



HELLO TRINITY FRIENDS!
News for the week of April 3, 2022

SPECIAL VOTER’S MEETING UPDATE This past Sunday we had our Family Meeting to discuss issuing calls for teachers and an Associate Pastor. The Teacher Call Committee presented three names for consideration for our middle school teaching positions for next year: Lynn Ballantyne, Alexis Dippel, and Veronica Klausmeier. The Gathered Voters voted unanimously to issue calls to all three candidates! The Pastoral Call Committee also presented a name for consideration to the congregation, Rev. Mark Duerr, to be considered for the role of Associate Pastor. This is a very exciting time for our family at Trinity. Please keep Ms. Ballantyne, Ms. Dippel, Mrs. Klausmeier, and Pastor Duerr in your prayers as they seek God’s wisdom and guidance in discerning these calls. A special “thank you” to all the members of both call committees for all their work and prayer through this process.

PLEASE WELCOME Kim Kruger, our new administrative assistant to the pastor. Kim will be focusing on communication, worship liaison, special event and projects and anything else that might come up that doesn’t belong to someone else! Kim is a graduate of Adrian College and taught music at Blissfield Community Schools for seven years. She also has experience in church work and creative writing. Kim will be available from 8 a.m. to noon Monday through Friday.



FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR If you would like to provide altar flowers in honor/memory of someone, contact Shelly Vorrath at (734) 621-3548 or email: 1wyldkingdom@comcast.net. If you sign up on the flower board in the church, please include your phone number.

DIGGING INTO SCRIPTURE Reading and hearing God’s Word is an essential part of every worship services. Reading this weekend will be Trinity students Julia Gessner & Claire Frazer. If you want to get a head start, look up Amos 7:10-17, Philippians 3:8-14, and John 18:12-24.



April 6 12-6 pm
Trinity gym
We need your help:

- 1 – Be a host for donors
Call Pat at 734-752-9585
- 2 – GIVE! Schedule ahead:
 - 1-800-REDCROSS or
 - at RedCrossBlood.org
enter code:
TRINITYLUTHMONROE

BLOOD DRIVE

MOM'S TIME OUT Come join us for crafts and fellowship Friday, April 1 @ 6pm in Graceful Grounds! All ladies are welcome to come! No need to have school aged children or any children at all! No April fooling!! Please RSVP to Nancy Gross @ ngross@trinitylutheranmonroe.org by 3/31 if you plan on coming.

MEMORIAL GIFTS

- In memory of **Bernice Heck** for The Work Program from Stephen & Bonnie Thompson & Richard & Lucille Arend
- In memory of **Gene Wagner** for The Capital Campaign from R.F. Kohhler

SPRING BREAK OFFICE HOURS Next week, April 4-8, the office will be open Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.



LIFT UP IN PRAYER!

- Jaci recently diagnosed with cancer
- Family of Gregory Clark who was called to eternal life

WinGS RAISING FUNDS FOR REACHING OUT WinGS (formerly Ladies Aid and LWML) has launched an on-going fundraiser that should be familiar to long-time Trinity members: RADA Cutlery. Anyone can order items online and pay from there and Trinity WinGS will receive 40% of the proceeds (be sure you include the Trinity Lutheran Monroe WinGS for us to get the funds). Catalogs to peruse are available in the church office or from a WinGS member. This fundraiser is to raise money for special projects, activities and needs in our congregation and community. The site shop is <https://radafundraising.com/?rfsn=6310657.ec73135>

ENDOWMENT FUND REQUESTS The Endowment Fund is now accepting requests for funding. All requests must be in writing and turned in to the Church Office, attention Endowment Fund, no later than May 1.

How to Watch / Worship / Join Us!

Weekend Worship –

- In Trinity Sanctuary - Times: Sat. 6 p.m. and Sun. 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.
- Facebook LIVE - Sundays at 10:30 a.m. (or later on our Web site)
- Recorded services can be watched on cable TV – Xfinity 21 or Spectrum 187 / Wed. 5 p.m. and Thur. 9 a.m.

Many Bible Studies Online <https://www.tlcmunroe.org/online-bible-studies>

Blessings from all of us at Trinity!

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