

TRINITY TIDBITS ~ MARCH 19, 2017

SERVANTS IN WORSHIP

ELDER OF THE MONTH

Chris Loftis

ALTAR STEWARD

Marilyn Hartley

GREETERS

Doris Isaacson & Carolyn Schroeder

USHERS

- Center Aisle

- Side Aisles

ACOLYTE

Paige Smith

CLEANING

March 19 - 25 – Marilyn Hartley

DISCIPLESHIP FOR CHRIST

Weekly Budget Needs – \$2,488.62

Last Week's Tithes & Offerings – \$2,693.00

Attendance Last Sunday – 80

70 Members; 10 Visitors

Wed. Lenten Services: Noon – 10; 7 p.m. - 25

LIFE THOUGHTS – Third Sunday in Lent – God

our Father can draw water from rock (Exodus 17:6), reconcile His own enemies (Romans 5:10), and salvage the powerless (Romans 5:6). Surely He will overhaul the hopeless circumstances and lost causes our pains and mistakes have brought about (John 4:17-18). Indeed, we not only witness it but participate in it as well (Exodus 17:5). *Keeper of our souls, work faith in us and those we serve to await great transformation at Your hand. Amen. Life Thoughts are based on the appointed readings from Lutheran Service Book*

LIFE QUOTES – “You might think you’ve made

mistakes that can’t be forgiven, you’ve been broken beyond repair, you’ve been lost in the eyes of the world. But God has loved you so deeply that He created you, He redeemed you, and He called you to new life through that same Holy One of Israel. Live this new life of faith to the glory of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, today and forever, Amen.” *Rev. Paul J. Frank, Hosanna Lutheran Church and School, Mesa, Arizona – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

STEWARDSHIP – Exodus 17:3 — But the people

thirsted there for water, and the people grumbled against Moses and said, "Why did you bring us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our livestock with thirst?" Even the Israelites who saw miracles with their own eyes fall into unbelief and fear. From this distance we can see how foolish their worry is. How foolish will our worries appear from the distance of eternity? The Lord cared for them, and He will care for us. *Stewardship Bulletin Sentences are provided by LCMS Stewardship Ministry*

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY – MARCH 19

MITES SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. - Worship & Communion

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

12:30 p.m. - Confirmation

MONDAY – MARCH 20

8:30 a.m. - Bible Study

WEDNESDAY – MARCH 22

10:30 a.m. - Bible Study

Noon – Mid-Week Lenten Service

6:00 p.m. – Light Supper (Parrish Fellowship)

7:00 p.m. – Mid-Week Lenten Service

DEADLINE FOR APRIL NEWSLETTER AND CHURCH CALENDAR

THURSDAY – MARCH 23

Pastor's Day Off

ALTAR FLOWERS DURING THE SEASON OF LENT

Flowers are removed from the Sanctuary during the season of Lent, a season of penitence, reflection and prayers. Therefore, worship during this time is solemn and restrained. The somber colors of purple and black replace the brighter white and green of the Epiphany season. Songs of praise like the “Gloria in Excelsis” (“Glory in the Highest”) and expressions of joy such as “Alleluia” are removed from the liturgy until Easter.

LENTEN DEVOTIONAL BOOKLETS

Lenten Devotional Booklets are still available in the Narthex. Please consider donating \$2 to cover printing costs.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

We helped several families since the first of the year with food. Now we need to re-stock our “Food Pantry.” Here are some suggested items to donate: canned pasta, tuna, chicken, vegetables and fruits, stew, chili, soup, peanut butter, jelly, cereals, macaroni and cheese, spaghetti sauce and noodles, crackers, fruit and pudding cups, fruit juice boxes, breakfast bars, and corn bread/biscuit mixes. Thanks in advance for sharing and caring.

THANK YOU

I want to thank everyone for the cards and the phone calls I received while I was sick. I want to thank our dear friend for the anonymous gift you gave to Claude and me. Many blessings to you and your family. Betty Clinard

Wednesday, March 22, is the deadline for the April Church Newsletter and Calendar.

Let us pray

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

**for our 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
- *Emma (5 years old) - Leukemia
- *Kimberly Heaney (Linda Pfeiffer's daughter-in-
law)
- *Barbara Hatch (Hygrell) - breast cancer
- *Kendra Jackson (Kaia Howard)
- *Brandi Shrum (Replogle)
- *Carol Simpson (Adelsen)
- *Vanessa Vale (Doug Howard)
- *Helene Welches (Replogle)
- *Karl Woodard (Replogle)

MILITARY

- *Matthew Benjamin
- *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
- *Gayle Cheatham (Myron's mother)
- *Titus Davenport (Bush)
- *Bob Fuelling (Debbie Scott's brother) - prayers
for a sound, clear mind.
- *Sue Givens (Rosalie's son's mother-in-law)
- *Mary Jo Hall (Teara Scott) – ICU
- *Max Hampton (Gramse) – back issues
- *Charlene Harwell (Jeremy Owen's grandmother)
- *Warren Homann (former Trinity member) –
hospice
- *Victor Hooge
- *Max Irelan (Jeanne's husband)
- *Carol Kraemer - degenerative disc disorder
- *Norm Kraemer
- *Karin Lehmann
- *Kathy Martinez (Loftis) - corneal neuropathy
- *Nicholas Moura (Clinard) – depression
- *Greg Nienaber (Sandra's husband)
- *Gus Olsen (Bush) – heart problems
- *Jessica Owen – recovering from back
procedure
- * Bobbi Petznick (friend of Jeanne Irelan)
- *Joel Pfeiffer (Linda's husband) – knee
replacement surgery
- *Bob Price (Norm Kraemer's brother-in-law)
- *Kevin Robinson (Loren and Rosalie's nephew) –
recovering from back surgery
- *Linda Roca – at home after heart surgery
- *George Shepherd (Mike Shepherd & Debi
Anderson's father)
- *Kathy Smith (Clinard) – ICU – Heart
- *Kenneth Wald (Jeanne Irelan's brother)
- *Traci Walker (friend of Melissa Cheatham) -
recovering from rotator cuff surgery
- *Edna Wolf