https://www.runtheday.com/register/detail/water-mission-5k2>

If you want to register as a runner or walker, please consider doing so on one of our teams.

Join Pastor Larry and the ***Holy Trinity Runners' Team***
<https://www.runtheday.com/fundraise/totals/63496/holytrinityrunners/>

or the ***Holy Trinity Walkers***
<https://www.runtheday.com/fundraise/totals/63496/holytrinitywalkers/>

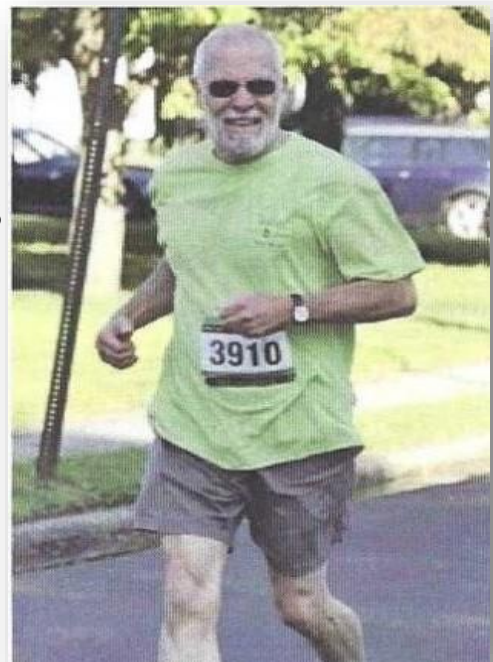
With your registration as a member of a team, you can share the Runner or Walker link above by email, Facebook, or twitter to invite your family and friends to sponsor you.

In addition to participants we are in need of sponsors and volunteers! Sponsor letters & forms are in the Narthex, volunteers can sign up on the sign-up sheet in the Narthex.

**No interest in running or walking?
We need volunteers the day of the event!**

Questions? Contact Tom Schied 215-820-2178
schiedtom463@gmail.com

For more information on Water Mission
go to **www.watermission.org**



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5K Run - 1 Mile Walk

Roychester Park Field House

Harding and Corinthian Avenues, Abington

Saturday, August 7TH

On-site registration opens at 6:30 AM

Race starts at 8:00 AM

**PRE-REGISTRATION OPEN NOW
ONLINE AT**

RUN THE DAY

<https://www.runtheday.com>

We hope to see you there!



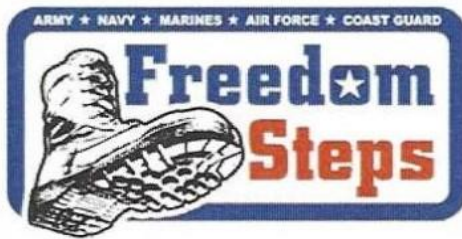
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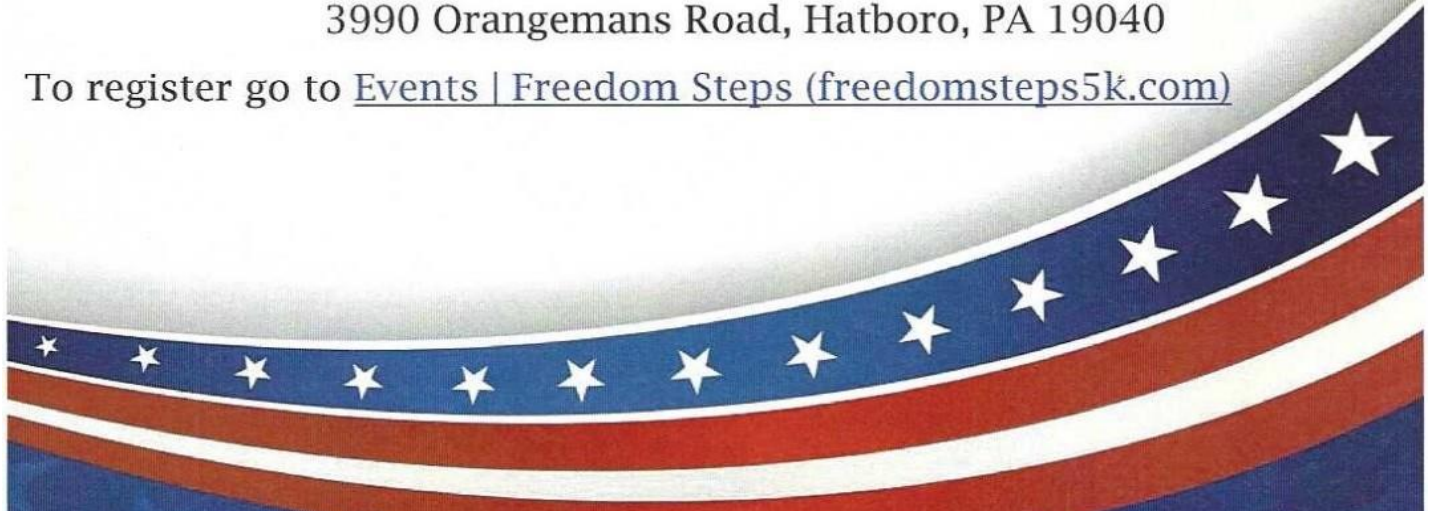
Proceeds benefit humanitarian efforts of WaterMission.org to build safe, sustainable water supplies for those suffering in the Global Water Crisis.



SAVE THE DATE!
Sunday September 19, 2021
is our annual 5k Run/Walk

*New location: Upper Moreland Intermediate School Complex
3990 Orangemans Road, Hatboro, PA 19040

To register go to [Events | Freedom Steps \(freedomsteps5k.com\)](https://www.freedomsteps5k.com)



FALL



WITH HIM ~ IN HIM ~ THROUGH HIM

Sunday, September 12 (aka Rally Day)

After worship on the lawn enjoy food & drinks
while learning about the many and varied
ministries and activities you can join!



July Worship Assistants Schedule



July 4

Usher 2	Lector - Sat Karen McGovern	Communion Assistants Allan Shikhvarg John Minges
Stream Tom Schied Team	Sun Nancy Necker	

July 11

Usher 3	Lector - Sat Linda Cassady	Communion Assistants Otis Bricker Rob Ischinger
Stream Frank Ganther Team	Sun Jim Necker	

July 18

Usher 4	Lector - Sat Karen McGovern	Communion Assistants Jim & Nancy Necker
Stream Rob Ischinger Team	Sun Julia Gregg	

July 25

Usher 5	Lector - Sat Linda Cassady	Communion Assistants Sherry Breslin Linda Borkowski
Stream Alyson Kuenstner Team	Sun Allan Shikhvarg	

If you cannot serve please contact someone on the list for that particular service team and find a replacement.
If you can't find a replacement simply contact the office (215) 659-2642 or email Deb at secretary@holytrinity.net

Called to *Serve*



August Worship Assistants Schedule

August 1

Usher 1	Lector- Sat	Linda Cassady	Communion Assistants	Linda Frezza Deb Mumford
Stream Ryan Schied Team	Sun	Kile Smith		

August 8

Usher 2	Lector- Sat	Linda Cassady	Communion Assistants	Tony Quici Suzanne Brown
Stream Charlie Tolton Team	Sun	Charlie Tolton		

August 15

Usher 3	Lector-Sat	Linda Cassady	Communion Assistants	Charlie Tolton Dave Tolton
Stream Hannah Mumford Team	Sun	John Bleimaier		

August 22

Usher 4	Lector- Sat	Linda Cassady	Communion Assistants	Eric Gregg Frank Ganther
Stream Tom Schied Team	Sun	Linda Borkowski		

August 29

Usher 5	Lector-Sat	Karen McGovern	Communion Assistants	Sherry Breslin Linda Borkowski
Stream Frank Ganther Team	Sun	Scott Brown		

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JULY 2021




Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 10 am Bread of Heaven	2 7:30 AA	3 5:00 Holy Communion 7:00 AA
4 PENTECOST 6 9:00 Holy Communion 10:30 Esther Class  <i>Happy 4th of July</i>	5 OFFICE CLOSED	6	7  7 pm Summer Concert on the lawn	8 10 am Bread of Heaven	9 7:30 AA	10 5:00 Holy Communion 7:00 AA
11 PENTECOST 7 9:00 Holy Communion 10:30 Esther Class	12	13	14	15 10 am Bread of Heaven	16 1-6 p.m.  BLOOD DRIVE 7:30 AA	17 5:00 Holy Communion 7:00 AA
18 PENTECOST 8 9:00 Holy Communion 10:30 Esther Class	19	20	21	22 10 am Bread of Heaven	23 7:30 AA	24 5:00 Holy Communion 7:00 AA
25 PENTECOST 9 9:00 Holy Communion 10:30 Esther Class	26	27	28	29 10 am Bread of Heaven	30 7:30 AA	31 5:00 Holy Communion 7:00 AA

Special Dates

- U.S. Independence Day,
July 4, 2021



AUGUST 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 PENTECOST 10 9:00 Holy Communion	2 VBS 9 am - 12:15 pm Abington Night-out 5:00 - 10:00 pm 	3 VBS 9 am - 12:15 pm	4 VBS 9 am - 12:15 pm NALC CONVOCATION Corpus Christi, TX	5 VBS 9 am - 12:15 pm 10 am Bread of Heaven NALC CONVOCATION Corpus Christi, TX	6 VBS 9 am - 12:15 pm NALC CONVOCATION Corpus Christi, TX 7:30 AA	7 8 AM 5K Run/ 1 Mile Walk  5:00 Holy Communion 7:00 AA
8 PENTECOST 11 9:00 Holy Communion	9	10	11	12 10 am Bread of Heaven	13 7:30 AA	14 5:00 Holy Communion 7:00 AA
15 PENTECOST 12 9:00 Holy Communion	16	17	18	19 10 am Bread of Heaven	20 7:30 AA	21 5:00 Holy Communion 7:00 AA
22 PENTECOST 13 9:00 Holy Communion	23	24	25	26 10 am Bread of Heaven	27 7:30 AA	28 5:00 Holy Communion 7:00 AA
29 PENTECOST 14 9:00 Holy Communion	30	31	"Take a good look at God's wonders - they will take your breath away." Psalm 66:5 			

Special Dates:

- Abington Pre-night Out, Target Parking Lot, *Monday, August 2*
- Holy Trinity Vacation Bible School, *August 2 - August 6*
- 5K Run/1 Mile Walk for Water Mission, *Saturday, August 7*

