

## November Faith @ Home Practice Gratitude Journals and Jars



As we gear up for Thanksgiving, we will be practicing together the traditional Christian practice of Gratitude. You will be invited to notice in your life the things for which you are thankful and to write them down to help you to remember. Gratitude is a great way to recenter your life and prayers around the blessings that God has placed in your life. We

will also have a collaborative gratitude banner available at the back of the sanctuary for those who would like to share publicly some of the things for which they are thankful.

### Back to Sanctuary Worship Volunteers Needed:

In order to have sanctuary worship, we need to have a few strategic volunteers every Sunday.



- Temperatures have to be taken, (One volunteer per week)
- Congregants checked in upon arrival, (One volunteer per week)
- The sanctuary and bathrooms must be sanitized after every service. (Two volunteers per week)

If you can help with any of these tasks, please call the office and indicate what tasks you can help with and on which days.



**Deacons Christmas Red Poinsettia Sale –**  
November 1 to November 22, 2020. Please fill out form and return to Nancy Thomas or the church office.

### 2021 PER CAPITA

The Per Capita for 2021 remains at \$35.00 unchanged from 2020. The breakdown is: General Assembly \$8.98 (up 3 cents), Synod \$2.40, and Presbytery \$33.62 (down 3 cents).

It is requested that each member place their “Per Capita Apportionment” in the light blue envelope provided in your box of envelopes. Remember the Per Capita apportionment is per member.

Your support is greatly appreciated. Art Peoples, Clerk of Session

**Women of Trinity November meeting** – will be at the Irem Restaurant on November 18th at noon. Because of their capacity issues, we are being asked to try to limit our group to 12 people. So, if you are interested in attending, please call Sandy Peoples at 570-674-9006 to get your name on this list. We will be ordering from the menu and receiving individual checks. We will be observing social distancing and the wearing of masks when not seated. Seating will be spread out in the room and chairs may not be moved.

### New Stewardship Mailing Coming

There were some significant errors in the stewardship mailing that went out. We will be making a new mailing and sincerely apologize for the mistakes.

## Adopt- A- Family

Due to the current conditions in the world and the best practices needed to deal with COVID- 19 we have elected to do our Caring and Sharing food baskets for families in a different way. We will be giving each family a gift card. Rather than bringing in groceries we are encouraging members to give small financial gifts to help add to the initial amount of the gift cards.

You can help adopt a family

- Give cash in an envelope or make a check payable to the deacons.
- They will add that to the total collected.
- They will give that money to families in the form of gift cards.



**Announcements** need to be either emailed to trinitypress@frontiernet.net by Tuesday morning at 10 am or written on one of the forms found on the bulletin board and deposited in the office.

**Newsletter articles** need to be submitted to the church office by **November 24th**. They need to be emailed to trinitypress@frontiernet.net along with any images.

## PRAYER CONCERNS

### Members of Trinity:

Alice Bartlett	Barbara Lodwick	Linda Griffith
Donald & Mary Jane Leo	Neil Morrison	
Barbara Rogers	Phil & Leona Walter	

### Friends of Trinity:

Sophia Boyers – Critical with Guillain Barre Syndrome- Granddaughter of Deborah Shambora Miller (formerly Organist & Choir director of Trinity)  
John Butler – Cousin of Nancy Thomas – Back operation  
Ellie Caruthers – Friend of Ken Jones  
Maria Davis – Heart condition – Daughter in law of Windsor & Meryl Davis  
Chris Folmar- Cancer prayer shawl member  
Dennis & Nancy Garvey – Friends of Ken Jones  
Ken Gorski - Friend of Wayne & Marianne Williams  
Carol Gumienny- Stroke- eyes & balance- Nancy Thomas's sister