I will sour out birit

#### TRINITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

2340 State Street, East Petersburg, PA 17520 717-569-1632

Website: www.trinityeastpete.org E-Mail:secretary@trinityeastpete.org
The Rev. Dr. Christopher M. Rankin, Pastor
The Rev. Harry G. Royer, Pastor Emeritus
The Rev. Dr. Carolyne Call, Covenanted Minister of Mission
Mr. Michael Slechta, Director of Music/ Sounds of Trinity Choir Director
Mrs. Christine Oetama, Organist
Mrs. Carmen Richards, Pianist
Mrs. Carol Kratz, Administrative Assistant

# PENTECOST SUNDAY 8:00 A.M. SERVICE

Mr. Sean McKelvey, Preschool Director

**Today's Theme:** On Pentecost, we celebrate that we have been given an Advocate to accompany us. Poured out in wind and fire, water, wine, and bread, the Holy Spirit abides in and among us. We give thanks that God speaks to each of us, no matter our origins, language, or life path. Filled with the Spirit of truth, we go out from worship to proclaim the saving power of Christ's love and the freedom of God's grace with all the world.

Welcome all visitors! We welcome all who worship with us. May the joy of Christ's presence and the power of the Holy Spirit fill you with peace and hope! We are honored by your presence and trust that you will join us in the praise and worship of God. Please sign our guest book in the narthex. If you are interested in church membership, please give your name and telephone number to Pastor Rankin.

Welcome to the Eucharist! All who seek to follow Jesus and who seek the gifts Jesus offers us are invited to share in this sacrament of Holy Communion. Children are invited to receive communion at the discretion of their parents/guardians. If a child wants to receive a blessing, they are asked to fold their hands.

**Prayer As You Enter:** God our creator, the resurrection of your Son offers life to all the peoples of earth. By your Holy Spirit, kindle in us the fire of your love, empowering our lives for service and our tongues for praise, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

# MISSION MOMENT: Strengthen the Church Offering (PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE)

# **CALL TO WORSHIP**

# AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM AND INVITATION TO THE TABLE

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.** 

On this Pentecost, we can receive the surprises of God.

We can be moved to speak and act in new ways.

With hesitant eagerness, we welcome the Spirit.

We will risk stepping into God's vision for us.

In the Acts of the Apostles we read that as the church was gathered, often in the homes of believers, Christians devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and community, to the breaking of bread, and to prayers.

Jesus Christ, the Bread of Life, we gather at your table to know you in the breaking of the bread.

In Christ's presence there is fullness of joy. Come to the banquet.

# **CONFESSION OF SINS**

#### CALL TO CONFESSION

Jesus said: You shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, but we fear the Spirit's power.

Let us confess our slowness to embrace the new life of the Spirit.  $(SEATED\ OR\ KNEELING)$ 

#### SILENT CONFESSION OF SINS

#### CONFESSION OF SIN

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Gracious God, we come to you for healing and life. Our sins hurt others and diminish us; we confess them to you. Our lives bear the scars of sin; we bring these also to you. Show us your mercy, O God. Bind up our wounds, forgive us our sins, and free us to love, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

#### **KYRIE**

Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

# ASSURANCE OF PARDON

(PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE)

# ACT OF PRAISE

O God, open my lips.

And my mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Praise to the holy and undivided Trinity, one God:

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

## COLLECT FOR PENTECOST SUNDAY

Let us pray the collect together.

Holy Spirit, counselor, revealer of eternal truth, show us God and we will be satisfied. Call to our remembrance all that we have seen and heard and felt that gave us glimpses of your work in our world. Bring a new Pentecost among us so we will be empowered to witness to the world, through Jesus Christ. Amen.

(PLEASE BE SEATED)

#### TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

# THE WORD OF GOD

#### THE FIRST LESSON

Acts 2:1-21

Before Jesus ascended into heaven, he told his disciples they would be filled with the Holy Spirit. Now, surrounded by signs of fire, wind, and a variety of languages, the people were amazed and astonished at Jesus' promise coming true.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God!

#### THE PSALTER

Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

Lord, you have made so many things! How wisely you made them all! The earth is filled with your creatures.

There is the ocean, large and wide, where countless creatures live, large and small alike.

The ships sail on it, and in it plays Leviathan, that sea monster which you made.

All of them depend on you to give them food when they need it.

You give it to them, and they eat it; you provide food, and they are satisfied.

When you turn away, they are afraid; when you take away their breath, they die and go back to the dust from which they came.

But when you give them breath, they are created; you give new life to the earth.

May the glory of the Lord last forever!

May the Lord be happy with what he has made!

God looks at the earth, and it trembles;

God touches the mountains, and they pour out smoke.

I will sing to the Lord all my life, as long as I live, I will sing praises to my God!

May God be pleased with my song, for my gladness comes from God.

Praise the Lord, my soul!

Praise the Lord!

#### THE SECOND LESSON

Romans 8:14-17

Here Paul speaks about the mystery of baptism: through the Holy Spirit we are claimed, gathered, and welcomed into Christ's body, the church. And we receive new names in our adoption: child of God.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God!

(PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE)

#### THE HOLY GOSPEL

St. John 14:8-17,25-27

Though the disciples struggle with Jesus' nature and identity, they receive the promise that they too will be identified with God and God's mission. Though he must leave them now, Jesus promises the coming of the Advocate whom God will send to comfort and enlighten them.

Glory be to You, O Lord.

# THE GOSPEL OF OUR LORD

Praise be to You, O Christ.

(PLEASE BE SEATED)

(PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE)

#### NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, light from light, true God from true God, begotten not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became fully human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, and has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

# PEOPLE'S OFFERING

## OFFERING DEDICATION

God of wind and fire, may new life be breathed into the world because of these gifts we return to you. Grant us enhanced to carry your revelation to others in ways they can understand. We seek to be to one another channels of your love and peace, both in person and through the outreach of our offerings. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

#### THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord!

Let us give thanks to God Most High.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

God of fire and wind, we praise you for your continuing work of creation, renewal, and blessing. In the beginning of time, as you called the world into being, you sent the breath of your spirit across the formless void and darkness, calling creation into being. To your servants, you sent gifts of your Spirit: to Moses, a spirit of courage; to Joshua, a spirit of wisdom; to David, a spirit of power. You sent your Spirit upon your prophet Isaiah, who prophesied that you would call forth a leader with a spirit of wisdom and understanding, a spirit of counsel and might, a spirit of knowledge and reverence. You sent your Spirit upon your prophet Joel, who proclaimed that you would send your Spirit upon all people: young and old, women and men. With all those Spirit-filled people, we join in giving praise to you, Almighty God.

Holy, holy God of love and majesty, the whole universe speaks of your glory, O God, Most High. Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest!

Holy are you and blessed is your holy name. In the fullness of time, you sent your son, Jesus Christ to reveal your powerful love for the world. Healing and teaching, proclaiming and prophesying, welcoming any and all, Christ continues to reveal your presence, renewing our souls even now. Through Christ's powerful love and endless grace, we are invited into your presence, rescued from our sins, and led onto your path of justice and righteousness. In Christ's grace, you renew and reclaim us as your holy people, children of mercy and truth. As children of your covenant of love, sealed by water and the Spirit, welcome now with joy and gratitude, remembering how Jesus shared bread and wine, renewing and reviving the lives of his closest friends, his most faithful disciples, even as they faced their deepest fears and their greatest sins.

(PLEASE BE SEATED)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION AND PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

#### THE PRAYER OF OUR LORD

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

#### BREAKING OF THE HOST & POURING OF THE CUP

As this grain was once scattered in the fields, and has come together in one bread, so we, with different needs and hopes, come together as one, for we share one bread.

The Bread of Life, broken for us.

The cup which we share is the cup of the New Covenant written in our hearts and witnessed by Jesus.

The Cup of Blessing, poured out for us and for the many.

(Those who wish to come forward will be invited by the pastor. The pastor will serve you the host, saying, "The Body of Christ." You reply, "Amen!" The assistant will present you with the cup, saying, "The Blood of Christ." You reply, "Amen!" Grape juice is in the chalice with the cross and wine is in the other chalice. If you need the pastor and assistant to come to you, please indicate that to someone near you or the pastor. If you do not wish to come forward, you are invited to use the packaged elements in the narthex and commune in your pew. The pastor will offer a blessing everyone has communed. Children are invited to receive communion at the discretion of their parents/guardians. If a child wants to receive a blessing, they are asked to fold their hands.)

(PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE)

#### POST COMMUNION PRAYERS

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Set free from captivity to sin and death, we pray to the God of resurrection for the church, people in need, and all of creation.

Holy Living One, Holy Moving One, burst open our locked doors, and by your Spirit drive us out into the world proclaiming your mighty deeds. Direct our words and actions, trusting the Advocate abiding in and among us. God in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Feed and care for creatures that remain hidden to us yet contribute to the vibrancy of your creation. Train us to interact with creation from a place of wonder, awe, and reverence. God in your mercy, **hear our prayer.** 

Send your Spirit to places where language is a barrier to justice and mercy for those who seek it. Bless the work of translators, interpreters, and teachers. Promote understanding for the sake of those longing for true freedom and peace. God in your mercy, **hear our prayer**.

Comfort all who live in constant fear and any who are suffering. Remind them that your Spirit has made them your children and that they are never far from your glory. God in your mercy, **hear our prayer**.

Guide all denominational leaders, pastors, missionaries, and other ministers of the gospel. Foster our relationships with partner congregations and local ministry partners, that our visions and actions are Spirit-led. Today we especially give thanks for the faithful ministries of Rev. Milton Gockley, Rev. David Gockley, and Rev. J. Kenneth Trauger as they celebrate their anniversary of ordination. God in your mercy, **hear our prayer.** 

#### SILENT PRAYER

Let us pray together.

Loving God, in this Holy Communion you have welcomed us into your presence, nourished us with words of mercy, and fed us at your table. Amid the cares of this life, strengthen us to love you with all our heart, serve our neighbors with a willing spirit, and honor the earth you have made; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

# **CLOSE OF WORSHIP**

#### **BENEDICTION**



# CATCH THE VISION & SHARE THE JOY



# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Chancel Flowers are given in honor of Rev. Ken Trauger & Rev. David Gockley on the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of their ordination, & in honor of Rev. Bob Hunsicker's birthday.

The Worship Aids are given by Parry Miller in memory of his brother Fred.

Money Counters: Lee Bossert, Ron & Donna Denlinger, Steve Shenk

Building Trustee: Nevin Cooley Lector: Diane Rice

# Happy Birthday!

Monday - Rev. Bob Hunsicker

Tuesday – Doris Leaman

Wednesday – Sarah Kilgore

Thursday – Barbara Moyer, Joann Peck

Saturday – Isaac Minder, Mitch Gibson

Attendance for Sun., May 29 8:00-21 10:30-62 TOTAL - 83

Sunday School 16

# This Week at Trinity Church

(Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.-2 p.m.)

Today 3:00 PM—Mini-Golf Outing

Wednesday 10:00 AM – Altar Guild

7:00 PM - Finance Committee

Thursday 7:00 PM—Pastor Parish Committee

Saturday 7:00 PM – Alanon/8:00 PM - AA

Sunday 7:45 AM – Eucharist

9:30 AM – Eucharist



Use the signup sheet in the church hallway or call the church office.

PRAYER CONCERNS: George Latsha, Jane Portser, Rev. Bob & Nancy Musser, Hank Fox, Rev. Jere & Judy Chapman, Don Miller, Don Pfeifer (husband of Denise Pfeifer), Betty Fogle, Donna Zirkel, Dave Miller (husband of Cherie Cataldi-Miller), Bob Kilgore, the Lehman family, Nancy Crawford (Pastor Rankin's mother), Judy Barr (friend of Mike & Shelley Wagner), Sheldon Paulus (son-in-law of Chuck & Sue Husted), Sean McKelvey & family, Joann Garvin, Herb Charles, Rev. Phyllis Baum, Herb Holbein (father-in-law of Danielle Huggins Holbein), Jake & Jean Otthofer (parents of Dan Otthofer), Rev. Paul Eyer (former pastor of St. Luke's), Danielle Huggins Holbein, Carole Connor, Gina McCarty (daughter-in-law of Bud & Kathy McCarty). Mary Witmer. Mark & Mary Anne Ritter (friends of the Paulukows), **Patrick & Mel**(nephew of Marianne Gibble & his wife), the Martin family, Robert Richards (brother of Jerry Richards), Hillary Brennan (mother of John Brennan), Jim Newcomer (cousin of Sandy DeLong), David & Ann Potts (friends of Brenda & Harry Himelwright), Pete & Nora Petrosky (friends of Dr. Cathy Hoshauer), Lynn Dull, Hilma Slechta (mother of Mike Slechta), Chad Zirkel (son of Donna Zirkel), Ronald Himelwright (grandson of Brenda & Harry Himelwright), Barry Richards (son of Jerry & Carmen Richards). Tyler Miller (grandson of Iris DeMaio), Joan Kalbach (mother of Dr. Cathy Hoshauer), Nancy Patton, Gary Reynolds (friend of Mike & Shelley Wagner), Phyllis Zimmerman, Chris Rice (nephew of Diane Rice & Karen Olley), Jaimie & Aurora Commero (friends of Sarah Paulukow), Mark Zody (friend of Denise Huggins), Jim & Kathy Long (friends of Jerry & Carmen Richards), John Siebern (Bob Siever's brother-in-law), Carl Roth (Gretchen Leinbach's brother), Scott Summers, Rev. Frank Lantz, Lainie Christensen, Sandra Englert (niece of Betty Tyndall), Charles & Betty Booraem, Betty Tyndall and family, Dorothy Fasnacht, Jo Jo Richards & family (Carmen & Jerry's granddaughter-in-law), Bob & Marlyn Wible, Barry Moore (Donna & Ron Denlinger's brother-in-law), Jordan Sensenig (grandson of Pat & Joan Sensenig), Judy Wisniewski (sister of Chuck Husted), Elaine Sturgis (friend of Sue Husted), Doris Leaman, Judie Bistline, and the Bonilla-Rodriguez family (friends of Trinity Church).

**THE JUNE PARISH POST** is available on both floors of the church building.



**WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS:** We are looking for worship volunteers on Sunday mornings. Contact the church office to sign-up!

**Greeters:** To welcome worshippers at the door for the second service.

**Ushers:** Beginning in June, we will return to passing the offering plate during the second service. We are in need of a few more ushers to complete our teams.

**Lectors:** Assist with the worship service or to just read the scripture lessons at the 8:00 a.m. and/or 10:30 a.m. services.

ALTAR GUILD VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: When we returned to worship in the midst of the pandemic, Pastor Rankin has taken on the altar guild responsibility each week. The pastor now is looking for a few more volunteers to help prepare the altar for weekly worship. The following people have agreed to serve: Nancy Enders, Hedwig Hunsicker, Karen Olley, and Jamy Shelly. The pastor is looking for another 2-4 people to serve. There will be a meeting/training session on June 8 at 10 a.m. You can contact the pastor or the church office if you want to attend or you can just show up on June 8.



THE PARK CITY DINER 884 Plaza Blvd. Lancaster, PA 17601 717-435-8512 parkcitydiner.us

# SHARING OUR SUCCESS The Knight and Day Diner The Park City Diner

sosparkcitydiner@gmail.com





THE KNIGHT AND DAY DINER 3140 Lititz Pike Lititz, PA. 17543 717-490-6198 knddiner.com

Every time you eat at our diners you will be making a donation to

#### \*TRINITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST-East Petersburg\*

VOTED BEST DINER IN LANCASTER COUNTY 11 YEARS IN A ROW (Lancaster Newspaper Readers' Choice Awards)- 2021 TAKE-OUT AND CURBSIDE AT THE ABOVE NUMBERS

The Park City and Knight and Day Diners want to thank you, the local community, for your votes, to honor our diners, 11 years in a row, as: THE BEST DINERS IN LANCASTER COUNTY!! We want to give back to the community by offering our "SHARING OUR SUCCESS" (SOS) Program to local non-profits. We will donate 10% of your sales to the non-profit listed above. During checkout, at either diner, please ask the cashier to donate your sale to the non-profit listed below. The card does not need to be presented. (please give the name as shown to avoid confusion). At absolutely NO additional cost, you will be helping your non-profit with donations every time you, your friends and relatives eat at either diner, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. This includes take out meals, use of our free banquet rooms for meetings or parties.

#### VOTED #1 BEST BREAKFAST SERVING BREAKFAST 24 HOURS

Look on our web sites for our full menu and specials

BOTH DINERS ARE OPEN 24 HOURS A DAY-EVERY DAY OF THE YEAR

| SHARING OUR SUCCESS |
| PARK CITY DINER |
| THE KNIGHT AND DAY DINER |
| 10% of my bill will be donated to: |
| TRINITY UNITED CHURCH OF |
| CHRIST, E. Petersburg |







**ATTENTION ALL GRADUATES:** If someone is graduating in your family, please submit their name, school, and future plans with the church office!





Historic Cemeteries Tour June 16, 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

# THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT! TRINITY PRESCHOOL

SUB SALE

We would like to thank you for supporting our fund raiser. When you redeem your coupon at S. Clyde Weaver you get to choose from at least seven sub varieties:

Sweet Bologna · Ham · Italian · Turkey Roast Beef · Chicken Salad · Tuna Salad

Phone:

Each Sub Redemption Certificate: \$8.00

#### BREAD OPTIONS:

white sub roll • bread • tortilla wrap

#### CHOICE OF YOUR CONDIMENTS:

mayonnaise • mustard • creamy horseradish • olive oil • vinegar

#### CHEESE OF YOUR CHOICE:

American • Provolone • Swiss

#### YOUR CHOICES OF VEGETABLES:

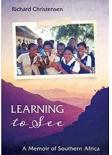
lettuce • tomatoes • onions • marinated onions • sweet peppers banana peppers • hot peppers • black olives • pickles salt • pepper • herb mix • Parmesan

#### Place your order form and money in church office

NAME	PHONE	QUANTITY	TOTAL	PAID (Please check)
Please m	nake checks paya	ble to: TRINIT	Y PRESCHOO	DL
NAME		Fmail:		

**PRAYER SHAWL MEETING:** The Prayer Shawl group is planning to meet on June 14 from 1-3 p.m. in Isenberg Hall. Contact Betty Tyndall or Nancy Enders for more information.

# Learning to See: A Memoir of Southern Africa by Rev. Dr. Rich Christensen



Teaching in the southern African nation of Botswana in the early 1980s, Richard Christensen faced a new world, one endlessly fascinating and challenging. Experiencing warm hospitality from many people, sharing both joyful celebrations and painful struggles with students, he and his family encountered a deeper sense of the true meaning of

community. Travel in apartheid South Africa and war-weary Zimbabwe gave him a fuller understanding of the reality of oppression and how people of faith endured their plight and kept hope alive. In this experience, so surprising in many ways, he came to a deepened realization of the genuine freedom of the gospel and the hope it affords us. He saw that relationships are what save us, that the salvation of God in Christ is not merely personal and individual, but communal, and that we are thus more dependent upon one another than we realize. Learning to see the world with new eyes, he discovered not only a more expansive vision of the church and the world, but also a more honest and complete understanding of himself as a product of an affluent and segregated society. You can purchase book at either <a href="mailto:Amazon.com">Amazon.com</a> or <a href="mailto:wipfandstock.com">wipfandstock.com</a>

**DEVOTIONALS:** The April-June edition of *These Days* are available on the table across from the church office or on the lower level by the portico entrance.

**NEW MEMBERS:** Are you interested in joining Trinity U.C.C.? Do you know of someone looking for a church home? Please speak to Pastor Chris about joining our congregation.

**MEN'S BREAKFAST:** The men will be meeting on Saturday, June 25 at 8:30 a.m. at Family Fare Restaurant in East Petersburg. This is open to all men of the congregation! Call the church office to let them know you will be attending. Don't miss out on this time of fellowship.

**LUNCH WITH THE PASTOR:** Bring your lunch and enjoy the fellowship on June 23<sup>rd</sup> from noon-1 p.m. in Isenberg Hall!

#### CHURCH CAMP REGISTRATION

Even though the air is cold and snow is on the ground, the warmer days of the Summer Camp season are right around the corner! Camp registration is open and ready for you to start planning your summer around weeks at Kirchenwald & Nawakwa! There are a wide range of camps this summer for all ages — kindergarteners through high schoolers, families, adults, and older folks. You can find printed brochures on the table across from the church office or view the schedule at https://www.lutherancamping.org/forms/SummerBrochure.pdf

As you know, Penn Central Conference paid for 50% of camp registration fees last year. It is wonderful to be able to announce that that same generous offer stands again this year! You can help send campers from Trinity by contribution to our Camp Scholarship Fund. Place your contribution in your weekly offering envelope and mark the special designation box with "Camp Scholarship".

# "HARTMAN CENTER SPIRIT WEEK" 2022

Save the date: "Hartman Center Spirit Week" will be returning this summer!

This will be a week of camp in the spirit, community, and traditions of Hartman Center. Registration information and a brochure will be available soon.

Saturday, August 6 through Friday, August 12 at Camp Mt Luther in Mifflinburg PA. Talk with Pastor Chris or Anne Rankin for more information.



# SUMMER ACTIVITIES AT TRINITY U.C.C.



Join us for fellowship and game between Lancaster Barnstormers and the York Revolution! The cost is \$30 (ticket, suite rental, endless buffet for 90 minutes, gratuity). Children from ages 4-18 will be covered by our Youth Ministry account and those under 4 are free. You can sign-up by contacting Carol in the church office. We will need a \$15 deposit when you sign-up! Deadline is July 23!!!



**FOOD TRUCKS:** 

Stoney's Burgers & Fries

Mista Twista

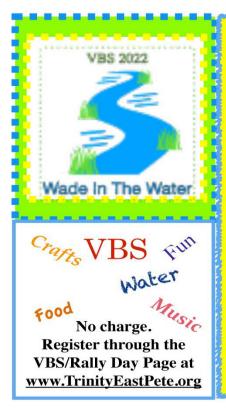
Next Level Pizza

Tri-County Barbeque

Walko Taco

MAGICIAN (Eric Vera)

AUSCULTATION BRASS CONCERT



July 17 3:00 - 7:00 PM Friendship Fest

#### July 18 - 21 6:30 - 8:30 PM VBS

Caretaker And Me Class - Under 5 With Caretaker Children's Classes - 5 Through Finished 6th Grade Youth Volunteers - Contact Mrs. Slechta Adult Program - With Rev. Esbenshade Mission Project - Navajo Water Project Through DigDeep Right To Water Project

# July 22 Closing Program 6:30 PM

With Lancaster County Parks Naturalist Program
"Life in the Water"



Trinity UCC, 2340 State St. East Petersburg, PA 17520 www.trinityeastpete.org 717-569-1632



AllAges

**SNACKS FOR VBS**: Please leave the items you sign-up for in the kitchen marked VBS by Monday, July 11. In order to claim an item to donate, please use the signup sheet in hallway or call the church office, at 717-569-1632, or email Carol, at <a href="mailto:secretary@trinityeastpete.org">secretary@trinityeastpete.org</a>. Thank you for your generosity.

100% Juice Pops - individually packaged (pack of 24) 2 needed String Cheese - Individually packaged (4 packs-packages of 12 needed)



# July 18 - 21 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Trinity UCC, 2340 State St. East Petersburg, PA 17520 www.trinityeastpete.org 717-569-1632



July 22 Closing Program 6:30 PM

Join Rev. Jack Esbenshade in studying the book, "Living Under Water," by Nevin J. Adams. This book has been described as incorporating various traditions in looking at baptism as a gift to us as Christians, which transcends race and politics. It explores what it means to live under the waters of our baptism. Focus will be on chapters 1 - The Script, 4 - Renouncing Evil, 7 - Identity Politics, and 10 - Race. Let us know in your online registration form, accessed through the VBS/Rally Day page from the church website, if you would like us to try to get a copy of the book for you. If you need help registering, please call the church office.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Rev. David Gockley and Rev. J. Kenneth Trauger on the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of their ordination on June 10. We also celebrate the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the ordination of Rev. Milton Gockley (Dave's brother) on May 25.



# The Rev. David Gockley---60th anniversary on June 10

Rev. Gockley is a graduate of F&M and Union Theological Seminary. He was ordained at St. Paul's U.C.C., Lancaster on June 10, 1962.

Rev. Gockley served the following pastorates:

1999-2003: Interim Pastor, St. Luke's U.C.C., Lancaster

1997-1999: Interim Pastor, Salem U.C.C., Harrisburg

1996-1997: Interim Pastor, Faith U.C.C., York

1969-1996: Pastor, Faith U.C.C., Lancaster

1964-1969: Pastor, Salem U.C.C., Campbelltown

1962-1963: Pastor, Holburn Central Parish, Aberdeen, Scotland

# The Rev. J. Kenneth Trauger---60th anniversary on June 10

Rev. Trauger is a graduate of Ursinus College and Lancaster Theological Seminary. He was ordained & commissioned by the United Church for World Ministries on June 10, 1962 at St. Luke's U.C.C., Ferndale, PA.



Rev. Trauger served the following ministries:

2004-2006: Interim Executive Director, Lancaster County Council of Churches

1977-2004: Chaplain, Conestoga View

1977-1982: Community Center Director, Salvation Army

1974-1976: Assistant Pastor, First Reformed U.C.C., Lancaster

1971-1974: Pastor, Zion-Immanuel U.C.C., Clarington, OH

1962-1971: United Church Board for World Ministries appointments of Rural

Evangelism & Lay Training, Honduras

#### FIRST LESSON. Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs-in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine." But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: 'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood. before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

#### SECOND LESSON. Romans 8:14-17

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

# GOSPEL. John 14:8-17, (25-27)

Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it. "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. ("I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.")

From the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible Copyright 1989 by the Division of Christian Education of the National Council of Churches of Christ in the U.S.A.

