

Trinity Church

Know God, Enjoy God, Love All People

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Trinity Presbyterian Church

9600 St. Joe Road, Fort Wayne, IN

To Mars and Beyond VBS

If you were not at church on Sunday, July 28th, you should kick yourself. Our Trinity kids presented a super synopsis of their 2019 VBS experience, To Mars and Beyond. The entire sanctuary looked like outer space. We even had a lifelike rocket at the sanctuary entrance that was so tall that the



nose cone was only a few inches from our center ceiling! A huge thank you to Mission Commander, Sara Hayden, and all her team and volunteers who made this possible. The Trinity kids are super! Mission completed successfully!



Lunch Bunch

In July, we had lunch at Baker Street Steakhouse, a giant step up from our June get together at the Magic Wand in Churubusco. We made the transition with grace and dignity. Well let's just say we were not requested to leave. The food at Baker Street is top notch, and we had excellent service even though there were two other large groups there for lunch that same day. The manager even came over to apologize for the delay, but we were all too busy talking to even notice the slight wait. One interesting observation: Steve Fuller had at least 6-7 glasses of water sitting in front of him. No one can accuse him of not being well hydrated!



We were very busy making future plans at this lunch. Here is our upcoming pending schedule: On August 13th, we will be meeting at The Boat House, 700 Park Avenue, Winona Lake, Warsaw. This is about a 50 minute drive from Trinity. On September 10th, we are planning on Caruso's, 2435 North 200 West, between Crooked Lane and Lake James, Angola. This about a 40 minute trip from Trinity. On October 8th, we are going back to Rack & Helen's, 4935 Hillegas Road (formerly the Elks Golf Club, now Coyote Creek Golf Course.)

The Boat House is located right on Winona Lake, and we will have a gorgeous lake view while we eat. It is one of our longer drives, so you may want to car



pool. It is worth the drive! As always, please let Pat Swaim 615-8820 or Jane Borchelt 442-8334 know if you can join us at

11:30 a.m. on August 13th so we can firm up our reservation. Everyone is welcome. We look forward to seeing you there.

Run for God, Run for Good

Our next session will begin on Sunday, August 25th, at 2:00 p.m. On Saturday, August 24th, we will be going to see the movie "Overcomer" as a kick off to our new class. All are welcome, even if they are not in the class. Showtime will be announced later. To register for the R4Gx2 class, the link is



<http://runforgod.com/class/trinity-run-for-god-run-for-good-round-two>



If you have any questions, see Shannon Burdick.

Counters Needed

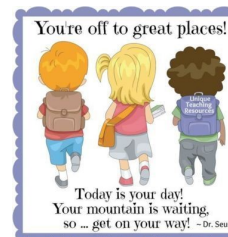
Every Sunday after worship, two people from our congregation take the offering upstairs to the office and count the money. You don't have to be an ace

mathematician; there are adding machines provided. It is not a difficult job, and it is not time consuming, but it is very necessary. Here's an added bonus. The antique A/C upstairs has been replaced. It will be cool to be a counter now, so be one of the cool kids. Contact Ron Anthony if you have any questions.



Sunday School

Our Children's Sunday School will be starting back up again on August 4th. The summer just flew by! This year, we will have a middle school class. Peter Janzen has volunteered to teach the



middle schoolers. Thank you Peter! Stay tuned for the start date for this new class. We still need Sunday School teachers for our younger children. Children never outgrow the

need for the guidance of adults, and as adults, we never outgrow the responsibility to help and guide the children. Please let Linda George know if you can volunteer to teach or to be an assistant.

Adult Bible Study

Adult Bible Study will begin again on Wednesday, September 4th, with Gary and Linda George leading this first session.



Congrats to the Morton Family!

The Morton babies are here. John and Karin Morton of Knoxville, TN, welcomed twin daughters on Monday, June 24th. Leah Rae Morton arrived at 5:00 p.m., weighing in at 6 lb 5 oz and 19 1/4". Maddyx Lynn Morton arrived at 5:01 p.m. and weighed 7 lbs even and was 19 3/4".



Andrew and Mary Morton and older brothers, Matthias and Peter, of Warsaw, IN, welcomed Cornelius Thomas Morton at 7:45 p.m. on Wednesday, July 24th. Cornelius was 21 1/2" long and weighed 10 lb 10 oz.



Great Grandfather John, and Grandparents Ramon and Darcy, are proud and happy to add these three precious babies to the family.

Trinity says welcome to the world Leah, Maddyx, and Cornelius!

Stitch and Chatter

Our women's crafting group, Stitch and Chatter, meets at Trinity on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month at 9:00 a.m. Come join us to craft and/or chat. The coffee pot is always on. As of August



1st, there are only 146 days until Christmas. Some of these gals are working on Christmas projects. Ho, ho, ho! Everyone is welcome. Bring a craft to work on or just come to practice your chatting skills!

Kumsitz (Come and Sit)

Kumsitz is a men and women's fellowship group that meets at Trinity on the 4th Friday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Bring a snack to share and your choice of drink. Ladies, you may bring a project to work on if you'd like, or just come to socialize. The men usually do "manly things." We think that means telling exaggerated stories. We look forward to seeing you. This is a great way to start your weekend. Come join us!



Trinity's Website and Face Book Page



Shannon Burdick heads up Trinity's website. Check it out: www.tpcf.w.org

Linda George posts to our Trinity's Facebook page every morning. Check it out: Trinity Church

Let's show our appreciation by giving them a thank you.

Who's Who

Do you know your Trinity Session? Here they are:

Know God Group—Worship/Education/Stewardship - Led by Linda George and Eric Fricke.

Enjoy God Group—Caring/Fellowship/Communications—Led by Shirley March and Shannon Burdick.

Love All People Group—Mission/Evangelism—Led by Barbara Trabel and Cort Maple.

Facilities—Building & Grounds/Insurance/Security—Led by Karen Motts

Keep Trinity Clean

Just another friendly reminder. All of the maintenance and cleaning at Trinity is done by volunteers. If you have a meeting or host a function at the church, it is your responsibility to clean up after yourself. If you move furniture, please put it back. Please don't leave dirty dishes in the sink. Please don't leave leftover food in the trash cans. Treat Trinity as if it were



your home because it is! If everyone picks up after themselves, the work load doesn't fall on one or two people to keep our church home clean. If you would like to assist in the weekly routine upkeep of our building, please talk to Karen Motts.

Buddy Benches

Buddy Benches are benches made from recyclable products that are then placed on school playgrounds. A child can sit on this bench if they are feeling lonely and want someone to play with. Water bottle caps are some of the products used in the construction of Buddy Benches. Instead of throwing away the water bottle plastic caps following Fellowship hour on Sundays, please place them in the dish on



the kitchen counter. Linda George will see that they are picked up and delivered. Thanks for helping!

Hey Trinity Travelers

Trinity is collecting motel sample soaps, shampoos, and lotions. These products will be donated to homeless veterans. Please place any samples you may have in the basket in the hall. Linda George said she will see that they are delivered. The home-



less veterans will appreciate your donated samples. This is such an easy way to help our veterans who have done so much for us. Thanks.

Yoga Anyone?

Connie, the yoga instructor for our Wednesday morning yoga class has a flexible schedule, and she has indicated she would be willing to hold additional classes at Trinity. She could do either morning or evening classes. If there are any Trinity people who are interested in a yoga class, please talk to Peg Reed or Karen Motts.



Simple Home Remedies (NOT)

To avoid cutting yourself while chopping veggies, have someone else hold the veggies.

If you have a bad cough, take a huge dose of laxatives. That will make you afraid to cough.

If you can't fix it with a hammer, you have an electrical problem.

You only need two tools in life — WD-40 and duct tape. If it doesn't move and it should, use WD-40. If it moves and it shouldn't, use duct tape.

Daily thought: Some people are like slinkies. They aren't good for anything, but they bring a smile to your face when pushed down the stairs.

