

# The Trumpet

July 24, 2026



Worship with us online using **this link**.



Worship with us Sunday mornings in the sanctuary at 10 am.



Pray with us Wednesdays at 7 pm at a service of Evening Prayer on Zoom.



We are honored to welcome **Connecting Deaf Fellowship**, who will be worshipping in our space while their regular meeting place is renovated. The Trinity Community extends a warm welcome to all who are worshipping with us.

## This Week at Trinity

### Wednesday July 29

Evening Prayer at **7 pm** on Zoom. Contact Judy Flanigan at 215-370-2570.

### Thursday July 30

TAG Games Group at 1 pm. Contact Jan Contino at 610-324-2003.

# Looking Ahead

## Sunday September 13

God's Work Our Hands. We will be assembling blessing bags for the patrons of the soup kitchen and we will hold the 3rd annual Gemma picnic.

## Saturday October 3

We are hosting a Health fair for Trinity and the community in the afternoon. More info to come on all events.

## Tuesday August 11

The second Tuesday of each month is sandwich making day. Join us to help feed our neighbors and enjoy a time of Trinity fellowship.

See you on August 11 at noon! Please bring a loaf of white bread.



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## Trinity Community News

- **Outreach Fund Raising:** Football Mania is Back! Join us in this fun and easy way to support Trinity's outreach efforts and enjoy the upcoming NFL season. We keep \$14 for each \$20 ticket we sell. We will have a guaranteed winner from among the tickets we sell during the next several weeks. And once again, an anonymous donor will match the profits we receive from this program. See Mike or Ray each week in the Narthex for tickets and for the web address to buy them electronically. Thanks for your support!
- **Country Fair:** Thanks to all of you we made a fantastic profit from the Fair. After expenses we made approximately \$11,000. Just a few highlights : Book sale ~ \$535 ; Attic Treasures ~ \$4753; Raffle Baskets ~ \$2590 ; Plant sale ~ \$323; Spaghetti dinner ~ \$860 ; Made By Trinity table ~ \$280. Using Venmo was also a huge success and netted \$548.21 from 27

transactions. From our profits we are donating \$250 to the Worcester Fire company; \$250 to the Soup Kitchen; \$100 to Gemma and holding \$400 for the Gemma picnic. The remainder of the profits go to the Trinity general fund. It was wonderful to see so many community folks enjoying the activities and food. We even saw one of the dogs from the dog rescue adopted by a community family!

- **Stewardship:** By the end of July, mid-year giving statements will be distributed to the narthex mail boxes of all members. Thank you for the amazing ways each of you contribute as you are called and able. Remember, without the giving of every members time, talent and money, this mission would not exist. Any questions can be directed to Bob Graves.
- **Property Committee Update:** The repaving of the church driveway and parking lot is fast approaching. Please take note of the following important dates as of now. They are subject to slight change due to weather, last minute scheduling conflicts, etc. We will communicate any changes to these dates and/or the project as soon as possible:

1) underground **drain pipe installation** in the parking lot near the church across from Guiser Hall and the lobby - to start **Tuesday or Wednesday, 7/21 or 7/22** and will require approx. 2 days to complete. During this time, if you need to park, please proceed with caution and park at the back of the lot near the soccer fields,

2) **milling** of driveway and parking lot pavement - **8/10-8/12 at night**

3) **paving** - **8/14 and 8/17** in the daytime. Please note: as Sunday service falls within the paving schedule, please exercise caution when driving and walking on the driveway and parking lot during this time.

The **driveway and parking lot will be closed off during paving days**. Thank you for your cooperation and patience during this project; it will be quite a welcome improvement for the church. If you have any questions, please reach out to Karl Schafer or Ron Moorehead.

### New Arrivals in the Trinity Library

#### New Children's Books:

All authored by G. L. Charles and Good News Meditations Kids:

- *With Jesus I Know My Boundaries*
- *With Jesus I Choose To Listen*
- *With Jesus I Am Free*
- *With Jesus I Learn Humility*
- *With Jesus All Things Are New*
- *With Jesus I Find Joy In Tough Times*
- *With Jesus I Forgive*
- *With Jesus I Sleep*
- *With Jesus I Do Good*
- *With Jesus I Am Patient*
- *With Jesus I Am There For You*

#### New Books for Adults

- *Practicing the Way: Be With Jesus, Become Like Him, Do as He Did* by John Mark Comer



### Adult Faith Formation

From September until May, join us each Sunday for reflection and discussion of the lectionary readings in **Room 106** at 11:15 am.



### Food Drive

Every Sunday from 1 to 3 pm. Please bring your non-perishable food items for donation to the Daily Bread Food Pantry and St. James Outreach House.



### Coffee Hour

Coffee Hour hosts are needed. We have a handful of dutiful coffee hour hosts, who either set up or clean up most Sunday mornings. Won't you consider being a host as well? See Lynn Chialastri for more information or sign-up on the easel by the coffee stand.



### Birthdays

Brett Marbuger  
July 28

Judy Flanigan  
July 28

Dan Ditzler  
July 29

Samantha Mohr  
July 31

Greg Fry  
August 5

Carl Nelson-Poteet  
August 7

### Anniversaries

### Church Council Members:

Marilou Doughty, *president*; Elaine Gross, *vice president*; Emma Berk mire, *secretary*; Dave Stone, *treasurer*; Leslie Askonas, Jim Bedrosian, Georgia Burnett, Janet Fontaine, Beth Keenan and Anne Meibohm.

**Church Office Hours:** Monday to Thursday 8 am to 1 pm.

**For Pastoral emergencies** please call 610-584-8411, extension 2 and leave a message for Pastor Nelson. This voicemail is being monitored for emergencies.

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