

TRINITY WEEKLY NEWS AND NOTES
THIS WEEK AT TRINITY August 20 – 27

SUNDAY	9:00 am	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion
	9:00 am	Christ's Kids
	10:30 am	Sr. Youth Mystery Day
	10:45 am	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion
MONDAY	6:30 pm	Community Garden Work Night
TUESDAY		
WEDNESDAY	7:15 pm	Traditional Worship
THURSDAY	10:30 am	TLS New Student Orientation Day
FRIDAY		
SATURDAY	1:00 pm	Celebration of Life for Nancy Doughty
SUNDAY	9:00 am	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion
	9:00 am	Christ's Kids
	Between Services	Coffee Hour hosted by LWML
	10:45 am	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion

2017-2018 Ministry Support Goal: \$10,096.00 per week
Ministry Worship Goal: 300 per week

August 9/13 Offering: \$8,809.00 Church Attendance: 166 Christ's Kids: 10

WE PRAY...

...for those afflicted in body and spirit, for those in pain and for those near death, that the Lord would grant them peace, patience, relief and healing according to His gracious will: Harriet Brady, Henry Breyer, Nancy Burpee, Rosemarie Caiazzo, Lukas Campo, Lilly Carle, Ray Churik, Kathleen Corrado, Rich Cummings, Larry Faltings, David Francis, Katie Gabrielson, Richard Holmes, Rita Liba, Greg Massaro, Luke Mayorga, Allison Miller, John Mohlin, Trundy Moldenhauser, Brandon Radar, Alexander Raia, Martha Riker, Martha Rockie, Freida Schildwachter, Walter Schmidt, Melanie Springs, Ed Strauhs.

GIFTS and MEMORIALS

Gifts and memorials have been given to Trinity Lutheran Church to the glory of God to the Early Childhood Center in loving memory of Nancy Doughty by the Hicksville Fire Department Company 2; to the Klitzing/Kramer Scholarship Fund in loving memory of Stanley Kramer on his 8th year with the Lord by Barbara and Doug Brosky; to the Organ Fund in celebration of the marriage of William and Patricia Griffith by Rita Liba, in loving memory of Cherry Pearce on her birthday by her mother, Audrey Wenner; in loving memory of Stanley Kramer on his 8th year in heaven by Bob and Carol Gross; to the Sunday School Scholarship Fund in loving memory of Marite Hennessey by John and Debbie Vergara; for the Sunshine Circle in honor of Peg Ruhs for her 90th birthday by the Louis and Carole Maters.

PASTORAL EMERGENCY CONTACT In the event you or your family would need to reach the pastor during Trinity's off hours, please use the following number, for true emergencies, and you are unable to reach anyone in the office. The number to call is 516-931-7147.

Youth Ministry Happenings

JUNIOR YOUTH – FUEL

For those who are in grades 6-8

Bronx Zoo – September 2 @ 9:00am

SENIOR YOUTH

For those who are in grades 9-12 and beyond!

Montauk – September 9 @ 8:00am

FROM THE BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP

Matthew 15:27 “Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters’ table.” These are the words of faith, for faith means receiving what God gives. And God has given us so much more than just the crumbs that fall from the table – He has given us life, salvation, body and soul, eyes and ears, possessions and income. That’s where our stewardship starts: with faith in the God who is the greatest Giver.

JOIN US AT CHRIST'S KIDS Join us at our summer Sunday School at the 9:00 am service each week. The children start in church, then after a children’s sermon go down to the choir room for a lesson and craft. Please pick up your child there. We hope that you can join us.

MEMORIAL SERVICE A memorial service for Nancy J. Doughty will be held Saturday, August 26 at 1:00pm here at Trinity Lutheran Church. A luncheon will follow at the Hicksville Fire Department Headquarters. Everyone’s continued support for Nancy’s family, most especially John Sr. and Jr. is greatly appreciated and they invite our Trinity family to attend this celebration of Nancy’s life as a wife, mother, friend and servant of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

SUMMER WORSHIP 2017 Trinity’s summer worship schedule is underway! Worship on Wednesdays is held at 7:15pm and will run until the final Wednesday service on August 30. The liturgy for each Wednesday is identical to the liturgy for the upcoming Sunday and the Lord’s Supper will be served at all worship services.

Also please remember during this time, that your offerings and gifts are just as important over the summer months as they are throughout the year. Trinity still has on-going financial obligations and your continued ministerial support is important.

Thankfully, God doesn’t take a vacation from us, so let’s not take a vacation from Him! Have a fantastic summer and see you at worship!



Please check out the tract rack in the hallway and the church entrances for a take-a-way listing of Trinity’s Bible studies, fellowship and service opportunities and general information about our church.



FALL HARVEST FESTIVAL 2017 – SAVE THE DATE!

Trinity’s Fall Harvest Festival is scheduled for Saturday, September 30, 2017. We hope you’ll save the date! If you have a pop-up canopy that we could borrow for the day, please contact the church office and let us know as soon as possible as we are busy making plans for this exciting event. You can call the church office at 931-2225 or email churchoffice@trinityhicksville.org.

THOSE SERVING THE LORD and TRINITY THIS WEEK

Preacher	7:15pm	Pastor John Hopkins
	9:00/10:45am	Reverend Dr. Victor Belton
Organist		Doreen Leonard
Deacons	7:15pm	Betsy Lazarek
	9:00am	Betsy Lazarek, Debbie Vergara
	10:45am	Peg Ruhs
Altar Servers	7:15pm	Jayne Flomer
	9:00am	Erin Stevenson
	10:45am	Scott Galdo
Ushers	9:00am	Les Francis, Pat Francis, Bill Kist, Bob Kassinger
	10:45am	Tina Deer, Andy Risi, Ron Peter, Joe Braconier
Readers	7:15pm	Susan Avila
	9:00am	Janice Gentles-Jones
	10:45am	Jennifer Risi
Acolytes	7:15pm	Jason Warm
	9:00am	Jessica Gavin, Charlie Racz
	10:45 am	Matthew Henderson
Altar Guild	August 20	Jane Kramer and Kathy Krass

\$\$ Money for Trinity!! THRIVENT is currently holding a “Summer of Impact” online limited-time event, which will run until the end of August. Thrivent has added **an additional \$50 Choice Dollars to your account!** These additional funds are available until August 31, or until \$8 million Choice Dollars have been directed, whichever comes first. If you are a Thrivent member and would like to make a designation for your Choice Dollars to Trinity Lutheran Church or Trinity Lutheran School or would like more information about Choice Dollars® please visit Thrivent.com/thriventchoice, call 800-847-4836, say “Thrivent Choice” when prompted, or contact your local Thrivent Financial representative. Please take advantage of this wonderful, painless opportunity to financially support Trinity’s ministry.

I GAVE ONLINE

Do you see those “I Gave Online” giving cards in the pews along with Trinity’s Welcome/Prayer Request cards? What are they for? Good question! If you choose to give your offering online, you can drop one of these cards into the offering plate to indicate that you have already given your gift prior to worship. **No need to write your name on these cards!** They are strictly symbolic and are not used to collect any information. The cards will then be collected by the ushers and returned to the pews **to be used over again.**

If you are currently signed up to give online, thank you! If you are considering online giving, the cards also provide instructions on the three ways that you can sign up for this wonderful convenience. You can find a short video explaining how to set up online giving on your phone here: GivingVideo.TrinityHicksville.org.

Thank you, always, for the gifts you give to Trinity Lutheran Church and School for the ministries of Christ’s church. This we do to fulfill our vision, “That all will know the love of Jesus!”

I GAVE ONLINE

*“But who am I, and
who are my people,
that we should be able
to give as generously
as this? Everything
comes from you, and
we have given you
only what comes
from your hand.”*

~1 Chronicles 29:14



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