

# **HELLO TRINITY FRIENDS!**

News for the week of August 23, 2020



STAFF RE-CONNECT DAY Our faculty (checking out their social distancing!) returned to campus this week to prepare for the opening day of classes Sept. 1. For a bit of fun and re-connection, Wednesday evening they enjoyed a mock luau on the shores of Lake Erie. (See photos). Thanks to Trinity members Lauren Merkle for the location and hospitality and Dave Sterling for catering the Hawaiian supper. The evening

included a devotion, training, sharing, laughter and a couple of kayaks.

**LIKE TO RECEIVE COMMUNION?** If you have not been able to join us for worship at Trinity, please contact the Church Office if you would like one of the pastors to serve communion to you.

**ACCEPTING NOMINATIONS** The Board of Directors is seeking nominations from the congregation for the upcoming term. If you would like to nominate a member to serve on the Board, please notify the church office or contact Laura Strube at (734) 755-8238. Thank you.

**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** Provided by **Mary Fuhlbrigge** remembering the Aug. 19<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Pastor Karl & Mary Fuhlbrigge. **Open dates to place flowers on the altar:** Oct. – Dec. To sign up or for information, contact Karen Brown at (734) 344-7150.

**REACHING THE FINISH LINE . . . TOGETHER!** Phase 3 has begun—the first two phases of remodeling are paid for. We want to finish strong! We want to finish together! Help us to reach the finish line (of remodeling project) by contributing to the effort and by inviting other Trinity members to join you. This is ONE race where finishing together makes us ALL winners. Keep watching for more information!

**POSITIONS TO BE FILLED** Day-time and evening Custodial Positions and School Kitchen Assistant to be filled at Trinity. Please contact the Church Office or David Ayala (dayala@trinitylutheranmonroe.org) for more information.

#### LIFT UP IN PRAYER!

- Jerry Bunge
- Tammie Lansingh thanksgiving for good results from first biopsy; prayers requested for thyroid biopsy on Aug. 24
- Rose Bork home after being hospitalized
- Jan Groves surgery on foot may be needed
- Don Wolfenbarger recovering from rotator cuff surgery

### **MEMORIALS & SPECIAL GIFTS**

- In memory of Deane Rogers for Here We Stand...Too! from Mark & Penny Havekost
- In memory of **Dan Donahue** for Trinity Work Program from Russ & Pamela Sutherland, Pat Applin, Christopher & Anne Burgess, Bonnie Carroll, John & Janet Giarmo
- In memory of Elmer Siebarth from Rick Durham, Jeff & Andrea Frost, Juergen & Lorraine Koenig, Keith & Jean Siebarth, Walter Stotz, Cecelia Musulin

**WORSHIP – PLEASE** <u>PRE-REGISTER</u> It's great to get together again! Pre-registration is GREATLY appreciated *although we usually have several seats open,* so please join us! Just be sure to register with the person checking attendance. We ask that you wear a mask especially as you enter and leave, and during the service for those who can. We all continue to observe social distancing. Use our website or these links to register:

August 22 & 23 August 29 & 30 September 5 & 6

# How to Watch / Worship / Join Us!

### Worship -

- In Trinity Sanctuary Times: Sat. 6pm and Sun. 8:30, 9:45, & 11am
- Facebook LIVE Sundays at 10 a.m. (or later on our Web site)
- Recorded services can be watched on cable TV –
- Xfinity (Comcast) channel 21 or Spectrum (Charter) channel 187 / Wed. 5 p.m. and Thur. 9 a.m.

## Bible Studies - https://www.tlcmonroe.org/online-bible-studies

- Philippians
- Gospel of Mark
- Two Citizenships: Conversations with Christians in the secular arena. Listen to interviews with Christian public servants: Troy Goodnough (<u>Goodnough Conversation</u>); Joe Bellino (<u>Bellino Conversation</u>); Randy Richardville (Richardville Conversation).
- "What if I am Hesitant to Go Outside" dealing with fear: Hesitant to Go Out

Blessings from all of us at Trinity!

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