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**Announcements  
for the week beginning  
February 26, 2023**

## **Welcome!**

We give God thanks for your presence with us today! If you are new, we ask that you fill out a Visitor card so that we can be in touch with you! All are welcome to receive the gift of God's grace in Holy Communion.

## **A Special Welcome...**

To Deacon Connie Schmucker, Assistant to the Bishop for Leadership of the Florida-Bahamas Synod. Deacon Connie is here to bring Pastor Tim and Pastor Deborah's time with us to a close. Deacon Connie is also the one Trinity is working closely with during this time of transition. Welcome, Deacon Connie!

## **Thank you from Pastor Tim and Pastor Deborah**

We give God thanks for you and for your wonderful farewell reception last week. The hats, mittens, and scarves will come in handy in Alaska! We thank you for the cards and gifts, but mostly we give God thanks for you and for the care you have shown us during the past three years. We trust that the Holy Spirit is already ahead of you, moving and shaping the heart and mind of your next called pastor. The future is bright for Trinity!

## **Our Sympathy...**

To Jan Syverson on the sudden and unexpected death of her son, Brent. We will hold Jan and the whole Syverson family in our prayers today.

## **Video Channel**

When the pandemic started, Pastor Tim had to learn a lot about a number of different technology platforms and often these are linked to an email, so he used his RevTimTLC@gmail account. We all thought the technology was a temporary tool to use for a few weeks or a few months at most. We have since learned that livestreaming, YouTube, FaceBook, Zoom, and more are here to stay. Since Pastors Tim and Deborah have accepted a new call, his Gmail account will get closed when he leaves. We have started a new YouTube channel with Trinity's own technology Gmail address: TrinityLutheranZoom. We have moved over all of the memorial services that were on the other channel and the new channel will be easier to find once the RevTimTLC account is taken down. Until then, the easiest way to find our worship services is by going to our website and using the link there.

## **Communion Visitors Needed**

Do you have a few hours to share every month? Do you like to visit? We have a need for more people to serve by bringing Communion to our homebound members. If you are interested, please contact Michael Lawrence at (410) 917-4452; lawoptic@verizon.net. Thank you!

## **Mission of the Month – Gifts of Love**

We regularly collect food for this program, but hope to focus on their needs and learning more about this ministry. Gifts of Love is a community coalition serving Edgewater, New Smyrna Beach, Oak Hill and surrounding areas. The mission statement is Gifts of Love Food Bank represents the hands of God in helping those less fortunate meet basic needs. **We will be putting together care kits in Fellowship Hall. Please leave all donations in Fellowship Hall prior to the worship service.**

## **Lunch and Learn**

We will have our first Lunch and Learn on **Wednesday March 15 at 11:30 am**. We have a sign up list in the Narthex, please include your name and check what item you will bring. **Deadline to sign up is March 6.**

## **Calendar of Events:**

- Sunday (26)      Worship – 9:30 am with the  
Farewell and Sending of Pastors Tim and Deborah
- Tuesday (28)    Mission Workshop (Quilters) – 9 am  
Council Meeting – Fellowship hall and Zoom – 6 pm
- Wednesday (1)   Handbells- 6pm, Choir- 7pm
- Thursday (2)    Praise Team Meeting- Fellowship hall and Zoom 9:15 am
- Sunday (5)      Worship – 9:30 am  
Fellowship following worship

## **Those in Need of Our Prayers**

**Special Needs:** Rusty Norris, Kathy Barrick, Millie Patterson, Skip Barnes, Les Haughwout, Barbara Fortney, Doris Will, Stephen Kalman, Heather Hopkins, Trudy Bock, Kevin Tumia, John Rahme, Norman Hoffeld, Alice and Jim Hart, Jeff Purcell, Norma Nanni, Nelson Schaefer, Beth Parks, Rick Haughwout, and all of our members, friends and neighbors who are coping with the losses they suffered from the effects of Hurricane Ian.

## **Assisted Living/Nursing Homes:**

Millie Hager (Bishop's Glen ALF, Holly Hill), Millie Patterson and Alice Rauch (Beachside, NSB), Annette Sowder (Ann Arbor, MI), Joan Materna and Murace Bullock (Seashore Senior Living, NSB), Doris Will and Marilou Spencer (Alba Court ALF, NSB), Thelma Reus (Heritage Waterside)