



# trinity | camp hill

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Worship. Connect. Serve.

## this week's worship services

**thursday, dec. 14**

6:30 pm – chapel

**friday, dec. 15**

12 noon – chapel

**saturday, dec. 16**

5:30 pm – fellowship hall

**sunday, dec. 17**

**8:30 and 11:00 am**

traditional worship  
nave

**9:00 and 10:45 am**

contemporary worship  
fellowship hall

## trinity today

### Trinity welcomes you!

We're glad to see you today, and we hope to see you again.

New guests: Introduce yourselves! Also pick up a small gift and a "Welcome" brochure at the table beside the receptionist's desk.

Learn more about Trinity at  
[www.trinitycamphill.org](http://www.trinitycamphill.org)



## **HOLIDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE: All welcome!**

### **Sunday, December 24**

#### **4th Sunday in Advent (sermon - *Circle of Light: Revelation*)**

9 am – Contemporary service

11 am – Traditional service

#### **Christmas Eve (sermon - *Homecoming*)**

2 pm – Traditional service, candlelight

4 pm – For kids, by kids! Pageant, choir, bells

7 pm – FaithX praise band, candlelight

8:30 pm – Youth choir, strings, bells, candlelight

11 pm – Carols, adult choir, strings, bells, candlelight

### **Monday, December 25**

#### **Christmas Day (sermon – *Singing with Angels*)**

10 am – Combined service for all

### **Sunday, December 31**

#### **First Sunday of Christmas (sermon – *Holy Child*)**

9 am – Contemporary Worship

11 am – Traditional Worship

**Service of healing** (heart, mind, body, and soul) is Sunday, December 17, at 12:30 pm in the chapel. This service is held the third Sunday of each month.

**Can you find the Nativity figures?** Advent is a time of preparation for the Good News that Christ is coming! Take time to look for the Holy Family as it travels through our worship spaces: Nave, Fellowship Hall, Chapel. Find Mary and Joseph journeying from Nazareth, shepherds in the fields, and the magi coming from the East. And Jesus arrives on

Christmas Eve! Look carefully—the figures are only 10 or 12 inches tall!



**Check out the prayer shawl display in the Gathering Space.** Formed in 2004, the Prayer Shawl Ministry has been a vital part of Trinity's outreach to those hospitalized, confined to their homes or nursing facilities, and family members who are grieving the loss of loved ones. As of November, 1,256 shawls were made, and 1,196 were distributed. Currently there are fourteen members who support this ministry. The group meets the fourth Thursday of each month from 1-3 pm in Room 125. Ideas are shared, shawls completed and handed in, and God is asked to bless the shawls that they may be tangible evidence of the love and prayers of our congregation. The group welcomes anyone who crochets, knits, cro-knits, or wishes to learn. For more information contact coordinator Kay Range at 717-697-1871.



**This is the last week for the ELCA National Youth Gathering Fund Raiser.** So far, we have raised \$4,078 of the funds we need to send these young people to serve in Houston and to share their faith with young people from around the country! The request is simple, if there are any envelopes left on the bulletin board, please take one, fill with ANY dollar amount (cash, check, or donate by debit or credit at the Giving Station), place the envelope in the offering, or turn it in to the church office. Know that prayers of thanksgiving are being said for you and for everyone who helped! Thank you.



**Budget Forum is Sunday, December 10, at 10 am, Rm. 237.**

The Finance Committee will discuss our budget process and the current state of budget preparation. Being good stewards of God's gifts includes a thoughtful approach to how we use those gifts in God's ministry.

**Sunday, December 10, 4 pm  
Concert: Christmas at Trinity**

Early seating advised. Trinity Concert Choir and Orchestra presents selections from the Christmas portion of Handel's beloved *Messiah*, as well as other seasonal music from our Cherub, Junior, Matins, and Bell Choirs, along with FaithX. Free admission. Again, come early for seating!

**The Arts and Fellowship Teams cordially invite you to a reception** immediately following the concert.



**Share in the care of Trinity's family. Pray for these members in the coming week:** Pegge Striewig; Caroline Straub; Thomas and Debbie Stover; David Stoudt; Bill and Sylvia Stotler; John Stoner; Laurie, Dave, and James Stockdale; Tonya and Gregory Stitler



**Look for the Giving Tree in the Gathering Space during Advent to share your love and concern for others.** Help undecorate the Giving Tree once again! Take an ornament and purchase the gift indicated. Whether large or small, each gift shares the message of true Christmas given from the heart.

Please return all gifts by December 17, unwrapped (unless otherwise noted), and labeled for ministry given. Turn in gift cards to the receptionist on duty for safe keeping, or take to the church office. Please return ornaments for future use.

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GIFTS

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the mountain.

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**ELCA Good Gifts:** What do you give to the person who has everything? Give something that makes a difference in people's lives around the world! You could gift a cow, a goat, a pig, honey bees, school supplies, mosquito nets...the list is endless. Stop by the ELCA Good Gifts Table on December 10 or 17 to get more information.



parish life

**Reach out to our hospitalized and at-home members.** See the list in the Narthex and the Gathering Space tract rack. Your prayers and contacts bring peace and comfort.

**Memorial services** were held for Pearl Weaver and Clay Reynolds on December 3.



### Trinity Financial Report – November 2017

	Nov.	Jan.-Nov. Actual	Jan.-Nov. Budget	Over or (Under)
Contributions*	\$98,411	\$1,176,144	\$1,252,492	(\$76,348)
Other receipts**	7,001	93,388	111,228	(17,840)
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>\$105,412</b>	<b>\$1,269,532</b>	<b>\$1,363,720</b>	<b>(\$94,188)</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>101,829</b>	<b>1,258,736</b>	<b>1,363,720</b>	<b>(104,984)</b>
<b>Budget balance</b>	<b>\$3,583</b>	<b>\$10,796</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$10,796</b>

**\*Contributions** are donations received for our general fund expenses (our budget) that are not designated for specific purposes.

**\*\*Other receipts** include interest earned, budget reimbursements, facility use fees, and a portion of last year's ending budget balance.

**NOTICE: All contributions for 2017 must be received at Trinity by Sunday, December 31, to be included as part of your 2017 giving record.**



### Sunday, December 10

- 8:30 am. Traditional Worship. Nave
- 9:00 am. Contemporary Worship. Fellowship Hall
- 10:00 am. Adult Bible Study. 228-230
- 10:00 am. Faith Formation Fun Factory for children
- 10:00 am. Confirmation. 12
- 10:00 am. Jr. High (grades 6-7). 11
- 10:00 am. F. O. J. (grades 9-12). 235
- 10:00 am. Gospel Chat. 236
- 10:00 am. NOOMA Video Adult Class. 239
- 10:30 am. Cherub Choir. 123
- 10:00 am. Finance Budget Forum. 237
- 10:45 am. Contemporary Worship. Fellowship Hall
- 11:00 am. Traditional Worship. Nave
- 4:00 pm. Christmas at Trinity Concert. Nave

## **Monday, December 11**

- 9:00 am. Trinity Preschool Playgroup. 221-226
- 6:00 pm. Cub Scout Bears. 125
- 6:00 pm. Girl Scout Troop 10651. 122
- 7:00 pm. Congregation Council. 237

## **Tuesday, December 12**

- 8:00 am. Men's Bible Study. Brothers
- 9:00 am. Trinity Preschool Playgroup. 221-226
- 9:30 am. Staff Meeting. 239
- 9:30 am. Boundaries Unlimited. 237
- 10:30 am. Pastoral Care. 239
- 6:30 pm. FaithX. Fellowship Hall
- 7:00 pm. Girl Scout Troop 10656. 122

## **Wednesday, December 13**

- 9:00 am. Trinity Preschool Playgroup. 221-226, Nave
- 9:30 am. Library Staff. Library
- 7:00 pm. Adult Bells. Nave
- 7:00 pm. Men of Trinity Board. 228-230

## **Thursday, December 14**

- 9:00 am. Trinity Preschool Playgroup. 221-226, Nave
- 9:30 am. Bible Study. Fellowship Hall
- 10:30 am. L.I.F.T. Small Group. 239
- 6:30 pm. Worship. Chapel
- 6:30 pm. Girl Scout Troop 10265. 122, 125
- 7:00 pm. Chancel Choir. Choir Room
- 7:00 pm. Cub Scout Wolves. 11, 12, 14
- 7:00 pm. Bible Study. 237
- 7:00 pm. Boy Scout Troop 51. Fellowship Hall

## **Friday, December 15**

- 12:00 noon. Prayer Service. Chapel

## **Saturday, December 16**

- 8:20 am. Trinity on the Run. Parking lot
- 5:30 pm. Worship. Fellowship Hall

## **Sunday, December 17**

- 8:30 am. Traditional Worship. Nave
- 9:00 am. Contemporary Worship. Fellowship Hall

- 9:30 am. Book Discussion Group. 232-234
- 10:00 am. Adult Bible Study. 228-230
- 10:00 am. Faith Formation Fun Factory for children
- 10:00 am. Confirmation. 12
- 10:00 am. Jr. High (grades 6-7). 11
- 10:00 am. F. O. J. (grades 9-12). 235
- 10:00 am. Gospel Chat. 236
- 10:00 am. NOOMA Video Adult Class. 239
- 10:30 am. Cherub Choir. 123
- 10:45 am. Contemporary Worship. Fellowship Hall
- 11:00 am. Traditional Worship. Nave
- 12:30 pm. Service of Healing. Chapel
- 4:30 pm. Youth Bells. Nave
- 4:30 pm. Children's Pageant Rehearsal for named characters
- 5:15 pm. Matins Choir. Choir Room
- 6:00 pm. YG Caroling and Christmas Party. 236, F Hall, Kit
- 6:00 pm. Junior Bells. Nave
- 6:30 pm. Junior Choir. 123



### support group meetings

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|---------------------------|--|
| AA                        | 7:30 am. Mon. thru Fri. 121                |
|                           | 7:30 pm. Mon. thru Thurs. 121              |
|                           | 11:30 am. Wednesday. 124-126               |
|                           | 12 noon. Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 124-126 |
|                           | 1:00 pm. Wednesday. 124-126                |
| Women's Serenity Group    | 6:00 pm. Mon., Thurs. 124-126              |
| Al-Anon                   | 7:30 pm. Tues., Thurs. 232-234             |
| Al-Ateen                  | 7:30 pm. Thursday. 239                     |
| Gam Anon                  | 7:00 pm. Monday. 239                       |
| Gamblers Anonymous        | 7:00 pm. Monday 236; Thurs. 229            |
| Families Helping Families | 6:30 pm. Monday. 228-230                   |



### community group meetings

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|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Harrisburg Symphony Youth Orchestra | 7:00 pm. Mon. FH       |
| Harrisburg Symphony Junior Strings  | 6:00 pm. Mon. Chr. Rm. |



**Here's some help for parking shortages: 46 more spaces!**

Conte Wealth Associates (CWA) and Myers-Harner Funeral Home say we can use their parking lots on Sundays and other



times when their lots are not in use. CWA's 20 spaces are behind its building at 2009 Market Street (use the access alley off 21st Street by West Shore Baptist), and the funeral home's 26 spaces are at 1903 Market (please don't park in front of the garage doors).

**Did you know?**

**Worship**

We hold nearly 400 worship services each year.



On average, 750 people worship with us every week.

## Did you know?

### Connect

200 of us participate in Sunday morning faith formation classes.



### Serve

Our respected Trinity Preschool Playgroup is a place where local children ages 2½ through 4 play, discover, and learn. We started 40 years ago with just 12 children in one class. Now we serve 100 children in six classes.

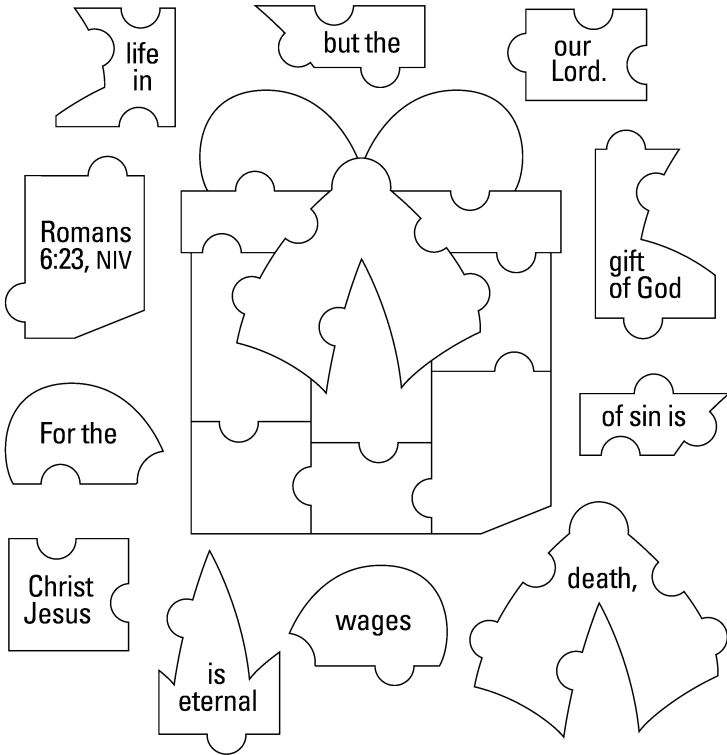




# The greatest gift

Gift-giving is a fun Christmas tradition.  
What very special gift has God given to you?

**Directions:** Write the words from each puzzle piece on the matching blank piece of the gift-shaped puzzle.



Answer: For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans 6:23, NIV

## Trinity Lutheran Church

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Hours: Monday-Friday, 9 am-4 pm  
Gathering Space Receptionist: Sunday-Thursday, 6-9 pm

### Staff

Lead Pastor – Rev. Dr. Jack M. Horner  
Ministry Director for Parish Life – Rev. John H. Brock  
Director of Congregational Care – Rev. Dr. Guy S. Edmiston, Jr.  
Interim Associate Pastor – Rev. Jennifer A. Crist  
Ministry Director for Music – H. Timothy Koch  
Director of Youth and Student Ministries – Peter A. Fox  
Director of Contemporary Music – Debra D. Wilson  
Director of Faith Formation – Kelly A. Falck  
Ministry Director for Communications – Stephanie G. Maurer  
Director for Finance – Paul A. Hensel  
Facilities Supervisor – Erich Sprowls  
Director of Children’s Music – Amy L. Koch  
Director of Preschool – Heather F. Rose  
Office Manager – Nancy J. Martin  
Administrative Assistant for Ministry – Thomas A. Notestine  
Sextons – Russell Brown, La’Mont Randolph  
Sunday Morning Receptionist – Criss Floray  
Evening Receptionists – Lori Anne McBride, Glenn Plott, Beth Hinkle

### Congregation Council

Rob Bertram – President	Kathy Holmes	Dave Miller
Dave Maser – Vice President	Steve Kauffman	Mike Schwalm
Dave Reeser – Secretary	Jay Killian	Anne Stafford
Mike Finio	Barbara Kriebel	Charles Suhr

### Administrative Committee Chairs

Administration and Personnel – Mike Finio	Property – Charles Suhr
Finance – Dave Miller	Strategic Planning – Bob Frymoyer

### Ministry Team Facilitators

Arts – Mary Haar	Parish Ministry – Donna Sprowls
Education – Kelly MacConnell	Publicity & Communication – Danelle Andrews
Fellowship – Kathy Holmes	Social Ministry – Mitzi Jones
Hospitality	Stewardship – Dave Maser
IT/AV – Jonathan Lobaugh	Worship – Jane Killian
Missions – Judy Hunter (interim)	Youth – Sarah Fogg

### Call Committee

Ryan Argot	Kathy Holmes	Jake Miller, chair
Debbie Balasundram	Joe Hunter	Margaret Parker
Bruce Bigelow	Shannon Jones	Karen Yeager
Sarah Hancock		