

PARISH MINISTRY COMMITTEE

Report to Congregation Council

May 2010

MISSION: *“As members of Parish Ministry we act in Christian love and witness in faith in Christ as we continually strive to serve the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of Trinity members. We welcome all who express a willingness to learn and help in any of these ministries.”*

CD Ministry CD's are available at the Information Desk in the Gathering Space of Sunday worship services. Anybody may sign-out a CD at any time and there is no time limit that you may keep them. We will also start having CD's available of Bible Study to borrow. We hope these CD's become well used by the people who are not able to attend.

HEALTH MINISTRY

Blood Pressure screening for April was 15. Thank you to Yvonne Glass who will be taking over while Jo-an Eckert has surgery.

Parish Ministry participated in our recent Community Health Fair. A lot of our ministries were represented and I thank the committee for their contributions. I had invited Candy Yingling, CTRS, Education Coordinator, Alzheimer's Association of Greater Pennsylvania to be a presenter on the topic "Brain Education for Successful Aging". She presented two times to very good attendance. This turned out to be positive for me on behalf of the Alzheimer's Support Group. Three new (non Trinity members) came to the most recent support meeting because of attending Candy's presentation at the fair. When new people join the group they often feel lonely and frustrated as a caregiver. This was the case for two of these people. All were quickly welcomed and it is encouraging to see them recognize they are in nonjudgmental company with others facing similar situations.

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