

TRINITY WEEKLY NEWS and NOTES
THIS WEEK AT TRINITY May 6 – 13, 2018

SUNDAY	9:00 am	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion	
	9:00 am	Sunday School	
	Between Services	Coffee Hour sponsored by Board of Youth	
	10:45 am	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion	
	10:45 am	Sunday Morning Bible Study [YSR]	
	10:45 am	New Member Class [Stammel Center]	
	10:45 am	VOTY Gardening Project	
	11:45 am	Comfort Dog Ministry Meeting [YSR]	
	12:00 pm	Confirmation Luncheon [MPR]	
	MONDAY	6:30 pm	Finance Committee [Stammel Center]
	TUESDAY	3:30 pm	Bible Study [Stammel Center]
	7:00 pm	TLS Spring Concert [Gym]	
WEDNESDAY	9:30 am	Ladies Morning Bible Study [YSR]	
	11:30 am	Pastoral Care Meeting [Stammel Center]	
	6:00 pm	Christian-based Yoga [MPR]	
	7:00 pm	Wednesday Evening Ladies Bible Study [YSR]	
	7:15 pm	Praise Band Rehearsal [MPR]	
THURSDAY <i>Ascension Day</i>	7:00 pm	Confirmation Photos and Rehearsal [Church]	
	8:00 pm	Trinity Choir Practice [CMR]	
FRIDAY	7:00 pm	Jr. Youth FUEL	
SATURDAY	8:00 am	Men's Bible Study [Empire Diner]	
	6:30 pm	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion	
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2017-2018 Ministry Support Goal: \$10,096.00 per week
Ministry Worship Goal: 300 per week

April 28/29 Offering: \$7,586.00 Church Attendance: 192 Sunday School: 33

GIFTS and MEMORIALS

Today's altar and chapel flowers are given to the glory of God in celebration of Nicole Kilkenney's confirmation by her grandmother, Hildegard Schmidt and family.

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: Lynn Argenziano, Paula Avanti, Richard Balfour, Judy Beckerich, Harriet Brady, Henry Breyer, Nancy Burpee, Ray Churik, Kathleen Corrado, Kathryn Cortelyou, Rich Cummings, Margaret Eckert, Patricia Eldon, David Francis, Sylvia Jeffrey, Betty Jung, Hilde Keinath, Rosemary Knapp, Nancy Kumpf, Harold Mayer, Breanna McDermott, Allison Miller, John Mohlin, Alexander Raia, Robert Raiola, Martha Rockie, Walter Schmidt, Gene Scott, Ed Strauhs, Nicholas Suarez, Jacqueline Vergara.

GIFTS and MEMORIALS

Gifts and memorials have been given to Trinity Lutheran Church to the glory of God for church maintenance in loving memory of Arnold Wenner on his 16th year with our Lord by his wife Audrey; to the Doris Mill Memorial Fund in loving memory of Robert J. Krass on their wedding anniversary by Kathleen Krass; to the Organ Fund in loving memory of Viola and Charles Hoffmann on their birthdays by Kathleen Krass, in celebration of Jeanette Wall Fabrizio's 90th birthday by the Wall family; for Sunday School in loving memory of Charlotte Borschbach on her birthday by Kathleen Krass; to Trinity Lutheran School in loving memory of Nancy Nightengale by Barbara and Doug Brosky.

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

May 11 @ 7:00p

SENIOR YOUTH

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

FROM THE BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP

Acts 1:11 – *“Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into heaven? This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.”* Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ is ascended – and Christ will come again. We live our lives in this world in the sure confidence of the world to come. We live as people who know our Lord Jesus – and who know that He is coming back. This makes all the difference in how we approach our stewardship and how we care for the things of this world.

A BIG THANK YOU!! LWML thanks all who attended and helped at our high tea and coffee hour. We made \$1,609.00, which will be donated to various charities. To God be the glory!

ONGOING BIBLE STUDIES There are several small group Bible studies being offered at Trinity. The Wednesday Morning Ladies Bible Study Group is studying the Book of Ezekiel. This topic will continue through the end of May. The Sunday Morning Bible Study Group is studying the names and the role of the Holy Spirit in preparation for Pentecost. This will continue for the next two or three Sundays. All are invited to participate or just to listen and learn!

PENNSYLVANIA YOUTH CHORALE On June 1 – 3, the Pennsylvania Youth Chorale will once again be visiting us here at Trinity. The auditioned choir of about 25 children ages 10 – 14 will be presenting a concert on Saturday night, June 2 following the 6:30pm worship service. Their programs are always entertaining and feature a wide variety of music. They will also be attending and singing at the 9:00am service on June 3. It is a wonderful choir, and you will want to save the date.

We are looking for housing for the children for the weekend. It involves picking them up here at Trinity Friday night, June 1 and bringing them back in the morning. Then taking them home again June 2 following the concert and bringing them back for morning worship. The children come in pairs, with one or two groups of 3. Please let Henry DeVries know if you can house 2, 3 or more children, or call the church office.

BLESSED TO BE A BLESSING! Trinity's Blessing Box, located across the street from the church, has been getting lots of traffic! If you can help out by stocking it with a few non-perishable items once in a while it would be greatly appreciated. If we can bless someone who is in immediate need with a necessity, we in turn will be blessed for being a blessing. There is a box located across from Pastor's office for donations. Thank you!

HELP US KEEP IN TOUCH Almost all of our correspondence with you is through e-mail. Please make sure we have a current e-mail for you. E-mail the church office at churchoffice@trinityhicksville.org. If you prefer paper mail and haven't let us know, please call the church office. Thank you.

SPRING BLOOD DRIVE POSTPONED Trinity's May 7 Blood Drive is being postponed to a later date, sometime this summer. We will let you know the date as soon as the arrangements have been made.

THE HEROES ARE COMING! Vacation Bible School (VBS) is right around the corner and we need your help! This year's theme is "Hero Central!" If you are able to lend your time and talents to this exciting program, please contact Laura Denning-Morrissey (516-510-7417 or lauradenning14@yahoo.com) for more information. Volunteers are needed to teach classes, create crafts, lead recreational activities, help with registration and so much more! Registration will begin at the end of May. Hope to see you there!

LWML STRAWBERRY FEST IS THIS MONTH! On Saturday, May 19, Trinity's LWML will be holding a Strawberry Fest! The ladies will be in the hallway today, May 6 and next Sunday, May 13 for those wishing to sign up. See enclosed flyer for details.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE The phone-a-thon for the *Honor Serve Provide* Capital Campaign is going on. Please prayerfully consider what your family can give and answer your phone to donate to this most necessary fund. There are posters in the school lobby, near the cafeteria and outside Pastor's office which will show you how far along we are to our goal of \$210,000 in pledges over the next three years. So many of you have pledged and donated already. THANK YOU! We will complete projects once they are funded and it looks like the church will be getting new carpeting this Spring.

We can still use volunteers to call from 6:30-9pm on May 9, 15 and 16. Please call 516-931-2225, ext 230 if you can assist. Thank you.



THOSE SERVING THE LORD and TRINITY THIS WEEK

Preacher		Pastor John Hopkins
Organist	6:30pm	Doreen Leonard
	9:00/10:45am	Henry DeVries
Deacons	9:00am	Kathy Funfgeld
	10:45am	Betsy Lazarek
Altar Servers	6:30pm	John Blumer, Marite Hennessey
	9:00am	Denise Fields, Susan Mittler
	10:45am	Jayne Flomer
Ushers	9:00am	Tom Fogarty, John Haines, Donna Haines, Warren Breuer
	10:45am	Pam Marrero, Anthony Cavaliere, Elaine Koop, Moses Saxon
Readers	6:30pm	Rita Liba
	9:00am	Susan Avila
	10:45am	Karen Musumeci
Acolytes	6:30pm	Ryan Calvin
	9:00am	Jessica Gavin, Jimmy Kronberg, Katie Kronberg
	10:45am	Daniel Lombardo, Angelina Naranjo
May Altar Guild		Jeannine Cichinsky, Carole Maters, Nancy Weisgerber



V.O.T.Y
 Let's make a garden on TODAY!
 May 6!
 Meet in Miss Debbie's
 classroom at 10:45
 Bring your gardening gloves!



THE TRINITY
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INVITE YOU TO



Come join us for a family night at Citi Field and help send us on our Mission Trip to West Virginia this summer.

Saturday, June 23rd at 7:15pm
NY Mets against the LA Dodgers

Order Tickets:

- Sunday mornings during coffee hour
 - email rstainkamp@trinityli.org,
 - call the church office at 931-2225 x219 for Sue Mittler.
- Tickets will be given on a first come basis, so order early.

Order by Sunday, May 20th
Tickets are \$35 each