

The Trumpet

December 19, 2025



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.



Mary's Song of Praise: The Magnificat

And Mary said, "My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, for he has looked on the humble estate of his servant.

Luke 1: 46-48

On the fourth Sunday in Advent, the readings include Mary's Magnificat, which sings us into a new world; from this point forward the world could not be the same. The Magnificat is the clarion call to God's promise for new life. And new life comes to us by only one way—Mary's son.

This Week at Trinity

Sunday December 21

- Be sure to check out the display of Advent and Christmas books and devotionals from the **Trinity Library**. All are available to borrow.
- Please return your **Food Pantry Meal Bags** to the cart in the narthex.

Wednesday December 24

Join us for worship at **3 PM and 7 PM**. Bring your family and friends for a beautiful candlelight service of prayer, praise and joyous music!



Trinity Community News

A Note of Thanks from Lori Peltier

"Thank you for the outpouring of love I have received from my Trinity family during my recovery from a hip fracture, including prayers, cards, emails and meals. Your care and concern has been much appreciated. God bless you."

Lost and Found

A purple ladies winter hat & black framed glasses were found after the Interactive nativity on Friday December 5. A black USB Type C charger was found in the parking lot on Sunday December 7. Call the church office (610-584-8411) if you're missing these items.

Mission accomplished!

The angel tree gifts for 15 children have all been delivered to KenCrest Services with plenty of time to distribute them before Christmas. Thanks to everyone for your generous gifts!



December 9 was Sandwich Day!

319 sandwiches for our hungry neighbors, and 17 participants! A lovely new record for both. More friends are always welcome. Bring a loaf of bread at noon on the second Tuesday of each month.



At Trinity, we **love** having children worship with us. And we know children need to fidget and squirm! We invite parents and grandparents to all that the **Kid's Corner** has to offer, located just off the sanctuary in the narthex. There are a wide selection of books on the tall stand (which you are welcome to take a favorite one home) and plenty of crayons and coloring books.



We also have Borrow Bags. Parents and grandparents, feel free to grab one of these to share with your child during worship. Inside there are plenty of items that a fidgety child might enjoy. Return these to the stand in the Kid's Corner after worship and enjoy them each week.

Stuffed Animals for Gemma

Thank you, thank you all for your generous support of our Gemma friends. Once again, we collected over 100 stuffed animals for the children to choose from for the Christmas party.



A Winter Concert with Ed and Friends

A big thank you to Ed Bara, Larry Greenley and Tony Sandor for a wonderful holiday celebration of joyful music!



Adult Faith Formation

Each Sunday in Advent, join us for a discussion of *A Child is Born* by Amy-Jill Levine, led by Pastor Karen after worship.

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

Help is needed for setting up and cleaning up for coffee hour. See the sign up board in the narthex.



Liz Gallenti
December 30

Church Council Members:

Elaine Gross, *president*; Karl Schafer, *vice president*; Anne Meibohm, *secretary*; Dave Stone, *treasurer*; Leslie Askonas, Jim Bedrosian, Emma Berkmire, Marilou Doughty, and Jeff Shadle

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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