

Week of August 4, 2024

In our thoughts and prayers: Ashur Bowley, Brayden Beamer, Kathy Ciolino, Sonny Coble, Dr. Douglas Eyer, Alice Fritz, Joyce Golden, Lois Grim, Linda & Harold Heller (Sara Shank's parents), Harry Hilbert, John Harrison Hoffman, Evelyn Kretz, MacKenzie Kretz, Josh Langley, John Lucas, Nancye Marinos, Jen Mickelson, Bob Miller, Kathy Murphy, Lenore O'Rourke, Lisa Reinoehl, Fischer Samuelson, Bill Swisher, Brea Thomas, Mary Timmins, Elizabeth & Sandy Topper, Mckenna Voss, and Teeyara Jo Weiant. **Please call the office to be removed from the list.**

ALTAR FLOWERS: In honor of my son Matthews 40th birthday by Bonnie Smith.



Plea for the return of the gold plastic Altar Flower vases.

If you have had flowers on the Altar and took them home or someone delivered them to you in one of the gold plastic vases, we are asking to please return the vases.

We can also arrange to have them picked up if you are unable to bring them in.

Please call the church office to make arrangements.

Usher sign-up list in the Gathering Area for September, October, November and December. We only need one Usher for each service except for Christmas Eve, most likely will need two.

Church Picnic - There were a couple of things left behind at the picnic. They are at the church:

1. A clear plastic dome shaped food cover lid
2. A lawn chair

Summer Outreach. The table is set up in the Narthex for your garden goodies. Special envelopes are in the pews, Gathering Area and on the produce table in the Narthex. A great way to share your produce so it doesn't spoil, and for the church to help support a local charity from the funds received for your produce donations.

This summer's charity is Agape House. A Christian shelter of 10 self-contained furnished apartments through the Adams Rescue Mission. A program designed to provide opportunities for displaced women and families and integrate them into the community while working with local agencies to find employment, housing, childcare, and educational services. Anyone wishing to purchase anything from the table or just make a donation, may leave their money in the jar. **New this summer is Fresh Eggs. \$2.00 a dozen.** Half will go towards Agape House, the other half will help pay for chicken feed. **Eggs are in the Parlor refrigerator.**



UPDATE: Habitat for Humanity weekend Blitz Builds Saturdays only 8am-12pm.

Work will continue through October. Let's help get this family into their home.

Trinity has been asked to provide snacks and drinks August 17th for 8-12 people.

We'd also like to have 3-5 workers from Trinity. Come on out if you have a Saturday with nothing to do, pick up your hammer, safety glasses, work gloves and come help.

The address is 41/43 Craftway Dr., Littlestown. Your participation is greatly appreciated! If you have any questions, please call Janet Sheely.

Check out the “Your Capital Campaign Dollars at Work” white notebook in the Gathering Area.

Pictures of Witmer Restoration working on washing, repointing, repairing and sealing the church brick and mortar. Also before and after pictures of work being done on the UUG window and doors by Jacobs Remodeling and Restoration.

AERO Energy House of Worship Program: The program includes HVAC and plumbing services! Customers enrolled in our *House of Worship* program will receive a 10% (up to \$250 /year) donation to their church for heating and cooling/plumbing system sales and service.

This year, so far we have received a check for \$162.60. The calculation is 4 cents per gallon of heating oil and 4 cents per gallon of propane consumed by our church and congregation members enrolled in the program. If you are an Aero Energy customer and are not signed up yet for this program, please consider signing up. If you refer someone and they sign up, you'll both benefit by receiving \$50 fuel credits. See flyers in the Gathering Area for more information and/or how to sign up. **We thank those of you who are participating in the program.**

Today: Communion
12:30pm – 4:30pm MDANA – Fellowship Hall
Friday: 9:30am Flute Flock – Fellowship Hall
Next Sunday: Pastor Fred @ Grace
10:30am Rev. Ed Gobrecht

We are halfway through 2024 and Trinity continues to make great strides with our buildings as well as our ministry. We continue to need your help. Please consider increasing your weekly or monthly offering. As Trinity continues to redefine our purpose and ministry, may we all continue to listen to Gods' still speaking voice for how we can make a difference.

Attendance: 7/28/2024 Outdoor Worship/Picnic 10:30am 61

Financial Report: 7/28/2024

Envelope Offering Needed: \$110,130.00

Envelope Offering Received: \$101,034.58

Property Fund Needed: \$12,720.00

Property Fund Received: \$6,630.00

The Agape House

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Gettysburg, PA 17325



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Gettysburg, PA 17325

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The Agape House is a Christian Shelter that has ten self-contained, furnished apartments. They are both one and two bedroom units with a kitchen, dining area, bathroom, and living room. We have added bunk beds and a sofa bed to accommodate larger families.

The Agape house is more than a shelter for the homeless. We Have designed a program that provides opportunities for displaced women and families to become integrated into the community. We work together with other local agencies to help our clients find employment, housing, childcare, and educational resources.

- There is a trained staff of counselors to assist the families with their progress.
- Supervised group meetings and other events are in place to help teach and train individuals.
- We also have a Life Skills Coach living at the Agape House to assist us with our guests.