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Pastor's Page

O Holy Week

We often hear "O Holy Night," sung at Christmas, celebrating the night of Jesus' birth almost as though the night itself had a life of its own. We sing "The Day of Resurrection" similarly at Easter, as though the events of that day fill the day itself with a glowing glory. Of course, for Americans who celebrate the Fourth of July this seems quite fitting!

Holy Week differs from the rest of Lent in that most of the days of Holy Week have specific events in the life of Jesus that are full of meaning. During Lent we have a symbolic period, which we can fill with Psalms (as we're doing this year) or whatever theme helps us connect with Jesus on his road to the cross. But in Holy Week we can actually think in terms of commemorating specific events that happen on identifiable

days in a particular order.

What this means to me is that we can "get into" Holy Week. Beginning with Palm Sunday we can "just say no" to the distractions of this world and decide to mark each event with devotional and worship time. That's why we bring our own palm branches (don't forget!) to the Palm Sunday services—the very act of going out into our yards and cutting the fronds, putting them into our cars, and carrying them into church helps prepare us for a worship service in which we relive the experience of Jesus' disciples in the crowd of Palm Sunday.

Likewise through Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday, and Easter Sunday we pay attention to the events that occurred on those days and try to enter into the action with our worship

by Pastor Jeff Moore

services. Think of the Seder meal on Thursday that our confirmands attend, or the "strepitus," the loud noise that symbolizes the crashing shut of the stone rolled to close Jesus' tomb, or the breathless, dark anticipation of the Easter Vigil service, clinging to the readings of promises kept and participating in a baptism, "buried by baptism into his death, or the sunrise experience that marks the women's journey to the tomb "very early in the morning on the first day of the week." Each day we have the opportunity to involve our whole being in remembering the events that have spelled the difference between death and life for all who believe.

So I encourage you to take part in our experience of Holy Week, not just Easter. Let me try three musical

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examples, depending on your tastes, to try to help you understand what I'm driving at—"The Orange Blossom Special," Samuel Barber's "Adagio for Strings," and any number of the songs by "The Who" (although, like most popular music, their resolutions come more quickly and more often than in classical works). There are thousands of other examples, but in the first two pieces there's a tension that builds and builds and builds until you almost can't stand it, and, finally, a resolution that releases all that tension. If you only heard the resolution it really would mean nothing, maybe wouldn't even be pretty! But if you've listened to the whole piece it can take your breath away! (Actually, if you remember Ravel's "Bolero" that might be one of the best examples of this, but in that case it may really build past the point you can stand!)

I'm not saying that taking part in Holy Week services is just about emotions, about the release of the tension when you finally arrive at Easter. It's definitely more than emotion. Let me quote (from memory, I'm afraid) from a story I once read written by a man who gave up the presidency of Columbia University to nurse his wife through the final stages of

Alzheimer's Disease. He was telling about the things that he remembered and cherished about her. While he was the cerebral, intellectual, rational type, she was alive, vibrant, passionate about many things. During one of their disagreements, as he was squelching her with pure logic, she said, "Let me just say one thing—Logic isn't everything, and feelings aren't nothing."

You all know that I tend toward the dry, intellectual side, but that quote has stuck with me. I feel that it respects both sides, and holds these two in their proper relationship. It's important to know the facts, to be able to state clearly how Jesus' life, death, and resurrection accomplish our salvation, but it's also important that, since this has happened, we live lives filled with resurrection joy! That's why we relive Holy Week—to keep the two sides of our humanity in tune with each other, not just hearing the message but living again the great deeds that save us. Our faith in Jesus is not merely the knowledge of the facts but a living relationship with the Living God!

God bless your celebration of this Holy Week!

The Best of Times; The Worst of Times

by Sandy Ogg, Executive Director

"It was the best of times, it was the worst of times. . . ."

Charles Dickens: "A Tale of Two Cities"

Dear Trinity Members,

Charles Dickens was writing a novel centered during the French Revolution when he wrote "A Tale of Two Cities." Time during war can be either the "best" or the "worst" depending on which side you support.

At Trinity we are facing some of the "worst of times" financially. We are being challenged

by God to get a better grip on our stewardship. Currently, we are as much as \$225,000 past due in payments to our vendors. The reasons are many, but here are three: (1) a \$223,000 deficit brought forward from last year's budget; (2) low school enrollment impacting income; and (3) past due tuition accounts over the last four years.

Lest this seem like all doom and gloom, let's list some positives; (1) Trinity Boards have cut expenditures to the bone; (2) there is now an effective program in place for collection of

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past due tuition accounts; (4) your officers and directors are working diligently to turn the financial crisis around; and (5) most importantly, we are continuing to minister for Christ.

By the time you read this, you will have (hopefully) attended the March 25th Special Voters meeting to address these financial issues. You will have some answers, and maybe even have been a part of the “war strategy” to return to sound financial footing.

Indeed, we will be on the road to returning to “the best of times”

During Lent we look inwardly and to the Savior who gave all for our salvation. While it may look like Good Friday right now, we are Easter Christians and know that “Sunday is coming!”

Trusting Him,
Sandy

Welcome New Members

We would like to welcome the following new members to the family of faith here at Trinity Lutheran Church & School. They offer our congregation a variety of backgrounds and experiences that will bless our congregation. Please take the time to introduce yourself and help them feel at home at Trinity.

Sheryl Clifton and Troy Barfield will be getting married in May. Sheryl is originally from Chicago, IL. She is a paralegal by trade. She has two children; Taylor, 13 and Chase, 8. 407-381-9456 scifton@yahoo.com Troy is transferring his membership to Trinity from Prince of Peace. He is originally from Orlando. Marketing and Sales is his field of occupation. He enjoys baseball & football. 14862 Huntley Drive, Orlando, FL 32828 321-662-0662 tbar5599@yahoo.com

The Glicks are our next family to welcome. Shelley is originally from Texas and enjoys cooking. She is a managed care executive with Myriad Genetics. Aaron is a native Floridian and enjoys golf, which comes as no surprise as he is in management with Edwin Watts Golf. As a family they enjoy traveling, skiing, and family time with their 4-month-old daughter Avrie. 14349 Paradise Tree Drive, Orlando FL 32828 407-382-1571 aglick@adelphia.net sglick@myriad.com

Allan Bowlin is a computer networking engineer that hails from Ellisville, Missouri. He enjoys shooting, boating, fishing, and Backgammon. He is married to Krissy (Liesch) Bowlin. 404 West 20th Street, Sanford, FL 32771 407-760-4244 allan@cyngt.net

Michael Stewart enjoys music, woodworking, skiing, and fishing. He is originally from California. He spends his professional time as a musician and a building contractor. Cheryl (Logan) and Michael are celebrating their anniversary this month. 118 Valencia Loop, Altamonte Springs, FL 32714 407-774-5610 stewartmd@cfl.rr.com

As a firefighter/paramedic at Station 1 in Orlando, **Wayne Bernoska** is very familiar with our downtown community. He is originally from Gary, Indiana. PO Box 120005, Clermont, FL 34712 321-231-9116 waynebernoska@yahoo.com

Beth Bicker enjoys Florida Football. She is originally from Winter Haven where she owns a childcare business. She and Wayne Bernoska will be married in May. 101 24th St. SW, Winter Haven, FL 33880 863-585-7967 bbicker@gmail.com

Originally from Daytona, **Aeron Lane** now calls Winter Garden home. He is engaged to Kelley Schumacher. He is an Industrial Kitchen Equipment Installer. Aeron enjoys playing softball and watching the Braves and the 49ers win. He also enjoys supporting Florida – GO GATORS!!! 1006 Garden Circle, Winter Garden, FL 34787 407-595-7369

Billy Hicks is a Miami native. He enjoys surfing, running, and rowing. Pharmaceutical sales is his field of occupation. He has one child, Cameron Grace Hicks, who is 3. 1820 Oregon St. Orlando, FL 32803 407-234-3847 William.hicks@tap.com

A from Your Music Director

by Lisa Moore, Music Director

April Singing Schedule

4/1 - Palm Sunday

8:00am Parish choir and bells
11:00am All Sunday School children

4/5 - Maundy Thursday

7:00 p.m. Parish choir and bells

4/6 - Good Friday

7:00 p.m. Parish choir and bells

4/8 - Easter

6:30 a.m. Choristers and Carillon II
8 & 11:00am Parish choir, bells and brass

4/15 - Sunday

8:00am Cherub Choir (1st and 2nd grade)
11:00am Parish choir and bells

4/22 - Sunday

8:00am Parish choir and bells
11:00am Kinderchoir

4/29 - Confirmation

Carol Choir will NOT sing this week

5/6 - Sunday

8:00am Carol Choir (3rd, 4th, 5th grade)

5/8 - School Spring Concert !!

The History of Holy Week and Easter Vigil

Easter celebrates the chief event in the life of Christ and was the major celebration among early Christians. However, Easter required a period of preparation. The 40-day preparation prescribed for baptismal candidates became known as Lent (from the Latin word for "spring".) During this period, the candidates were examined, questioned, in preparation for Baptism at the Easter or Paschal Vigil. A tradition that dates to the early church is evident in two alternate names for Palm Sunday: Sunday of the Catechumens or Mass for Passing Down the Creed. Both names refer to the practice of teaching the Apostles' Creed to catechumens on the Sunday before their Baptism, which would have occurred on Easter Eve.

The practice of celebrating throughout Holy Week seems to have grown from a three-day event, the Triduum (Latin for "three days") –

Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter Eve. Observed in Jerusalem, the Triduum pre-dates the 40-day Lenten season. As increasing numbers of pilgrims attended services in the ancient city on these days, additional special services were added throughout the week. Apparently under the leadership of Bishop Cyril of Jerusalem (A.D. 351-386), the historic sites in and around Jerusalem that were connected to Jesus' life, death, and resurrection became locations for special services to mark the events of Holy Week. These services provided opportunities for further catechetical instruction. After the pilgrims visited the sites and participated in the services, they carried the moving experiences to the home territories and congregations.

On Holy Saturday, the congregation gathers outside a darkened sanctuary to light the new Easter fire for the Easter Vigil. The Paschal candle's Alpha and Omega and the five wounds of Christ are traced. We enter the sanctuary by candlelight.

The service consists of numerous Old Testament readings, (no sermon): Creation, the Flood, Abraham's sacrifice of Isaac, Israel delivered at the Red Sea, and readings from Isaiah, Ezekiel, Job and Zephaniah. Each is the story of God rescuing His people, the renewal of life through "resurrection".

Maundy Thursday

April 5 - 12:10 and 7:00 p.m.

Good Friday Chief Service

April 6 - 12:10 p.m.

Good Friday Tenebrae Vespers

April 6 - 7:00 p.m.

Easter Vigil Service

Saturday, April 7 - 6:00 p.m.

Easter Day Services

April 8 - 6:30, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

A Servant's Heart

The month of April is my favorite because it brings spring with a promise of better weather (at least up north), blooming plants and flowers, usually Easter, and always my confirmation anniversary. I was confirmed on Palm Sunday, April 11....a few years ago. My confirmation meant I am a “grown-up” adult in the church family, for now I could stand at the altar and share the Holy Communion supper. The seed the Holy Spirit planted in my heart and soul on my baptism day has sprouted and is growing. While I do not consider my confirmation celebration a graduation or even a rite, it was a rite of passage as I moved from milk to solid food. Hebrews 5:11-6:8 explains what I am trying to express. As a newborn baby is fed only with mother's milk, so the immature faith must be fed “the basic principles of the oracles of God.” Yet, mother's milk is not a food intended to nourish any person forever. We humans will not grow and mature if pampered care, isolated protection from the outside world, and baby food are our way of life. Likewise, in our faith maturation, we cannot grow as long as we remain feeding only on the milk of basic principles, remaining protected within the walls of a church affiliation or identity, and never reach out of our comfort

by Liz Borth, Deaconess Intern

zone to share the Gospel we know and experience. Hebrews 5:13 tells us “everyone who lives on milk is unskilled in the word of righteousness.” A mature faith comes from “powers of discernment trained by constant practice.” Christian faith matures through the trials of testing and discerning what is the will of God.

Jesus as our High Priest looks at all of us with disappointed dissatisfaction when our faith is stagnant. We are to move forward in faith maturity, using the doctrines learned during confirmation class, or adult instruction as building blocks. The good news is the Holy Spirit is constantly at work in you. God is the vinedresser who prunes every branch in order that it may bear more fruit (John 15:2). You are blessed with an opportunity to weekly hear the Word of God proclaimed in community worship. You have been blessed with small group Bible study opportunities. You have been blessed with a congregation that supports Christian education. Please give up feeding on the baby food and move ahead toward solid food for faith growth. God began his “good work in you and will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ” (Philippians 1:6).

Sunday School Easter Celebration!

Sunday School for Preschool through Grade 5 will meet in the Library for some Easter “stations:” Craft, Snack, Activity, Video, and a special Easter gift for each child.



***Come join us at 9:30 on April 8th.
Jesus is Alive! Let's Celebrate!***

Remember the Sabbath Day, to keep it holy.

The following Sunday School students gladly heard and learned God's Word for one month of perfect attendance:

Megan Bader	Joy Bourgeois
Kelty Zavitz	Jessica Naputi
Mackendrick Zaqvitz	Isabel Bermudez
Sarah Dittmer	

VBS

This summer our campus turns into a Wild Ride Through God's Word as the kids from our church and community experience Avalanche Ranch. It will be a real stampede of excitement! Each day kids will sing catchy songs, play teamwork-building games, nibble Chuck Wagon Chow, take on a Daily Challenge to let God's love grow into their homes, experience electrifying Bible adventures, collect Bible Memory Buddies to remind them of God's Word, and create Bible Point Crafts they'll take home and play with all summer long. Kids will also join nearly a million children in North America by taking part in a hands-on mission project reaching children in French speaking areas of Africa.

Every member of the congregation will participate in this year's VBS with either a donation of Crew time, Cowpoke Craft items, Chuck Wagon supplies, or sponsoring a little wrangler's ranch experience. Watch for the Prairie Dogs in your next newsletter or see 'em poppin' up in the narthex. They will explain how you can be part of this mission to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ through a ministry to strengthen and equip people for Christian witness and service in downtown, metropolitan Orlando and the World!

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EMAIL ADDRESS?

Do you have an email address that you have not turned in to the church office? Please email or call in your new or updated email address to the church office, tlc@trinitydowntown.org.

Don't Forget To Save This Date; Sunday May, 20

This is the date of Trinity's first Informational Health Fair. Representatives from a number of health and wellness companies will be available to explain and share their services from 9 a.m.-1:30p.m.

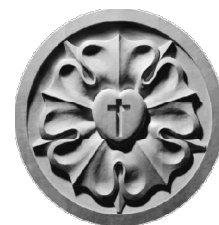
Areas of emphasis will include: skin care, massage therapy, cholesterol screening, estate planning, nutrition aerobics/ fitness, diabetes, podiatry, dental and skin care education.

Representatives from Life Line Screenings will be among the providers visiting our campus to share information. The information they provide will be in preparation of screening services to be made available during a return visit on June, 7.

Everyone is certain to benefit from one or more from the services and information to be available. The members of your Human Care Board hope you are planning to attend.

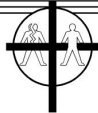
Do you know of a company or organization that may want to share information about their products and services? We would love to hear from you. Contact Jeanine Delehunt, evenings, after 7, 407-382-2160 or Rob Stuendel, 407-291-9626.

A representative from the Human Care Board may be calling some of you who completed information forms at the Stewardship Volunteer Fair to ask for assistance with publicity, set up, etc. With all the skills and talent, in our congregation, this special day promises to be a great success.



Stephen Ministry

STEPHEN MINISTRY



Trinity began Stephen Ministry in June, 2000 in a response to

God's love and Jesus' command – “Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another.” John 13:34 Stephen Ministers answer this call in a special way by “being there” for individuals in crisis or for those who need a Christian presence during a life struggle. Stephen Ministers bring Jesus' love to those in need by listening, being there and ministering with Christian resources such as prayer, blessings and sharing Scriptures. Stephen Ministers help in a special way.

Prayer keeps the lines open between people and God. Praying specifically for needs brings spiritual strength to ministry. Stephen Ministers pray for and with their care receivers – praying their hearts will be opened to God's love and healing. Stephen Ministers also pray for and with each other as Stephen Ministers – daily as well as during Ongoing Education/Peer Supervision meetings.

Last April Trinity commissioned five Stephen Ministers : Karen Arnett, Carolyn Davenport, Leo and Stephanie Nagy and Gary Oakley. This was the fourth class of Stephen Ministers to receive approximately 50 hours of training in distinctively Christian care-giving. Stephen Ministers commit to a two year term of training and service. Stephen Ministers are each assigned a care receiver to meet with for about an hour a week. This caring relationship lasts as long as needed. If you would like more information and/or if you or someone you know (please obtain their permission) could be served by such care please call Pastor at 407-422-5704.

Prayer: Lord of all hopefulness, stand beside our Stephen Ministers as they endeavor by your Spirit's power to bring your caring presence to your people. May they bring Your hope into the lives of hurting people. Help them turn to You for strength and wisdom as they give care in Your name. We ask Your blessing on their caring relationships so that their care receivers can experience Your healing touch. We pray in the name of Christ who renews us with His forgiving love. Amen.

Lutheran Witness Renewal Time!

Yes, it's time to renew or take out a new subscription to *The Lutheran Witness*. *The Lutheran Witness* magazine is an official periodical of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod containing many spiritual articles and notices from members and the Synod Office. The cost for a single subscription is \$9 per year **[Trinity pays for the subscription for senior citizens]**. If you are interested in a subscription mailed to your home for your family please fill out the coupon and place it in the offering plate, mail or drop off at the church office or call Connie Hagerman at 407-422-5704 by **April 11th**. Trinity makes 50 copies available of *The Lutheran Witness*, which are located in the Narthex each month for guests and members.

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Macau Update

Macau, March 2007

where the shadows lie

On the eve of the Chinese New Year, I sat with one of the teachers from Jiangmen (an English center in China), waiting for the fireworks to begin. Macau's newest casino, the Grand Lisboa, had opened a few days earlier, and its giant sphere was illuminated in ever-changing patterns of colored lights, ranging from an aquarium to a globe. All of a sudden, we were confronted by the image of a giant eye scanning the city. Both of our thoughts were instantly drawn to the sleepless eye of the Dark Lord Sauron from Lord of the Rings. The comparisons between Macau and Mordor at once became clear to us.

Earlier that evening, we had ventured inside the Grand Lisboa just to see what it was like inside one of Macau's many casinos. Whatever the casino owners and advertisers may like you to believe, a casino is not a happy place. The despair inside the dazzling room was almost palpable. The hundreds of people losing their life savings were not smiling. Even the workers looked sorry to be there.

The spiritual darkness of Macau is overwhelming at times. The apartment next to mine, like so many other homes, restaurants, and businesses here, is marked by a small red shrine outside the door where incense and food are offered to the ancestors. I can smell the incense burning from inside my apartment. Inside the shops, homes, and businesses a second shrine houses an image of one of the favorite Buddhist gods or goddesses. A special red light bulb illuminates the idols day and night, so that looking out the window of my old apartment, I could always see the shrine in the apartment across the street from me.

So here I am in a land covered by darkness and despair, a city driven by greed and lust, a land where the shadows lie. And who I am to be

by Anna Moore

here? How can I do anything to penetrate the darkness, to relieve the despair?

I once heard that what we actually see is not an object itself but the light reflecting off of the object. I never understood that concept until this past summer when I was using my cell phone as a flashlight. Once I moved close enough to an object for the light of my phone to reflect off of it, I could see the object.

I have in my apartment a beautiful shell. But that shell only appears beautiful to me because the light is reflecting off of it. In the same way, I am only beautiful when God's light is reflected in my life. I cannot penetrate the darkness and despair of this world. But God can. It is my prayer that His light would be reflected in my life—and in yours.

no one knows who I am

I spent the Chinese New Year break (18-27 February) in Singapore and Malaysia with three of the teachers from Jiangmen. During one of our hostel stays we met McKenzie, a twenty-one-year-old Canadian who had worked in the oil industry for several years, grown disillusioned, and set out on a two-year tour of the world—traveling here and there as and when he pleased—hoping somewhere along the way to discover the meaning of life.

It reminded me of a song from Jekyll and Hyde:

look at me and tell me who I am
why I am
what I am
call me a fool and it's true I am
I don't know who I am

it's such a shame
I'm such a sham
no one knows who I am

am I the face of the future?

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by Liz Borth, Deaconess Intern

am I the face of the past?
am I the one who must finish last?

look at me and tell me who I am
why I am
what I am
will I survive? who will give a damn
if no one knows who I am?

nobody knows
not even you
no one knows who I am

We are surrounded by people who wander about without knowing who they are or why they are alive. People like McKenzie, searching the whole world in an attempt to find the meaning of life.

But we are different because we know the answer to those questions. In Ephesians 1:4-6 Paul writes: “For He chose us in Him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in His sight. In love He predestined us to be adopted as His sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with His pleasure and will—to the praise of His glorious grace, which He has freely given us in the One He loves.”

Who are we? Children of God. What are we? Holy and blameless. Why are we holy and blameless? Because God chose us in love. Why are we here? To live to the praise of His glorious grace. To share with others the reason for the hope that we have.

God is smiling on us

During our time in Malaysia, we found ourselves running late and in danger of missing our flight. We prayed that we would make it to the airport on time to catch our flight. Then we sat on the bus, glancing anxiously at our watches. Our flight was scheduled to leave at 1:40. It was now 1:45, and we still weren't to the terminal. There was no chance of making our flight now.

Imagine our surprise when we finally reached the airport and discovered that our flight had been “retimed” (i.e. delayed)! God had granted our request, but not at all in the way we expected.

God is full of surprises. Isn't it wonderful to know that we can count on Him to give us the best, even when we aren't asking for the right thing?

I'm settling into a schedule of teaching English, leading Bible studies, and learning Cantonese, Mandarin, and Macau Sign Language. I'm hoping to start working at Concordia Special Education School in the near future.

I have moved into my “permanent” apartment on Taipa and will be hosting a short-term volunteer next month.

Thank you all for your prayers and the encouraging letters I have received.

Prayer requests:

- for Concordia English Center, as we are very short-staffed right now
- wisdom for Sharon, our director, as she makes decisions about the future of the center
- that God would provide workers for the harvest field of Macau
- for me as I build relationships
- for my language learning
- praise for a safe and relaxing trip to Singapore and Malaysia

Please also prayerfully consider whether you or someone you know might be able to serve as a short-term volunteer in Macau.

No experience necessary! All we ask is a heart willing to serve God and the people He loves.

In Christ,
Anna Moore

Trinity's Finance

Statement of Activities - Trinity Lutheran Church

January 2007 - All Funds

	Annual Budget	January Actual	January Budget	Year to Date Actual	Year to Date Budget	Year to Date Last Year
Income:						
Church Receipts	1,455,653.00	79,433.11	111,761.85	729,809.96	856,338.33	801,938.91
School Receipts	1,429,576.00	118,171.20	128,926.10	890,225.85	930,231.04	885,536.58
Total Income	<u>2,885,229.00</u>	<u>197,604.31</u>	<u>240,687.95</u>	<u>1,620,035.81</u>	<u>1,786,569.37</u>	<u>1,687,475.49</u>
Expense:						
Lay Ministry	322,063.00	23,936.65	25,177.61	177,753.14	185,655.09	165,053.39
Lay Ministry: Music	15,698.00	1,040.00	1,350.00	9,277.59	9,691.00	8,532.99
Evangelism	17,071.00	0	849.98	1,986.25	9,401.10	8.98
Human Care	2,165.00	0	200	507.51	1,595.00	348.64
Youth	39,080.00	2,903.48	3,060.51	22,688.18	22,800.57	2,718.33
Parish Education	4,800.00	3.5	380	1,464.85	2,280.00	923.27
School:Registration	25,750.00	418.15	9,250.00	18,046.70	21,750.00	19,669.56
School Ministry	992,530.00	79,794.92	96,764.61	564,150.11	601,103.63	547,827.71
School Ministry:Child Care	467,858.00	35,822.52	44,143.62	268,117.49	285,203.72	257,016.64
Finance Office	98,497.00	9,055.79	9,259.50	64,795.54	61,632.50	54,546.62
Stewardship	5,000.00	60	0	1,529.72	2,750.00	1,061.73
Parish Fellowship	15,050.00	109.8	960	7,938.56	9,120.00	9,014.04
Public Relations	10,500.00	238.06	666.66	5,236.84	5,916.70	5,004.90
Properties	595,411.00	57,342.09	53,920.38	378,319.94	360,473.46	352,331.79
Parish Planning Council	10,200.00	0	2,200.00	244.89	4,200.00	3,826.38
Voters:Benevolences	110,550.00	9,462.64	7,764.00	59,001.03	66,339.00	58,687.41
LCEF Improv. Loan	148,006.00	12,317.22	12,333.83	86,923.32	86,336.85	89,801.96
Dedicated Funds Loan	5,000.00	0	1,000.00	78.98	3,000.00	2,000.00
Total Expense	<u>2,885,229.00</u>	<u>232,504.82</u>	<u>269,280.70</u>	<u>1,668,060.64</u>	<u>1,739,248.62</u>	<u>1,578,374.34</u>
Income - Expense		<u>-34,900.51</u>	<u>-28,592.75</u>	<u>-48,024.83</u>	<u>47,320.75</u>	<u>109,101.15</u>

February 2007 - All Funds

	Annual Budget	February Actual	February Budget	Year to Date Actual	Year to Date Budget	Year to Date Last Year
Income:						
Church Receipts	1,455,653.00	89,067.93	109,761.85	818,877.89	966,100.18	894,715.60
School Receipts	1,429,576.00	114,280.84	151,276.10	1,004,506.69	1,081,507.14	1,002,502.06
Total Income	<u>2,885,229.00</u>	<u>203,348.77</u>	<u>261,037.95</u>	<u>1,823,384.58</u>	<u>2,047,607.32</u>	<u>1,897,217.66</u>
Expense:						
Lay Ministry	322,063.00	24,543.60	25,217.61	202,296.74	210,872.70	189,412.00
Lay Ministry: Music	15,698.00	1,000.00	1,100.00	10,277.59	10,791.00	9,597.49
Evangelism	17,071.00	0	1,687.98	1,986.25	11,089.08	569.48
Human Care	2,165.00	0	290	507.51	1,885.00	373.45
Youth	39,080.00	3,937.38	3,629.74	26,625.56	26,430.31	2,868.33
Parish Education	4,800.00	413.25	310	1,878.10	2,590.00	934.02
School:Registration	25,750.00	1,952.31	4,000.00	19,999.01	25,750.00	23,551.18
School Ministry	992,530.00	77,709.56	75,214.94	641,859.67	676,318.57	608,196.51
School Ministry:Child Care	467,858.00	35,625.83	36,066.63	303,743.32	321,270.35	292,738.03
Finance Office	98,497.00	8,597.66	7,326.00	73,393.20	68,958.50	62,431.32
Stewardship	5,000.00	493.43	1,150.00	2,023.15	3,900.00	1,181.73
Parish Fellowship	15,050.00	-172.14	1,460.00	7,766.42	10,580.00	11,436.13
Public Relations	10,500.00	0	666.66	5,236.84	6,583.36	5,287.70
Properties	595,411.00	50,980.98	47,817.79	429,300.92	408,291.25	407,331.91
Parish Planning Council	10,200.00	0	2,000.00	244.89	6,200.00	3,826.38
Voters:Benevolences	110,550.00	5,446.38	8,064.00	64,447.41	74,403.00	66,452.05
LCEF Improv. Loan	148,006.00	12,281.64	12,333.83	99,204.96	98,670.68	102,498.50
Dedicated Funds Loan	5,000.00	0	0	78.98	3,000.00	3,000.00
Total Expense	<u>2,885,229.00</u>	<u>222,809.88</u>	<u>228,335.18</u>	<u>1,890,870.52</u>	<u>1,967,583.80</u>	<u>1,791,686.21</u>
Income - Expense		<u>-19,461.11</u>	<u>32,702.77</u>	<u>-67,485.94</u>	<u>80,023.52</u>	<u>105,531.45</u>

TLS Viking's Sports Report

Final congratulations to our Trinity Lutheran's Lady Vikings Varsity Basketball Team on a super season. They ended their season with a 23-3 record and a 3rd place finished in the CFLAA Tournament. At the Varsity Girl's State Basketball Tournament (2/16/07 – 2/18/07) in Ocala, Florida, the girls won their first round game but came up short against St. Michael's of Ft. Meyers losing by only 3 points. It was a great game and the girls played their hearts out – we should all be proud of them.

Trinity Board of Youth would like to recognize the following Trinity Lutheran - High School students that participated in a Winter Sport. Congratulations to all of you! They are as follows:

Olympia High School--Soccer

Emily Yawman
Jonathan Yawman



Boone High School--Soccer

Lucas Rawlings

Now if I left anyone out, please let me know and I will put you down for next month's newsletter. Parents – if you have a Middle School and/or a High School student that is in a sport/activity or has achieved a certain honor let us know so we can recognize them. E-mail:

BYM@TRINITYDOWNTOWN.ORG. Let me know of if any high school students are in any SPRING sports like baseball, track, water polo or softball etc.

On another note parents let us know if you have a high school senior who is graduating this spring. Also, let us know if they have been accepted to a University and/or College etc. so we can recognize them too. E-mail: BYM@TRINITYDOWNTOWN.ORG

From the Child Development Center

Looking for a quality way for your children to spend their days during summer vacation? Trinity's Summer Recreation Program offers care daily for children K-7th grades on our campus from 7:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. The Summer Recreation Program provides daily activities for children in a safe, Christian environment. Children start their day with devotions and participate in swimming, field trips to area attractions, Vacation Bible School, movies, arts and crafts, sports, and more. The fee is \$145 for 5 days of care, \$95 for any 3 days of care, or \$30 to join us on a drop-in daily basis. Activity calendars will be distributed beginning in April. The Recreation

program begins on Monday, June 4th and runs through Friday, August 10th, with a week break July 2nd-6th. For more information, or to enroll your child, please contact



Shelley Webre at 407-849-6316 or at swebre@trinitydowntown.org. Children from the community are welcome to join us, so please bring a friend to join our fun!

Spring Cleaning? The Child Development Center and Extended Care programs could use donations of gently-used infant and preschool toys, outside riding toys, board games, Legos, Barbie Dolls, and baby dolls. If you have any toys that need a new home, please consider donating them to the children of the CDC and Extended



Care. Contact Shelley Webre at 407-849-6316 or at swebre@trinitydowntown.org.

Trinity Cookbook



Did you know the first St. Patrick's Day parade took place not in Ireland, but in the United States. Irish soldiers serving in the English military marched through New York City on March 17, 1762. Along with their music, the parade helped the soldiers to reconnect with their Irish roots, as well as fellow Irishmen serving in the English army.

CABBAGE • CABBAGE • CABBAGE

- There are three main varieties of cabbage; red, green and savory which has crinkly leaves. When picking out your cabbage avoid the ones with worm holes and smell the core for sweetness.
- Green and red cabbage should have firm tight leaves with good color. Cabbage should be refrigerated in plastic bags and used within 7-14 days.
- Cabbage "odors" can be contained if you place a piece of bread on top of the cabbage when cooking in a covered pot. Or a bit of vinegar with help cut down the odor.
- To keep red cabbage red, try adding a tablespoon of white vinegar to the cooking water. Avoid cutting red cabbage with a carbon-steel knife or cooking it in an aluminum pot, both of which also cause discoloration
- When you need cabbage leaves for stuffed cabbage, try freezing the whole cabbage first, then let it thaw, and the leaves will come apart easier.
- To prevent cabbage wedges from falling apart in dishes such as corned beef and cabbage; insert a wooden skewer into the back of each wedge before cooking.
- If you like the cabbage in your coleslaw to be

crisp, soak the whole cabbage in ice cold water. Dissolve a heaping tablespoon of salt in a large bowl of water; soak the cabbage for about 10 minutes. Rinse it briefly with more cold water, and dry it with paper towels before you grate or chop it up.

- If you are preparing any special St Patrick's Day meals these weekends don't forget to jot the recipes down for our Trinity cookbook.

FOOD TERMINOLOGY:

Anlaise: Typical English dish that is boiled or roasted.

Antipasto: An Italian word for an assortment of appetizers, such as cold cuts, olives, pickles, peppers, and vegetables.

Aspic: Gelatin make from concentrated vegetables and meat stocks. Usually contains tomato juice.

A beurre: Either "with" or "cooked in butter."

Please continue filling out your recipes for our cookbook. Forms are located in the Narthex, School office, Church office and online at www.trinitydowntown.org/cookbook

Please submit your recipes to the committee as soon as possible so they can be turned over to the publisher. Thank you!

By Mail: **Trinity Lutheran Church & School**
Attention Cookbook
427 N. Magnolia Ave.
Orlando FL 32801

At Church: Drop Box in Narthex
 At School: Drop Box in Office
 Church office: Drop Box at Front Desk
 By Email: TrinityCookbook07@hotmail.com
(Forms also available on-line:
www.trinitydowntown.org/cookbook)

Youth News

Annual Easter Breakfast – April 8th, 2007

LCMS National Youth Gathering Fund-raiser
Our HS Youth and the Board of Youth Ministry will serve traditional Easter Breakfast after the 6:30, 8:00, and 9:30 am services. The cost for the breakfast is on a donation basis. Please remember this is to help our high school youth attend the National Youth Gathering **+C H S B N+** this coming summer.

Don't miss the last March fund-raising event!



Upcoming Youth Fundraiser,

The youth will be having a Car Wash at the Walmart on 436 and Lake Margaret on Saturday, March 31st 10 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Please come by and support, the youth groups!
Thank you!

Check out these upcoming HS Youth events in APRIL below.

by Dan Davies, DCE Intern

April 2007 – In the L.I.G.H.T. (HS) events

4/3 – Bible Study: Dan

4/10 – Amusement Park

4/17 – Bible Study: Youth Led

4/24 – Open Gym Night

Please check the Triune Weekly and/or your e-mail for any possible changes.

The God Squad – (Trinity's Middle School Youth Ministry): Grades 6 – 8
The Middle School students has their weekly meetings on Thursday evening

5:30 – 7:30 p.m. Please check the Triune and/or your e-mail for any changes in time or location etc. Questions? Call Dan Davies: 407-422-5704 ext. 129 or e-mail, BYM@trinitydowntown.org

Club 45 (Trinity's Youth Ministry to 4th and 5th graders)
Club 45 will meet again on Sunday – 4/15/07. Check the Triune for more details.

**“The Best Cup of
Coffee in Town”
Brought to You by
Your Fellowship Board!
Sundays 8:45-9:30 a.m.
In the Fellowship Hall**

PORTALS OF PRAYER

Portals of Prayer, daily devotional booklets, are available in the back of the church. Please take one. A limited number of large print editions are also available in the church office.

Seeding Health and Hope

A Monthly Health Ministry Resource
For Congregations
Vol. 10, no.4 April 2007



Put a Spring in Your Step

April is Foot Health Awareness Month. Are you remembering to take care of your feet? The American Podiatric Medical Association (APMA) offers ten great foot health tips.

1 -For persistent foot pain, see a podiatric physician.

2 -Notice any change in color or temperature of your feet? Are your toenails thick or discolored? Are there cracks or cuts in the skin? These issues may need some attention.

3 -Wash your feet regularly. Get in between your toes and dry them well.

4 -Cut toenails straight across—cutting the corners and sides can lead to ingrown nails.

5 -Make sure you replace worn out shoes promptly. Purchase shoes that fit well and try them on at a later time in the day to account for foot swelling.

6 -Wear the appropriate type of shoe for your activity.

7 -Don't wear the same pair of shoes each day.

8 -Protect your feet. Going barefoot can expose your feet to injury and infection. Make sure to put sunscreen on your feet when wearing sandals.

9 -Be careful that you don't turn minor problems into major ones when treating foot ailments at home.

10 -Diabetics should see a podiatric physician annually.

Prayer List

In order for the Triune prayer list to be up to date and functional, we have started to date the prayer requests and put them in a rotation. After three weeks of prayer, we will automatically take off that particular prayer. If you want us to continue the prayer, call the Church Office and request the prayer be put back on the prayer list for another three-week rotation. The prayer list of the monthly newsletter will consist of prayers that are longer term. If there are any changes on the list below or if you would like them in the Triune prayer list for three weeks, call the Church Office, 407-422-5704, or email tlc@trinitydowntown.org.

During the Month of March we prayed for:

Prayers for Health Concerns

Shannon H
Ronnie Allen
Emily Berry
Chuck Boogher
Helen Brodeur
Tyler Byeraly
Mary Cawthon
Patrick Clark
Kathy Codd
Tina Collyer
Joyce Copenhauer
Scott Davis
Mark Eckoff
Diane Edenfield
Michelle Emery's sister
Doris Engstrom
Joy Fortunato
Lucy Fry
Pam Hahn
Larry Hamer
Steve Haskett
Nancy Hildebrand
Peter Hinton
Kim Hoffman
Marty Hyder
Roy Karst
John Lanier
Karen Lanier
David Lennon
James Lutes
Steve Mahaney
Tamika Mathis

Scott Nelson
Larry "Joe" Oakley
Andy O'Pry
Karen Phinney
Josephine Poulos
Lois Raymond
Irene Reynolds
Liam Richey
Mike Rushing
Richard Schroeder
Archie Seaton
Christian Sharp
Eve Sneller
Oakus Stephens
Jo Trapp
Tiffany van Sliedrecht
Isabelle Hope van Sliedrecht
Sarah Waters
Keith Woods
Tim Dakota
Sandy C. family
Stevens Family
friends and family of Bobby
Maessen
workers at fuel plant in Texas
that exploded
Goethals family
Linh Dang Family
For those who are homeless
in our city.

Serving Our Country

Matt Ashburn
Eddie Rawlings
Lauren B
Jeremy Bickel
Brian Boisselle
Joe Branneky
Ronald Cohen
Will Cravens
Matthew Finton
Paul Goethals
Rev. Jeremy Gorline
Adam Inbody
Robert J. Kasper
Dave Lucas
Richard Mast
Chris Michaud
Billy Morgan
Cpr. Royston
Jesse Steel
Lauren Stives
John Ward
Marcus Ward
Adam Wilcox

Please contact the church office if any of the names of the prayer list are wrong or need to be taken off or added.

April 2007

May 2007

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>April 1</p> <p>8:00am 9:15am Worship - Traditional (S100)</p> <p>9:30am 10:45am Trinity Sunday School</p> <p>9:30am 10:45am Workshop - Folk (S100)</p> <p>9:30am 10:30am The Genesis Group</p> <p>11:00am 2:00pm Vietnamese Worship</p> <p>11:00am 12:15pm Workshop - Traditional (S100)</p> <p>2:00pm 5:00pm Palm Sunday Family</p> <p>2:00pm 4:00pm Sunday Basketball</p> <p>6:00pm 7:00pm Women's Choir</p> <p>7:00pm 8:00pm Men's Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>2</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm TRINITY BOARDS</p> <p>7:30pm 9:00pm Roby Bible Group (Roby Home)</p>	<p>3</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm High School Youth Bible Study</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm Trinity Bowling League (Semoran Lanes)</p>	<p>4</p> <p>7:00am 8:30am Men's Bible Study-Christ the King (OC)</p> <p>10:00am 12:00pm Lutheran Haven Bible Study</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm Wed Men's Basketball (S111)</p> <p>7:00pm 8:00pm Lenten worship (S100a)</p> <p>6:00pm 6:50pm Bells</p> <p>8:00pm 9:00pm Choir</p>	<p>5</p> <p>6:15am 7:45am Men's Prayer-Breakfast (City Diner)</p> <p>8:30am 8:00pm Seder Meal at 5:30 (S110 & S111)</p> <p>9:00am 12:30pm Quilters (M201)</p> <p>12:10pm 12:50pm Maundy Thursday Service</p> <p>5:30pm 7:30pm God Squad-Bible Study (M201)</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm Stephen Ministry-canceled</p> <p>7:00pm 8:30pm Maundy Thursday</p>	<p>6</p> <p>8:20am 9:20am Moms in Touch (S100A)</p> <p>12:30pm Worship - Good Friday</p> <p>7:00pm 8:00pm Good Friday Service (S100A)</p>	<p>7</p> <p>5:00pm 5:50pm Adult Bible Study (S110)</p> <p>6:00pm 7:00pm Easter Vigil-Ansley Barnes BAPTISM (S100A)</p> <p>6:00pm 7:00pm Saturday Worship (S100A)</p>
<p>8</p> <p>Workshop - Sunrise Easter</p> <p>8:00am 9:15am Workshop - Traditional Easter (S100)</p> <p>9:30am 10:45am Trinity Sunday School</p> <p>9:30am 10:45am Workshop - Jazz (S100)</p> <p>9:30am 10:30am The Genesis Group</p> <p>11:00am 2:00pm Vietnamese Worship</p> <p>11:00am 12:15pm Workshop - Traditional (S100)</p> <p>2:00pm 4:00pm Sunday Basketball</p>	<p>9</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm Human Care Board (S101A)-MaryBeth's office</p> <p>7:30pm 9:00pm Roby Bible Group (Roby Home)</p>	<p>10</p> <p>6:00pm 9:00pm PTL Meeting/Elections (S110)</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm HS Youth Activity (TBA)</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm Trinity Bowling League (Semoran Lanes)</p>	<p>11</p> <p>10:00am 12:00pm Lutheran Haven Bible Study</p> <p>5:30pm 8:00pm The Way (S110, S100a, S107)</p> <p>6:30pm 8:30pm Handball and Choir rehearsal (S100D)</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm Wed Men's Basketball (S111)</p>	<p>12</p> <p>6:15am 7:45am Men's Prayer-Breakfast (City Diner)</p> <p>5:30pm 7:30pm God Squad-Bible Study (M201)</p> <p>6:30pm 9:00pm ALL Ladies Bunco (S110)</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm Stephen Ministry meets (M115)</p>	<p>13</p> <p>8:20am 9:20am Moms in Touch (S100A)</p>	<p>14</p> <p>5:00pm 5:50pm Adult Bible Study (S110)</p> <p>6:00pm 7:00pm Saturday Worship (S100A)</p> <p>6:30pm 10:00pm School Silent-Auction (Downtown Mairtrot)</p>
<p>15</p> <p>8:00am 9:15am Workshop - Traditional (S100)</p> <p>9:30am 10:45am Trinity Sunday School</p> <p>9:30am 10:45am Workshop - Praise (S100)</p> <p>9:30am 10:30am The Genesis Group (M201)</p> <p>11:00am 2:00pm Vietnamese Worship</p> <p>11:00am 12:15pm Workshop - Traditional (S100)</p> <p>2:00pm 4:00pm Club 45-(M201, school)</p> <p>2:00pm 4:00pm Sunday Basketball</p>	<p>16</p> <p>7:30pm 9:00pm Roby Bible Group (Roby Home)</p>	<p>17</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm High School Youth Bible Study</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm Trinity Bowling League (Semoran Lanes)</p>	<p>18</p> <p>7:00am 8:30am Men's Bible Study-Christ the King (OC)</p> <p>10:00am 12:00pm Lutheran Haven Bible Study</p> <p>4:30pm 7:00pm Dan Hill Benefit (S110)</p> <p>5:30pm 8:00pm The Way (S110, S100a, S107)</p> <p>6:30pm 8:30pm Handball and Choir rehearsal (S100D)</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm Wed Men's Basketball (S111)</p>	<p>19</p> <p>6:15am 7:45am Men's Prayer-Breakfast (City Diner)</p> <p>9:00am 12:30pm LWML Quilters (M201)</p> <p>5:30pm 7:30pm God Squad-Bible Study (M201)</p> <p>7:00pm 9:00pm Stephen Ministry (M115)</p>	<p>20</p> <p>8:20am 9:20am Moms in Touch (S100A)</p>	<p>21</p> <p>5:00pm 5:50pm Adult Bible Study (S110)</p> <p>6:00pm 7:00pm Saturday Worship (S100A)</p>
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<p>29</p> <p>8:00am 9:15am Workshop - Traditional (S100)</p> <p>9:00am 1:00pm Helen Foster Blood Mobile (Bus will be)</p> <p>9:30am 10:45am Trinity Sunday School</p> <p>9:30am 10:30am The Genesis Group (M201)</p> <p>11:00am 2:00pm Vietnamese Worship</p> <p>11:00am 12:15pm Workshop - Traditional (S100)</p> <p>2:00pm 4:00pm Confirmation Class-first</p> <p>2:00pm 4:00pm Sunday Basketball</p>	<p>30</p> <p>7:30pm 9:00pm Roby Bible Group (Roby Home)</p>					

Those Who Serve for April 2007

Date	Time	Elders	Ushers	Readers	Acolytes	Nursery	Greeters
3/31/07	6:00 p.m.	Dick Eggert	Charles Hammack, Lenore Hammack	Donna Wegner	Olivia Levine, Matthew Spotorno		Thomas, Tom & Rita
4/1/07	8:00 a.m.	G Schumacher	Clayton McCoy, Dave Wilson, Rodney Brown, Don Liesch, Bud Yeager	Kristine Zook	Evan Zook, Emma Kate Tesch		Mark & Mary Beth Brink
	9:30 a.m.	Mike Hoffman	Lance Bell, Chuck Butterfield, Thea Butterfield, Jeff Alexander	Diane Dobson	Sarah Seward, Thomas Foschini	Peggy Trapp	Jim & Jane Congrove
	11:00 a.m.	Don Merrick	Mike Trapp, Brendan O'Brien, Greg Ackerman, Darryl Kennedy	Frank Knoblauch	Kathlyn Beier, Alexandra Stewart	Barbara Ackerman	Javier & Jennifer Rossy
4/5/07	12:10 p.m.		Brendan O'Brien				
4/5/07 Maundy Thursday	7:00 p.m.		Don Merrick, Carolyn Merrick, Larry Evanchyk, Chuck Boogher, Frank Gregorek / Paul Schmidt, Ed Schmidt, Lori Stanley	Omar Dittmer	Evan Zook, Alexandra Stewart		
4/6/07	12:10 p.m.		Brendan O'Brien				
4/6/07 Good Friday	7:00 p.m.		Brent Killinger, Peter Killinger, Mike Trapp, Brendan O'Brien, Greg Ackerman, Darryl Kennedy		Nathan Bond, Sarah Seward		
4/7/07	6:00 p.m.		Charles Hammack, Lenore Hammack, Thomas Finger, Terri Finger, Dick Eggert, Mike Schneider, Lori Stanley	Tom Thomas	Cassy Crowell, Sarah Fabry, Stephanie Hohman		Sablin, Ed & Darlene
4/8/07 Easter	6:30 AM Sunrise	Mike Hoffman	Lo Phillips, Joyce Phillips, Wendy Churchville, Tommie Smothers, Craig Neubauer, Gary Oakley, Clayton McCoy, Dave Wilson, Rodney Brown, Don Liesch, Bud Yeager, Lance Bell, Chuck Butterfield, Thea Butterfield, Jeff Alexander		Lea Wilson, Joanie Gavin, Spencer Cotton		
4/8/07 Easter	8:00 a.m.	Vern Reitzlaff	Glen Schumacher, Gary Schumacher, Jody Bowman, Carl Schroeder, Jim Jones, Dave Schenikau, Alan Smith, Bert Foschini, Shane Simonson, Wynona Boast, David Wilkosz, Eric Oelschlaeger, Vern Reitzlaff, Tim Smith, Felix Hamilton, Marcus Hamilton	John Bowen	Hallie Krzyzak, Jessie Schumacher, Thomas Foschini		Angie Friedel
	9:30 a.m.	Lance Bell	Brent Killinger, Peter Killinger, Chuck Shultz, Sam Shultz, Mike Schneider	Kerri Barnes	Richard Ebert, Nathan Bond, Alexandra Stewart	Cathy Kane	Anderson, Ken & Karen
	11:00 a.m.	Gregg Yawman	Cookie Abney, David Abney, Tony Ramiz, Martin Ramiz, David Fritz, Bob Short, Linda Short, Richard Berkley, Betty Berkley	Mary Gene Carr	Parker Lange, Vanessa Lange, Kathlyn Beier	Sarah & Anna Boogher	Jay Barfield, Mary Gene Carr
4/14/07	6:00 p.m.	Dick Eggert	Chuck Shultz, Sam Shultz	Ed Schmidt	Olivia Levine, Matthew Spolono		Thomas, Tom & Rita
4/15/07	8:00 a.m.	Dave Schenkau	David Wilkosz, Eric Oelschlaeger, Vern Reitzlaff, Tim Smith, Felix Hamilton, Marcus Hamilton,	Ron Roby	Mikaela Hyder		Clay Bourgeois
	9:30 a.m.	Mike Hoffman	Alan Smith, Bert Foschini, Shane Simonson, Wynona Boast	Mike Hoffman	Sarah Seward, Thomas Foschini	Joni Erling	Bruce & Bonnie Hahn
	11:00 a.m.	Walt Wolters	Bill Wilson, Jr., Don Merrick, Carolyn Merrick, Larry Evanchyk, Chuck Boogher, Frank Gregorek	Henry Dressel	Kathlyn Beier, Alexandra Stewart	Julia Cameron	Tony & Carmen Ramiz
4/21/07	6:00 p.m.	David Fritz	Paul Schmidt, Ed Schmidt, Lori Stanley	Sandy Ogg	Cassy Crowell, Sarah Fabry		Sablin, Ed & Darlene
4/22/07	8:00 a.m.	Darryl Gavin	Lo Phillips, Joyce Phillips, Wendy Churchville, Tommie Smothers, Craig Neubauer, Gary Oakley	Wynona Boast	Lea Wilson, Joanie Gavin		Gail Wilkosz
	9:30 a.m.	Lance Bell	Brent Killinger, Peter Killinger	Dana Rawlings	Tyler Killinger, Spencer Cotton	Mary Hohman	Lisa Harris, Karen Seward
	11:00 a.m.	Gregg Yawman	David Fritz, Bob Short, Linda Short, Richard Berkley, Betty Berkley	Ron Cole	Parker Lange, Vanessa Lange	Sandra Sweett	John & Carolyn Strandquest
4/28/07	6:00 p.m.	Lo Phillips	Thomas Finger, Terri Finger, Dick Eggert, Mike Schneider, Lori Stanley	Tom Thomas	Olivia Levine, Matthew Spolono		Ed & Darlene Sablin
4/29/07	8:00 a.m.	Vern Reitzlaff	Glen Schumacher, Gary Schumacher, Jody Bowman, Carl Schroeder, Jim Jones, Dave Schenikau	Craig Neubauer	Mikaela Hyder		Rodney & Traci Brown
	9:30 a.m.	Mike Hoffman	Kent Wolfe, Linda Wolfe, Shane Kunze, Michael Kunze, Chantal Jost	Ed Rawlings	Sarah Seward, Thomas Foschini	Christina Becker	Alvarado, Selly & Shyanne
	11:00 a.m.	Walt Wolters	Cookie Abney, David Abney, Tony Ramiz, Martin Ramiz	Gretchen Knoblauch	Merika and Ethan Emery	Kerri Barnes	Wen & Kathy Aber

Altar Guild for April: Beth Schumacher, Felicia Tedder, Cathy Heaton-Alexander, Bev Middleton, Ginny Ellis

Anniversaries & Birthdays

The following people who were born or married in April. We thank the Lord for His great gifts of life & love! **If there is a mistake or we have missed you, please let us know so we can update our records.**

Apr 1	Erickson, Drew	Birthday	Apr 9	Graft, Amy	Birthday
Apr 1	Gipson, Stacy	Birthday	Apr 9	Southerland, Elizabeth	Birthday
Apr 1	Priep, Ronald	Birthday	Apr 9	Wolters, Pamela	Birthday
Apr 2	Anderson, Zack	Birthday	Apr 10	Diez, Rebecca	Birthday
Apr 2	Brown, Scott & Jennifer	Anniversary	Apr 10	Foschini, Alyssa	Birthday
Apr 2	Eastlick, Cindy	Birthday	Apr 10	Guy, Diana	Birthday
Apr 2	Eckoff, Mark	Birthday	Apr 10	Petro, Campbell	Birthday
Apr 2	Hamilton, Marcus	Birthday	Apr 10	Price, Stanley & Linda	Anniversary
Apr 2	Jopperi, Robert & Libby	Anniversary	Apr 10	Smith, Brooke	Birthday
Apr 2	Kendall, Darrel & Marilyn	Anniversary	Apr 11	Barfield, Cindy	Birthday
Apr 2	Oakley, Taylor	Birthday	Apr 11	Fabry, Patricia	Birthday
Apr 2	Thomas, Tom	Birthday	Apr 11	Goodman, Charles	Birthday
Apr 2	Zepeda, Sarah & Fabio	Anniversary	Apr 11	Munoz, Jairo	Birthday
Apr 3	Barrett, Jennifer	Birthday	Apr 11	Rice, Dawn	Birthday
Apr 3	Blackwood, Warner	Birthday	Apr 11	Stanhope, Heather	Birthday
Apr 3	Gavin, Nicholas	Birthday	Apr 11	Trapp, Jennifer	Birthday
Apr 3	Liesch, Donald & Bualong	Anniversary	Apr 12	Brown, Traci & Rodney	Anniversary
Apr 3	Lubold, Pierre	Birthday	Apr 12	Fairchild, Teri	Birthday
Apr 3	Mast, Richard	Birthday	Apr 12	Heise, Angelica	Birthday
Apr 3	Slusher, Paula & Brent	Anniversary	Apr 12	Jenkins, Bronwyn	Birthday
Apr 3	Young, Emily	Birthday	Apr 12	Jopperi, Robert	Birthday
Apr 4	Aber, Wren & Kathy	Anniversary	Apr 12	Levey, Phylis	Birthday
Apr 4	Behrmann, Martha	Birthday	Apr 12	O'Rourke, Gail	Birthday
Apr 4	Harris, Chase	Birthday	Apr 12	Schwanke, Clemens	Birthday
Apr 4	McFadden, Debra	Birthday	Apr 13	Adkins, Abby & Richard Adkins Jr.	Anniversary
Apr 4	Padgett, Susan	Birthday	Apr 13	Quitos, Joanna & Jason	Anniversary
Apr 4	Reinders, Christina	Birthday	Apr 13	Weinman, Zachary	Birthday
Apr 5	Yawman, Gregg	Birthday	Apr 14	Adams, Erika	Birthday
Apr 6	Bell, Lance	Birthday	Apr 14	Guy, Mary	Birthday
Apr 6	Collier, Julie	Birthday	Apr 14	Johantgen, Misty	Birthday
Apr 6	Kupfer, Diane & Kenneth	Anniversary	Apr 14	Kuck, Kathryn	Birthday
Apr 6	Tesch, Kathleen	Birthday	Apr 14	Smalley, Amanda	Birthday
Apr 6	Wilder, Jahna & Kenneth	Anniversary	Apr 14	Webster, Lee	Birthday
Apr 7	Gatti, Pat & Susan	Anniversary	Apr 14	Wittcop, Melissa	Birthday
Apr 7	Moore, Jeffery	Birthday	Apr 15	Brink, Brian	Birthday
Apr 7	Schumacher, Glen	Birthday	Apr 15	Dittmer, Omar	Birthday
Apr 7	Staiger, Conrad	Birthday	Apr 15	Gatti, Pat	Birthday
Apr 8	Bowman, Paula	Birthday	Apr 15	Hohman, Stefanie	Birthday
Apr 8	Regan, Wade	Birthday	Apr 15	Lange, Vanessa	Birthday
Apr 8	Smith, Travis	Birthday	Apr 15	Strain, Gordon	Birthday
Apr 9	Bongianni, Kristina	Birthday	Apr 16	Hoard, Samuel	Birthday
Apr 9	Crowell, Virgil & Betty	Anniversary	Apr 16	Hyder, Michael	Birthday
			Apr 16	Saeger, Joyce	Birthday
			Apr 17	Fimognari, Colleen & Paul	Anniversary
			Apr 17	Thomas, Andrew	Birthday
			Apr 17	Vaughan, Sydney	Birthday
			Apr 18	Arnett, Charlie & Karen	Anniversary
			Apr 18	Churchville, Wendy	Birthday

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Apr 18 Fisher, Bryan & Jodi	Anniversary	Apr 24 Schweer, Paul	Birthday
Apr 18 Kruckemyer, Emily	Birthday	Apr 24 Wolfe, Linda	Birthday
Apr 18 McCaleb, Kimmie	Birthday	Apr 24 Zoller, Wanda	Birthday
Apr 18 Sabin, Ed	Birthday	Apr 25 Horas-Hash, Cynthia	Birthday
Apr 18 Wilson, David	Birthday	Apr 25 Jones, Jenneth	Birthday
Apr 19 Boyle, Ryan & Marie	Anniversary	Apr 25 Nance, James	Birthday
Apr 19 Hogan, Lynn	Birthday	Apr 25 Nicholson, Debra	Birthday
Apr 19 Sweatt, Mike & Sandra	Anniversary	Apr 25 Spotorno, Anthony	Birthday
Apr 19 Tregre-Hyder, Paulette	Birthday	Apr 25 Swinderman, Abby	Birthday
Apr 20 Cameron, Lawrence	Birthday	Apr 26 Connery, Tom	Birthday
Apr 20 Cox, Megan	Birthday	Apr 26 Mortensen, Nicole	Birthday
Apr 20 Husmann, Steve	Birthday	Apr 26 Snyder, Matthew	Birthday
Apr 20 Jeffery, Randy & Michelle	Anniversary	Apr 27 Anderson, Laura	Birthday
Apr 20 Schernikau, Becky	Birthday	Apr 27 McCoy-Buchner, Lisa	Birthday
Apr 20 Vo, Linsey	Birthday	Apr 27 Muzika, Jennifer	Birthday
Apr 21 Brown, Jennifer	Birthday	Apr 27 Smith, Alan	Birthday
Apr 21 Burns, Elise	Birthday	Apr 27 Smith, Colin	Birthday
Apr 21 Butterfield, Chuck & Thea Ann Ebert-Butterfield	Anniversary	Apr 28 Thompson, Johanna	Birthday
Apr 22 Killinger, Peter	Birthday	Apr 28 Wiley, Douglas	Birthday
Apr 22 Prieß, Sandra	Birthday	Apr 29 Klegin, Sherise	Birthday
Apr 23 Bowlin, Kristina	Birthday	Apr 29 Schmidt, Elizabeth	Birthday
Apr 23 Emling, Joni	Birthday	Apr 29 Teague, III, Perry	Birthday
Apr 23 Lange, Ted	Birthday	Apr 29 Traugott, Edna	Birthday
Apr 23 Roby, Blake	Birthday	Apr 29 Wacker, Ryan	Birthday
Apr 23 Spotorno, Anthony J.	Birthday	Apr 29 Wilder, Kyle	Birthday
Apr 24 Cameron, Dawn	Birthday	Apr 30 Bond, Robert	Birthday
Apr 24 Carter, Jennifer	Birthday	Apr 30 Espinosa, Marco & Ivette	Anniversary
		Apr 30 Fabry, Cynthia	Birthday
		Apr 30 Parker, Cindi	Birthday

The OWLs (Older, Wiser, Lutherans)

next gathering will be held on **Thursday, April 19th.**

We will go to the Barn, The Stable and The Back Porch.

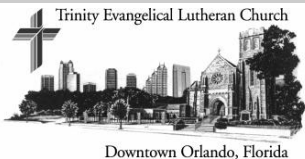
Located in Lake Alfred, The Barn is Florida's most popular destination for quality antiques, stained glass windows, and collectibles. The Stable is a gift shop filled with decorations for all holiday seasons. The Back Porch offers a delicious lunch.

After lunch you can stop by the back yard garden shop.

The cost for the bus will be \$10.00 each.

We will leave the worship center at 9 am. Please call me for reservations at 407-273-3204.

Thank you, Pat Cording.



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