

TRINITY WEEKLY NEWS AND NOTES

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY October 4 – October 11, 2015

LuHi SUNDAY	9:00 AM	Sunday School
	9:00 AM	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion Between Services Coffee Hour sponsored by Trinity's Youth
	10:30 AM	Sunday Morning Bible Study [YSR]
	10:30 AM	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion
	11:45 AM	Acolyte Training [Church]
	11:45 AM	Closer Connections [YSR]
MONDAY	6:30 PM	Community Garden
TUESDAY	11:00 AM	Board of Stewardship [Stammel Center]
	3:30 PM	Bible Study [Stammel Center]
	7:00 PM	Board of Christian Education [Classroom]
	7:30 PM	Board of Christian Outreach [Stammel Center]
	7:30 PM	Board of Properties [Staff Lounge]
	7:30 PM	Board of Youth [YSR]
WEDNESDAY	9:30 AM	Ladies Wed. Morning Bible Study [Stammel Center]
	7:00 PM	Ladies Wed. Evening Bible Study [YSR]
	7:15 PM	Confirmation Classes
	7:30 pm	Praise Band Rehearsal [MPR]
	7:30 PM	Church Basketball
THURSDAY	3:00 PM	Sounds of Praise [CMR]
	6:45 PM	Handbell Choir Practice [Balcony]
	7:00 PM	Mom's Bible Study [Staff Lounge]
	8:00 PM	Trinity Choir Practice [CMR]
FRIDAY		
SATURDAY	6:30 PM	Traditional Worship
SUNDAY	9:00 AM	Sunday School
	9:00 AM	Traditional Worship Between Services Coffee Hour sponsored by Cub Scout Pack 291
	10:30 AM	Sunday Morning Bible Study [YSR]
	10:30 AM	Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion
	11:45 AM	Acolyte Training [Church]
	11:45 AM	Closer Connections [YSR]

2015-2016 Ministry Support Goal: \$10,000.00 per week

September 27	Offering:	\$8,050.00
	Attendance:	251

MEMORIALS

Memorial gifts have been given to Trinity Lutheran Church to the glory of God to the Choir Fund in loving memory of Walter Draves by Curt and Lorraine Fogarty; to the Endorf Library Fund in thanksgiving for Willie and Gale Endorf; to the Keith Matthew Gaynor Memorial Fund in loving memory of Keith Matthew Gaynor on his 17th year with the Lord by the Gaynor Family; to the Organ Fund in loving memory of Walter Draves by the Wednesday Evening Ladies Bible Study Group, in loving memory of Frank and Emma Fix by Lauren Fix, in loving memory of Olga Gross on her sixth anniversary with the Lord by Bob and Carol Gross.

ALTAR FLOWERS

Today's flowers have been given to the glory of God in loving memory of Florence Fordham on her first birthday with the Lord by Edward and Lynn Waldeck.

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER Trinity's Early Childhood Center provides excellent school readiness programs set within a caring, Christian environment for 2, 3, and 4 year olds. Full and half-day classes, as well as before/after care, offered for the 3's and 4's. Please call the school office at 931-2211 for further information or to arrange for a visit. Tuition is discounted for Trinity members.

TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL If you believe a Christian education has benefited your child or children, spread the word about Trinity Lutheran School! Your recommendations are our greatest source of generating new applicants. If your child is currently enrolled at Trinity, don't forget your family is eligible for the principal's incentive discount for any new registrants that you have referred. Call 931-2211 for more information.

Youth Ministry

JUNIOR YOUTH – FUEL

For those who are in grades 6-8

Join us most Friday nights from 7-9pm for some games, snacks, and more for only \$2!

We will meet on October 23!

SENIOR YOUTH

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

Sr. Youth Fright Night on October 2!

See the flyer in this bulletin for details on VOTY, Jr. and Sr. Youth at the Bethpage Fair on October 4!

ALTAR FLOWERS If you would like to reserve the flowers in memory of a loved one, in honor of a birthday, wedding, or anniversary, or in thanksgiving to God, *please call the church office (931-2225) to check the availability, and fill out a memorial envelope with the appropriate wording ... price is \$25.*

SEARFARERS CHRISTMAS! LWML is collecting items for seafarers in the Christmas-At-Sea program. Last year, your Christmas satchels filled with gifts brought untold joy to over one thousand seafarers met by port chaplains. These seafarers would have spent Christmas alone, forgotten somewhere in the middle of the Atlantic Ocean or other body of water but for your gifts. Your kindness not only offered them new clothes and some tasty treats, it nurtured their spirits and fostered their dignity.

Items needed are men's T-shirts and sweatshirts (size large/Xlarge), wool hats, heavy thermal socks (packages of three), wool scarves, chocolate bars, canned nuts, wool gloves and pocket Bibles.

Sign-up tables will be set up on October 11 after Sunday worship. The donated items should be brought in on Sunday October 18 and placed in the box across from Pastor Henn's office. Thank you for your donations!

COLLEGE/MILITARY EMAIL ADDRESSES If you have a college age student or someone in the military who is away from home, please give their email address to the church office, if you haven't already done so. This way your loved one will continue to receive Trinity congregational news while away! Also, you can remind them to "Like" Trinity's Facebook page and to check out our website regularly for a copy of the weekly worship bulletins, News and Notes and links to hear each week's sermons. Keeping in touch with your church family couldn't be easier!

VISIT THE HOLY LAND Pastor Dwyer will host a Holy Land pilgrimage from January 25 to February 3, 2016. Contact Pastor Dwyer for more information.

DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 31, 2015!

BIG NEWS! NEW LIBRARY LOCATION! Trinity Lutheran Church and School is proud to announce that we will be moving our library to a beautiful new location, expanding our collection, updating our technology, and dedicating this new space in honor of Trinity's former principal and called teacher, Weldon and Gail Endorf. If you would like to make a gift toward this exciting endeavor or if you would like more information, please visit www.gofundme.com/TrinityLI.

Growing In Christ Through Fellowship & Service

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION You can help Trinity Lutheran School earn free merchandise by collecting proofs of purchase from Campbell's (UCP codes) and Box Tops for Education, redeemable for free educational merchandise. Drop off in the small container located on the ushers' table in the Narthex.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL All women are invited to come down to the gym on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 PM to play basketball. Come on down and join in for fun, fitness, and fellowship!

BASKETBALL FOR MEN Looking for exercise, fun, and fellowship? All men 18 and over are welcome to join in the pickup games in the gym on Wednesday evenings.

SUNSHINE VISITS Once a month Sunshine Circle visits a Trinity shut-in to bring sunshine and a message from God's Word into their lives. If you would like to help, call Helen Peter at 938-6914.

SCOUTS Our scouts are collecting soda can tabs, which will be donated to the YMCA in Frost Valley, so children with kidney disease can go to camp. If you would like to donate soda can tabs, contact Linda Wolf at 503-4416.

CAN WE HELP? There are times when we need a helping hand – after surgery, during illness, or in hard times in your life, Trinity can help by providing meals or food baskets. If we can help, please talk to Lynn Waldeck in the church office.

HERITAGE SCHOLARSHIP FUND Your donation to this fund will help make it possible for a Trinity member child to receive a Christian Education and enrich the lives of our precious children. Please consider making a donation today!

BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUP The Breast Cancer Support Group has been taking a break. Watch for an update in upcoming bulletins!

ADMISSIONS DIRECTOR POSITION Trinity Lutheran K-8 School in Hicksville, is seeking a motivated Admissions Director for immediate employment. Admissions/Marketing degree or experience preferred. Send resume to employment@trinityli.org with the subject line "Admissions Director."

Growing In Christ Through Christian Education

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY This discussion-based exploration of God's Word meets on Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM in the Youth Senior Room.

TRINITY MEN All men are welcome as we study God's Word and enjoy breakfast together. We meet on the second Saturday of each month at 7:30 AM, in the cafeteria.

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY This lively study meets on Tuesday afternoons at 3:30 PM, in the Stammel Center.

LADIES WED MORNING BIBLE STUDY GROUP Please join us on Wednesday mornings at 9:30 AM in the Stammel Center. We look forward to seeing you there!

LADIES WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY We are presently studying "Lutheran Confessions: Luther's Catechisms" on Wednesday evenings at 7:00PM in the Youth Senior Room. Please join us!

MOM'S BIBLE STUDY We meet in the staff lounge on the second and fourth Thursday of the month. We start at 7pm for mom chit chat and then start our meeting at 7:30 and end at 8:30. See you there!!

Did You Know?

SUNSHINE CIRCLE PRAYER LINE We have a prayer line for those who are expecting a baby, those who serve in the military, and those who are ill or in need of prayer. If you would like to place someone on the prayer line or would like to be one of those who prays, please call Helen Peter at 938-6914.

Please note that the Sunshine Circle is a separate entity from Trinity's LWML. (To learn more about LWML visit Trinity's website at www.trinityhicksville.org and click on the Ministries link.) The Sunshine Circle is responsible for shut-in visits, nursing home devotions, and the aforementioned Prayer Line.

If you wish to be prayed for publicly during worship, please call the church office at 931-2225.

LARGE-PRINT BULLETINS If you need a copy of a large-print bulletin to use during the service, you can find them on the piano in the front of the church or on the ushers' table in the Narthex.

ELEVATOR FOR EASIER ACCESS Trinity has an elevator for those who need access to the church, whether it be for wheelchairs, strollers, or those who need assistance climbing stairs. Our elevator is located outside the chapel door to the right of the sanctuary.

PORTALS OF PRAYER Don't forget to pick up your copy of "Portals of Prayer," or you can find their daily devotion online at www.cph.org. Each devotion features a Bible reading, meditation, and a prayer.

SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS SEPTEMBER 20! All children age three through grade 5 are invited to join us for Sunday school! Call the church office for more information.

CHURCH EMAIL If you want to reach someone in the church office, have a prayer request, or want to put something in the bulletin, email us at churchoffice@trinityhicksville.org

"COMFY BAGS" FOR LITTLE HANDS Do you have a small child who attends church with you? We have an activity bag with a book, coloring pages, crayons, and stickers to keep their little hands busy. We ask that you return the bag, book and crayons at the end of the service so others will be able to enjoy it at the next service.



TLS YANKEE CANDLE FUNDRAISER! Trinity Lutheran School welcomes your support and participation in its Yankee Candle fundraiser beginning September 28 and running through October 9. Featured items are perfect for home décor as well as holiday gift giving and orders may be placed online for convenient home delivery or may be sent in to the school. Please take home a colorful brochure available for you today at each of the exits. (Please note that you are not obliged to be a seller.)



ATTENTION CRAFT LOVERS!

At the Fall Harvest Festival to be held on Saturday, October 17, we will again feature the LWML Craft Booth. We invite you to

donate handmade crafts to be sold for fifty cents to \$5.00, with the proceeds to benefit the church and school. Since we are opening the festival to the public this year, we will need many more items. Dolores Sartor will be managing the booth and you can give your handmade items to her between church services until the time of the festival. If you have any questions, suggestions, or are willing to volunteer your help, create crafts, etc. please feel free to speak with her or call the church office for more information. Thank you for your participation and enthusiasm! It makes our hearts smile!

Trinity Lutheran Church Senior Youth
Presents
"The Class of Life"
A Theatrical Experience
Starring
Paul Failla
Directed by Michael Moriarty
Friday, November 13th, 2015
Doors Open at 7:30 pm
Performance at 8:00 pm
TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
40 West Nicholas Street
Hicksville, NY 11801

Parents Night Out
Babysitting is available for kids in K-5

\$25.00pp includes light refreshments, dessert, and a great show!
To Purchase Tickets Call:
Jennifer Pugliese 516-749-4087

Show is approximately 2 hours including one 15-20 minute intermission.
The Class of Life is a theatrical experience that takes the audience on a journey which highlights one man's life, and many people's experiences.
This poignant presentation will surely touch the lives of those who value family, tradition, and comedy.

Proceeds will go to the senior youth attending the TLS national youth gathering!

Pie Baking Contest! Chili Cook-Off!

This year's **Trinity Lutheran Harvest Festival** will once again have a **Pie Baking and Judging Contest**. The contest will include all fruit and dessert flavors.

Newly added this year will be the **1st Chili Cook-off and Judging Contest**. The pies **must** be homemade, including the crusts. Pies may have crusts on top, crumb, lattice, beehive, meringue, whipped cream or any other choice of the baker.

Chili must be homemade and does not need to contain meat. Any spices or vegetables may be included. **No rice or pasta will be allowed.**



All pies and chili should be submitted on **Saturday, October 17 by 11am** for collection at the ***Pie and Chili Cook-off Contests Table***. There will be judges on hand to sample and awards for 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes.

If you are interested in entering or judging either contest or both, please email Mrs. Renee Requena at renee.requena@gmail.com and for any additional questions.



Saturday, Oct 17, 2015

10 AM – 3 PM

Playground at Trinity



Sponsored by the Heritage Scholarship and
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JOIN US FOR A FAMILY DAY AT THE FAIR!



**October
4th
at Old
Bethpage
Village**

**Trinity's Jr. and Sr. Youth along with VOTY
would like to invite everyone to come meet us
at the Long Island Fair at Old Bethpage Village**



**We're going to head over following Church
on Sunday October 4th. If you make it
before Noon tickets are only \$7 a person,
after 12pm normal pricing resumes.**

