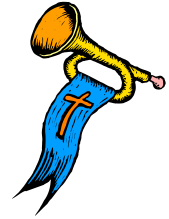


The Trinity Trumpet

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DID YOU KNOW.....

- ♦ **Easter Events:** Early worship service at 8:00 am; Easter breakfast at 9:15 am; Easter Egg Hunt for children at 9:45 am; Worship service at 10:30 am.
- ♦ **Layni Ressler** and her cheerleading team were Grand Champions at the Columbus competition.
- ♦ **Layni Ressler** has been selected as one of the Franklin Monroe Junior High Cheerleaders for 2019-2020.
- ♦ **Layni Ressler & Aiden Myers** competed in the Franklin Monroe Geography Bee.
- ♦ **Landon Muhlenkamp** received a Superior in the District Science Fair with his project entitled "Making Concrete Green" and is headed for the State Science Fair on May 11th.
- ♦ **Quintin Muhlenkamp**, a Junior at Wittenberg University, received a \$1500.00 President's Award from the University.
- ♦ **Cole Sagan** received his Master's Degree in Chemistry from the University of Wisconsin and will be pursuing his PH.D in Chemistry at the same university.

This area of the newsletter is available to share all important happenings in your family and friends. Please submit any news to secretary@pitsburgtlc.org or call the Trinity office at 937/692-5670 so the rest of us can celebrate with you!

Prayer Concerns—Current and ongoing and from the past month:

- Chet & Sharon Wirrig—Health
- Olis McKibben—Health
- Mike Hangen—Health
- Patty Sackett—Health
- Jim Neitzelt—Health
- Jr & Laszlo Koos—Health
- Buster Casto—Health
- Jody Burns—Cancer
- Mindy Brandon—Awaiting kidney transplant
- John & Karen Davis & family—
For John's kidney transplant
- David Allen Brumbaugh
- Mary Shellhaus—Stroke
- Jerry Higgins—Cancer
- Ronda Hanes—Health
- Maxine Didier—Healing
- Kerry young—Coma & for wife, Julia
- Kenny Gates—Health issues
- JR Alltop
- Holly McEldowney—Cancer
- Sarah Wolfe—In Hospice, kidney failure
- Matt Martin—Prayers of thanksgiving
- Kenny Hesler—Stroke
- Frank Trimble—Illness
- Katie Cottrell—Healing
- Greg Perry—Heart problems
- Ev Kaiser—Heart problems
- Kenny Johnson—Heart and health issues
- Mary Lou Rosenberger—Cancer
- Jacob Riffle—Heart issues
- Connie Rowland—Cancer
- Tom Schoeberl—4 yr. old recovering from kidney tumor removal surgery
- Aubree Myers—Lupus and MS
- Becky (Cool) McMullen—Mobility issues
- Chris Suttle—Treatment for Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma
- Marvin Brumbaugh—Cancer
- Amanda Spahr—Brain issues
- Joe Spahr—Heart issues
- Reese Addington—10 year old with auto-immune disease
- Shirley Hensel—Recovering from cancer surgery
- John Young—Cancer
- Mary Philpot—Cancer
- Craig Cotner—Health issues
- Tracy & Bob—Help through a difficult time
- Aiden Snyder—Leukemia
- Logan Nolley (Katherine's grandson)—Deployed to Afghanistan for a year
- Miranda Nolley (Katherine's granddaughter)—Deployed to Kuwait
- Crystal Proffitt—Health
- Ezra Brumbaugh—Healing
- Rick McDonnell—In a coma
- Ray Chester
- Zane Rhodehamel—Leukemia
- Kelly VanDeGrift—Cancer
- Dennis Riffle
- Jason Couvutsakis—Medical issues
- Ronnie Brumbaugh
- Tony Matamoras—Health
- Barry Ulrich—Vision
- Judy Ulrich—Cataract surgery
- Michelle Lawrence—Baby
- Mike Collins—Children's health
- Katlyn—Construction accident
- Jason—Construction accident
- Barb Boehmer—Chemotherapy
- David Netzey—Health
- Susan Oakes—Hospice care



* **Sympathy to the family**
following the death of

Prayer requests may be emailed at anytime to trinityprayers@woh.rr.com and upon receipt your request will be shared so that many will be praying immediately.

PRAYERS & SQUARES QUILTING

April 12 & 29
9:00 am

BABY CARE KITS

Contents are being collected April thru June for Lutheran World Relief. Info can be found in the WELCA news article in this newsletter and further details are available on the table in the Welcome area of the church.



Ladies Luncheon

April 10
11:30 am

- AWAY ON -

Vacation

I will be out of the office from April 17th through the 24th but will be working Monday & Tuesday, April 15 & 16 and then Thursday & Friday, April 25 & 26.

Your secretary,
Sharon Fourman

DEADLINE FOR THE MAY ISSUE OF THE TRINITY TRUMPET IS APRIL 23rd.

president's Perspective

Dear most special church family,

Updating you on the roof leak, the last couple rains there was no leak and after looking on the roof, we decided that ice freezing on the roof could have caused water to back up. We could see nothing on the roof to cause it. We will still monitor the situation.

In regards to changes to the constitution, probably late spring or early summer, council will review the proposed changes and then when we have what we feel is appropriate for Pittsburg Trinity Lutheran Church, we will have a congregational meeting to review with you and get your input. This will be a lengthy process in an effort to get all things right.

The safe has been installed and is ready to be used.

It is hard to believe but we have people who are starting to think about and plan for Bible School.

Next month's council meeting will be held on Thursday the 11th.

There was once a strongman at a circus sideshow who demonstrated his power before large audiences every night. Toward the end of one performance, he squeezed the juice from a lemon between his hands. He said to the onlookers, "I will offer \$200 to anyone here who can squeeze another drop from this lemon." A thin older lady hobbled up to the stage. She picked up the lemon and clamped it between her two frail, boney hands. She squeezed and out came a teaspoon of lemon juice. The strongman was amazed. He paid the woman \$200 but privately asked her, "What is the secret of your strength?" "Practice," the woman answered. "I have been treasurer of my church for forty-two years!"

Blessings to you all,

Dean

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— 40 Days Of Renewal —

WORSHIP & STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

Wednesdays, March 13—April 10

12:00 pm Worship service at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 131 E. 4th St., Greenville followed by a light lunch at 12:30
6:30 pm Book/Bible Study at Trinity (see pg. 5)

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE AT TRINITY

Maundy Thursday, April 18

7:00 pm Worship Service

Good Friday, April 19

7:00 pm Worship Service

Easter Morning, April 21

8:00 am Early Worship Service

9:15 am Breakfast

9:45 am Egg Hunt

10:30 am Worship Service



GOOD FRIDAY — 12 noon

"The Way of the Cross"

Local Christians remember the last few moments of Jesus' life during the annual Way of the Cross services on Good Friday. As it has for many years, The Way of the Cross is sponsored by the Greater Greenville Ministerial Association.

The Way of the Cross is a virtual tour that leads believers along the journey from when Jesus prayed in the Garden of Gethsemane to his burial. Scripture, prayer and songs are held at each station along the way.

The journey begins at St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church as "Jesus Prays in the Garden" and then continues on the walk to other churches in the area until the last station when "Jesus is Buried".

WELCA News for April

Dear Sisters in Christ,

As I child I thought that time moved so slowly-especially when waiting for summer time. Now I can not believe how fast time seems to move. Here it is April already. April showers bring May flowers. Holy week will be here soon- Palm Sunday is April 14th, Then Maundy Thursday is the 18th, Good Friday is the 19th, and Easter Sunday is the 21st. Holy week is a time to reflect upon what God has done for us. John 3:16 For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. This has always been my favorite Bible verse, I sometimes have a hard time wrapping my mind around His sacrifice.

Our April meeting will be on Thursday, April 4th from 6:30-8:30ish and snacks will be provided by all the WELCA ladies.

Our service project for April through June is soap collection. We are also going to be collecting items for Baby Care Kits. There are handouts in the Welcome area with more details on needed items.

- TWO lightweight cotton t-shirts (no Onesies ®)
- TWO long- or short-sleeved gowns or sleepers (without feet)
- TWO receiving blankets, medium-weight cotton or flannel, or crocheted or knitted with lightweight yarn, between 36" and 52" square
- FOUR cloth diapers, flat fold preferred
- ONE jacket, sweater or sweatshirt with a hood, or include a baby cap
- TWO pairs of socks
- ONE hand towel, dark color recommended
- TWO or three bath-size bars of gentle soap equaling 8 to 9 oz., any brand, in original wrapping; no mini or hotel size bars
- TWO diaper pins or large safety pins

Each woman at Trinity is welcome to attend the monthly meetings and share in a time of fellowship and spiritual growth. Come on out and celebrate the New Year with your sisters here at Trinity.

Upcoming WELCA Events:

- ◇ April 4th - WELCA meeting (this is a Thursday).
We will be doing our Secret Sister Reveal and we will be voting on Officers for 2019/2020
- ◇ May 5th- Mother/Daughter/Friend Celebration-mark your calendar-4:30pm

God Loves you and so do !!

PJ Musser-WELCA President



Dartball News:

This will be my last article until dartball resumes this fall.

Some of you have heard us mention our woody bucket. We throw darts at a board that looks like a ball diamond. Most dartboards are surrounded by wood. Anytime we fail to get the dart somewhere in the dartboard, it usually sticks in the wood. If that happens, it is called a woody and whoever is throwing has to put a quarter in the woody bucket. At the end of the year we donate the proceeds to the Fish Food Pantry. The past two years we have been able to donate \$50 each year. What that means is that we, and I do mean we, have been off the board many times. It also means that we laugh at each other a lot. We do have a fairly humorous team. We laugh at each other as well as ourselves.

I am looking forward to next season. Our team works so hard during the season that they really need the off season to rest.

Dean

SOS WELCA 2019

SPRING gathering

Conferences starting soon!

All women who attend ELCA congregations in our synod are invited to attend the SOS WELCA Spring Gathering near you! Mark your calendars!

Sat March 30--Scioto Conference

Calvary Lutheran Church,
74 W. Main St, Chillicothe
9:30 registration/10:30 Gathering
Cost \$8.00
Contact Person(s): Judy Root or
Nancy Hoffman

Sat April 6--Dayton Conference

Faith Lutheran Church, 3315 Martel
Dr, Dayton
10:30 registration/11:00 Gathering
Cost: \$3.00
Contact Person(s): Marcie Griffin or
Marcia Calhoun

Sat April 13--Northwest Conference

St. Matthew Lutheran Church, 6825
Ohio Rt 722, Arcanum
8:30 registration/9:00 Gathering
Cost: \$5.00
Contact Person(s): Cheri Comstock
or Jean Wright

Sat April 27--Cincinnati Conference

Zion Lutheran Church, 212 S. Front
St, Hamilton
8:30 registration/9:00 Gathering
Cost: \$10.00
Empty Bowls/Full Hearts activity
(bring an apron or paint shirt w/you)
Contact Person(s): Kathy Schnierle,
Ginny Pape

Sat May 4--Muskingum Conference

New Hope Lutheran, 7025 Adams-
ville-Otsego Rd, Adamsville, Exit 157
off of I-70
9:00 registration/9:30 Gathering
Contact Person(s): Angie Hoberg,
Phyllis Shoemaker

Sun May 5--Central Ohio Conference

Messiah Lutheran Church, 1200
Waggoner Rd, Reynoldsburg
1:30 registration/2:00 Gathering
Contact Person: Janet Dixon

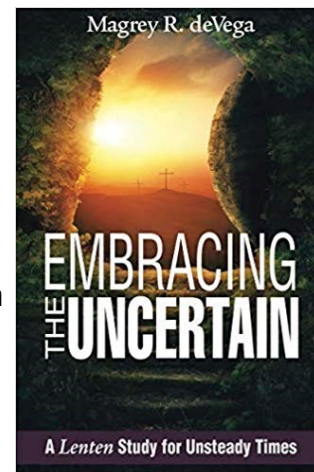
LENTEN BOOK/BIBLE STUDY

Wednesdays March 13—April 10 6:30 pm

During the Lenten season rather than a Soup Supper and Lenten Worship, we will have a Lenten Book/Bible Study here at Trinity on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm from March 13 thru April 10 (5 weeks). You are invited to purchase your own copy of the book (available through Amazon at \$7.80 for a Kindle version up to \$13.00 for a paperback version or purchase from any vendor that you choose). Join us for this short term study.

Description:

Embracing the Uncertain invites readers this Lent to engage and wrestle with life's uncertainties, not ignore them. The first six chapters focus on six post-Transfiguration, pre-Passion stories in the Gospels. Each of these stories are signposts in the gospel narrative, pointing down at a world filled with uncertainty, but pointing us forward to a cross that can show us how to follow Jesus with courage, hope, and obedience. Includes discussion questions that can be used in small-group Bible study session or for personal growth."



CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

...News for Pre-K through 6th Grade



Our next main event will be the April 21, The Annual Easter Egg Hunt right after breakfast. We will need donations of coins, candy, and small treats to fill the eggs. Be on the lookout for treats. We already have plenty of eggs.

Something special will take place for Mother's Day and Father's Day, too.

We are looking forward to Bible School this summer. The Roar curriculum will be used, which focuses on a God is Good theme. PARENTS and HELPERS, Bible School will be on the following 5 Wednesdays - June 26, July 10, July 17, July 24, & July 31. Please put these dates on your calendar.

Some children are due for the next Bible up soon. I will be contacting parents about this.

Thanks!

Christian Education Team: Marge Warner, Christian Education Superintendent 937-623-2544
Pam Oswalt, Linda Baker, Michelle Groff, Stephanie Kemp, Pastor Mel



If you would like to attend the Dayton Dragons game on Saturday, June 8th, please contact Pastor Mel or PJ by Sunday, March 31st. Tickets are \$12 each but \$6 of each ticket price will be given back to the Ohio Nurses Association District 10.

Ohio Nurses Association District 10 Night at Fifth Third Field

Dayton Dragons vs. Fort Wayne Tincaps

Saturday, June 8, 2019, 7:00PM

Come out and have a great time with colleagues, friends, and family taking in a Dragons game in our Group Seats!

What's included?

- Game ticket for a stadium seat
- A Dragons hat
- \$6 from every ticket goes back to Ohio Nurses Association District 10
- Your group is announced over our PA system and displayed on our videoboard
- Great entertainment
- A chance to win Dragons merchandise through a private group raffle



Pittsburg Trinity has



All of the ladies of the church are invited to participate in this ministry of caring and sharing with other sisters in Christ. Each lady that chooses to participate in this program can fill out a form and then will draw a name. One does not have to attend the monthly WELCA meetings to participate, even though we would love every lady of Trinity to attend the WELCA meetings. You should pray for and encourage your secret sister. It is wonderful to have someone that prays for you daily and is there to send you an encouraging note from time to time.

What are Your Responsibilities if you participate in the Secret Sisters program?

1. Know that it is a commitment. The lady you are assigned will be expecting you to uphold her in your prayers and she should be able to rely on you for encouragement.
2. Pray daily for your sister. Get to know her needs and her family's needs so that you may pray specifically for them.
3. Make an effort to get to know your sister. Discover the likes and dislikes of your sister. Know her favorites. Find out all about her.
4. Be an encouragement to your sister. Send her cards or notes of encouragement.
5. Remember your sister on her special occasions. Don't forget to send cards for her birthday and anniversary or special landmarks in your sister's life.
6. Keep it a secret! Don't let anyone know whom you have. Leave your cards or notes when no one is around or have someone else deliver them.
7. If you are unable to continue, contact the women's ministry leader. If you find you are unable to continue participating in the Secret Sister program, let someone know so another sister can be found for the lady you were assigned.

You will have fun and enjoy getting to know your sisters!

You can be the instrument that God has placed in this person's life to give them the encouragement they need right when they need it. "A word spoken in due season, how good it is!" Proverbs 15:23. Praying daily for your sister will strengthen you, and the rewards can be immeasurable.

Secret Sister Forms are available on the table in the back of the church. Please fill one out and return it to PJ.

New secret Sisters will be chosen at the April 4th WELCA meeting, if you want to participate but cannot attend the WELCA meeting- we will be sure your name is included in the drawing. You will then be able to draw a name at a latter time.

Who doesn't like to get presents or better yet who doesn't like to give gifts?

PJ Musser, Secret Sister Coordinator



AVAILABLE AT TRINITY

Just go to our website: <https://pittsburgtlc.org>

Click on the "GIVE TO TRINITY" box, fill in the form and follow the prompts.

From our Pastor

... and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. (1 Corinthians 12:3)

Trinity Family and Friends,

Grace and peace to you from God our Father and from Jesus Christ our Lord, amen.

My beloved congregation, I do not want any of you to be uninformed. No one can say, "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. Saint Paul is talking about the essence of faith. Without the Holy Spirit's coming to us and imputing itself into every cell and molecule of our being we would never recognize Jesus for who he really is. That's why we say even our faith, even the very trust we place in Jesus, is a gift from God. It all starts with the Holy Spirit coming to us and moving us to faith and trust in Jesus Christ.

It really has nothing to do with believing in Jesus. What!? That's right—belief isn't what matters. After all, Satan "believes" in Jesus. The difference is that Satan doesn't trust Jesus to be his Lord and Savior. Only a belief that leads to trust and faith saves us from an eternity of separation from God. How do we get the faith to place ourselves under the Lordship of Jesus Christ? It all starts with God sending the Holy Spirit to us. How does that happen, you might ask?



Saint Paul has a pretty good explanation for how people come to a faith in Jesus Christ that saves their lives and souls. In the 10th chapter of Romans Paul says, ¹³ For, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved." ¹⁴ But how are they to call on one in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in one of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone to proclaim him? ¹⁵ And how are they to proclaim him unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!" (Rom 10:13-15)

Jesus found 12 disciples. He taught them about God and God's love. Then Jesus proved that love by giving his life for the sake of the world. Before he left us and ascended to heaven, he gave those disciples a mission. He told them to take this story of the good news of God's love to all the people of the world. In that mission the disciples were no longer disciples. A disciple is one who follows the teacher and learns from their master. In their going out on the mission to deliver the good news they also received a new title, they became Apostles. An Apostle is one who is sent on a mission. Those original Apostles also taught or disciplined others who in turn then became Apostles as well. That happened over and over throughout the next 2,000 or so years all the way until today. All of us who take our story of God's love in our lives and tell that good news to someone else are modern day Apostles.

The way I see it, when God's people stop telling the story, faith is no longer produced. So, by far, the most important thing about your life as a Christian is your story and how you tell it. You don't have to be a seminary trained pastor or even a graduate of the Southern Ohio Synod's Lay School of Theology. All you have to know is that you have been loved by God and how that love has affected your life. Friends, that should be a very easy story to tell! There is no right or wrong only your witness to God and his love.

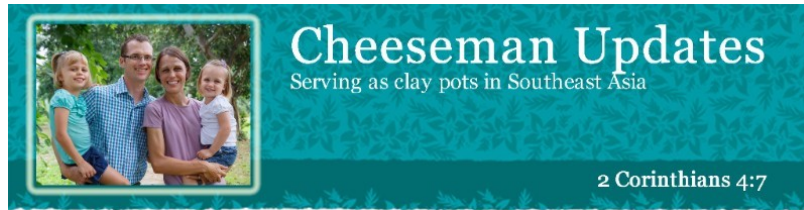
When was the last time you shared your story with someone? It doesn't have to be some stranger on the street, although sometimes God places people in our pathway specifically because they need to hear, or because God knows they might be open to hearing about Him and His love. You can tell your story to your own children and grandchildren, to your brothers and sisters, to your aunts and uncles, cousins and all your kin.

May you come to know your story in Christ so well that it sparks the flames of the Holy Spirit and kindles your faith within you. May that Holy Spirit bring you to trust even more in the love and promises of God in Christ Jesus. May you be empowered to bring that story to everyone you know because after all, who doesn't want beautiful feet! Amen.

Yours In Christ,

Pr Mel





Dear Pittsburg Trinity Lutheran,

Do you ever pray about things that feel remote or impossible? In 2006 my Bible study in Orlando decided to start praying that the Masada* people, living in a far away country, would get a Bible of their own. There's several million Masada speakers, but very few Christians. Those who dare to speak about Jesus are persecuted. Thirteen years ago, our frequent prayer for a Masada translator seemed remote and removed from my everyday life.

A few years ago I stopped praying faithfully for the Masada, but God has continued to be faithful. In February, I (Nate) was sitting at my desk and got an email about Kai*, another translator coming for training this spring. As I researched Kai's hometown, I was shocked. I realized they are coming to help translate the Bible for the Masada, the far-away group we prayed for 13 years ago! Now we get to witness God's answer close up!

- Please pray for protection and focus for Kai* and the other 20 students who will start the linguistics program at the end of March.
- Pray that those students who have suffered persecution would find healing and renewed strength during their studies.

We thank God for each of you who faithfully pray for our family and our ministry, even when our requests seem to come from a far-away land. :)

Nate and Ivy



Five years ago, Nate began taking some strong meds to try to preserve his eyesight. His doctors now agree that in April he can begin slowly lowering the dosage. We praise God for his protection thus far and pray that the blurry vision will not return. We thank all of you who have prayed with us on this journey. (Picture: Toilet paper roll glasses, complements of the kids.)

Air pollution is normally very high this time of year. On a particularly bad day last week, Ivy wore a N95 mask to cook in our open-windowed kitchen. Not easy for taste-testing! :) Pray for God's joy and patience to fill us even on weeks where we feel trapped inside. Also, please pray for rain to clean the air. Many of our neighbors do not have the luxuries of air purifiers or sealed-up homes.



Cheeseman Updates

Serving as clay pots in Southeast Asia



At a recent community event, we got to know our "village headman" better. We told him a little about the Northern Thai Bible. His response was that if it was really our favorite book, he would like to have a copy for himself. I don't know whether or not it was a genuine interest in God's Word, but we visited him a few weeks later with an audio Bible. We have much respect for this man and his concern for the community. Pray that he (Lion) would listen to the Bible and respond to God's call.

The neighborhood party where we talked with our village headman (story in photo above) included many savory (and a few not-so-savory) treats. Read more on our blog.



Dear Church Partners,

We created a video for one of our supporting church's missions conference. We wanted to share it with you as well in case you are able to use it with your own missions team or congregation.

Video Link: <https://www.dropbox.com/s/e8h2ok8kki0j874/2019ChurchUpdate.mp4?dl=0>

For **financial partnership** send a check to: Wycliffe USA, PO Box 628200, Orlando FL 32862-8200. Attach a note saying: "For the ministry of Nat & Ivy Cheeseman account 248577."

Or go to <http://www.wycliffe.org/Partnership.aspx?mid=FCA44A>

For **prayer partnership**: Contact us directly: nateandivy@gmail.com <http://nateandivy.blogspot.com>

All internet addresses will need to be copied and pasted into your browser.

The Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Project (BCCP)



You may be eligible for a free mammogram or Pap test.



Signs and Symptoms

Breast Cancer

Early detection gives you more treatment options and improves your chance for survival.

Signs and symptoms you should discuss with your doctor:

- A lump or thickening in the breast or underarm area
- Dimpling or puckering of skin in the breast
- Change in shape, size or look of the breast
- Nipple discharge, retraction or scaliness
- Ridges or pitting of the breast (looks like the peel of an orange)

Cervical Cancer

Cervical cancer can strike a woman at any age. Early cervical cancer has no symptoms.

Signs and symptoms you should discuss with your doctor:

- Bleeding between periods
- A heavier than usual period, bleeding after sex or a pelvic exam
- Increased vaginal discharge

BCCP Provides Services

BCCP can help all women navigate screening. BCCP Patient Navigation program helps guide women through the healthcare system, find providers and community resources. Additionally, BCCP can answer any questions about scheduling, appointment, using insurance and more.

BCCP program also offers the following services at no-cost to qualified participants.

- Clinical breast exams
- Mammograms
- Breast ultrasounds
- Surgical consultation
- Fine needle aspiration
- Breast biopsy (limited coverage for this service)
- Pap test
- Pelvic test
- Colposcopy and biopsy

Local health providers in BCCPs 16 county area will provide these services close to your home. The Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Project schedules all appointments for you.

*To find out if you qualify for free services, call the Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Project at **1-866-838-8973** (toll-free)*

Who is Eligible?

All women are eligible to receive BCCP Patient Navigation service for free.

If you live in one of these counties, call 1-866-838-8973 to see if you qualify to receive the no-cost Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening and diagnostic tests.

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| • Adams | • Warren | • Miami |
| • Brown | • Butler | • Montgomery |
| • Highland | • Champaign | • Preble |
| • Hamilton | • Clark | • Shelby |
| • Clinton | • Darke | |
| • Clermont | • Greene | |

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BCCP article continued from page 11:

Too many women die of breast and cervical cancer every year.

BCCP was started to decrease breast and cervical cancer deaths by providing free mammograms, pelvic exams, and Pap tests to women in the community who need it most.

Because... the earlier we find cancer the more likely it can be cured.

Find Cancer Early

- Have a yearly mammogram beginning at age 40
- Have a clinical breast exam (done by a doctor or nurse) every three years from age 20 to 39, and every year at age 40 and older
- Be familiar with the way your breasts normally look and feel so that you can tell when a change occurs.
- Have a yearly pelvic exam and regular Pap test

Appointments can be made by calling the Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Project at 1-866-838-8973 (toll-free)

What if Treatment is Needed?

Women needing treatment for breast or cervical cancer or pre-cancer diagnosis through services paid for by the BCCP will be assisted by BCCP staff in finding available community resources.

Funding made possible in part by Cooperative Agreement #3U58DP003936-03S1 funded by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Ohio Department of Health (ODH).



Join us for our

Mother - Daughter -
Friend

Banquet

Sunday

May 5, 2019

4:30 pm



Thanks to everyone that is helping with the following:

- Reorganizing Quilt & LWR Kit Storage Room
- Outside cross repair
- Cleaning of large Sunday School room
- Cleaning in furnace room and pump room
- Trinity Constitution



Although April Fools' Day, also called All Fools' Day, has been celebrated for several centuries by different cultures, its exact origins remain a mystery.

Some historians speculate that April Fools' Day dates back to 1582, when France switched from the Julian calendar to the Gregorian calendar, as called for by the Council of Trent in 1563.

People who were slow to get the news or failed to recognize that the start of the new year had moved to January 1 and continued to celebrate it during the last week of March through April 1 became the butt of jokes and hoaxes.

These pranks included having paper fish placed on their backs and being referred to as "poisson d'avril" (April fish), said to symbolize a young, easily caught fish and a gullible person.

Historians have also linked April Fools' Day to festivals such as Hilaria, which was celebrated in ancient Rome at the end of March and involved people dressing up in disguises.

There's also speculation that April Fools' Day was tied to the vernal equinox, or first day of spring in the Northern Hemisphere, when Mother Nature fooled people with changing, unpredictable weather.

April Fools' Day spread throughout Britain during the 18th century. In Scotland, the tradition became a two-day event, starting with "hunting the gowk," in which people were sent on phony errands (gowk is a word for cuckoo bird, a symbol for fool) and followed by Tailie Day, which involved pranks played on people's derrieres, such as pinning fake tails or "kick me" signs on them.

In modern times, people have gone to great lengths to create elaborate April Fools' Day hoaxes. Newspapers, radio and TV stations and Web sites have participated in the April 1 tradition of reporting outrageous fictional claims that have fooled their audiences.

In 1957, the BBC reported that Swiss farmers were experiencing a record spaghetti crop and showed footage of people harvesting noodles from trees; numerous viewers were fooled. In 1985, *Sports Illustrated* tricked many of its readers when it ran a made-up article about a rookie pitcher named Sidd Finch who could throw a fastball over 168 miles per hour.

In 1996, Taco Bell, the fast-food restaurant chain, duped people when it announced it had agreed to purchase Philadelphia's Liberty Bell and intended to rename it the Taco Liberty Bell. In 1998, after Burger King advertised a "Left-Handed Whopper," scores of clueless customers requested the fake sandwich.

<https://www.history.com/topics/holidays/april-fools-day>



APRIL Celebrations



Birthdays

1 Brandon Groff	11 Bradly Burrell	23 Aubree Myers
Rita Erdmann	Nina Unger	Lexie Angles
2 Brooklyn Proffitt	Nychelle Cool	Michael Martin
Sherri Shelley	15 Elizabeth Erdmann	25 Kalysta Thobe
Terri Brumbaugh	17 Diane Hesler	26 Blake Gettinger
4 Barry Ulrich	18 Josh Schmitmeyer	Stephanie Vanatta
5 Carla Hesler	19 Angelo Morelli	27 Sarah Beard
Kimberly Harleman	Beth Hein	28 Kami Schmitmeyer
6 Bucky Burrell	Cody Troutwine	29 Jake Angles
8 Lucas Witters	David Wills	Teresa Neitzelt
Pam Barga	20 Jake Warner	30 Linda McKibben
9 Andrew McKibben	Keith Witters	Madison Sagan
Ed Muhlenkamp	Ryan Garwood	
10 Bill Ulrich	21 Bryanna Diceanu	
Todd Ulrich	22 Donna Thompson	



Anniversaries



6 Marvin & Carolyn Fourman	13 Stanley & Mary Lamb
9 Greg & Pam Barga	17 Terry & Diane Warner
10 Gerald & Betty Merzke	30 Tom & Brenda Tauscher



Baptisms



1 Pat Netzley	14 Joshua Long	17 Emily Warner
3 Jamey Rismiller	Kristen Sarver	18 Mark Oswalt
Linda McKibben	Mallory Long	Ronnie Bridenbaugh
6 Kristen Netzley	Pamela Oswalt	20 Katie Ressler
7 Allison Warner	Roxanne Groff	21 Tracy Muhlenkamp
8 Dana Heckman	Sarah Sarver	25 Brent Shofner
Terry Altic	Zachary Long	26 Ashton Myers
9 Jennifer McKibben	15 Caleena Hesler	Sierra Bruner
12 Marvin Fourman	Claudette Diceanu	27 Marie Beard
13 Debra Harleman	Vicki Ressler	29 Jackson Baker
	Elizabeth Erdmann	Paul Barga
		30 Pam Myers






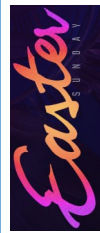

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DATE	GREETERS	READERS	ACOLYTES	FLOWERS
7	Chris Cassel & Gary Obringer	Peggy Didier		
14	Danyelle Cool & Claudette Diceanu	Rick Myers	Isabella Harleman	
Maundy Thursday		Rob Arling		
Good Friday		Jennifer Arling		
21 - 8 am	Larry & Susan Harter	Larry Harter	Isabella Harleman	
- 10:30 am	Eldon & Bev Erdmann	Dean Thompson		
28	Shannon & Layni Ressler	Chris Cassel		

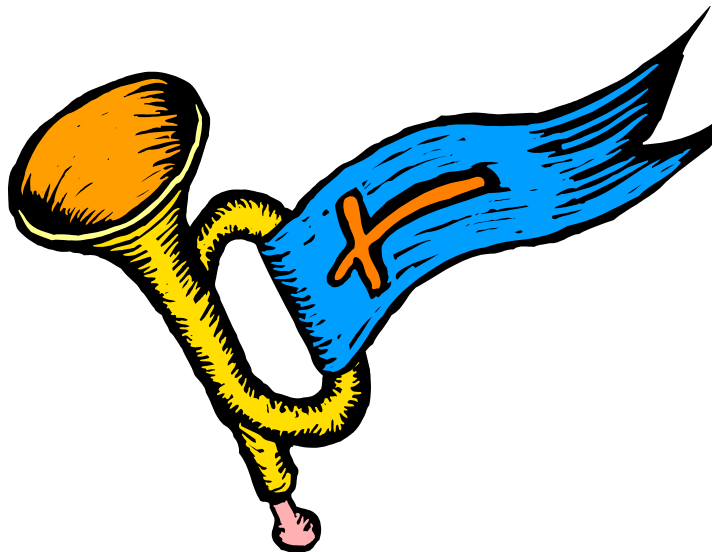


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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 	2	3 11:20 am FM Core Club 12:00 pm GGMA Lenten Service at St. Paul Lutheran (Lunch follows) 6:30 pm Book/Bible Study at Trinity	4 6:30 pm WELCA Meeting 7:00 pm Worship Team Meeting (if needed)	5 3:30 pm FISH Choice Food Pantry 6:00 pm Wedding Rehearsal	6 9:00 am Mutual Ministry Team Wedding at Trinity
7 9:15 am Confirmation Class 9:30 am Adult Sunday School 10:30 am Worship & Kid's Sunday School	8	9 6:00 pm Finance Team Meeting	10 11:20 am FM Core Club 11:30 am Ladies Luncheon 12:00 pm GGMA Lenten Service at St. Paul Lutheran (Lunch follows) 6:30 pm Book/Bible Study at Trinity	11 7:00 pm Trinity Council Meeting	12 9:00 am Prayers & Squares Quilting 3:30 pm FISH Choice Food Pantry	13
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21  8:00 am Early Worship Service 9:15 am Easter Breakfast 9:30 am Adult Sunday School 9:45 am Easter Egg Hunt 10:30 am Worship 11:30 am Blood Press. Screening	22	23 	24 11:20 am FM Core Club	25	26 3:30 pm FISH Choice Food Pantry	27
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