

**Report of
Ministry Director of Engagement
Pastor Liz Frey
May 2019**

Wedding Meredith Lingenfelter and Lee Craley, May 11, 2019 in Carlisle, PA

Renewal of Ordination and Consecration Vows Service

On Thursday April 11, Trinity hosted the Renewal of Ordination and Consecration Vows service for our Lower Susquehanna Synod. It was joyful day of celebrating our ministry for and with the church. Pastor Horner and I served as communion assistants that morning. As always, Bishop Jim Dunlop gave a wonderful and encouraging message.

Holy Week and Easter

I survived my first Holy Week and Easter as a pastor! I enjoyed every opportunity for worship and preaching that week. I loved being a part of Maundy Thursday worship and especially liked hearing from Pastor Brock throughout that service. Easter Sunday was a joy! I was in my element as we celebrated our Lord's Resurrection. I especially enjoyed giving three children's messages that morning; it pleased my heart to include Harry Potter in that message on "The Greatest Story Ever Told."

New Member Planning

Kelly Falck and I have been working together to plan for new member events coming up. We hosted another "Discover" session on Sunday, April 28; two lovely families attended that event. We are looking forward to another session of "Starting Point" this summer as well as another round of new member classes in August.

Next Phase

I met with our young adult group again on April 28. This group is passionate about their faith as well as their service. I've been in conversation with members of the group about service opportunities here and outside of Trinity. The group will meet again on May 19th at 7pm.

Vacation

After Easter, I took some much-needed vacation for a few days and it was lovely!

Mardi Gras in May

After months of planning, Mardi Gras in May was a hit. I volunteered as a greeter and hostess. It seemed like everyone enjoyed themselves. I look forward to seeing how the money raised goes on to support youth and young adults in our synod.

