

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN NEWS

All are invited to worship and participate in the life of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church and to commune at God's table. We welcome all, regardless of religious background, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, or life circumstances. We rejoice in the diversity of God's creation, which enriches, nurtures, and expands our life and ministry as followers of Jesus and as servants in the world. God's grace is for everyone! Holy Trinity Lutheran Church is a Reconciling in Christ Congregation.

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September 1, 2011

Food & Fellowship: Saturday, September 3 noon

Enneagram Conversation: Tuesday, September 6 7:00pm

Financial Peace Seminar: Saturday, September 10 9:00am

Corn Feed / Parking Lot Party: Sunday, September 11 noon

Committee Night: Tuesday, September 13 7:00pm

Quiet Day: Saturday, September 17 9:00am – 3:30pm

Birthday Celebration for Ednamarie & Clarence Leslie:
Sunday, September 18 noon

Enneagram Conversation: Thursday, September 22 10:00am

Financial Peace Seminar: Saturday, September 24 9:00am

Inter Faith Hospitality Network:

Sunday, September 25 – Sunday, October 2

Dear People of Holy Trinity,

Grace to you and peace in the name of our life giving Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

Thank you. Thank you for allowing me to serve God with you. Thank you for being faithful followers of Jesus. Thank you for helping our Sr. High youth raise money to go to Texas for an amazing mission trip with Rainbow Trail Lutheran Camp. Thank you for the hospitality you showed Kim Gonja and all who came to celebrate her ordination. Thank you for helping to fund Allisun's trip to Malaysia with the Young Adults in Global Mission Program of the E.L.C.A. You are so generous. Thank you for all your gifts to me for my birthday. Your gifts will help Bobbi and me to go see Allisun sometime next year. You are so generous. Thank you for the cards and well wishes for my birthday. Thank you for surprising me on my birthday with Roy Seger, our guest preacher. Thank you for the way you have received Terry Schjang into our community as a Pastoral Intern. You are a great community for interns to learn and grow as part of their seminary education. Thank you for being a congregation that is truly an honor to serve. I am filled with gratitude as I reflect on what a privilege it is to follow Jesus with all of you.

As we move into the busy Fall season I am excited to see what God will do in and through us next. God's love for us runs deep and God calls us to keep doing good in the world. The world is in great need of the genuine love that is found in you the people of Holy Trinity. May God continue to bless us as we "go forth into the world in peace; be of good courage. Hold fast that which is good; render to no one evil for evil. Strengthen the fainthearted, support the weak. Help the afflicted, honor all people. Love and serve the Lord, abiding in the comfort of the Holy Spirit. And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, rest upon you and remain with you, this day and forevermore.

God's Hope and Peace be with you.

Pastor Dave Palma-Ruwe

Financial.....Peace

Those two words normally do not go together. But in the Financial Peace University course they do.

55% of Americans worry about money. Are you in that 55%? You could also be one of the Americans that are not in that percentage but would like to know more about investing, insurance and different ways to purchase things.

Holy Trinity is excited to offer our second FPU course.

The cost per individual or couple is \$93.00.

You will receive a workbook, audio CD library, Dave Ramsey's best selling book, budgeting forms, FPU envelope system and bonus CD-ROM.

The following are direct quotes from attendees from our 1st FPU course:

"The class exceeded our expectations. It taught us many basic skills to improve our financial situation. We wish we would have taken this course about 15 years ago."

"We also liked the workbook and all the tools it provides to help us work through and towards financial peace. The discussion time after each CD was valuable to engage in conversations, different ideas and suggestions from others, and generally to support each other through this journey."

The course begins on Saturday, September 10, 2011. The class begins at 9:00 a.m. and ends at 12:00, noon. **Babysitting will be provided.** The additional dates are, September 24, October 8, October 22, November 5, November 19, and concludes on December 3.

We were amazed as to how the time flew by and we were doing our last class. We found that doing the course every other Saturday was beneficial for people's busy schedules.

Dave Ramsey is a funny, motivational and caring presenter. Every Saturday we all got a good belly laugh. Come, bring a friend, have some fun while learning about finances or just a better way of life. Come and find out what this quote from one of the CD means,

"Uh, your below the line this month"

Please call, Kim Wermerskirchen with questions, concerns and scholarship opportunities.

Mission Moments

Updates from the Global Mission Committee



Tanzania Outreach

Exempla Saint Joseph Hospital, where Shannon works, is offering a Dollar for Dollar match up to \$50,000.00 to raise money for a new Plaster House **until September 30th**. See the Tanzania Fundraising Information later in the newsletter if you would like to make a donation.



Haiti Outreach

The Mission Committee is tentatively planning an immersion trip to Haiti in June of 2012. Please let Pastor Julie, Pastor Dave, Frank Jackson or a member of the Mission Committee know if you might be interested. Be on the lookout for more information.



Lutheran World Relief

School Bags are still available! Help children around the world by picking up a school bag to fill with school supplies and return by September 1st. They are currently located in the hallway by the mission board.



El Tronador – We will receive a match up to \$575.00 from Thrivent for our Adopt A Student fundraising.



Shannon's Tanzania Update

Because you have been interested in my previous trips to Tanzania, I wanted to keep you updated on my latest opportunity to travel back to Africa and about an exciting fundraising opportunity. I will be working at Plaster House and Arusha Lutheran Medical Center October 22nd- November 12th. I will be traveling with fifteen coworkers including two from the Saint Joseph Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. The three of us will be teaching caregivers how to care for premature infants and how to use pediatric ventilators. I will be staying an extra week to work with a surgical team from Presbyterian St. Luke's to repair burn scars on children at Plaster House and teach post surgery splinting to the Occupational Therapist. I will be the 1st traveler to be a part of two different mission trips.

Plaster House is a pediatric rehab center that opened in 2008. It consists of 18 beds and three housemothers. There is an average of 50 patients being cared for at any given time. Currently there are 82 kids in the 18 beds! Clearly the current facility is too small, and there is a campaign to raise money to build a new 40 bed facility on a piece of land that has recently been donated to the Selian Surgery Program. The goal of this project is "high love-low cost."

My life has been forever changed because of my experiences working with the children and people in Africa. I have also been blessed by the support I have received from the congregation of Holy Trinity. It has become a goal of mine, to do what I can to help see that the new Plaster House gets built. I am very excited to let you know, the hospital I work for, Exempla Saint Joseph Hospital, has agreed to participate in fundraising for Plaster House this year. They have started a fund, matching dollar for dollar, up to \$50,000 to send to Plaster House to start building the new facility.

If you are interested in making a donation, please send checks made out to "Saint Joseph Hospital Foundation" to me: Shannon Brinker, 8500 E Jefferson Ave #5F, Denver, CO 80237 by September 30th. I will get your donations to the matching fund. All donations are tax deductible and 100% will go directly to Plaster House.

**Peace,
Shannon Brinker**

Thank you to the people of Holy Trinity!

I am truly blessed to have all of your support. I am embarking on my journey to Malaysia August 24, and I am finally ready to do so! I will be God's hands in this world so that I can share the good news and be the change. I am thrilled that it is my turn to serve God's people in this way, even if it means being gone for a year. Thank you for making this summer worry free in terms of raising funds and preparing myself. I adore each and every one of you for the support you have offered me and my family. Continue to pray for me and be with my parents as we experience this together but on opposite ends of the earth (literally). Thank you for listening to me whenever I talk about this passion and thank you for asking questions. I hope that you understand what it is that I am doing and why I am doing it so that you can continue to pray and perhaps invite others into this ministry. It is weird to think that I will be on the other side of the planet by the end of August but I find reassurance in knowing that you will all carry on at Holy Trinity with peace and love to share with all those you encounter. Thank you SO much.

damai (peace)
Allisun Palma-Ruwe

ADOPT A STUDENT

The Mission Committee will again be sponsoring the ADOPT A STUDENT program for the kids in our Sister Parish of El Tronador in El Salvador.

Starting in September and ending in December 2011 we are asking for donations to keep the kids in school. The families are all very poor as it is a small farming community, and very few if any of the fathers do anything except tend their own small plots. If we can send the kids to school and see that they learn to read and write, we can perhaps break the chain of poverty and help the families to do more than just survive.

The Adopt A Student program was started in 1998. The children's families have to pay for children to go to school - tuition, uniforms, books and supplies. All money sent to them is carefully given; then the students are watched to see that they go to school and progress from grade to grade. For children above the 4th grade to attend, the cost is approximately \$200. If we did not send this scholarship money, they would not be able to attend school at all.

We know that money is scarce, but please prayerfully consider helping these kids who appreciate and respect the help we give them. They send us letters and cards and we do get reports on their progress. Any amount that you can give will be most appreciated. Envelopes will be available in the pew racks for donations from September to December..
Muchas Gracias!

Social Ministry

** Thank you for supporting the wonderful outreaches this summer: IFCS July Quintathalon of Giving; the Ministries-of-the-Month; IHN; IFCS Pack to School; Shannon and Allisun's missions; and many others.

**Please mark your calendar for the September 25 arrival of IHN Guests. If you have not tried to lend a helping hand during an IHN week, you would find it very rewarding. Try it out this month!

The Parking Lot Party and Corn Feed will be September 11. This will be a festive fall kick-off. The IFCS van will be available, so make another Olympic effort to bring school **supplies, food and clothing to fill the van.

** Would you like to resume donating blood? There have been scheduling issues, so Social Ministry would like to refer you to Bonfils directly:

Highlands Ranch Community Donor Center (Bonfils)

Parkway Center, Bldg. #2

541 West Highlands Ranch Parkway, Highlands Ranch, CO 80129

303.363.2300

South of C-470 on Broadway, Just west of Broadway on Highlands Ranch Parkway

This center collects whole blood and automated donations.

Hours: Mon - Sat - 7am to 7pm

For eligibility questions please call 303.363.2202 or 800.365.0006, opt. 1

Thank you Holy Trinity! You are the best!

We sent almost 600 units (cans, jars, packages) of food to Inter-Faith during our July Quintathalon of Giving.

Now, please keep it up!

Inter-Faith needs our help every day, every week, every month.

Let us love one another-Stephen Ministry

When life throws us one of those challenges- death, divorce, unemployment, illness, a change in our life circumstances the love of God is there to surround and sustain us and this can come to us through the loving and caring provided by a trained Stephen Minister. If you or someone you know could benefit from one-on-one care giving please talk to Margot Wright either by calling her at 720-427-8352 or leaving her a note in the church office.

“Beloved let us love one another, because love is from God; everyone who loves is born of God and knows God” 1John 4:7

SEPTEMBER ADULT FAITH EXPLORATION

Sundays 9:30am-10:30am in the Fireside Room

September 4

Living the Questions:

Out into the World:

Challenges Facing Progressive Christians

September 18

Living the Questions:

Restoring Relationships

September 25

Senior High Mission Trip to Galveston, TX

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Please contact Holy Trinity Church Office, 303-798-1356, when:

- A member of your family is in the hospital
- You would like to have Home Communion
- You have a prayer request
- A family member dies
- Your home address, phone or email changes
- You would like a call or visit
- You have a joy or concern to share



NEXT FOOD & FELLOWSHIP

Saturday, September 3 at noon

Come! Eat! (Food is provided) Enjoy the company of others!
All are welcome!

A huge thank you to all who supported in anyway
the reception following Kim Gonia's Ordination -
food, helping hands, set up, clean up, whatever your
involvement we couldn't have done it without you!
What a glorious time of celebration!
God's blessing on all of you.

FLU SHOTS

September 25, 9am-11am at Holy Trinity in the Fellowship Hall

**** Please sign up at church in advance ****

Flu shots are \$25

Insurance for flu shots: Medicare B, Humana, Rocky Mountain HMO, TriCare, Medicaid, and CHP (Child Health Plans), and Great West. Clients using Great West will need to pay at time of service and will be reimbursed by VNA.

Be sure to bring all health insurance cards.

VNA (Visiting Nurse Association) is a non-profit and some proceeds from the shots go back into the community through the VNA as they help the under-insured & uninsured.

The tradition of a rosebud on the altar in recognition of newborns into the congregation has been changed. If your family has been blessed with a birth or adoption and you would like to give a flower arrangement for the chancel, please call the church office with the details and an announcement will be made in the bulletin with the happy news.

“How is it, my God, that you have given me this hectic busy life when I have so little time to enjoy your presence? During sleep itself I am still thinking and dreaming about the multitude of concerns that surround me. To me my present pattern of life is a torment. I know that you are constantly beside me, yet I am usually so busy that I ignore you. If you want me to remain so busy, please force me to think about and love you even in the midst of such hectic activity.

~Teresa of Avila ~ Saint (1515-1582)

“God is the friend of silence. See how nature—trees, flowers, grass—grow in silence? The more we receive in silent prayer, the more we can give in our active life.”

~Mother Teresa of Calcutta ~ Servant of the Poor (1910-1997)

Join us for a
Quiet Day of Reflection on Saturday, September 17
here at Holy Trinity from 9am to 3pm.

You are invited to consider spending all or a part of the day in this holy place...resting, meditating, walking the labyrinth, praying, reading, beading, sleeping... Continental breakfast and a light lunch will be provided. Watch for the sign-up sheet.

Be still and know that I am God
Psalm 46:10

Be still, and know that I am
Be still, and know
Be still
Be

Spirit in the Desert Retreat Center invites you to be their guest for an evening of fellowship and worship at 6:00pm on Sunday, October 2, 2011, at Bethany Lutheran Church, 4500 E Hampden Ave, Cherry Hills Village. Come and enjoy a delicious dessert, make new friends and perhaps bump into someone you already know, and experience a jazz vespers service by Music Serving The Word Ministries.



Annual Corn Feed Extravaganza and Parking Lot Party

Sunday, September 11, Noon - 3 pm

Everyone is invited to Holy Trinity's Corn Feed and Parking Lot Party, Sunday, September 11 after the second service in the parking lot and on the lawn.

There will be bratwurst, hot dogs, cole slaw, and fresh corn on the cob, with a plethora of desserts.

There will be games for kids of all ages and information to learn more about Holy Trinity and Holy Trinity Preschool.

* Dear Holy Trinity,
* Thank you so much for all your continued support.
* Thank you so much for your very generous financial support. Your
* support allows us to continue to offer the gifts of God to the women
* in prison.
* Please join us September 24 at 5:30pm for our 13th Celebration
* at Holy Cross Lutheran Church. Dinner, music, and silent auction.
* God Bless You, Pastor Emily

Wow! Good News!

We may worship at New Beginnings four times a year!
Not just once a year! Come on down! Come and see!

Get information and forms from Pastor Dave, Pastor Julie,
Herm Jantzen, Dee Gustafson, and Jan Harvey.

Dates for New Beginnings worship:

Fridays, October 14 and October 28, 2011

For information, see Pastor Dave, Pastor Julie, Dee Gustafson, Herm Jantzen,
or Jan Harvey.

Lutheran Study Bible Challenge

**If you can sponsor a new Lutheran Study Bible for one of the women
at New Beginnings, please send a check to: New Beginnings Church,
111 Del Mar Circle, Aurora, Colorado 80011**

You are invited!

The New Beginnings Church of the
Denver Women's Correctional Facility
is worshipping on the outside too.

The next Holden Evening Prayer with Holy Communion is
Thursday, September 15 at 6:30pm, Holy Trinity Lutheran Church



Welcome Back Preschool!

Introducing...

I would like to introduce our newest teacher to the Holy Trinity Preschool staff. Her name is Cathy Starkey and she is teaching the 4-year-old Bumblebees (in the yellow room!). We are excited to have her here as she is a very experienced preschool teacher that loves kids and her dog, Bella! Be sure to say "hello" to her when you get the chance. Shelly Gray has moved to the Ladybug classroom with the threes, and Tracy is in the Blue Butterfly room with the two and a half year olds. There are lots of smiles and laughing, so if you want to join us, peek in anytime! Our after preschool enrichment hours are doing great so far, with at least 6 kids a day staying until 6pm!

Tell your friends, neighbors and kids on the street!

It isn't too late to register for school, either! Forms are available in the preschool lobby, or call Tracy Seul anytime.

Needed Items

We are looking for a thin computer monitor, pea gravel, outdoor sand and step stools. If you have any of these items, or others, to donate please call Tracy Seul, Director of Preschool Ministry, 303-797-6345.

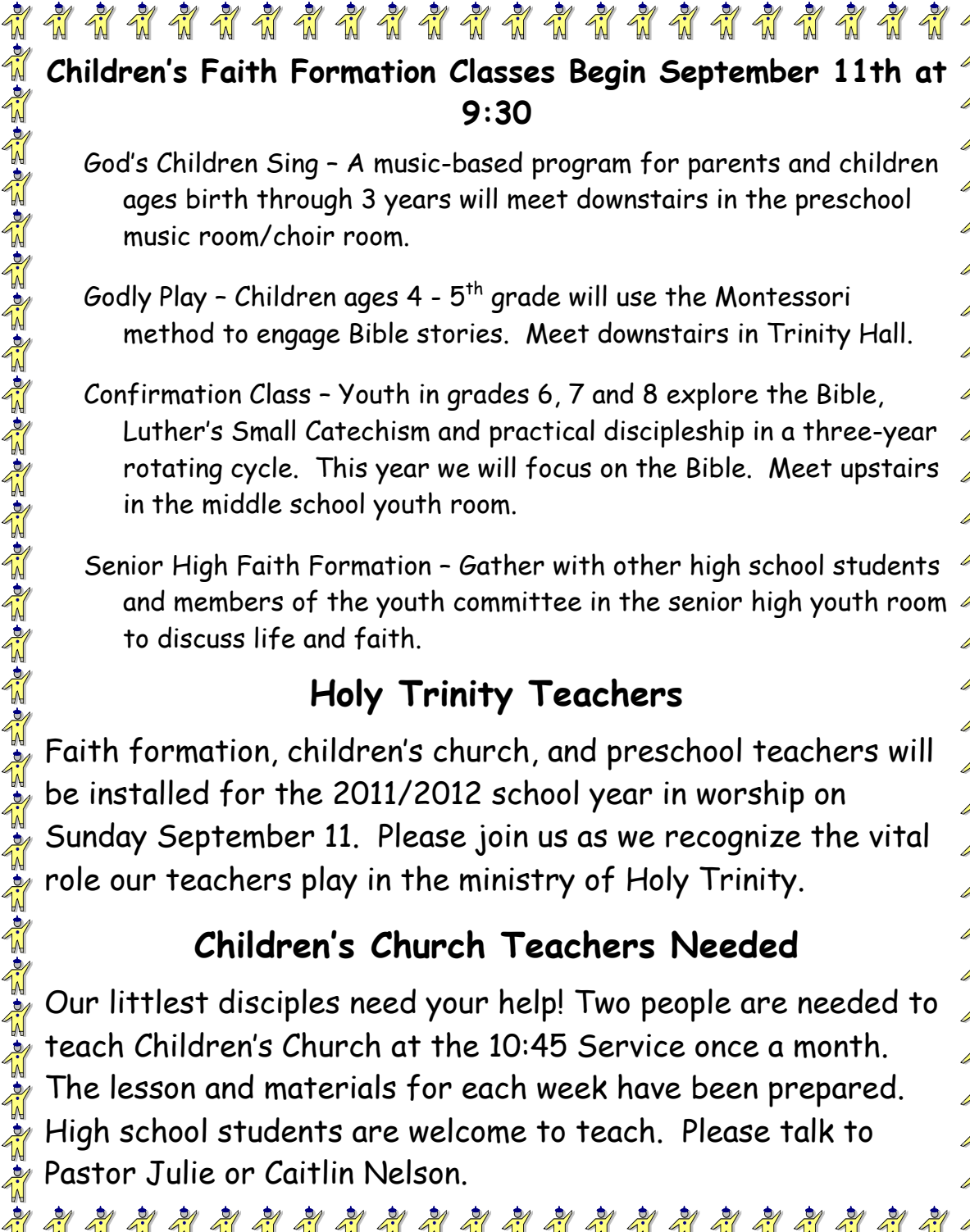
Contact Us

For more information or a tour of our school, **contact Tracy Seul, Director of Preschool Ministry, 303-797-6345,** or visit our website at **www.holytrinitylutheranpreschool.org**!

King Soopers Gift Cards

Our senior high youth are selling reloadable King Soopers gift cards to raise money for youth activities. Every time a card is refilled our youth group will receive 5% of that purchase. The cards may also be used at King Soopers and Shell gas stations.

Thank you for supporting our high school youth!



Children's Faith Formation Classes Begin September 11th at 9:30

God's Children Sing - A music-based program for parents and children ages birth through 3 years will meet downstairs in the preschool music room/choir room.

Godly Play - Children ages 4 - 5th grade will use the Montessori method to engage Bible stories. Meet downstairs in Trinity Hall.

Confirmation Class - Youth in grades 6, 7 and 8 explore the Bible, Luther's Small Catechism and practical discipleship in a three-year rotating cycle. This year we will focus on the Bible. Meet upstairs in the middle school youth room.

Senior High Faith Formation - Gather with other high school students and members of the youth committee in the senior high youth room to discuss life and faith.

Holy Trinity Teachers

Faith formation, children's church, and preschool teachers will be installed for the 2011/2012 school year in worship on Sunday September 11. Please join us as we recognize the vital role our teachers play in the ministry of Holy Trinity.

Children's Church Teachers Needed

Our littlest disciples need your help! Two people are needed to teach Children's Church at the 10:45 Service once a month. The lesson and materials for each week have been prepared. High school students are welcome to teach. Please talk to Pastor Julie or Caitlin Nelson.



Blessing of the Backpacks

Students of all ages are invited to bring their backpacks to worship on Sunday, September 18, to receive a blessing for the upcoming school year. The blessing serves as a reminder to our students that God is with them every day.

Childcare

Did you know that Holy Trinity offers FREE childcare every Tuesday night from 5:45-8:45, so that parents can attend Bible study, meetings, or work on other projects related to the ministry of Holy Trinity. At the beginning of August we said good-bye to our beloved childcare leader, Shannon Cline, who will be attending college at UNC this year. Shannon left us with the following message; *"I would just like to say thank you to everyone for sharing your amazing children with me. I will miss them so much this year. Thank you for the opportunity to get to know your wonderful kids, they truly are very special people. Hope everyone has a great year, I will see you next summer"*. While we will miss Shannon we wish her the best of luck at UNC!

We are excited to introduce you to our new childcare leader, Ms. Kristen Schwartz. Watch the October newsletter for a message and biographical information from Ms. Kristen.

Poem: Anyway -- Mother Teresa (from *Meditations from a Simple Path*)

People are unreasonable, illogical and self-centered.

Love them anyway.

If you do good, people will accuse you of selfish motives.

Do good anyway.

The good you do today will be forgotten tomorrow.

Do good anyway.

Honesty and transparency make you vulnerable.

Be honest and transparent anyway.

What you spend years building may be destroyed overnight.

Build anyway.

People who really want help may attack you if you help them.

Help them anyway.

Give the world the best you have and you may get hurt.

Give the world your best anyway.

Join us for our Enneagram Conversations at Holy Trinity.

We meet in the Fireside Room.

We will meet **Tuesday, September 6 at 7:00pm** and
on **Thursday, September 22 at 10:00am.**

Everyone is welcome to come and learn even if you don't know about this powerful tool for spiritual growth.

Evening Enneagram conversation will continue this fall. We meet at 7 pm after Bible Study on the first Tuesday of each month. Mark your calendar for Tuesday, September 6. You don't need any prior experience with the Enneagram to participate as this is a conversation designed to serve as both a learning and sharing time. Everyone who wants to explore how the tool of the Enneagram can be used for personal and spiritual growth is welcome. Invite your friends and neighbors! Questions? Talk with Pastor Dave or Margot Wright.



BROWN BAG BOOKIES



Tuesday, September 20, 11:30am - 1:00pm

“In The Garden of Beasts” by Erik Larson.

“A powerful, poignant, historical narrative ~ A transportingly true story!”

Come whether you've had time to read it or not.

Questions? Call Florence Van Bebber

Prayer Ministry - It's not "One Size Fits All" -

There are many ways to be involved in the Prayer Ministry at Holy Trinity. Maybe you would like to try one of these on for size.

- Pray with the women of New Beginnings - the women share their prayer requests with us regularly and we are in need of people to take the sheets found on the Prayer Ministry Board located right outside the church office. Take home a few of these sheets, offer up those prayers then place the papers in recycling.
- Take home the bulletin from worship and pray during the week for those listed on the back page.
- Fill out a green prayer request card found in the pews or on the Prayer Ministry Board and share with the community your prayer concerns, praises, or answers to prayer.
- Attend the next Prayer Ministry meeting, Tuesday, September 13, at 11:15am to pray with us and share ideas you have for us as a praying community.
- Talk with Jean Jacobson, Jan Harvey, Becky Zinn-Caulfield, Beth Rietz, Marilyn Hobart, or Margot Wright about your ideas, hopes, dreams for Holy Trinity as a praying community.

There are so many ways to pray and be involved in prayer ministry, let God's Spirit move you

GRIEF GROUP

MEETS EVERY 1ST & 3RD SUNDAY.

SUNDAY, September 4 at 12:15pm & SUNDAY, September 18 at 9:30am

Life Transitions Grief Support Group

The Life Transitions Support Group has been taking a break over the summer months and will begin meeting again in September. This is a support group for those who are in one of life's many transitions: loss of job, relationship, financial distress, changing family dynamics, ongoing grief and loss. More information will be in the September newsletter and if you or someone you know could benefit from this group support feel free to talk with Marta Drummond or Margot Wright to find out more.

BIBLE STUDY

Come join the conversation on Tuesdays as we let the Spirit move through us, challenging us and helping us to grow. Together we raise questions and share thoughts and insights about our weekly readings. From the literature of the Hebrew Bible through the New Testament epistles and Gospels—we explore what the living Word means to each of us today. Share or just listen. But come join us on **Tuesdays either at 10 AM or 6 PM** and “*be transformed by the renewing of your minds*” (Rom 12:2).

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SEPTEMBER

	September 4	September 11	September 18	September 25
First Reading	Ezekiel 33: 7 - 11	Genesis 50: 15 - 21	Jonah 3: 10 - 4: 11	Ezekiel 18: 1 - 4, 25 - 32
Psalmody	Psalm 119: 33 - 40	Psalm 103: [1-7] 8-13	Psalm 145: 1 - 8	Psalm 25: 1 - 9
Second Reading	Romans 13: 8 - 14	Romans 14: 1 - 12	Philippians 1: 21 - 30	Philippians 2: 1 - 13
Gospel	Matthew 18: 15 - 20	Matthew 18: 21 - 35	Matthew 20: 1 - 16	Matthew 21: 23 - 32

LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES OF COLORADO

Denim & *Diamonds*

Lutheran Family Services' 18th Annual Innkeeper Dinner will be held Tuesday, September 20th, 2011 at The Antlers Hilton Hotel, Colorado Springs. The event begins at 5:30pm and includes a live auction, dinner and live music. Cost is \$60 per person and attire is Diamonds to Denim. Register online at www.LFSCO.org or for more information, call 719.314.0232.

Lutheran Family Services of Colorado would love to have your sets of gently used, twin bed sheets that are taking up all that room in your closets. Also we are in need of new, regular size pillows. Bring donations to LFS offices at 363 S. Harlan Suite 200, Denver, 80226 or 1600 Downing Street, Suite 600, Denver, 80218. For a large number of items, pickups can be arranged with Chad Skupien at 303-389-2348 or chad.skupien@lfsco.org.

You too may change a life forever and that life may be yours!

Women of the ELCA News



- **MINISTRY IN ACTION - -**

CHRISTIAN SERVICE: Wednesday, September 7 at 9:15am, Fellowship Hall

LYDIA: Mondays, September 12 & 26 at 1:00pm, Fireside Room

PIECE: Thursday, September 8 at 1:00pm, Fellowship Hall

New stitchers are always welcome! Sewers are especially needed to top stitch quilt squares. The sewing can be done at Circle or at home. If interested in learning more details contact Shirley Streich, 303-798-0491.

You may join any of the Circles at a time convenient for you.

Donations of fabric, sheets, and yarn are very much appreciated.

- **Bible Study Circles - -**

EVANGELICA: Wednesday, September 14 at 9:30am, Fireside Room

RUTH: Wednesday, September 21 at 9:15am, Fireside Room

All Are Welcome!

- **WELCA Board Meeting - -**

Monday, September 12 at 10:30am

Women of the ELCA Rocky Mountain Synod Fall Gathering *The Unpaved Road*

Your road led through the sea, your pathway through the mighty waters - a pathway no one knew was there! Ps 77:19 *The Living Bible*

Saturday 9:00am - 3:00pm

Registration: \$50 (includes lunch & child care)

Pick your date and location

Saturday, October 15, 2011

Estes Park, CO, Shepherd of the Mountains Lutheran or

Wheatland, WY, Covenant Lutheran

Saturday, October 22, 2011

Salt Lake City, UT, Our Savior's Lutheran or

Albuquerque, NM, All Saints Lutheran

Enjoy the leadership of women theologians as each group explores the journey to find God's path for each of us.

For more information see: www.rmselfca.org/women

~ GOD'S WORK OUR HANDS ~
TURN PLASTIC GROCERY BAGS INTO MATS FOR THE HOMELESS!

Recycle your bags by placing them in the container in the room near the elevator on the parking lot level.

If you are interested in getting involved with making the mats or any part of this ministry, call Bev Mundil.

Do you miss Fitness Fellowship classes at Holy Trinity? Listed below are the classes I teach each Monday at the Buck Recreation Center:

YogaStretch – 11:05 a.m. – 11:50 a.m. - Level 1

Gentle yoga starting in a chair for a warm-up, then going to standing for other yoga poses/stretchers with the chair available for balance support. Drop in rates apply!

Healthy Back – 1:00 p.m. – 1:55 p.m. - Level 2

Modified Pilates based exercises, breathing, and stretching done standing or on a mat. Props may be used. (Healthy Back class is the format I taught most recently at HTLC). Drop in rates apply!

Pilates Mat – 4:00 p.m. – 4:55 p.m. - Level 3

A classic Pilates class doing mat exercises which can be modified to make them easier, or varied to make them more challenging. Props may be used. Drop in rates apply! Child care is available.

Please remember to check new information regarding all fitness classes through South Suburban, especially if the Goodson Recreation Center is more convenient from your home.

If you have questions, please call Donna Ferguson.

Holy Trinity Staff

Marcia Bollman.....Liturgical Coordinator
Debbie Boyer.....Administrative Secretary
Edwin Castro.....Custodian
Clarence Leslie.....Pastor Emeritus
Jackie Macheel.....Chancel Choir Director
Julie McNitt.....Associate Pastor for Youth/Family Ministry
Kent Mueller.....Jubilate Handbell Choir Director
Dave Palma-Ruwe..... Senior Pastor
Terry SchjangPastoral Intern
Kristen SchwartzChild Care
Tracy Seul.....Preschool Director
Don Woodring.....Sexton
Margot WrightPastoral Care Coordinator

2011 HOLY TRINITY CHURCH COUNCIL

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Shirley Banister	Social Ministry
David Cortez	F3
Mike Goman	Stewardship
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Bevie Raitz	Youth
Beth Rietz	Secretary
Tom Rigby	President
Gretchen Sproles	Worship
Mary Lou Zentner	Memorials

Complete Church Council minutes are available in the church office.
The next Church Council Meeting is Tuesday, September 27, 2011.

Stay connected with the work of the Rocky Mountain Synod and the ELCA,
visit: www.rmselfca.org and www.elca.org.



Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
Rocky Mountain Synod

Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
God's work. Our hands.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Thursdays at 6:30pm

Sundays at 8:00am & 10:45am

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