

OCTOBER 2023



# Trinity Topics



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**Our mission is to Worship, Grow, Witness and Share through Christ's love in Service to God and Neighbor.**



On Sunday, September 10th, Holy Trinity was buzzing with excitement as the Church continued the tradition of assembling school kits. **220** School Kits were assembled as the Church gathered in service to celebrate who we are as a church...one church, freed in Christ to love and serve our neighbor.

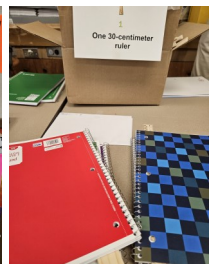


Our quilters were busy and productive this year as well making a total of **80** quilts!

The opportunity served as a wonderful way of living out a life filled of service while fellowshiping with one another to serve others in need.



A huge thank you to everyone who donated both time, money & resources to make the assembly of the backpacks possible.



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# Congregation Council News

August 22, 2023

## Attendance:

**Council Members:** Pastor Brommer, Ethan Ellenberger, Deb Brooks, Rodney Gross, Jim Huebner, Kurt Nielsen, Kendra Ruhl, Charis Mincavage, JoEllen Myers, Mark Mariano, Will Mariano, Beth Dunham

**Treasurer:** Stephanie Gross **Secretary:** Chip Haak **Financial Secretary:** Denny Schwenk

The Council meeting was held via Zoom. Reports and other documents were emailed to Council members prior to the meeting.

The Congregation Council Meeting was called to order at 7:02pm by President JoEllen Myers

**I. Devotions:** JoEllen Myers

Next Month: Susan Bianchi

## II. Reports:

**a. Treasurer's Report:** Reports for June and July were reviewed by Stephanie Gross. Giving for June was extremely low, and July was only slightly better, Net Loss for the month of June was \$-8,681, and for July \$-2,126. Year to date as of July 31 the Net Loss is \$-4,255. The Property Insurance was paid in July, which was a large expense for the month.

i. Also included in the Council packet were the following reports for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter:

1. Special Accounts & Youth Investment Fund
2. Bryn Mawr Trust Endowment Report which has increased to \$809,080.
3. Bryn Mawr Trust Capital Repair Fund which has increased to \$258,837.
4. Mission Investment Fund-\$33,308 (also see New Business)

**b. Financial Secretary's Report:** The June and July reports were included in the packet. Denny reiterated the giving has been down with June being \$16,582 and July \$24,676. Also, August started off well but this past Sunday's was only \$1,202.

*A motion* to approve the Treasurer's and Financial Secretary's Reports was made by Jim Huebner, second by Mark Mariano and approved by Council.

**c. Secretary's Report:** Minutes from the June 27, 2023, Council meeting were presented.

*A motion* was made by Deb Brooks to accept the Council minutes, second by Kendra Ruhl. Motion approved by Council.

**d. Pastor's Report:** Report for June 28,-August 22, was emailed to members prior to meeting.

i. Pastor also commented that this year's Vacation Bible School was a huge success and thanks to Colleen Nielsen for her leadership. Several Council members who were involved also added what a great experience it was for the kids.

*A motion* to approve the report was made by Rodney Gross, second by Mark Mariano. Approved by Council.

**e. Correspondence: Thank you** for financial donations

- i. Hershey Food Bank-\$300 from Souper Bowl of Caring
- ii. Love INC-\$65 donation

**f. Ministry Teams:**

- i. Faith In Action: Rodney Gross reported that current projects: "Storks Landing" and annual "school kits" are both being supported by members' donations.
- ii. Property Committee: Minutes from their meetings on July 11<sup>th</sup> & Aug. 8<sup>th</sup> were presented.
- iii. Extended Ministries: see New Business.

**g. Mutual Ministry:** Will meet Sept 6<sup>th</sup> and guests will be Elizabeth Stuart and Anita Housman.

*A motion* to approve Ministry Team reports was made by Jim Huebner, second by Mark Mariano, Council approved.

**h. Executive Committee:** Met Aug. 15th, via Zoom **Next Meeting:** Sept. 12th, @7:00pm.

## III. Unfinished Business:

**a. Sanctuary Renewal Project:** The recommendation from Property Committee is that the Task Force format which was originally in place at the beginning of the Capital projects initiative be established to facilitate this next phase. JoEllen asked for volunteers or suggestions of members who might be willing to serve on the Task Force.

## IV. New Business:

**a. God's Work Our Hands Sunday:** September 10<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am to assemble school kits {goal 200}. The backpacks will be purchased from Thrivent Funds (approx. \$600).

**b. Revised Facility Use Fee structure for 2024:** Fees outlined on the application form for using church facilities and sexton services were increased by the Executive Committee.

**c. Increase rent for 216 and 218 rental properties.** Chip Haak explained the recommendation from Property Committee and that it is necessary to cover on-going maintenance issues. A \$50 per month for each property would be similar to the increase in 2023 but still is below the market rate rents for Hershey.

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**A motion** by Rodney Gross, second by Ethan Ellenberger to increase the rents \$50 per month on each property effective April 1, 2024, was approved by Council.

**d. Extended Ministries donations:** [2023 Budget-\$25,000, \$250 used for RIC]

The Committee approved and recommended:

- i. \$5,000-Lutheran Disaster Relief for Maui wildfires
- ii. \$1,500-Lutheran Camping Corporation
- iii. \$1,000-Love In the Name of Christ
- iv. \$250-Bowman Trust ( Chip Haak explained to Council members the purpose of the William S. Bowman Trust and the connection to members of our congregation.)

**A motion** to approve all the donations as recommended was made by Charis Mincavage, second by Beth Dunham, and approved by Council.

**e. Council Retreat**-Scheduled for Saturday, November 4<sup>th</sup> from 9-2.

**f. Discuss possible addition of 8am worship Service:** Discussion item for retreat.

**g. Mission Investment Fund CD:** One of our investments comes due on Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>, and Finance recommends renewing it for 1 year period at 4.86%.

**A motion** to approve recommendation by Rodney Gross, second by Mark Mariano and approved by Council.

**h. Council expressed appreciation to Mark Mariano for doing the mulch around all of the church's property.**

**V. Informational:**

**a. Depositor:**

- i. August 22-September 19: Deb Brooks (Kendra to take deposit to bank)  
Alternate: Mark Mariano

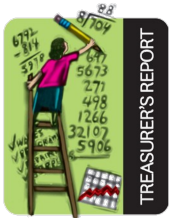
**b. Communion Assistants:** Schedule updated for Aug. 27 through Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>.

**VI. Next Council Meeting: September 19<sup>th</sup> via Zoom @7pm**

**VII. Adjournment:**

**A motion** to adjourn by Beth Dunham and second by Charis Mincavage approved by Council. The meeting concluded at 8:10pm with Lord's Prayer

Respectfully Submitted by *Chip Haak*, Secretary



## Financial Information August 2023\*

\*All figures are subject to audit pending necessary adjustments

GIVING	2023	
	August	YTD
General Offering	22,249	199,782
Rental Income	2,450	19,400
Total General Offering *	24,699	219,182
Special Offerings	370	4,438
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
Actual*	31,397	230,136
Budgeted	30,439	243,512

## CAPITAL REPAIR FUND

The Capital Repair Fund is used when we have major repairs to the church building. As you tithe, we encourage you to designate funding toward the Fund so that we don't need to make urgent appeals for things such as roofs or heating systems.

## Online Giving

To give your offering through Holy Trinity's website, snap a picture of this code with your phone and it will take you to our giving page.



## OCTOBER SPECIAL OFFERING

The special offering envelope for October included in all envelope packets are for **Lutheran World Relief-In Gathering & for the Capital Repair Fund.**

The collection for **Lutheran World Relief-Ingathering** covers the cost of shipping for all the kits, quilts, soap, etc. delivered to Lutheran World Relief after Ingathering Sunday and shipped all over the world. As you all know, shipping costs have skyrocketed! Every little bit helps.

**The Capital Repair Fund** is the fund used when we have major repairs needing to be made.

Thank you in advance for your generosity!



## From the Pastor's Desk

Each year we gather to celebrate Reformation on the last Sunday in October. The color of the day in the church is red. We will change the color of the liturgical paraments to red and we also encourage those who attend church to wear red in observance of the day.

One hymn that we most always sing on reformation Sunday is *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*. Reformation 2023 will be no different.

*A Mighty Fortress* is a hymn that has been written about, sung and translated as much or more than any other hymn in the church's history. It appears in almost all hymnals, and for centuries it has been and still is regularly sung by worshiping congregations of more and more traditions.

Church historian, Robin Leaver, estimates that near the end of the twentieth century the hymn was sung in over two hundred languages and that close to one hundred English translations of it has been made.

We really do not know for certain when Martin Luther wrote this beloved hymn but it was most likely in the late 1520's. We do know that Luther based the text for his hymn on Psalm 46.

The observance of Reformation Sunday dates back to the end of the seventh century, when many Lutheran churches celebrated a festival commemorating Martin Luther's posting of the Ninety-five Theses, a summary of abuses in the church of his time. At the heart of the reform movement was the gospel, the good news that it is by grace through faith that we are justified and set free.



The description of Reformation Sunday from our worship resource, *Sundays and Seasons*, reminds us that the church must always be reformed in order to live out the love of Christ in an ever-changing world. We celebrate the good news of God's grace, that Jesus Christ sets us free every day to do this life-transforming work. Trusting in the freedom given to us in baptism, we pray for the church, that Christians will unite more fully in worship and mission.

I hope you are all settling into the fall season where the changing colors of the leaves and flowers can remind us that change is a part of life. Changes are happening in the church as well. Hopefully, we can listen to God's will for us individually and as a church family and find the courage to follow the path to healthy change as we give thanks to God for the life giving message of the gospel that we are entrusted to share and celebrate.

Praying your fall is filled with blessings!

*Pastor Cindy*



### *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

A mighty fortress is our God,  
a sword and shield victorious;  
he breaks the cruel oppressor's rod  
and wins salvation glorious.

The old evil foe,  
sworn to work us woe,  
with dread craft and might  
he arms himself to fight.

On earth he has no equal.  
God's Word forever shall abide,  
no thanks to foes, who fear it;  
for God himself fights by our side  
with weapons of the Spirit.

If they take our house,  
goods, fame, child, or spouse,  
wrench our life away,  
they cannot win the day.  
The kingdom's ours forever!

Text: Martin Luther, 1483-1546; tr. Lutheran Book of Worship, 1978  
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September 13—Celebration of Life Service Beverly Sponaugle

September 17—Sacrament of Baptism—Colette Anne Tomaso

**PASTORAL ACTS  
SEPTEMBER 2023**

# Worship

## Bulletin & Flower Sponsorships

If you would like to sponsor the altar flowers or bulletins in honor/memory of someone or a special event there are several Sundays open. Cost for flowers is \$45 for the arrangement. Please contact the church office to schedule a date(s).

For bulletins, please write the information in the book or contact the church office. The cost is \$12.50 for 1/2 of the bulletin and \$25.00 for the whole bulletin. If you would like to sponsor the bulletin, please call the office at 717-533-2467 or email the office at [htluth@comcast.net](mailto:htluth@comcast.net).

## Worship Schedule

Please join us for worship on Sunday mornings at 10:00 AM. Services will be in-person and livestreamed.



Website: [www.htluth.org](http://www.htluth.org) & click on Facebook link.



**ALTAR GUILD** is looking for volunteers to deliver flowers. Flowers can be delivered on Sunday or Monday at your convenience. Check with the altar guild person after church or check the flower sign-up sheet to see if the flower recipient is someone living near you or if you'd be willing to deliver to them.



Delivering the altar flowers is a great way to brighten someone's day! Thanks for your help!

## Holy Communion "at home"

Communion elements are available for those of you who are not able to attend in-person worship. By having these elements at home, you can share communion with us as we celebrate in the church. You can pick them up or we will bring them to your home. If you would like to receive communion elements, please contact Pastor Cindy at 717-512-4645 or the church office at [htluth@comcast.net](mailto:htluth@comcast.net) or 717- 533-2467.

## READERS, GREETERS & FLOWER DELIVERERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to greet people as they come into church and deliver flowers after the service on Sunday. Readers are needed to read the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> reading and the Psalm. The lists are available on the bulletin board. Please sign up today or contact the church office if you would like to volunteer.



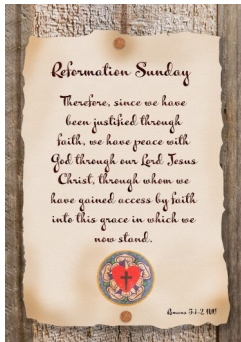
**Reformation**  
*Sunday*

**OCT.**  
**29**

## Remembering Luther

Reformation Sunday will be October 29 and it should serve as an impetus for us to remember the great reformer, Martin Luther. This quotation from Luther reminds us of a principal focus of his life:

"We should learn well how to please Christ. We do please him by dedicating our entire life with all possible diligence solely to the service of our neighbor. 'Down, down,' says Christ 'you will find me in the poor, you are rising too high if you do not look for me down there.'"



*Holy Trinity Lutheran Church welcomes and affirms everyone seeking God's love and grace, regardless of faith background, age, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, ability, size, class, immigration, or relationship status. We explicitly stand against hate and discrimination, as our Church community strives to continually grow and learn within the Body of Christ according to Christ's teachings. We are committed to creating and maintaining a welcoming and safe envi-*

## FAMILY FELLOWSHIP SUNDAYS COME! JOIN THE FUN!

**WHEN:** The third Sunday of the month  
**TIME:** Immediately following the Church  
**LOCATION:** We will meet on the first floor of the Church adjacent to the Sunday school classrooms.  
**DETAILS:** Join us each month for a light lunch, an Elementary-age craft, followed by another FUN-FILLED activity!

If you are interested in assisting with these events, please email Danielle Mariano at [Willtess2@icloud.com](mailto:Willtess2@icloud.com),

**Next Gathering: October 15th**



## GODLY PLAY



## YOUTH NEWS!

.Welcome to Peter Fox...

..  
 We welcome our new Director of Youth and Family ministry, Peter Fox. Peter is joining our staff beginning October 1. We are thankful that Peter is offering his gifts and talents to our ministry. You will hear more about Peter in the weeks and months to come.

Please take a moment to welcome him to Holy Trinity.



Date	Week	Time After Pentecost Lesson/Scriptures
10/1	3	<b>Creation</b>
10/8	4	<b>The Flood and the Ark</b>
10/15	5	<b>The Great Family</b>
10/22	6	<b>The Exodus</b>
10/29	7	<b>The Ten Best Ways (Reformation)</b>

## ADULT DISCUSSION GROUP

In October, the Adult Discussion group will resume after a Summer break on Sunday, October 8 (**Room 16 at 9:00-9:45am.**)

Kurt Nielsen will offer a study of the book of Revelation. Please consider joining this time of learning and faith sharing.

# ADULT Sunday School

## Help Support Our Youth

# GIANT.

A quick & easy way to help support our Youth is to purchase Giant Gift Cards! You get to match dollar for dollar of your gift card purchase toward the cost of your already expended expenses for groceries & gas too! All proceeds go to support the Youth programs.

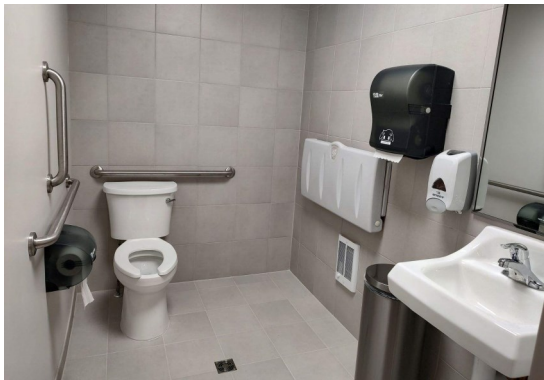
**How it works:** You buy a card at face value (\$25, \$50, or \$100). The Youth then will make 5% on that sale from Giant. You can then use that gift card anytime you shop at Giant stores (including gas purchases).

If interested, see Nathan Paul in the Narthex after service on Sunday.

# RENOVATION UPDATES



The construction in the church building is beginning to wrap up on the Sanctuary level. The good news is that the restrooms on the main level are available for use again but please refrain from entering other areas that may still not be complete. The restrooms on the lower level are available for use.



## Fall Foliage Day @ Kirchenwald and Nawakwa—October 23

Return to camp for the afternoon for fall activities, worship & a picnic supper. It's a wonderful time to meet up with old friends or introduce new folks to camp. An evening meal is included. The event runs from 1-6 PM. At Kirchenwald, enjoy pumpkin painting, canoeing/kayaking, mountain biking, hiking & more! At Nawakwa, enjoy pumpkin painting, apple butter boil, hayrides, hiking & more! **Register by October 14th—Cost: \$15/pp. & covers activities & an evening meal.**

## Annual Quilt Auction @ Nawakwa—November 5, 2023

Join us for this year's live Quilt Auction & Silent Auction of hand-crafted items at 2:00 PM at Nawakwa. This fun-filled afternoon of bidding raises money for the LCC Endowment Fund, which helps to financially sustain our fine ministry activities. In addition to the auctions, the afternoon is a great time to renew camp friendships, walk around & explore camp & fellowship with dinner. **Register before November 1st. This is a FREE event!**



## Women's Craft Retreat @ Nawakwa—November 10-12, 2023

Projects for this relaxing weekend are provided and you can bring your own too! Enjoy a relaxed atmosphere of camp in the fall. Worship is led by Rev. Cindy Brommer. All meals, lodging & most supplies are provided. **Please register by November 1st. Registration fee: \$175** Arrive a day early for only \$40 (lodging only).



**IT COMMUNICATION REQUEST—PLEASE HELP KEEP OUR COMMUNICATIONS UP TO DATE**  
Thank you for submitting your bulletin, newsletter & calendar updates to the Church office in a timely manner. We have recently been getting articles after the deadline causing last minute changes needing to be made to accommodate late submissions. Whenever articles are submitted, we ask that you please include Anita Housman ([aahousman2@gmail.com](mailto:aahousman2@gmail.com).) so that your submission can be included in both the weekly updates/communications through social channels & newsletters. **Bulletin deadline is Tuesdays (by noon); Newsletter deadline is the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. Thank you in advance for your help!**

# OUTREACH MINISTRIES

## Faith in Action—Special Project

The Faith in Action team is sponsoring a project for the Stork's Landing on 3<sup>rd</sup> and Wiconisco Streets in Harrisburg, PA.

The Stork's Landing is a UPMC sponsored, free baby supplies depot for the use and support of economically disadvantaged mothers in North Harrisburg. It is located next to a prenatal clinic and is used to encourage expectant mothers to keep prenatal care appointments and to ensure that they have access to disposable diapers (sizes newborn, 1 and 2), baby wipes, baby wash, and diaper cream for the first 6 months of the baby's life.

The Faith In Action Team will be making a monetary donation. Charitable donations of cash or these items are greatly appreciated.



A collection box is available in the church entrance. If you have any questions, please contact Rodney Gross.



### Fall Adopt-A-Highway Cleanup Day - Saturday, October 14 October 14th ~ 8:30 AM

Volunteers should meet at the church at 8:30 & we will disperse from there. Reminder that our portion of highway starts and ends with these three signs:

- Sign 1 is on Cocoa Avenue at the Hershey Square
- Sign 2 is on 743 near Fishburn United Methodist Church
- Sign 3 is on the South Side of 322 on Hockersville Road

Contact Rodney Gross at [rodgross@comcast.net](mailto:rodgross@comcast.net) or 717 649-6224 if you are willing to volunteer. A November rain date will be planned if



### BIBLE ART JOURNALING Sunday, October 8th 6:00pm – 7:30pm

Meets in the Sunday School room off the Fellowship Hall (Alley entrance). Please sign up in the Narthex.

You're welcome to bring your own art supplies, or not. We have plenty to share. Please contact Colleen Nielsen ([nielsenc@mhs-pa.org](mailto:nielsenc@mhs-pa.org)) for more information.

**Mediating on the Word of God ♦ Take time to create with a variety of materials ♦ Enjoy fellowship in a creative setting.**

#### Community Auction



For more info: <https://loveincgreaterhershey.org/community-auction/>

The Lace Up with Love INC sneaker drive ran through the end of August. The Love INC family had the opportunity to gift **297** students in Derry Twp. & Lower Dauphin school districts new sneakers. **203** surplus sneakers collected throughout the summer drive will be donated to area clothing closets.



Thank you for your support!

### LET'S STAY IN CHECK!

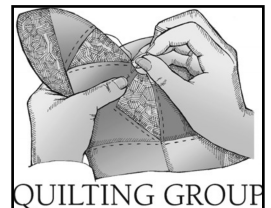
**Blood Pressure Screenings following Worship are back!** Holy Trinity will offer blood pressure screenings the first Sunday of every month in the front of the sanctuary following the worship service.

**Next Scheduled Screening:  
Sun., October 1st**



### QUILTING NEWS

The Quilters will begin meeting again on **the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays each month @ 9 AM in rooms 15 and 16.** If you don't know how to quilt, we will teach you! If you cannot make the workshops, but have a sewing machine at home & are willing to sew quilt tops together, we will gladly supply patches for you to sew! Many thanks to all who have helped with this amazing ministry!



QUILTING GROUP



# Share

## WE CARE DONATIONS NEEDED

Contributions are needed for We Care packages for Holy Trinity's college students. Baskets are available for donations. We need your help to provide goodies for boxes. Please look over the following lists of suggestions and, whenever possible, buy in large quantities so that we can put one in each box. Goodies can be taken to the church kitchen or put in the "We Care" baskets around the church. This is one way we can let our college students know that we are still thinking about them! Please do not include anything non-perishable as sometimes the boxes do not arrive right away. Items to include:

Chewing gum, textbook highlighters, postage stamps coffee pods, Cappuccino packets, post-it notes, small boxes of raisins, hot chocolate packets, pretzels, chips, microwave popcorn, candy, cup o' soup packets, etc.

**Please bring all contributions by November 12th**



THANK YOU!

Please accept my apologies for my belated "thank you" for my beautiful birthday flowers. I miss Holy Trinity!

—Ed Schaeffer

### \* celebrating 90+ birthday!

<b>1</b>	Rodney Gross David Grove	<b>14</b>	Charles Crandall
<b>2</b>	Madison Kipp Cheryl Zewe	<b>16</b>	Rusty Haak
<b>4</b>	Deborah Hoffer Danielle Young	<b>18</b>	Leah Myers
<b>5</b>	Jameson Burrows Marcy Sharpe	<b>23</b>	Benjamin Finch Ronan Haak Eva Shoop
<b>6</b>	Andrea Hospodar Abigail Pierce	<b>24</b>	Christopher Durgey Lucy Durgey Herbert Huebner* Robert Sibert
<b>8</b>	Fletcher Smith	<b>25</b>	Darlene Meyers
<b>9</b>	Lisa Glus John Mawk	<b>28</b>	Dona Pastuck* Douglas Weaver
<b>10</b>	Ella Foley	<b>30</b>	Donna Dixon Richard Evans
<b>11</b>	Glenn Zearfoss	<b>31</b>	Emily Foley Stephanie Rudasill Darlene Weaver

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

We celebrate our members who have reached 90+ birthdays in October!

### October 24

#### Herbert Huebner (92)

1020 N. Union St., Apt. 302  
Middletown, PA 17057

### October 28

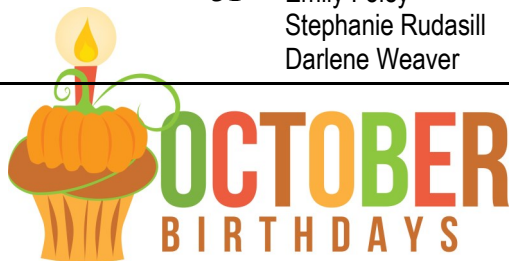
#### Dona Pastuck (94)

301 East Second Street, Apt. 108  
Hummelstown, PA 17036

In sure & certain hope of the promised resurrection, we lift our prayers and the comfort of the Christian faith with the family of **Beverly Sponaugle** who passed away September 2. Services were held on September 13th @ Holy Trinity.

Welcome Please welcome our newest member of the Holy Trinity family.

**Colette Anne Tomaso**, daughter of Dan and Brittaney Tomaso & granddaughter of Chip and Izanne Haak & Dan and Joann Tomaso, was received into the Child/God relationship through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism on September 17th. Colette's sponsors are Rusty Haak & Julie Dorton.



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Mondays thru Thursdays  
9:00 AM—2:00 PM  
Fridays Staff work Remotely



**OFFICE CLOSED**  
Monday, October 9th  
Columbus &  
Indigenous Peoples's  
Day

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b> 9:00am Sunday School 9:00am Choir Practice 10:00am Worship (In person and Livestream)	<b>2</b> 7:00pm Susquehanna Chorale	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> 5:30pm Cub Scouts Pack Meeting	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b> 9:00am Adult Discussion 9:00am Sunday School 9:00am Choir Practice 10:00am Worship (In person and Livestream) 6:00pm Bible Art Journaling	<b>9</b> 7:00pm Susquehanna Chorale	<b>10</b> 1:00pm Property Committee 7:00pm Executive Committee	<b>11</b> 9:00am Quilter's Workshop	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> 8:30am Adopt A Highway Clean Up Day
<b>15</b> 9:00am Adult Discussion 9:00am Sunday School 9:00am Choir Practice 10:00am Worship (In person and Livestream) 11:00am Family Fun	<b>16</b> 7:00pm Susquehanna Chorale	<b>17</b> 7:00pm Congregation Council Zoom meeting	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
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**OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH!**

We give thanks to God for Pastor Brommer & her ministry as she serves God through the work of her hands and mind. We pray that God will continue to watch over and bless you each and every day and hope that you know how much you are appreciated!





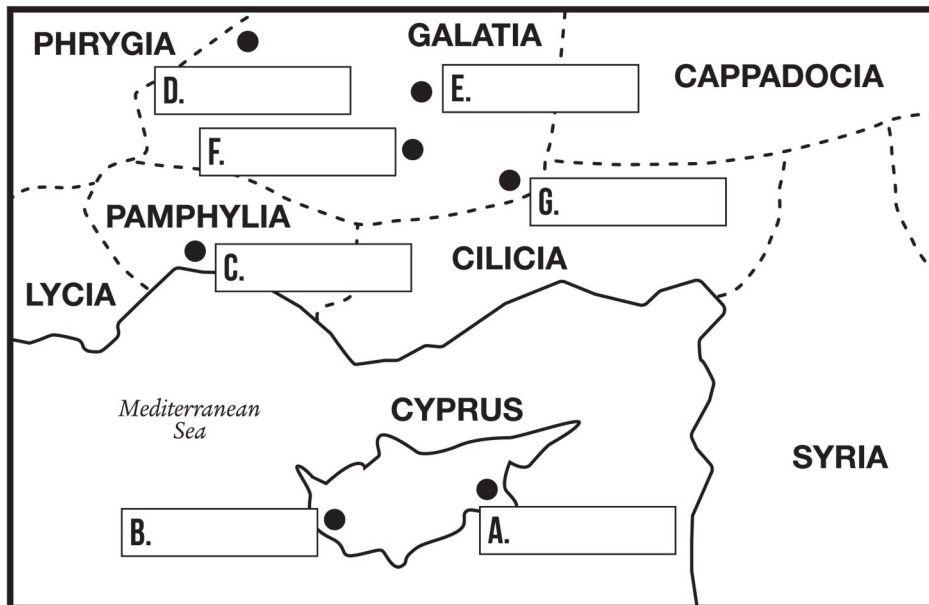
## CITY SEARCH

God used Paul to spread the Gospel to many cities during his first missionary journey. Can you find them all?

*Directions: From the fragments, guess each city and locate it on the map. Use the Bible references to help.*



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| A. SALAMIS (ACTS 13:5)  | E. ICONIUM (ACTS 13:51) |
| B. PAPHOS (ACTS 13:6)   | F. LYSTRA (ACTS 14:6)   |
| C. PERGA (ACTS 13:13)   | G. DERBE (ACTS 14:6)    |
| D. ANTIOCH (ACTS 13:14) |                         |



Answers: Salamis, Paphos, Perga, Antioch, Iconium, Lystra, Lystra, Derbe

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