

Week of February 9, 2025

Our continued Prayers support. Ashur Bowley, Brayden Beamer, Kathy Ciolino, Deb Crawford, Alice Fritz, Lois Grim, Linda & Harold Heller (Sara Shank's parents), Harry Hilbert, John Harrison Hoffman, Evelyn Kretz, MacKenzie Kretz, Josh Langley, Christopher Little, Nancye Marinos, Bob Miller, Kathy Murphy, Lenore O'Rourke, Brian Parker, Lisa Reinoehl, Lori Ruhlman, Fischer Samuelson, Betsy Dane & husband Dusty Smith, 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 memory of James N. Hamill by his wife Helen, daughter Julia, and son Neilson.

TODAY: FLUTE FLOCK Concert: Sunday, February 9th at 3:00pm – our own Flute Flock concert at Trinity. Join us for the concert and lite reception afterwards. **Would anyone like to bake a batch of cookies for the reception?**

FEBRUARY IS FOOD PANTRY Drive month! Every February, as a congregation, we collect food items and money for the Gettysburg Food Pantry. **We have done this for almost 50 years.** Over the past decades, the needs have not changed. Retirees and young families alike continue to experience food insecurity and come to the Food Pantry for help. Please fill our table so that we can help re-stock the shelves at the SCAAP Food Pantry: CANNED PROTEIN (tuna, Spam, canned beef, peanut butter), hot and cold CEREALS, SOUPS AND STEWS, PACKAGED MEALS (pasta and sauce, pork and beans, mac and cheese) and those sweets we love, jams jellies, canned fruit and fruit cups. Diapers and wipes are also appreciated. **Please DO NOT bring cleaning products or toys.** And don't forget to contribute to our monetary collection. The Food Pantry can purchase the bulk items every kitchen needs, at very reduced prices. Trinity is blessed in so many ways. Please share our blessings with others. ***Social Concerns***

SOUP & SANDWICH: Sunday, February 16th following 10:30am worship. Chicken Corn Soup, BLTs and cookies are on the menu. **Sign-up in Gathering Area.**

2025 FLOWER CHART – Located in the Gathering Area. Many Sunday's left to sign-up for that special person or event. **Altar Pair and Centerpieces are \$35.00.**

USHER SIGN-UP in the Gathering Area for March & April.

This year, our 5th Sunday Special Collections are March, June, August, November. There is a sheet in the Gathering Area for your four (4) nominations of local organizations. The nominations will be tallied at the end of February. These collections were started when Consistory found it necessary to forgo some donations to local organizations.

Trinity UCC CARES Coordinator would like to thank all of the following people for helping to feed Gettysburg's homeless families from January 14-27: Sandy Busche, Chris Swinn, Steve Sheely, Bruce & Deb Guiher, Carl Barrick, Tim & Becky Woodward, George Steckert, Cindy Kidd, Ann & Buck Harvey.

They did an outstanding job and many served more than once! Pastor Young helped with devotions. Some of you don't always realize how much you bless others.
THANK YOU from Janet Sheely.

Trinity's Book Group will read its second book this year - THE FUTURE OF AMERICAN CHRISTIANITY by Laurene Beth Bowers. Our discussion will be on March 27th at 11:00 a.m. Our plan is to meet the 4th Thursday of the month **after** we have read the selected book. Bring a lunch with you and we can talk while we eat. Many of us remember Laurene Bowers from her talks here about 10 years ago. **If you want Deb to order a book for you, please let her know by Feb. 12.** The book will cost approximately \$15.00 *(at the time this announcement was printed.)*

TODAY: 3:00pm Flute Flock Concert and lite reception
Tuesday: 2:00pm Care Team – Fellowship Hall
Wednesday: 7:00pm Choir - Sanctuary
Friday: 9:30am Flute Flock – Fellowship Hall
Next Sunday: Soup & Sandwich lunch following worship

Attendance: 2/2/2025 8:00a 17; 10:30a 40; On-Line 113; Total: 170

Financial Report: 1/26/2025:

Envelope Offering Needed: \$14,668.00	Envelope Offering Received: \$11,577.50
Property Fund Needed: \$1,540.00	Property Fund Received: \$612.50

Financial Report: 2/2/2025

Envelope Offering Needed: \$18,335.00	Envelope Offering Received: \$15,731.50
Property Fund Needed: \$1,925.00	Property Fund Received: \$1,102.50

Today's Worship Participants

Rev. Dr. Frederick A. Young	8:00am	Pastor
Kara Young	10:30am	
Jim Orner	8:00am	Lay Liturgists
Nancy MacMeekin	10:30am	
Sara Shank		Organist/Acting Choir Director
Mark Luckenbaugh		Percussion
Sonny Coble	8:00am	Ushers
M. Jane Alleman	10:30am	
Mary Jane & Harry Hilbert	10:30am	Greeters
Bonnie Smith	10:30am	Acolyte
Georgia Hollabaugh, Kara Young, Luke Milhimes,		Tech Team
Russell Bailey, Carl Barrick, Suhua Dong, Stacey Rushwald, George Steckert,		
Garrison Redding, Terry Krietz, Nina Redding, Cindy Kidd		

SUGGESTIONS

**What soup & sandwich combos
would you like to have served future Sundays?**

Soup

Sandwich

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_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Yes,

I can bake cookies for the flute concert _____

Name & Phone number

Please place the completed form in the offering plate; give to Fellowship Committee member; or give to the office.
Thanks for your input.

Fellowship Committee