

# TRINITY TIDBITS ~ FEBRUARY 5, 2017

## SERVANTS IN WORSHIP

### ELDER OF THE MONTH

Tom Riesterer

### ALTAR STEWARD

Lisa Benjamin

### GREETERS

Tim & Marilyn Hartley

### USHERS

Bill Pfingsten & Rob Benjamin - Center Aisle

Nick Alvarado & Jimmy Gragg - Side Aisles

### ACOLYTE

Paige Smith

### CLEANING

February 5 – 11 – Emily Coleman

### DISCIPLESHIP FOR CHRIST

Weekly Budget Needs – \$2,488.62

Last Week's Tithes & Offerings – \$4,774.00

Attendance Last Sunday – 81

72 Members; 9 Visitors

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**LIFE THOUGHTS** – Jesus has brought love to fullness for us (Matthew 5:17-18) by giving Himself freely to us (1 Corinthians 2:2, 12) as Lord and Savior. Including the vulnerable ones around us in this abundant life (Isaiah 58:6-7) imparts shades and tastes of heaven (Matthew 5:13-14) that exceed whatever aggression and apathy can offer (Matthew 5:19-20). *Almighty God, grant us the joy of sharing in Your self-giving. Amen. Life Thoughts are based on the appointed readings from Lutheran Service Book*

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**LIFE QUOTES** – “Why do we speak up for those in the womb who cannot speak? Because they are created, redeemed, and little ones whom God wants to call.” *Rev. Dr. James I. Lamb, former executive director of Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

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**STEWARDSHIP** – **Matthew 5:17** “Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them.” We cannot keep the Law of God perfectly. We are sinners. For us to be saved, Jesus had to fill up the Law in our place. Now the threat of the Law is abolished – and the Law itself is upheld. For in Christ now we do desire to fulfill the Law, to live out a godly Christian life – precisely because we are so full of thanksgiving toward God for His salvation in Christ. *Stewardship Bulletin Sentences are provided by LCMS Stewardship Ministry*

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### **REMINDER**

Please keep the church office informed about your loved ones you have placed on our prayer list.

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## THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

### SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 5

#### MITES SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. - Worship & Communion

10:45 A.M. – Sunday School & Bible Study

12:30 p.m. - Confirmation

### MONDAY – February 6

8:30 a.m. - Bible Study

### TUESDAY – FEBRUARY 7

7:30 a.m. – Ladies' Breakfast at

Cracker Barrel Restaurant

### WEDNESDAY – FEBRUARY 8

10:30 a.m. - Bible Study

### THURSDAY – FEBRUARY 9

Pastor's Day Off

### SATURDAY – FEBRUARY 11

6:00 p.m. – Sweetheart Spaghetti Supper

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### ALTAR FLOWERS

The beautiful flowers on our Altar today are given by Loren & Rosalie in loving memory of Rosalie's brother Ted Stenberg.

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### SWEETHEART SPAGHETTI SUPPER

Our Parish Fellowship Committee will be hosting a “Sweetheart Spaghetti Supper” this Saturday, February 11 at 6 p.m. Proceeds will benefit our building fund. The cost is \$20 per couple or \$10 for one. Today is the final day to sign up and pay. Please see or call Debbie Scott (615-642-3400) for reservations.

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### ALTAR FLOWER CALENDAR

Feb. 19 is the next available Sunday on our Altar Flower Calendar. If you would like to purchase the flowers for our Altar for this or any other Sunday, please sign up on Flower Calendar on the bulletin board. The cost for the two flower arrangements is \$35 & you may take your flowers home following the worship service. Please include the information if you are purchasing the flowers in honor or in memory of someone or in celebration of a birthday or anniversary so it can be included in that week's Tidbits.

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### TALK RADIO FOR THE THINKING CHRISTIAN

**Issues, Etc.** is a radio talk show produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL & hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. You can listen at your convenience at [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org) & on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app. Some of this week's topics are: An Interview with President Obama's Faith Vote Director, The Bible & Immigration, The Story of a Philadelphia Abortionist Convicted of Mass Murder, The Apology of the Augsburg Confession & more.

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*Let us pray . . . . .*

*\*that the Good News of Jesus Christ  
will be heard and accepted throughout the world.*

*\*for our newly elected President, his staff,  
advisors, and cabinet members...may they seek  
God's guidance as they lead our nation and that  
God would remove the anger and the bitterness in  
our country and help to unify our great nation  
once again.*

*\*for those who are serving in our military...  
watch over and protect them as they serve our  
country to keep our nation safe.*



### **CANCER PATIENTS**

- \*John Bain (Gramse) - lung cancer
- \*Brandi Cajudo (Cheatham)
- \*Don Copley (Replogle) – bone cancer
- \*Shirley Duke, (Rosalie Replogle's daughter's mother-in-law) – breast cancer
- \*Janet Edwards (Debbie Scott's Aunt)
- \*Emma (5 years old) - Leukemia
- \*Lisa Hampton (Gramse)
- \*Kimberly Heaney (Linda Pfeiffer's daughter-in-law)
- \*Barbara Hatch (Hygrell) - breast cancer
- \*Kendra Jackson (Kaia Howard)
- \*Darla Reeves Kline (friend of Lisa Benjamin's mom)
- \*Mary Alice Riesterer (Tom's mother)
- \*Brandi Shrum (Replogle)
- \*Carol Simpson (Adelsen)
- \*Vanessa Vale (Doug Howard)
- \*Harley Danielle Watts (Benjamin)
- \*Helene Welches (Replogle)
- \*Karl Woodard (Replogle)

### **MILITARY**

- \*Matthew Benjamin – deployed
- \*Christopher Greenwood – Afghanistan (Cheri Buttrey-Jenkins' Nephew/Shirley Peat's grandson)
- \*Will Replogle (Loren & Rosalie's grandson) – in Kuwait

### **THANKSGIVING**

\*for God's ever-present and undeserved protection and for the freedom and liberty He has so graciously given us.

### **HEALTH CONCERNS**

- \*Bobby Ashbaugh (friend of Melissa Adelsen)
- \*Dale Burie – eye surgery
- \*Gayle Cheatham (Myron's mother) – hip surgery
- \*Fritz Cislo (Elsie's brother-in-law) - stroke
- \*Titus Davenport (Bush)
- \*Tom Edwards (Debbie Scott's uncle)
- \*Keith Engblom (Benjamin) - rheumatoid arthritis
- \*Bob Fuelling (Debbie Scott's brother) pacemaker
- \*Sue Givens (Rosalie's son's mother-in-law)
- \*Mary Jo Hall (Teara Scott) – suffered a stroke
- \*Max Hampton (Gramse) – back issues
- \*Charlene Harwell (Jeremy Owen's grandmother)
- \*Carol Hershey – knee replacement (Cislo)
- \*Victor Hooge
- \*Max Irelan (Jeanne's husband)
- \*Judi Kemp (former Trinity member) – stomach
- \*Karen Knapp (Sandra Nieneber's sister)
- \*Joel Knapp (Sandra Nieneber's brother-in-law) – St. Thomas Hospital
- \*Carol Kraemer - degenerative disc disorder
- \*Karin Lehmann
- \*Kathy Martinez (Loftis) - corneal neuropathy
- \*Jordan Moura (Clinard) - biopsy
- \*Nicholas Moura (Clinard) – depression
- \*Bobbie Newby (Replogle)
- \*Greg Nienaber (Sandra's husband) – NHC
- \*Gus Olsen (Bush) – heart problems
- \*Joel Pfeiffer (Linda's husband) – knee replacement surgery
- \*Bob Price (Norm Kraemer's brother-in-law)
- \*Betty Ruemler (Randy's Mother)
- \*Kathy Smith (Clinard) – ICU – Heart
- \*David Sokol (Lisa Benjamin's father)
- \*Ruth Sokol (Lisa Benjamin's mother)
- \*Barbara Stenberg (Replogle)