

TRINITY TIDBITS ~ JANUARY 22, 2017

SERVANTS IN WORSHIP

ELDER OF THE MONTH

Clyde Schroeder

ALTAR STEWARD

Stacy Shaw

GREETERS

Linda McCormick & Rosalie Replogle

USHERS

Tim Hartley & Chris Loftis - Center Aisle

Rick & Zach Halliburton - Side Aisles

ACOLYTE

Isadora Hygrell

CLEANING

January 22 – 28 – Here is a place for you to serve.

DISCIPLESHIP FOR CHRIST

Weekly Budget Needs – \$2,488.62

Last Week's Tithes & Offerings – \$3,415.52

Attendance Last Sunday – 80

70 Members; 10 Visitors

LIFE THOUGHTS – Deep grief and dense guilt have descended upon our people like a darkness (Isaiah 9:2) because death is viewed and used as a solution. Only the Gospel that Jesus Christ has come with a kingdom of forgiving grace (Matthew 4:17) can break any gloom's grip. Faith in His ways may feel ineffective, old-fashioned, and foolish (1 Corinthians 1:17-18), but even through our clumsy conversations and awkward interactions, God's love heals every disease and affliction (Matthew 4:23). *Lord Jesus Christ, enlighten our land's darknesses by bringing Your Spirit among us through Your Word. Amen.*

Life Thoughts are based on the appointed readings from Lutheran Service Book

LIFE QUOTES – "If unborn children are to be protected from death by abortion; if newborn handicapped children are to be protected from death by infanticide; if the elderly, the 'non-productive,' the dependent are to be protected from death by euthanasia; and if the sanctity of life is to be affirmed and protected, then our voice is essential." *Dr. Jean Garton, former president of Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

STEWARDSHIP – **Matthew 4:20** "Immediately they left their nets and followed him." Discipleship cost Peter and Andrew everything they had: they left their trade, their hometown, their families and they followed Jesus. God has called us to the same discipleship – the same devotion, though the exact details of how that is lived out will vary. The important thing is this: that we know that all we have is the Lord's, to be used for His purpose, that we are His disciples, ready to follow where He leads. *Stewardship Bulletin Sentences are provided by LCMS Stewardship Ministry*

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY – JANUARY 22

9:30 a.m. - Worship & Communion

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

12:30 p.m. - Confirmation

MONDAY - JANUARY 23

No Bible Study

Pastor Shaw out of town

TUESDAY – JANUARY 24

Church Office Closed

Pastor Shaw out of town

WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 25

No Bible Study

Church Office open from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Pastor Shaw out of town

Deadline for the February Church

Newsletter and Calendar

THURSDAY – JANUARY 26

Pastor's Day Off

FRIDAY – JANUARY 27

Deadline for subscribing to or renewing subscription to Lutheran Witness Magazine

ALTAR FLOWERS

The beautiful flowers on our Altar today are given by Elsie Cislo in loving memory of her late husband Ed Cislo.

LUTHERAN WITNESS MAGAZINE

This Friday, January 27, is the last day to sign up for a subscription to The *Lutheran Witness* magazine. A yearly subscription (11 issues) is \$15.00. Please contact Lucye in the church office if you are interested in subscribing or renewing your subscription. Please make checks payable to Trinity Lutheran Church.

PASTOR SHAW ATTENDING MEETING

Pastor Shaw will be attending the LCMS District Circuit Visitor's Meeting in Memphis this week and will be out of the office until Friday.

YOU CAN TEACH LAYPEOPLE THEOLOGY

...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: Martin Luther's Last Year, The 95 Theses, Lutheran Higher Education, Companions of Paul: Timothy & Titus, The Conversion of Paul, Late 4th Century/Early 5th Century Bishop John Chrysostom and more. You can listen on-demand at www.issuesetc.org and on the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

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.' 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

- *John Bain (Gramse) - lung cancer
- *Helen Dunsing (Al & Doris Mann's daughter)
- *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)
- *Margaret Henson (Halliburton) - breast cancer
- *Barbara Hatch (Hygrell) - breast cancer
- *Kendra Jackson (Kaia Howard)
- *Darla Reeves Kline (recurrence of breast cancer & a spot on her lung has appeared (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

- *Sarah Alford (Durham) - Lupus
- *Bobby Ashbaugh (friend of Melissa Adelsen)
- *Dale Burie – eye surgery
- *Gayle Cheatham (Myron's mother) – Summit in Hermitage - broken hip & pulmonary issue
- *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
- *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)

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO:

- *Lauren Claxton and family at the death of Lauren's grandmother, Marie Mohme
- *Doris Isaacson and family at the death of her husband Ted Isaacson