



HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

TRINITY TOPICS

NOVEMBER 2026



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



Welcome Pastor Susan!

FROM PASTOR SUSAN:

Thank you so much for the glorious installation service and reception. Special thank you to everyone who participated in the service and those that prepared the reception. I appreciate all the time and energy it took to rehearse, plan, and prepare for this day. I am so grateful to all of you for the warm welcome and your enthusiasm. May God continue to bless our ministry together.

---Pastor Susan



BIBLE STUDY WITH PASTOR SUSAN
Wednesdays @ 6:30 PM Held in the Adult
Sunday School Room October 28
November 4, 11 & 18 - See Page 6



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SAVE THE DATE
ANNUAL MEETING

November 22



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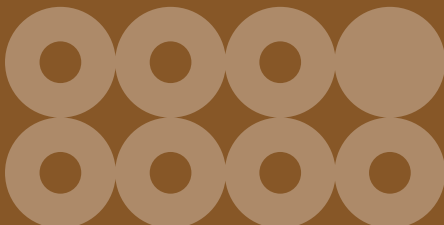
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You are Welcome Here!

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church welcomes & 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 environment for all people.



GRACE AND PEACE TO YOU FROM GOD OUR FATHER AND THE LORD JESUS CHRIST!

*Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.
Worship the Lord with gladness;
come into his presence with singing.
Know that the Lord is God.
It is he that made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise.
Give thanks to him, bless his name.
For the Lord is good;
his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations. (Psalm 100)*



Enjoy these photos of Iona Abbey on the island of Iona.
1 - stained glass window featuring St. Columba who founded the Abbey
2 - interior of the Abbey
3 - view of the cloisters
4 - St. John's cross
5 - Iona Abbey
6 - view of Iona Abbey from the ferry



As we enter the month of November and look forward to celebrating Thanksgiving with our friends and family, I wanted to share things for which I am thankful.

I am thankful for my family who continue their loving support and I remember those who are alone or who are estranged from their families.

I am thankful for my health while I remember those who are sick in body, mind or spirit.

I am thankful for the food I eat while I remember those who go hungry.

I am thankful that I live in a country where I am free to practice my faith while I remember those who are persecuted for their beliefs.

I am thankful to live in a beautiful parsonage while I remember those who are homeless.

I am thankful for meaningful work while I remember those who are unemployed or underemployed.

I am thankful for my call to Holy Trinity and for each and every one of you who trust me to provide spiritual care and pastoral leadership while I remember those who have not heard the good news of Jesus Christ.

I invite you to take time this month to thank God for all your blessings. Let us pray this prayer appointed for the Day of Thanksgiving:

Almighty God our Father, your generous goodness comes to us new every day. By the work of your Spirit lead us to acknowledge your goodness, give thanks for your benefits, and serve you in willing obedience, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Yours in Christ,
Pr. Susan



HIGHLIGHTS--CONGREGATION COUNCIL MINUTES - September 15, 2026

Attendance:

Council Members: Lisa Buettner, Beth Dunham, Rodney Gross, Andrew Herster, Jennifer Keeler, Mark Mariano, Tess Mariano, JoEllen Myers, Joan Rizzo, Charis Rossetti, Kendra Ruhl, Jonice Storer.

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

The Congregation Council Meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by President Rodney Gross

• Reports:

- a. **Treasurer's Report:** Report for August was reviewed by Stephanie Gross. There was a Net Income of \$1,507 which bought the year to date Net Loss down to \$-12,287.
- b. **Financial Secretary's Report:** The August report was included in the packet. Denny stated that the offerings for the first two Sundays in September were below average.
- c. **Secretary's Report:** Minutes from August 18, 2026, Council meeting were included in the Council packet
- d. **Pastor Susan's Time:** Report included in packet.
 - i. Her two "meet and greet" sessions were well attended.
 - ii. She provided First Holy Communion instruction for (7) children.
 - iii. Did shut-in visits for (11) members.
 - iv. Held a training session for Assisting Ministers and Communion Assistants.
- e. **Correspondence: Thank you for financial support**
 - i. Hershey Food Bank-\$110.
 - ii. Lutheran World Relief-\$560.
 - iii. Love INC-\$175.



f. Ministry Teams:

i. Grow: Youth and Family Formation

1. Jonice Storer reported that (9) youth will be attending the "Alive" event for middle school students at the end of the month.
2. She stated that planning is underway for youth to attend the 2027 National Youth Gathering.

ii. Witness:

1. Adopt A Highway clean-up is scheduled for Saturday, November 7th at 8:30am

iii. Share:

1. **Property Committee:** Minutes from September 8, 2026, meeting included in packet.

- a. Finance Committee has developed a plan to fund several capital projects in 2027 as part of the Capital Repair Ministry Spending Plan.

• Unfinished Business:

- a. Monthly bulletin update on financial situation to be continued.
- b. School Kits: (God's Work, Our Hands) -Sept. 13th-Completed 300 kits.
- c. Sunday School starts on September 20th.
- d. Ministry Spending Plan 2027-Committees and Staff have submitted request worksheets. First draft of Plan underway.
- e. Installation of Pastor Scott-Oct. 4th at 2:00pm.

• New Business:

- a. **Rent increase for 218 Cocoa**-recommendation is \$50 per month making it \$1,475/month.
- b. **Feed my Sheep project:** Member request to do a collection of food items every month to be split between Cocoa Packs and Hershey Food Bank. Request would be for one or two specific food items to be donated by members. Council felt that having just finished requesting members to donate for school kits that we should wait until Advent to begin this project and have it run for six months.

- **Next Council Meeting:** October meeting is changed to Wednesday Oct. 21st . It will be **in-person** at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Hall.

- **Adjournment:** A *motion* to adjourn by Beth Dunham and second by JoEllen Myers, approved by Council. The meeting concluded at 8:02pm with Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted by Chip Haak, Secretary

We are looking for 3 candidates to add to church council for a three-year term starting in 2027. We are also looking for 2 youth candidates as well. The congregation needs to vote on these new candidates at the congregation meeting in November. This is a good way to understand the business of the church and be involved in decision making. It's the first full year with Pastor Susan leading our church. Please reach out to Rodney Gross or any other council members if you are interested or have questions. Thank you for your consideration.

WORSHIP

WORSHIP WITH US EACH SUNDAY!



We invite you to worship each Sunday!

Sundays: 10:00 AM (In person & livestream)

Worship & Holy Communion

Website: www.htluth.org & click on Facebook link



BULLETIN & FLOWER SPONSORSHIPS

If you would like to sponsor the altar flowers or bulletins in honor/memory of someone please contact the Church office. Cost for flowers is \$45 for the arrangement. There are dates available for sponsorship. Please sign up for dates on the sign-up sheet in the Narthex. **2026 Dates are available.**

For bulletins, please write the information in the book in the Narthex or contact the church office. The cost is \$12.50 for ½ of the bulletin and \$25.00 for the whole bulletin. To sponsor the bulletin, please call or email the church office: 717-533-2467 - htluth@comcast.net.

LITTLE LUTHERAN "Go Bags" are available during the church service. They can be found on the shelf in the Little Lutheran area. Your child is welcome to take one into church with them each week.

Please return the bags to the shelf at the end of the service.

Readers, Greeters & Flower Deliverers: 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 1st and 2nd lessons and the Psalm when it is spoken. The lists are available on the bulletin board. Please sign up today or contact the church office if you would like to volunteer.

As part of our ongoing effort to care for our Congregation and Church property, security cameras have been installed in and around the building and church office. These cameras are intended to help enhance safety, deter theft/vandalism, and provide support in the event of an emergency or other incident. The only interior cameras are inside the main entrance and inside the courtyard entrance. On Sundays, Ushers have an iPad to monitor the cameras during worship. All other times the property manager has access to them via a phone app. The funding was provided by an anonymous donor.

In response to a security assessment, the doors at the alley and courtyard entrance will be locked 5 minutes after the service begins. Usher(s) will be responsible for locking the doors. The main entrance on W. Grenada Ave. will remain open during the worship service.



SERVING TOGETHER IN FAITH

Usher Duties: Taking attendance and updating the book, and also ushering people out of the pews for communion and collecting communion cards. If you would like to give your name to be available for ushering on Sundays, please contact Rodney Gross at (717) 649-6224 or rodgross@comcast.net.

HOLY COMMUNION "AT HOME"

Consecrated communion elements are available for those who are not able to attend in person to 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 consecrated communion elements, please contact Pastor or the church office at htluth@comcast.net.

DEVOTIONALS AVAILABLE: Devotionals can be found in the Narthex. *The Word in Season* is scattered around the Narthex. *Christ in Our Home* is a large print devotional located on the hospitality desk inside the front door. Please help yourselves.

On September 27th, we returned to a more active sharing of the Peace and passing the offering plate during worship. Those who wish to move from their seats are welcome to do so. During offertory, ushers will pass the offering plates. The plates will also remain available on the table near the worship entrances. These changes will be introduced on a trial basis. As always, Council welcomes your feedback.



Sunday, November 1st is All Saints Sunday when we remember the lives of our members and friends who joined the church triumphant since we celebrated All Saints last year. This is also a time when we can give thanks for all our departed loved ones.

Lorna B. Rudisill
Edward Clair Schaeffer
Mildred Jane Fair
Georgianna B. Sibert
Carole D. Bowman



Holy Trinity's Altar Guild will meet on Sunday, November 8, 2026, at 11:15 in the sanctuary. All are welcome to attend (the guild would welcome new members!) as the guild plans for Christmas.



FINANCIAL NEWS

Contributions to Holy Trinity

For those of you who have chosen to contribute using a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD), Donor Advised Fund (DAF), Stock Transfers or other tax advantage avenues, please note the following: These amounts are recorded as offering on your year-end statement. Since the checks usually do not provide sufficient information about tax consequences, I rely on the member to handle any related tax reporting. These tax advantage programs are a wonderful way to make offerings to Holy Trinity and are greatly appreciated!

—Thank you. Peg Huebner, Giving Secretary



SPECIAL ENVELOPES - NOVEMBER

The Special Envelopes for November included in envelope packets are for the support of the Faith In Action Ministries at Holy Trinity and Special Thanksgiving offering.



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

CAPITAL REPAIR FUND is the fund used when we have major repairs needing to be made. *Thank you for your generosity!*

OCTOBER WAS A BUSY MONTH! - PLEASE ENJOY THE PICTURES OF EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE MONTH



**Blessing of the Pets
October 4**



**Pastor Susan's Installation
October 5**



	2026	
	September	YTD
General Offering	28,039	277,212
Rental Income	1,425	12,775
Total General Offering *	29,464	289,987
Special Offerings	945	5,595
EXPENSES		
Actual*	32,980	305,781
Budgeted	33,772	303,946

Council would like to share an important update regarding our **2026 Ministry Spending Plan**. As of the end of August, We are experiencing a year-to-date deficit of \$12,277. We'd like to thank everyone for your faithful support as we continued to narrow the deficit over the summer months.



Don't miss out on Church News!

Here is the link to copy and paste: <https://mailchi.mp/6fbac791e18c/subscription-email-signup-form> *Subscribe to receive weekly News & Updates!*

GROW

LEARNING FOR ALL AGES: Sunday School (2026-27)
(thru May) Each Sunday @ 9:00-9:45 AM as follows:



Youth: Children pre-k thru 6th grade. Meets in the Sunday School room (connected to the Fellowship Hall).

Affirmation of Baptism for Grades 7-8—Meets in the Youth Room This is our "new" two-year Confirmation class for students in grades 7 and 8. The goal of this class is to help fulfill the responsibilities we all accepted when our children were baptized. In the baptism liturgy, we promise to help them grow in the understanding and practice of their Christian faith.

High School Bible Study (grades 9-12) - Meets in Room #1

Our program uses Luther's Small Catechism and the Bible to study the Ten Commandments, the Apostles' Creed, the Lord's Prayer, and much more. We will also thoroughly cover Lutheran theology and liturgy, integrating Bible study into every area of discussion. Additionally, we'll address many other pertinent topics about our Christian faith through activities and conversation.

The curriculum changes each year on a two-year rotating schedule so that students experience every part without repeating subject matter.

The Adult Discussion Group will discuss Philip Yancey's book Prayer. - Meets in Room #16

Philip Yancey probes the very heartbeat of our relationship with God: prayer. What is prayer? Does it change God's mind or ours. The book is an invitation to communicate with God the Father who invites us into an eternal partnership through prayer.



Pr. Susan will be leading a Bible Study for youth and adults on the book of Jonah. We will meet on Wednesdays October 28, November 4, 11 and 18 at 6:30 in the Adult Sunday School Room. A Zoom option will be available for those not able to attend in person. Please RSVP to Pr. Susan at sscott@htluth.org or 717-497-1013.



NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEEETING

On Sunday, November 22nd, 2026 we will hold our annual meeting immediately following worship. The purpose of the meeting is to approve the 2027 Ministry Support Plan and elect Congregation Council members. A mailing will be sent closer to the meeting with more information. **The meeting will be held in person only.**

The Congregation Council is interested in your ideas, suggestions and visions for our shared ministry at Holy Trinity.

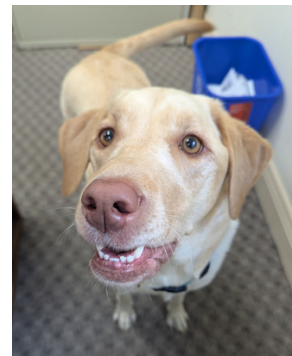
**50 people
were in
attendance!**



Fellowship Luncheon



Bonnie getting some rays before the clocks turn back



Abigail with her infectious smile !

4 Legged Treat Supervisors

YOUTH & FELLOWSHIP NEWS

Greetings, Peter Fox here, loving this fall weather. Fall is definitely my favorite season for a reason. I love the coolness in the air, the smell of burning leaves, but most of all, I love all of the things going on with HTY and our Fellowship here at Holy Trinity. Things are coming fast and furious on the calendar, which is awesome! We have had so many cool events so far this season, and there is even more on the radar. Even though November is upon us, the time to get out and get involved is still now. I truly hope to see you at HTY and Fellowship soon enough. It's never too late to take part.

HTY has been super strong so far this season. We are off and running. It has certainly been our best year to date so far. The HTY nights have been awesome! So far this season we have had two HTY Nights, and each has been better than the last. The Youth Advisors, Liam Bishop and Jonice Storer and I are stoked with the season. Our seasonal theme for the year is focused on FAITH JOURNEYS. With this focus, we are looking at our FAITH JOURNEYS, both as an individual and collectively. It's all about digging deeper in our faith as a group and looking within ourselves to navigate our paths more effectively.

Our HTY will learn how to handle the roadblocks and obstacles as well as appreciate all the other stuff along the way. We want them to view their life as traveling on a path with bumps and bridges, peaks and valleys; all are important. The theme this year is meant to open their eyes to the larger picture; and to the idea that God has set them on a path, a wonderful path, filled with awesome, enriching experiences that will mold and shape them. So far, the HTY youth are really feeling this curriculum. As a testament, our discussions at HTY Nights have been top-notch. With this positive start to the season, I really look forward to engaging this momentum as we move through the year.

We have three BIG HTY events on the horizon. First off, we look forward to ever popular HTY Winter Youth Group retreat at Camp Nawakwa in December. Our HTY retreat is hands down my favorite event that we do as a youth group and the HTY that go on it know why. It is a blast! Secondly, sign-up's have begun for the synod-wide Sr. High event called Winterfest. This event always rocks! It is great to spend time with the Sr. High HTY for a weekend, and get to see and meet old and new friends. Third and last, it is Gathering year. That means that the 2027 ELCA National Youth Gathering is next summer. We have a nice crew of HTY planning to attend the event with me and the advisors. The host city is Minneapolis, MN. There is lots of planning that needs to take place in these coming months for this awesome event. That said, please keep us in your prayers as we prepare for this trip, and please come out and support our youth at the Community Night Fundraisers.

On the Fellowship front, so far, we have had one luncheon with our next one on the way in a few weeks. Our first Fellowship Luncheon was a total success. A lot of people were in attendance at this cool event, and the best part was that there were several new faces at the event. This is good sign for the future. Fellowship Luncheons are open to all members of Holy Trinity. We always want to invite everyone to take part in our intergenerational fellowship gatherings. They are truly for everyone, so please don't be a stranger! At the luncheons, it's all about fellowship with one another. We open up with prayer, enjoy a meal and conversation together, play table games, and just enjoy time together; that's what it's all about. It's always a good time and great way to get know one another better.

Well, that's all for now, but that's a lot. Hope to see you soon enough at all things Holy Trinity.

Yours in Christ,

Peter Fox, Director of Youth & Family Ministries

NOVEMBER EVENTS



November 1

Bowling @Palmyra Bowling

This event is for ALL HTY and their friends!! The cost is only \$12 per person, and this pays for unlimited games from 3-5pm and shoe rental. Meet at the bowling alley at 2:45pm. PLEASE bring exact cash.



November 9

Dine at Arooga's Grille House & Sports Bar Route 422 on Monday, November 9th and 15% of your guest check will be donated to Holy Trinity Youth. Please hand your voucher to your server or bartender to attach to your receipt to receive proper credit. Applicable toward dine-in or takeout orders, alcohol is not included. Digital vouchers are accepted. 15% donation not valid on specials.

November 15 Fellowship Luncheon 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Come down to Fellowship Hall for a luncheon, table games, and conversation. This event is for ALL church members and families.

P.S. Please pick up the HTY & Fellowship 2026 - 2027 Calendar. Copies are available in the Narthex and around the church anytime.

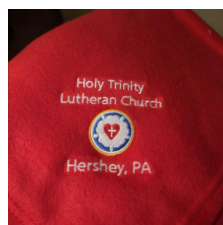
Quick reminder to ALL HTY about friends.

If you have friends who return to HTY (which is hopefully the case), or you bring friends to HTY, please try to have them fill "Holy Trinity Lutheran Church Youth Information and Medical Form" as they become fixtures in HTY. A form is needed to be on file for everyone.



EXTENDED MINISTRIES DONATES 99 FLEECE BLANKETS FOR VETERANS

Extended Ministries is supporting Veterans this coming fall for Veterans Day. There has been new construction by the Tunnel to Towers Foundation to create an affordable housing community named Veterans Village, with 64 apartments and 20 comfort homes near the Veterans Grove property (15 homes). We will supply one red fleece blanket, imprinted with our name and a Luther Rose, for every tiny house, apartment, and comfort home (99 total blankets) so that all the Veterans will have a new blanket on Veterans Day (or their move in day). The blankets with a thank you card will be delivered to the Veterans Grove and the Veterans Village before Veterans Day on November 11, 2026



The Faith in Action committee will have the Fall highway cleanup activity on Saturday, November 7th. We will meet at the church at 8:30 before starting the clean-up. Please contact Rodney Gross if you can help for a few hours that morning. The more hands we have the faster the work.

NOTE: The program requires participants to be at least 8 years old to pick up litter. For safety, groups with volunteers under 18 must be accompanied by an adult (18+ years) and parental permission.

A Family of Prayer

Acts tells us about a man named Cornelius. He was a Roman soldier who worshiped God and prayed with his family. God used Cornelius to help Peter learn an important truth: God welcomes everyone who loves Him and does what is right.

Solve the math problems using the grid. Then use the key to find the letter for each answer. Write each letter on the blank to discover what Cornelius and his family did.

GRID		KEY	
A	B	a = 7	e = 8
2	4	i = 10	o = 9
C	D	u = 11	y = 6
6	5		

"He _____nd _____ll h_____s f_____m_____l_____

A+C A+D A+D B+C A+D B+C A+B

w_____r_____d_____v_____t_____nd

A+C A+C A+C B+D C+D A+D

G_____d-f_____r_____ng; h_____g_____v_____

B+D A+C A+D B+C A+C A+D A+C

g_____n_____r_____sl_____t_____th_____s_____n_____

A+C A+C B+D C+D A+B B+D B+D A+C B+C

n_____d_____nd pr_____y_____d t_____G_____d

A+C A+C A+D A+D A+B A+C B+D

r_____g_____l_____rl_____." _____cts 10:2, NIV

A+C C+D A+D A+B A+D

Answers: "He and all his family were devout and God-fearing; he gave heed only to God things in need God prayed to God regularly." Acts 10:2, NIV

LUTHERAN CAMPING NEWS



Annual Quilt Auction @ Nawakwa November 1

Join us for this year's live Quilt Auction & Silent Auction of hand-crafted items at 2:00 PM at Nawakwa. All proceeds from the day benefit the Camping Corporation's Endowment Fund, making camping possible for generations to come! Please register before November 1st. This is a FREE event!



Women's Craft Retreat @ Nawakwa November 13-15

Projects for this relaxing weekend are provided and you can bring your own too! Enjoy a relaxed atmosphere of camp in the fall. All meals, lodging & most supplies are provided. Please register by November 1st. Registration fee: \$185 Arrive a day early for only \$45 (lodging only).

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! 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 in the Narthex after service on Sunday.

Funds for Friends

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

ORGANIZATION

November 9th, 2026

RIVER OF SYDNEY

RT. 422 - 637 E. Main St. Hummelstown

LOCATION

Dine at Arooga's Grille House & Sports Bar Route 422 on the indicated date & 15% of your guest check will be donated to the above organization/charity. Please hand your voucher to your server or bartender to attach to your receipt to receive proper credit. Applicable toward dine-in or takeout orders. Digital vouchers accepted. 15% donation not valid on specials. Vouchers must be distributed prior to event date. Any solicitation on site will result in forfeit of your donation.

OUTREACH

Health & Wellness

Blood Pressure Screenings: **1st Sunday each Month after Worship** Meets in the front of the Church.
Next screening: November 1

Quilting Group--Meets: 2nd & 4th Wednesdays —9 AM
Rooms 15 & 16. Contact Lynn Budgeon for more info.
November Workshops: November 11 & 26

Youth & Family Fellowship:

Meets as scheduled—Copies of the calendar can be picked up in the Narthex. See Peter Fox for more info.

Music Ministry—Choir & Special Music

Contact Alan Hair, Director

Choir rehearses each Sunday prior to Worship.

Extended Ministries The Extended Ministry Committee recommends financial support of programs from the Holy Trinity Endowment Fund and are authorized by the Congregational Council. Programs may be within our own church community, local to the Greater Hershey area, and in the global community. If you would like to make a request, forms are in the wall organizer at the bottom of the back stairs and can be dropped off in the church office. Please see Elizabeth Stuart for more info.

Faith in Action Stewardship of time & talents serving others. **Contact Rodney Gross for more information.**

Camp--Please visit the Lutheran Camping Corp. website for a complete list of all ongoing activities & events. See Rod Gross for more info.
Always check LutheranCamping.org for the most updated calendar, registration deadline, etc. The Lutheran Camping Corporation of Central PA @ www.LutheranCamping.org
(717) 677-8211.

 **love inc** | Personal Care Closet
MOST NEEDED ITEMS

**Toilet Paper
Paper Towels
Kitchen Trash Bags
Dish Liquid
Hand Soap
Tissues**

LOVEINC PERSONAL CARE CLOSET

LoveINC will continue to collect items throughout the year to replenish the Personal Care Closet. These items go quickly. Collected items can be placed in the bin provided in the Narthex. For those who need a list, help yourself to a "mini list" to take with you when shopping. They can be found attached to the donation box in the Narthex. The list changes regularly based on current needs.

Please pick up the monthly list of "emergency needs" from the Narthex.



Calling all Bakers! We're looking for a few new people to share their baking talents (and sweet treats!) every week after the worship service. If you'd like to help and earn some brownie points, please sign up in the Narthex.

The Holy Trinity quilters are in need of clean, stained free sheets. They are used on the underside of the quilts. The preferred size is full, queen, and king; however, we can use twin sheets as well. Both flat & fitted sheets can be used. A basket has been placed to receive donations. Thank you!



Introducing "Project Feed My Sheep"



As Jesus instructed his disciples to **"Feed my sheep"**, we are asking the members of **Holy Trinity** to participate in this project to collect food items.

During the months of **December through May**, we will be collecting food items to be donated to the **Hershey Food Bank** and **Cocoa Packs**.

Each month will feature a different item to be collected. Watch for the poster which will appear shortly indicating which items will be featured each month.

SHARE

We celebrate our members who have reached 90+ birthdays in November. Cards & well wishes can be sent to:

Sandy Stine (90) Nov. 5

16 Autumn Lane
Somers, CT 06071

Miriam Winter (93)—Nov. 16
335 Bluff Dr.
Richmond Hill, GA 31324



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

**Jack Bishop
John Boudman
Robert Carbaugh
Thomas C. Fosnacht**

**Ruth Gardner
James Henry
Tom Huebner
Gary Kauffman
Mary Ann Kilpatric
Nathan Myers
Colleen Nielsen
Kurt Nielsen
Nathan Paukovits
Keith Richmers
Dennis Schwenk
Linda Sibert
Kirk Sponaugle
Joseph Stradley
Douglas Weaver
William Zewe**



THANK YOU TO OUR VETERANS!

We appreciate the sacrifices that you have made and honor you for all you have done! If you are not on this list and should be, please contact the Church office.

Every week our Daily Prayers (in the bulletin) include Homebound members of our congregation. We hold them all in our hearts and in our prayers. Members on the Homebound list include:

Shirley Espenshade, Bill Fosnacht, Herbert Huebner, Evadne Kopp, Mary Ann Kilpatric, John and Ruth Knol, Carol Longnecker, Dennis Lubold, Chip Murray, Tookie Peterson, Joyce Schoeder, Kay Smith, Susanne Wiest, Nila Wiley

Please contact the church office at 717-533-2467 or email us at htluth@comcast.net if you know someone who needs to be added to our list.

- 1 Caroline Glus
Marilyn Hoffa
- 3 Michelle Gniady
- 4 Eileen Biggio
- 5 Sandy Stine*
- 7 Thomas Humphreys
- 9 Ross Buettner
- 11 Joseph Nasta
- 12 Shawn Sponaugle
- 14 Katherine Dively
Layla Ruff
Frank Terhune
- 15 Andrew Dively
Marilyn Layman
- 16 Miriam Winter*
- 17 Meghan Buehler
- 18 Laura Paul
- 19 Patricia Foulkrod
Judith Zaengle
- 20 Carol Grove
- 21 Kellen Kulbacki
- 22 Cynthia Link
Michelle McDonald
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OFFICE CLOSURES
Thursday & Friday
November 26 & 27
in observance of
Thanksgiving

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 9:00amChoir Practice 9:00amSunday School 10:00amWorship (In person and Livestream) 3:00pmHTY Bowling	2 6:00pmScouting-Troop 7:00pmSusquehanna Chorale	3	4 5:30pmScouting-Tigers 5:30pmScouting-Lions 6:30pmBible Study	5 6:00pmScouting- AOLS	6 Office Closed	7 8:30amAdopt A Highway Road Clean Up
8 9:00amChoir Practice 9:00amSunday School 10:00amWorship (In person and Livestream) Altar Guild Meeting	9 6:00pmScouting-Troop 6:20pmSusquehanna Chorale Sectional 7:00pmSusquehanna Chorale	10	11 9:00amQuilter's Workshop 6:30pmBible Study	12 5:00pmScouting-Wolves	13 Office Closed	14
15 9:00amChoir Practice 9:00amSunday School 10:00amWorship (In person and Livestream) 11:30amFellowship Luncheon	16 6:00pmScouting-Troop 6:20pmSusquehanna Chorale Sectional 7:00pmSusquehanna Chorale	17 7:00pmCongregation Council Zoom meeting	18 5:30pmScouting-Tigers 6:30pmBible Study	19	20 Office Closed	21
22 9:00amChoir Practice 9:00amSunday School 10:00amWorship (In person and Livestream) Annual Meeting	23 6:00pmScouting-Troop 7:00pmSusquehanna Chorale	24	25 9:00amQuilter's Workshop	26 OFFICE CLOSED	27 Office Closed	28
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November 1 @ 2 AM
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Deadline

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Grow

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Youth & Faith Formation—Danielle Mariano

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