

Trinity Church

Know God, Enjoy God, Love All People

APRIL 2021

Trinity Presbyterian Church

9600 St. Joe Road, Fort Wayne, IN

Love One Another—Congregational Care

Everyone can use a helping hand every now and then. If you know of someone in the church with a need, such as transportation, a meal, or running an errand,

please contact anyone on the Enjoy God Team: Shannon Burdick, Peg Reed, or Sharon Taddio.



You can also e-mail EnjoyGod@tpcfw.org.

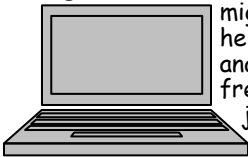
Galatians 6:2 "Carry one another's burdens; in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."

This is especially important now during this COVID-19 pandemic and social distancing. And thank you to the Trinity people who are passing on helpful hints and suggestions to keep us occupied and safe.



Attention All Livestream Viewers

All livestream viewers, when you log on to our Sunday morning worship service, please make a comment so that we know you are there and can greet you. It can be as simple as "good morning" or "hello" or even "hi from sunny Florida." We can't guarantee how well that last one



might be received here in northern Indiana! Also, please feel free to indicate your joys and concerns and any prayer requests. Our

livestream service is located on our Facebook page, Trinity Church. Just go to our page and click on videos. Each Sunday service will remain available until the

following Sunday. You are also always welcome to join us in person on any Sunday at 9:00 a.m. for our in-church worship service. We follow recommended safety practices and procedures, and our sanctuary is large enough for proper social distancing. Hope to see you soon or to hear from you on our livestream.



Thank You!

Thank you to everyone who is mailing your contributions so that Trinity can continue to do good works. The mailing address is:

Trinity Presbyterian Church
9600 St. Joe Road
Fort Wayne, IN 46835
Attention: Shannon Burdick



We look forward to 2021 being a better year. Again, we thank you for your generous support. We couldn't do it without you!



Presbyterian Per Capita for 2021

The amount of 2021 per capita per member is \$41.42. Please include "per capita" in the memo portion of your check. Thank you.



Stitch and Chatter

Stitch and Chatter, a woman's sewing and crafting group, will be meeting April 6th and 20th from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. upstairs in Fellowship Hall. Do you realize that it is only 9 months till Christmas? It's never too early to begin working on 2021 Christmas projects. Come join us for a time of stitching, chatter,

and coffee drinking. This group believes in tolerance. You are more than welcome to attend even if you are needle challenged! We have no doubt that even without a needle and thread, you can join in on the chatter.



Kumsitz

Kumsitz (come sit) is a men's and women's fellowship group that meets at 7:00 p.m.

the 4th Friday of each month. Everyone is always welcome. No RSVP is required. Just bring a snack and your beverage of choice. This is a great way to kick

off the weekend! Watch for notices about future locations.



Adult Bible Study

We hope to resume Adult Bible Study in the Fall. Watch for future notices.



Spring Has Sprung!

Pastor Terry Epling and Pastor Annie Epling are making plans to hold another joint Trinity Pres and First Pres worship service on Sunday, May 30th, on Trinity's lawn. If you attended last May, you know



how wonderful the service was. This is certainly something to look forward to with great anticipation.

tion, so dust off your lawn chairs and mark the date on your calendar. A big "Thank You" to the Eplings!

Lunch Bunch

On March 9th, we met at J.K. O'Donnell's Irish Ale House to celebrate an early St. Patrick's Day. We saw everything from bangers and mash to Scottish eggs. Our



April 13th get together will be at Hall's Tavern at Coventry, 5745 Coventry Lane. This may be your last chance to celebrate before "tax day" April 15th! Pat Swaim has already made our preliminary reservation. Please let Pat Swaim 615-8820 or Jane Borchelt 442-8334 know if you can join us so we can firm up our head-count number.

Who's Who

Here's your Trinity Session:

Know God Group—Worship/Education/Stewardship - Led by Linda George and Lois Maple.

Enjoy God Group—Caring/Fellowship/Communications—Led by Shannon Burdick and Peg Reed

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

Facilities—Building & Grounds/Insurance/Security—Led by DeWayne Reed

Trinity Church Facebook Page

If you do not already follow our Trinity facebook page, we suggest you might want to give it a try, Trinity Church.



There is an inspirational message posted every morning, and a humorous message posted every afternoon. Both messages serve to keep us inspired and uplifted.

Heartland Sings — Free Concert

Your Enjoy God Team has been hard at work! They have arranged for the Heartland Sings group to present a free



concert on our grounds on Sunday, September 12th. They have their own 40' motor home with at-

tached stage and full sound equipment. In addition to the musical entertainment, there will also be food trucks available. Festivities will begin at 3:00 p.m. Invite your family and friends. All of our Presbyterian churches will be invited to attend and enjoy the afternoon with us. All you need to bring is sunscreen (hopefully) and your lawn chairs. Mark your calendars!

Newsflash—Joe is Back!!

Coffee drinkers rejoice! Starting in April, we will again be serving coffee at church on Sundays! No need to hold your applause. Come celebrate with us!



Lenten Food Collection

Instead of a "Souper" Bowl food collection this year, we are having a Lenten food collection. You can bring non-perishable food and canned goods to church. We will be collecting the food at the front of the sanctuary. You may also take part by contributing



money toward this food collection. Just indicate "Food Collection" in the memo section of your check. The need in our community is especially great now due to the pandemic. Please have the food and or check at the church by Easter Sunday. As always, thank you for supporting this project.

WE MAY BE SOCIALLY DISTANCED, BUT WE REMAIN SPIRITUALLY CONNECTED.

Musical Terms

Allerregretto: When you're 16 measures into the piece and suddenly realize you've set a too-fast tempo.

A Patella: Accompanied by knee-slapping.

Dill Piccolini: An exceedingly small wind instrument that plays only sour notes.

Fiddler Crabs: Grumpy string players.

Flute Flies: Those tiny insects that bother musicians in outdoor gigs.

Gaul Blatter: A French horn player.

Placebo Domingo: A faux tenor.

Spritzicato: An indication to string instruments to produce a bright and bubbly sound.

Tempo Tantrum: What an elementary school orchestra is having when it's not following the conductor.

Approximato: A musical entrance that is somewhat in the vicinity of the correct pitch.

Approximatura: A series of notes not intended by the composer, yet played with an "I meant to do that" attitude.

Gregorian Champ: The title bestowed upon the monk who can hold a note the longest.

