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## The Good News

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### FROM THE PASTOR

#### November

Ever wonder how November got its name? The Latin calendar used to have ten(10) months. No-ven which means nine in Latin was the ninth month of the year. September was the seventh month, October was the eighth month and December was the tenth month. You may recognize the number in the first four or five letters of each month. The other names of the months were of named after gods or two Caesars, Julius and Augustus. I think you can figure out those months.

This all got me thinking about historical things that happen in November. All Saints Day is November 1. We celebrate it on the first Sunday in November. It is a day in which we remember and give thanks for all of those who have gone on ahead of us in the faith. They are the ones that, with the Lord's help, insure that we have heard about Jesus.

Thanksgiving is another day of remembrance. We will celebrate Thanksgiving Day on the fourth Thursday of every year and it falls on November 22 this year. In worship, we will celebrate the day with a Thanksgiving Eve service at 7:00pm on



Wednesday, the twenty-first.

Now while these events that I have shared about affect us and many others, there is another Thanksgiving event that will happen on November 10 and 11. This is Consecration Sunday. It is a time in which we respond to what the Lord is calling us to give to His church. Your contribution to the ministry plan at Trinity is important, even more so given the present financial situation of the congregation. Therefore, asking the Lord for direction is vitally important. You need to pray about it, because this is all about your relationship with the Lord and seeking out His guidance in how you may respond to the blessings given you by His hand.

For out of those blessings, you contribute to the ministry here at Trinity by helping ensure that the list of saints in Christ's kingdom continues to grow throughout the New Year.

For me and for my family, we are very thankful for serving with you, the Saints of God at Trinity.

Serving the Lord with you,  
*Pastor Hopkins*



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Trinity's new organ is almost ready to be installed! Some of you have already seen the new speakers that are already installed in the balcony and front of the church. The remainder of the speakers, amplifiers and console (where the organ is played from) will be installed starting the week of November 5. We will be without an organ during the weekend of November 10 and 11 as the installation continues. If all goes according to plan, we will hear it in service for the first time during the weekend services on November 17 and 18. Members of the organ committee, along with myself, traveled to Zionsville, PA to see and hear the completed instrument on October 29 at the Walker Organ Company shop in anticipation of its installation the following week. Here are some pictures showing the progression of the work done on the organ:

Henry DeVries,  
*Minister of Music*



**The Good News**  
*Honor, Serve, Provide*



Progress on the projects your capital campaign dollars is funding continues, thanks to the Board of Properties. Surely those of you who have left our buildings in the evening have noticed the improved lighting in the parking lot. Once the new LED lights were installed on the poles other darker areas became obvious and they now too have been "enlightened."

Inside the halls and cafeteria new LED lights have been installed increasing our light and reducing the cost of lighting. The heating system in the Stammel Center has been repaired. Once the remaining parts arrive the heating system in the school will be repaired as well.

We thank you for your ongoing support.

**PRAYER**

Prayer is talking with God. While every day we thank Him, confess, and praise Him, we also ask requests from God. Here at Trinity we pray for each other every day.

Our different prayer lines are:

- **Sunday Prayers.** The names are of those members and loved ones who are seriously ill, hospitalized or waiting for or recovering from surgery and are prayed for in church each week.
- **Bulletin Prayers.** Please take your bulletin home so you can pray for those listed each week. Many of the folks listed have long term illness, undergoing treatment or have a chronic condition.
- **Prayer Line.** A member of this prayer group prays every day for their list of people. To be a part of this ministry please call Helen Peter at 938-6914.
- **Pastoral Care Team.** Pastor and the Deacons pray for all those listed on Sunday prayers and bulletin prayers as well as those who wish that their names are kept confidential.

We have you covered in prayer no matter which prayer line you are on. While we try to call and ask how people are doing, we ask that you please call with updates of the people you have put on prayers.

Deacon Lynn Waldeck

Your Deacons:

Doug Brosky

Betsy Lazarek

Debbie Vergara

Anthony Cavaliere

Peg Ruhs

Lynn Waldeck



**The Good News**  
*Board of Properties*

**IT'S TIME FOR TRINITY'S ANNUAL FALL CLEAN-UP!!**

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 24 AT 9:00 AM**

Can you trim a



Can you rake



Can you pull



**IT'S YOUR TURN TO HELP!**

**PLEASE SIGN UP ON THE BULLETIN BOARD IN THE HALLWAY OUTSIDE THE CAFETERIA!**

# Stewardship

Sometimes people don't like it when pastors talk about stewardship. For some, it hits too close to home. It is easier to talk about bad people in Washington or terrorists than it is to think about what our daily life in Christ is supposed to look like.

The fact that we don't like hearing about stewardship means we ought to face it. Here are a few simple and practical realities.

- God calls us to first-fruits, sacrificial giving. This means we should give off the top. We should set a percentage of our income as a deliberate gift for the work of the Church and give that first. We write the check to the Lord's work in the Church before we pay for anything else.
- We don't pay for all the stuff we need (or think we need) and then give from what is left over. Giving our first-fruits is hard because we think we need all sorts of other things first. But "sacrificial giving" is not supposed to be easy.
- How could the starting point for Christian generosity and sacrifice really be anything less than a tithe, 10%? The ceremonial law of the Old Testament was never arbitrary. In the Old Testament, the Levites received this tithe so they could serve as full-time ministers.
- The New Testament Church has a ministry that is far larger: "Make disciples of all nations" (Matt. 28:19). We still have a full-time ministry to support "The Lord has commanded that those who preach the Gospel should make their living from the Gospel" (1 Cor. 9:14). We also are to give to the poor and needy, refugees and those suffering loss. So, if 10% was needed in the Old Testament, and we have a bigger mission need in the New Testament, how can we expect the Lord's work to be done on less than a tithe?

First-fruits, sacrificial, generous giving, that is what the Lord asks. He gave His all for us: "I say this not as a command, but to prove by the earnestness of others that your love also is genuine. For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich" (2 Cor. 8:8-9).

What the Bible commands about our stewardship can sting. It's law, and the law shows our sins. It calls us to repentance. The law is meant to expose and accuse for the sake of showing us Christ and His fulfillment of the law.

In Mark's account of the feeding of the 5,000, Jesus took the disciples' five loaves and two fish and blessed them. It was nothing among so many, but it was plenty. Jesus makes something from nothing.

He, who fed His people in the desert with Manna every morning, doesn't need their bread. But they need to give it. And what they give, however little it might be, however grudgingly they do so, He blesses.

He not only blesses those whom He feeds with it, but He blesses them, the givers, not just in that they wind up with 12 baskets of leftovers, but that they learned to trust and rejoice in Him.

The Lord gives, and the Lord takes away. The Lord gives abundantly or asks us to fast. We do not know what will happen. Blessed be the Name of the Lord.

He does all things well and works all things together for good. The disciples don't give their bread to Jesus because it is a good investment. They give it because He is good, they love Him, and they trust Him. Let us go and do likewise.



I would like to apologize to Pastor Hopkins and the Church Council for not being at the Voters' Meeting on October 16. There was a conflict with our LWML Meeting and the Voters' Meeting. So, I am sharing with you what I had planned on saying.

Over the past twelve years, we have developed a wonderful relationship with our garage sale customers to the point that they know all the proceeds go to mission work and some come just to donate funds while others ask why they have to wait a whole year before we hold another sale!

First, let me explain how much work goes into running this event. We begin to wash and price items collected by our members on Thursday from 9:00am to whatever time it takes to finish. We had 31 volunteers both from our LWML and friends from other churches. We spent 188 hours from start to finish. On Friday night before the sale, we set up the entire yard so that we are ready to sell at 9:00am on Saturday morning.

Some of the same people have come over the years from all over the neighborhood. In fact, my Catholic neighbors save beautiful items for us to sell. We even had an elderly lady call and ask if she washed and priced things, could she deliver them to me on Thursday and then attended the sale on Saturday! Our profit was \$1,730, which included \$250.00 seed money for next year. Someone asked me how do we do it! I'll let you in on a secret: whether people are waiting to come in our gate or not, we make a circle of prayer and dedicate the garage sale to the glory of God!

People have actually offered to buy certain items from us any time of the year and will come to our home to pick them up. Some even share their problems with us and one person asked us for our church address and may worship with us. We have such a great opportunity to share our love for each other and witness that, next year, instead of just including a thank you in each bag, I plan on giving them a card with an invitation to worship with us. Best of all, every item left over goes to other charities and the bulk of it gets packed and donated to the American Veterans of Vietnam.

Going from a net profit of \$600.00 twelve years ago to close to \$2,000.00 this year is amazing!

I want to encourage each one of you if God gives you a nudge to start a fundraiser. Do it! Don't get discouraged if it starts off slow. Keep working at it and develop a relationship with those you come in contact with. You'll be amazed how God will bless you!

Have a wonderful November and if possible, attend our next fundraiser, our Pork Roast Dinner, with all the trimmings, on November 9 for \$15.00/person.

Helen Peter,  
*LWML President*

**Save Your  
Items for Our  
Rummage Sale**





Our 7th graders just returned from their trip to Boston on October 12. It was an outstanding educational experience for all. We visited Quincy Market, took a walking tour of the Freedom Trail, and saw Paul Revere's house. The students even had the opportunity to visit Bunker Hill and climbed all 294 steps to the top of the monument. Spirit week was held the week of October 22—26. The students enjoyed various dress down days during the week. This year, many of our activities focused around anti-bullying.

Jennifer Forte,  
*Acting Principal*



**The Good News**  
*Early Childhood Center News*

The past month has been a busy one in Trinity's Early Childhood Center. The children continue to fill the classrooms and hallways with sounds of singing, playing, and laughter. The children have also been very busy creating some beautiful art work which can be seen throughout the Early Childhood Center hallways.

A few weeks ago we invited all of our Early Childhood Center families to Parent Night where parents went through "A Day in the Life of a Preschooler." Parents helped create a beautiful display as they watercolor painted their own handprints. The display reads "With heart and helping hands a child can accomplish anything." This reminds us all how important the connection between home and school is and that the children are capable of so much!



Also important is the connection between church and school. We have been happy to have members of Trinity's Comfort Dog Ministry lead us in chapel as well as read in the classrooms. The children are excited to meet our new dog one day soon!

Carolyn Gallegos,  
*ECC Director*

Trinity Lutheran School Celebrates 65 Years!

This year Trinity Lutheran School is celebrating 65 years of Christian Education. At Trinity we are very proud of the lives we have touched through our school and are planning a year of celebrations to mark the occasion. Pastor Hopkins kicked off our 65th school year with a wonderful service in the church before our annual Back to School BBQ. The BBQ was a wonderful event to begin this celebratory school year bringing together people from our church and school communities. We have a few other events and fundraising opportunities planned to celebrate this milestone in Trinity Lutheran School's history. We hope you will be able to join us!



1954-2018

Giving Tuesday - November 27, 2018

Santa Pancake Breakfast - December 8, 2018

Adopt a classroom ceiling tile - Date to be announced

Celebration Dinner - May 10, 2019



1954-2018

Please look for more information to follow for all upcoming events!



Being a Christian Is Like Being A Pumpkin

A lady recently asked her co-worker what it was like to be a Christian... The lady replied, "It's like being a pumpkin: God picks you from the patch, brings you in, and washes all the dirt off you may have gotten from the other pumpkins. Then He cuts the top off, scoops out all the yucky stuff. He removes the seeds of doubt, hate, greed, etc., then He carves you a new smiling face and puts His light inside of you to shine for all the world to see.

This message was passed on from another pumpkin that was picked from the patch. Share this with others including those who may still be in the pumpkin patch!

Author Unknown

NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

... for the December 2018 issue are due no later than noon on Wednesday, November 21!





Trinity's 2018 Annual Fall Food Drive for food baskets, Blessing Box and Lutheran Social Services was an awesome success! Our congregation along with our school, donated canned fruit, vegetables and beans, boxed potatoes and stuffing, rice, pasta and sauce, cereal, oatmeal, soup, cookies, tea, coffee, peanut butter and jelly, paper goods and personal care items along with monetary donations to be used for grocery gift cards to add to the Thanksgiving baskets. We received over 562 items! Trinity's National Honor Society students helped to gather and organize the boxes for delivery of part of these items to Lutheran Social Services in Uniondale.

And an added bonus to this year's collection: Thrivent held a promotion that allowed us to earn \$500.00 for collection 500 food items which will then be awarded to the New LIFE Center Food Pantry.

We will be packing our Thanksgiving baskets on Monday, November 19 at 10:00am. If you would like to help put these baskets together, come on over to the Stammel Center on that Monday. Also, if you know of anyone in need of a basket, please contact Lynn at x230.



**THANKS FOR GIVING**





THANK YOU SO MUCH to everyone who participated in this exciting community event! Planners, trunk decorators, food prep and servers, music coordinator, game leaders, parents, trick or treaters, congregation members who came out to support the event, everyone who dressed up, everyone who donated candy, community members and church and school families who brought their children, we couldn't have done it without you! The Comfort Dog Ministry is grateful for all of you and so pleased at the turnout we had on Sunday, October 28. It was a great success and we can't wait for next year!



This month our tour of Trinity's artwork takes us to our newest piece entitled, **Prince of Peace**, located on the wall opposite Pastor Hopkin's office. This print of the painting rendered by Akiane Kramarik when she was just eight years old, was given by the Kenney Family in loving memory of Stanley Kramer.

Child prodigy, Akiane Kramarik, was born in Illinois on July 9, 1994 to a Lithuanian mother and non-practicing Catholic American father. Akiane is a self-taught painter and claims that Jesus spoke to her when she was four years old, encouraging her to draw and paint her visions. She was drawing at age four, painting at six and began to write poetry at seven. Her first completed self-portrait sold for \$10,000!

Akiane's paintings are often allegorical as well as spiritual. They involve likenesses of Jesus, children, and animals, as well as self-portraits. Her main inspiration comes from her visions of heaven and her religious experiences. Akiane states, "My paintings are to draw people's attention to God." By age twelve Akiane had completed sixty, large paintings. Some of her works have been purchased by the US Embassy in Singapore. She has completed over 200 artworks and 800 literary works, has published two best-selling books and has had several appearances on television!



The **Prince of Peace** is one of Akiane's favorite paintings. At eight years old a mysterious carpenter was introduced to Akiane in the hope that his facial features would inspire her. Thinking that he closely resembled one of her visions from her dreams, she was motivated to start her painting. It took Akiane forty, laborious hours to complete the **Prince of Peace**. The original painting was shipped to her agent for a supposed exhibition, but he stole it and sold it for a low price. As of 2018 the original painting is said to be locked in a bank vault and the current owner is refusing to return the painting.

At the age of four, Colton Burpo, whose story was featured in the best-selling book and movie *Heaven is For Real*, underwent a critical operation after his appendix burst. Although it was not a near-death experience (his heart never stopped), he did claim to have an experience of visiting heaven and had visions of Jesus. He stated that Akiane's **Prince of Peace** depiction of Jesus matched the one from his visions.

Since the age of fourteen Akiane has lived in 15 countries along with her parents and siblings. Many of Akiane's paintings reflect her experiences of traveling abroad. A few years ago she and her family returned to rural Illinois. Here she remains low profile; enjoying her family, animals, composing music and rising at 4 in the morning to spend about six hours a day painting.

Currently 24 years old, Akiane has created a series of smaller canvases called *Tea Room Paintings* -- many of these are featured in the 2018 Calendar by Art & SoleWorks.

Akiane's painstakingly-detailed paintings have earned her the honor of being one of the top, living, realistic painters in the world!

by Ellen Kerwin

*Akiane Kramarik, (2006). Akiane: Her Life, Her Art, Her Poetry. Nashville: WPublishing Group.*

*Akiane Kramarik, (2006). Akiane My Dream is Bigger Than I: Memories of Tomorrow. Artakiane.//c.*

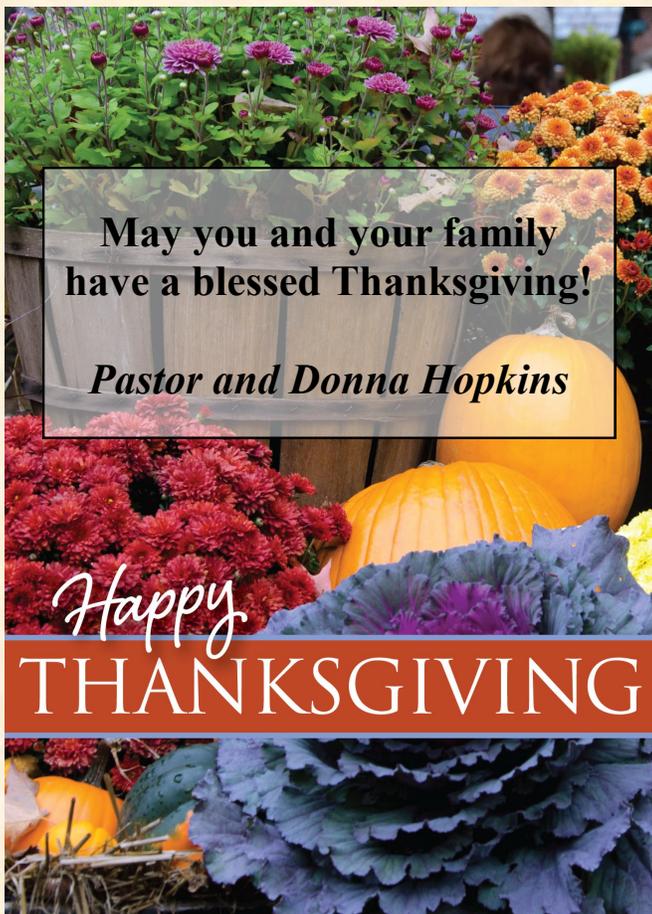


**SAVE STAMPS!** The Atlantic District Lutheran Women's Missionary League is collecting cancelled stamps that will be sold to a dealer. The money received from the sale of the stamps will go to the Interpreter's Fund for the Deaf of the AD LWML. Please help us by collecting stamps for this cause and sharing this notice with friends, family or business associates. Help us make this effort a success! Here are the requirements for collecting cancelled stamps:

**Commemorative Stamps**—those honoring a person, place or thing, **foreign stamps**, **holiday stamps**, and **love stamps**. We are concentrating on these types of stamps. We aren't saving bell and flag stamps any longer as they are not earning much money for all the work involved. Stamps cannot be **damaged or torn**. The stamps should be cut from the envelope and have 1/8 inch of the envelope left around the entire stamp. These are the requirements from the dealer. This is an ongoing project and we are excited about it! Remember to save all the stamps from your Christmas or other holiday mail. We do get more money for commemorative stamps so please purchase them whenever you can. The dealer will also take any pages or books from a collection or first day covers. If you have any questions, please contact Helen Peter.



2019 offering envelopes will be ready to pick up in December. If you give electronically and do not want envelopes, please call Lynn (x230) in the church office. If you do not have envelopes and would like them, we would love to give you a set! Also new this year, your Thanksgiving and Christmas envelopes are in your box of envelopes. If you forget your envelopes there are always extras at each exit.



**May you and your family  
have a blessed Thanksgiving!**

*Pastor and Donna Hopkins*

*Happy*  
**THANKSGIVING**

### **THE SEASON OF GIVING**

As we start the month of November, our thoughts turn to Thanksgiving and how blessed we are. During November and December, we collect for those who are less fortunate than us and we share our blessings. Ways you can help are by donating food (for our food baskets, Blessing Box, and Lutheran Social Services). Monetary donations will be used for gift cards to go with the food baskets or to the Pastor's Fund for the needy that will help people with oil delivery or other expenses. Or you can help by taking a "Christmas Angel" that often provides children with the only gifts they get at Christmas. These are a few ways that we can help others. See the bulletin each week for more information. And thank you for sharing your blessings!

*We Are*  
**BLESSED**

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## **Cultivating Gratitude**

Rev. Forrest Parkinson, LMSW, LP

***The LORD is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts; Psalm 28:7a***

A new member of Alcoholics Anonymous was coming out of a difficult time. He had made a mess of his life in almost every area; his marriage and family relationships were strained to breaking, his job was on the line, he was facing health problems and his finances were in a bad way. He had a lot to be unhappy about. Everybody who was aware of his problems and cared for him dreaded that he would drink over his troubles as he had done for many years. Understandably, he was depressed. No surprises so far.

I was surprised by a palpable change in his mood and attitude; more hope, more energy, less shame and clearer vision for moving forward. What happened? More or less, he explained it like this: *"I'm just starting the Twelve Steps, but I do believe God is saving me from myself. Like they say, God doesn't save us to be miserable. My sponsor wants me to focus on the blessings in my life and he had me write a Gratitude List and pray with it when I go bed. I've been getting depressed with all these problems I've created for myself. It was a hard list to write because part of me "wants" to focus on problems and it takes effort to be grateful instead. Making the Gratitude List is worth the effort. I still have all these problems to work out, but I keep the list folded in my pocket and I look at it when I get discouraged. Almost every night when I pray with it, I add something. I know it's a little thing, but it has made a big difference."*

Our Lord warned us that *"for where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."* I suggest that we often "treasure" our regrets, resentments and troubles with all the time and attention we give them. When we "treasure" our misfortunes, our hearts become steeped in negative thoughts and feelings. The Gratitude List will put our focus on the good in our lives. Our AA friend above was grateful for AA, for sobriety one day at a time, for a wife who is still with him, a job he could still go to, and having a family to whom he could make amends. How about you?

While a Gratitude List is hardly a treatment for a mental health issue, it is surely a help to anyone's psychological and spiritual tone. Could you take an hour, with your focus off your problems and list your blessings? Could you keep your list with you and look at it when negativity begins to eat at your heart? In other words, in your life, could you cultivate gratitude? Our culture would have us attend to the trouble more than the joy. So, where do you choose to steep your heart? As we approach our great national Thanksgiving Day, we will be wise to prepare our hearts with all the care that we prepare our banquets and travel. We will cultivate gratitude that we may give thanks with fulsome hearts. ***...so I am helped, and my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him. Psalm 28:7b***

For more information or to set an appointment, please call the Lutheran Counseling Center ([www.lccny.org](http://www.lccny.org)) at 1-800-317-1173 or e-mail us at [Center@lccny.org](mailto:Center@lccny.org). LCC has nine counseling sites over the New York metropolitan and surrounding area.

October 2, 2018

To Whom It May Concern  
Trinity Lutheran Church and School,

One of the highlights of our trip to Hicksville this past September was to see the beautiful stained glass window in your church that is dedicated to Peter and Elizabeth Klein, our great-great grandparents. We believe that it was their daughter, Elizabeth (Mrs. Martin Sleight), who purchased the window in their honor.

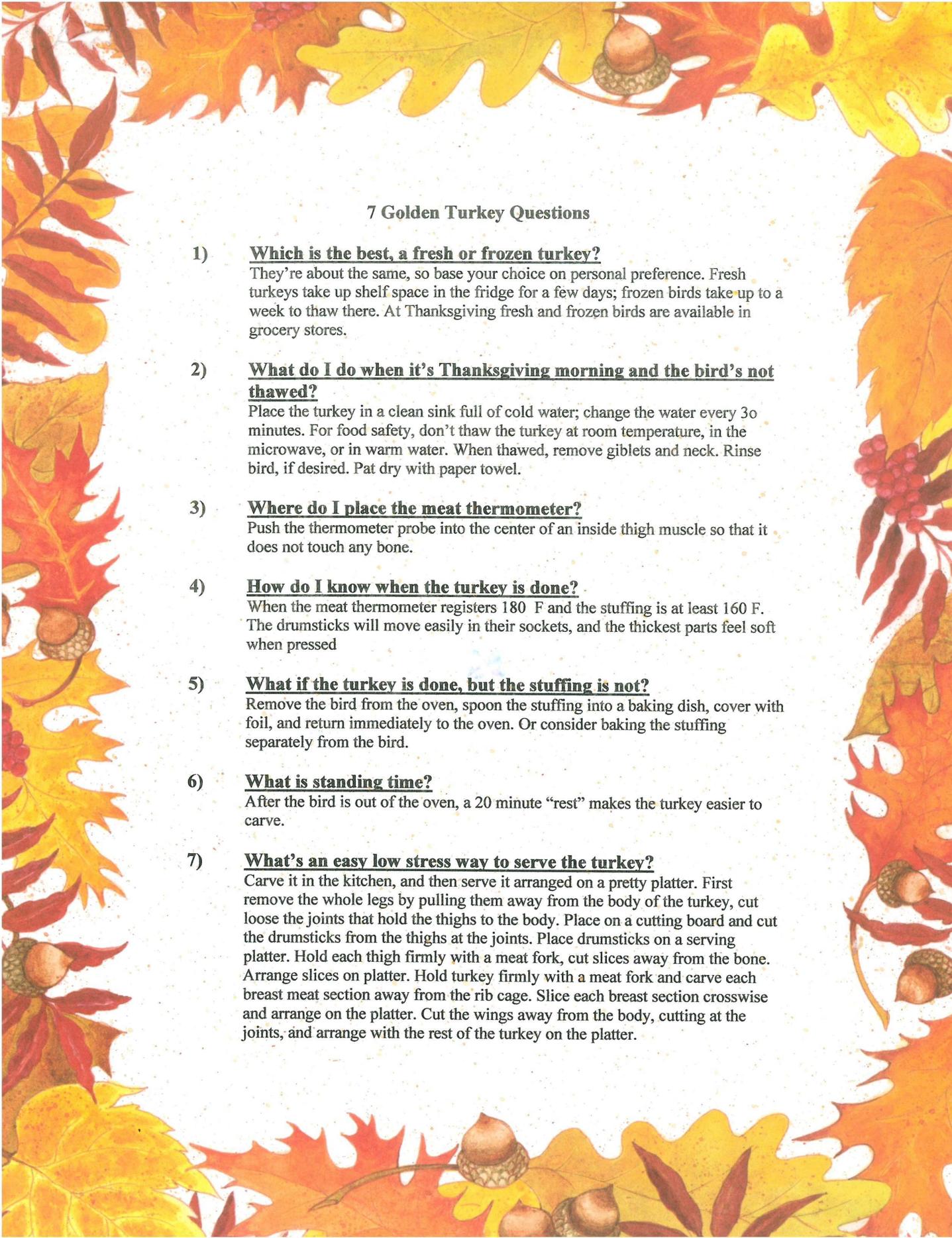
Peter died on December 5, 1910 after being struck by a LIRR train at the Marie Street crossing in Hicksville. He was in a one-horse buggy on an errand to buy supplies for their 50th wedding anniversary which was to take place the following weekend. The Klein farm was located on Woodbury Road in what is now a shopping mall where the Bed Bath & Beyond store is located at the corner of South Oyster Bay Road and Woodbury Road.

As we search for pictures and other archival documents from New York, every nugget of information we can gather about our German ancestors on Long Island is greatly treasured by us in Minnesota. Thank you for opening the doors of the church for five of the Klein descendants on September 13 for this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to actually touch a piece of family history!

Best regards,

*Toni*  
Antonette "Toni" & Mark Thompson  
St. Joseph, MN





## 7 Golden Turkey Questions

- 1) **Which is the best, a fresh or frozen turkey?**  
They're about the same, so base your choice on personal preference. Fresh turkeys take up shelf space in the fridge for a few days; frozen birds take up to a week to thaw there. At Thanksgiving fresh and frozen birds are available in grocery stores.
- 2) **What do I do when it's Thanksgiving morning and the bird's not thawed?**  
Place the turkey in a clean sink full of cold water; change the water every 30 minutes. For food safety, don't thaw the turkey at room temperature, in the microwave, or in warm water. When thawed, remove giblets and neck. Rinse bird, if desired. Pat dry with paper towel.
- 3) **Where do I place the meat thermometer?**  
Push the thermometer probe into the center of an inside thigh muscle so that it does not touch any bone.
- 4) **How do I know when the turkey is done?**  
When the meat thermometer registers 180 F and the stuffing is at least 160 F. The drumsticks will move easily in their sockets, and the thickest parts feel soft when pressed
- 5) **What if the turkey is done, but the stuffing is not?**  
Remove the bird from the oven, spoon the stuffing into a baking dish, cover with foil, and return immediately to the oven. Or consider baking the stuffing separately from the bird.
- 6) **What is standing time?**  
After the bird is out of the oven, a 20 minute "rest" makes the turkey easier to carve.
- 7) **What's an easy low stress way to serve the turkey?**  
Carve it in the kitchen, and then serve it arranged on a pretty platter. First remove the whole legs by pulling them away from the body of the turkey, cut loose the joints that hold the thighs to the body. Place on a cutting board and cut the drumsticks from the thighs at the joints. Place drumsticks on a serving platter. Hold each thigh firmly with a meat fork, cut slices away from the bone. Arrange slices on platter. Hold turkey firmly with a meat fork and carve each breast meat section away from the rib cage. Slice each breast section crosswise and arrange on the platter. Cut the wings away from the body, cutting at the joints, and arrange with the rest of the turkey on the platter.



# SR. YOUTH THANKSGIVING PIE SALE

Support Trinity's Sr. Youth by buying a pie.  
Pies will be on sale through November  
16th, and be here for pick up on November  
18th. Pies cost \$15.

Just fill out the form and hand it in during  
coffee hour at the Youth Table.

All pies will be delivered frozen.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Pay in full now (Preferred) \_\_\_\_\_ COD \_\_\_\_\_

Pay at pick up on November 18th \_\_\_\_\_

<u>Pie Type</u>	<u>Number of Pies</u>
Apple	
Cherry	
Pumpkin	
Coconut Custard	
Total Number of Pies X \$15	Total Due \$ _____



# Jr. Youth

**6TH THROUGH  
8TH GRADE**



**NOV. - DEC. 2018**

## Quick Calendar

**FUEL**  
Friday, 11/2  
7-9pm YSR

**FUEL**  
Friday, 11/9  
**LASER TAG**  
7-9pm YSR

**FUEL**  
Friday, 11/16  
7-9pm YSR

**FUEL**  
Friday, 12/7  
**STARBUCKS and  
LIGHTS**  
6:30-9pm YSR

**CHRISTMAS PARTY**  
Friday, 12/21  
7-9pm YSR

## Upcoming Events

### **Laser Tag**

Friday 11/9 we'll head out for a round or two of Laser Tag at Laser Bounce in Levittown.  
Cost is \$30

### **STARBUCKS and LIGHTS**

Join us for one of our Holiday Traditions. We meet at 6:30 in the YSR and jump on the busses. We'll stop at starbucks for a tasty treat, then head to Jones Beach for their annual Holiday Light Show.  
Cost \$10



# Sr. Youth

9-12TH grade  
and beyond



**NOV. - DEC. 2018**

## Quick Calendar

Thanksgiving Pie  
Sale

11/4 - 11/18

Sunday's during  
Coffee Hour

Christmas Tree  
Set Up

11/10 & 11/17

Christmas Tree  
Sales

Begin After  
Thanksgiving  
on

Friday Nights

PB & J City Run  
Wednesday 12/26  
Meet at 5pm in YSR

## Upcoming Events

### **NYG FUNDRAISERS**

For those of you attending the gathering please make every effort to be present at the fundraisers. The money raised goes towards your trip, so please attend.

### **PB&J CITY RUN**

Join us for a great way to give to those in need. We'll meet at 5, make sandwiches and load up the busses to hand them out to the homeless in NYC.