

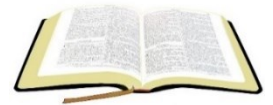
The Deacons will be collecting non-perishable food items starting now and ending December 18th. The food will be donated to the Back Mountain Food Pantry. The following food items are needed: peanut butter, jelly, canned vegetables, stuffing mix, cranberry sauce, canned fruit, gravy, instant potatoes, canned or bottled juice, rice or rice mixes, cereal, sugar, salt, flour, cake mixes, icing, canned tuna or chicken, coffee, tea, pie filling, canned soup, pudding & Jell-O mixes, spaghetti or tomato sauce, pasta, powdered drink mixes.



The Deacons are holding their annual Poinsettia sale; Orders are due by November 27, 2022. Red poinsettias are \$10.00 each. Please use the envelopes and dedication forms available from the deacons to order them. *Checks should be made payable to Trinity Presbyterian Church Deacon Account.

The Mission Outreach Committee would like to thank all of those who volunteered for our Rise Against Hunger event. It was a great success due to everyone's willingness to help feed hungry people. The committee would also like to thank those who contributed to their Samaritan's Purse project, "Operation Christmas Child." We were able to pack and prepare for shipping, 32 boxes filled with personal items and Christmas surprises for needy children. We sincerely thank everyone for their efforts.

Request for Liturgists - We are in need of liturgists. If you are interested in serving as a Liturgist, please check the poster on the bulletin board in the hallway and select a date. Nicole Fleschut, Administrative Assistant, will send you your material prior to the date you are scheduled to be the Liturgist. Thank you, Art Peoples, Clerk of Session



November 27, 2022	
December 4, 2022	Barbara Rinker



Meals on Wheels ~ If you would like to volunteer for Meals on Wheels on any open dates, please call Meryl Davis @ (570) 310-1556.

December 1, 2022	Beth & Meryl Davis
December 15, 2022	Windsor & Meryl Davis
December 29, 2022	Beth & Meryl Davis

Flower Chart -There is a flower chart sign-up sheet in hallway for anyone wishing to honor a loved one. The cost of flowers is \$50 per week so please plan accordingly.



November 27, 2022	Elaine Flint
December 4, 2022	



Veterans Day Post Script - **Why Some Veterans Serve their God**
Submitted by an anonymous believer

There once was a man who lived in a hole
Very hastily dug in the ground.
It was reasonable then to live in such holes;
Lethal objects were whizzing around.

As he crouched in the mud with a hat made of steel,
His family and home far away,
He did what otheers in such holes often did
And fervently started to pray.

“Lord, spare me my life and keep me from harm;
Let me survive this perilous time.
If this be thy will and my prayer is heard,
I’ll be a good servant of thine.”

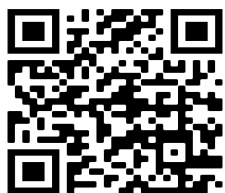
The man’s life was spared, by chance or design,
And he lived past three score and ten,
Always aware of his duty to others,
No matter how, where or when.

Each time he was asked to help serve the Lord,
No matter in how small a way,
He never said “No, I don’t have the time.”
He remembers that terrible day!

Our Session at Trinity Presbyterian Church has recently endorsed the teaching of Confirmation Classes beginning on Sunday, November 27, 2022 starting at 9:00AM, just prior to our regular Sunday morning worship service. Your young adults, ages 12 and up are more than welcome to attend this class in preparation for full church membership planned for Easter Sunday, April 9, 2022. During an eight-week period of instruction, both Rev. Murray, in coordination with our Church Elders will be providing interesting classes designed to introduce your young adult(s) to our faith experience in the Presbyterian Church (USA) with each class lasting for about 40 minutes.

2023 Per Capita - The Per Capita for 2023 has been set at \$42.00 per person. The total is divided among the Presbytery - \$29.75, the Synod of the Trinity - \$2.40, and the General Assembly - \$9.85. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Art Peoples, Clerk of Session



Subscribe to our Email list for updates - Be sure to be in the know about all that is happening at Trinity Presbyterian Church by joining our email list. Use the QR code next to this announcement to join (take a photo of it with a smartphone and the webpage will open) or go to <http://www.dallastpc.org/join-our-email-list>.

Trinity Presbyterian Church Building Use Calendar - The Session is requesting everyone who wishes to use the facilities at Trinity to schedule their events with Nicole Fleschut, Administrative Assistant. By phone: 570-675-3131 Or by email: trinitypress@frontiernet.net. This will ensure that everyone has an opportunity to use the building for approved activities, and we won't have double bookings. Thank you for your support. Art Peoples, Clerk of Session



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 22nd**. They need to be emailed to trinitypress@frontiernet.net along with any images.

Presbytery News

Tutoring Table, a reading and math assistance program for elementary aged children at Wyoming UPC, is seeking adult and high-school volunteers to serve as tutors, cooks, kitchen and childcare helpers. Fall dates are November 30, and December 14, with a family meal served at 5:30 PM followed by tutoring sessions from 6:00-7:30 PM. Volunteers are required to have or to obtain PA clearances (assistance is available.) To volunteer or request more information, contact tutoringtable40@gmail.com

PRAYER CONCERNS

Members of Trinity:

Al Brown

Jim Snyder

Shirley Wolfkeil

Rich Burkhardt

Rev. Murray

Tom Pickett

Phil & Leona Walter

Friends of Trinity:

Richard & Linda Armbrust

Craig Berlew- Medical/blood pressure issues

John Butler – Cousin of Nancy Thomas – Back operation

Ellie Caruthers – Friend of Ken Jones

Georgia Cherry – pending neck surgery- Kathy Stevens's sister

Katie DiSimone – Glioblastoma

Lieutenant General Charles Mahan and his wife, Jamie. Rev Murray's former commander in Crailsheim, Germany.

Nick Yatsko – Re. Murray and Karins son in law – massive heart attack

Rita Groboski

Carol Gumienny- Stroke- eyes & balance- Nancy Thomas's sister

Michael Gusher Jr

Barbara Jones – Betty Handley's sister

Del Jones- Betty Handley's son

Jeri Kane – Karin Thompson's sister

Marge Kishbal

Gladys Masoner- Michele Steele mother

Bill Morrison – poor health – Neil's brother

Amy Wert – paralyzed from accident – daughter of Janie Millers co-worker

Jules Williams – Brain Tumor – Allan & Carol Hobbs's son in law

Richard Williams – Nancy Williams's son & Karen Perzia's brother

Bonnie Zim – Fall- Allyson Lord's sister