

TRINITY TIDBITS ~ FEBRUARY 7, 2016

SERVANTS IN WORSHIP

ELDER OF THE MONTH

Tom Riesterer

ALTAR STEWARD

Lisa Benjamin

GREETERS

Tim & Marilyn Hartley

USHERS

Clyde Schroeder & Bill Pfingsten - Center Aisle

Jimmy Gragg & Nick Alvarado - Side Aisles

ACOLYTE

Christina Levan

CLEANING

February 7 - 13

DISIPLESHIP FOR CHRIST

Weekly Budget Needs – \$2,488.62

Last Week's Tithes & Offerings – \$2,740.00

Last Sunday's Attendance – 74

68 Members; 6 Visitors

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 7

MITES SUNDAY

9:30 a.m. – Worship & Communion

10:45 a.m. – Sunday School & Bible Study

12:30 p.m. - Confirmation

MONDAY – FEBRUARY 8

8:30 a.m. - Bible Study

6:00 p.m. – Elders' Meeting

7:00 p.m. – Church Council Meeting

TUESDAY – FEBRUARY 9

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. - Parents' Day Out

WEDNESDAY – FEBRUARY 10

Ash Wednesday

10:30 a.m. - Bible Study

Noon – Ash Wednesday Service

7:00 p.m. – Ash Wednesday Service

THURSDAY – FEBRUARY 11

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. - Parents' Day Out

ALTAR FLOWERS

The beautiful flowers on our altar today are given by Debbie Scott, in loving memory of her mother, Edna Fuelling.

OLD CHRISTMAS CARDS

If you have not thrown away your Christmas cards, Debbie Boyd is willing to take them to use in a craft project.

TRINITY/HOPE BENEFIT DINNER AND AUCTION



Faith Lutheran Church in Thompson's Station, TN, is having a spaghetti dinner & silent auction on Sat., Feb. 13 to raise money for

Trinity/HOPE. Auction items include gift cards to local restaurants; art, prints, quilts, tools, ribs, and more! For more information call 615-791-1880.

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER

Concordia Lutheran Church, 3501 Central Ave., Nashville, is having a "Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper" this Tuesday, Feb. 9, from 5 to 7 p.m. to benefit Trinity/Hope. Thrivent will provide matching funds. For information, call 615-292-0982.



SHROVE
TUESDAY

THIS WEEK ON ISSUES, ETC.

Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's topics include: 3rd Century Martyr Saint Valentine, Ash Wednesday, The Lenten Season, The Gospel of John, Martin Luther & the Warburg Castle and more. Listen when you want at www.issuesetc.org and on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

LIFE THOUGHTS - The Transfiguration of Our Lord

– At His transfiguration, Jesus' three trusted disciples saw in Him the glory of God (Luke 9:32). Now Jesus would go to Jerusalem and manifest a different kind of glory, the glory of His suffering and death. But the fact that it was *God* in the person of Jesus who redeemed us with His blood raises the value of all human life to inestimable heights. Prayer: Lord, help us make the connection between Your Transfiguration and the value of human life. Amen. *Life Thoughts are based on the appointed readings from Lutheran Service Book.*

LIFE QUOTES - "Should there be a line that determines when humans have value? Some say it's at viability ... when there's a heartbeat ... at birth. Some even argue that the ability to reason should be the dividing line, which would making killing infants okay, too. These lines we draw are so arbitrary, meaningless ... Human beings are valuable because we are human beings. And it's as plain and simple as that." *Micaiah Bilger, Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

STEWARDSHIP – Luke 9:36 "And when the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone." Moses and Elijah point to Jesus, speak about Jesus and His sacrifice and then they are happy to fade into the background. They know that what we need is Jesus. With our eyes focused on Him and Him alone the rest of our lives come into focus. He is primary, all else secondary. When that order is right in our lives, things truly fall into place. Or as Jesus Himself said, "Seek first the kingdom of God and all these things will be added unto you." *Stewardship Bulletin Sentences are provided by LCMS Stewardship Ministry*

Let us pray. . . .

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

** for our country - that we may be true to our
spiritual heritage and become truly 'one nation,
under God,' and may our leaders seek God
for guidance and strength.*

**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

- *Joyce Burney (Clinard)
- *Brandi Cajudo (Cheatham)
- *George Canfield (Coleman)
- *Don Copley (Replogle) – bone cancer
- *John Edwards (Debbie Scott's cousin)
- *Patty Edwards (Debbie Scott's cousin's wife)
- *Sherry Fary (Michael Shepherd's godmother)
- *Lisa Hampton (Gramse)
- *Kimberly Heaney (Linda Pfeiffer's daughter-in-law)
- *Kendra Jackson (friend of Kaia Howard)
- *Lori Landry (Bush)
- *Patty (Debbie Scott)
- *Lisa Pauley (Teara Scott's cousin)
- *Brandi Shrum (Replogle)
- *Ted Stenberg (Rosalie Replogle's brother)
- *Helene Welches (Replogle)
- *Karl Woodard (Replogle)

MILITARY

- *Matthew Benjamin
- *Zac Enko (son of Rev. Keith Enko, pastor at Emmanuel Lutheran, Hermitage)
- *Christopher Greenwood (Cheri Buttrey-Jenkins' Nephew) – Ft. Campbell
- *Adam Rachuy (son of Rev. Greg Rachuy, former pastor at Prince of Peace) – Korea

THANKSGIVING

- *for God's ever-present and undeserved protection and for the freedom and liberty He has so graciously given us.
- *for the birth of a healthy baby born to Brittany Rhoten (Jessica Owen's goddaughter) after many complications during her pregnancy.

SICK/TESTS/SURGERY/RECOVERING

- *Robert Brown – Gallatin Health Care
- *Titus Davenport (Bush)
- *Delores Dyer (Debbie Scott's Aunt)
- *Harold Groves (Clinard) – recovering from surgery
- *Whitney Halbrook (Clinard) – high risk pregnancy
- *Mary Jo Hall (Teara Scott)
- *Mary Hammond (Teara Scott's aunt)
- *Max Hampton (Gramse) – back issues
- *Charlene Harwell (Jeremy Owen's grandmother) – recovering from surgery & awaiting tests results
- *Max Ireland (Jeanne's husband)
- *Anita Kelly (Debbie Scott's Cousin) – knee & hip
- *Debbie Lemmon (Debbie Scott's cousin)
- *John Lemmon (Debbie Scott's cousin)
- *Wesley Lemmon's (Debbie Scott's cousin)
- *Kathy Martinez (Loftis) - corneal neuropathy
- *Roscoe Musselwhite (Cheatham) - hospice care
- *Nancy (Susan Gramse' sister) – pacemaker
- *Jessie Nelson - hospice care
- *Bobbie Newby (Replogle)
- *Gus Olsen (Bush) – heart problems
- *Beverly Peaden (Debbie Scott) – back problems
- *Everette Purrington - hospice care
- *Teara Scott
- *David Sokol (Lisa Benjamin's father) nodules on his Lungs & has emphysema
- *Ruth Sokol (Lisa Benjamin's mother)
- *Ricky Stinson (Halliburton)
- *Saundra Stinson (Halliburton) - liver transplant
- *Stumpy Stone (Coleman)
- *Anne Thies (Ireland) - Parkinson's
- *Gale Vanhinning (Debbie Scott's Cousin) – lung infection
- *Sunny Vickers (Clinard) – high risk pregnancy
- *Zella Walker (Debbie Scott's mother-in-law) – heart surgery
- *Debbie Woodrum (Debbie Scott)