

2018 May - Calendar

Birthdays

5/1 Jessica Fiske
5/2 Donna Kingdollar, Emma Corns, Evelyn Corns
5/3 Jonathan Bailey, Ashley Hanger, Addison Mitchell
Naomi Gillespie
5/4 Ariana Shilling, Matthew Stiener
5/5 Jack Patz, Bryce Schuster
5/7 Henry Sickinger, Robert Bank III
5/8 Bonnie Hutton
5/9 Cassie Sherwood
5/10 Darlene Corns, Roland Piske, Josh Sickinger,
Amber Johnson
5/12 Lydia Hays, Rachel Suggs
5/13 Sue Stadt, Ashley Swarens
5/14 Danny Nestorovski
5/17 Kelsey Fry, Len Marx Jr., Amber Otto
5/18 Mort Gunderson, Gabriel Gillespie
5/19 Brian Morris
5/20 Sheila Swart
5/21 Hannah Cano, Madison Cano, Charles Loitz,
Genevieve D'Asto
5/22 BreeAnn Nestorovski
5/23 Brian Anton, Evelyn Atwood, Isaiah Brill,
Kasen Hanger, Lorraine Samuelson
5/24 Ray Barkey
5/25 Elsie Gillespie
5/26 David Shilling, Johnathan Wietbrock
5/27 Teagan Jinks, Kathy Kennelly
5/28 Jim Johnson
5/30 Jason Bagnara, Lyric Sauter, Krista Smith
5/31 Melissa Sickinger

Anniversaries

5/1 Jeff & Melissa Cummins
5/6 Karleen & Tim Adler
Lenwood & Samantha Marx
5/7 Dave & Ruth Schultz
Christopher & Robin Garcia-Hays
5/14 Ryan and Amber Otto
5/18 Jim & Cindy Johnson
5/20 Dave & Emily Shilling
5/23 Brian & Janet DeValk
Ashley & Joel Hanger
5/24 Don & Lisa Beyer
5/26 Dick & MaryLou Gross
Brad & Linda Miley
Glen & Judi Nondorf
David & Jeanne Null
5/30 Vince & Alesia Harding
Sheryl & Ron Radoe

Events

5/1 & 15 Food Pantry 10am - Noon
5/1 Board of Education Meeting 7pm
5/3 Ladies Aid 1pm
5/7 Sisters of Mercy 7pm
5/8 Confirmands and Parents
Meet with Elders 6pm
5/9 Voters Meeting 7pm
5/13 Rite of Confirmation 10:30am
Divine Service
5/14 Parish Nurse Meeting 6:30pm
5/20 Parish Nurse Visit 9 & 10am
5/23 Preschool Graduation 6pm
5/28 Memorial Day Observance Office Closed

Worship

Sundays 8am & 10:30am
Sunday School 9am Family Bible Study 9:30am
Youth Catechism 12pm



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Easter Breakfast

A Huge Thank You to everyone who helped with the Easter breakfast on April 1st. The breakfast was a great success. Whether you helped cook, serve or clean up, it couldn't have happened without all the families who came out to volunteer their time. We really appreciate everything you did. Thanks again!

Preschool Director & Teacher Needed

Ms. Debbie and Ms. Lea will be retiring from Trinity Lutheran Christian Preschool after next year, and we are beginning the search to fill their positions. The Preschool will need a teacher and a director if it is to continue after the 2018-19 school year. These positions entail working five mornings a week and require some experience. Eligible candidates must enjoy working with small children and have the desire to instill in them a solid foundation for their future education. If interested, call Ms. Lea at 696-2146.

Scheduling Underway For Blood Drive

Our Parish Nurses are sponsoring an American Red Cross Blood Drive on Saturday, June 9th from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the church. To schedule your blood donation appointment, call 1-800-RED CROSS, or go to redcrossblood.org and use the sponsor code "trinitylowell". Walk-ins are also welcome.

Ladies Aid

Ladies Aid will meet on Thursday, May 3rd at 1:00 p.m. in the basement of the Christian Education Building. Pastor will start a Bible study on Titus. All ladies of our congregation are invited to come to see what they do. There is a Bible study, a short devotion, a business meeting and light refreshments.

New Service Project/Collection

Since they are no longer collecting items for the Bethesda Group home, the Ladies Aid is taking on a new service project and will begin collecting items for Phil's Friends. 1.6 million Americans will be diagnosed with cancer this year in the United States. Many of these people with cancer find themselves in hopeless situations in hospital rooms and homes across the country. Phil's Friends brings hope through the distribution of hand assembled Care Packages to cancer patients and their families and consistent weekly support through Cards of Hope and prayer. This project began in Roselle, IL, but now they also have a location in Crown Point. They are always in need of items to fill their care packages. Anyone who has cancer or a family member or friend with cancer can request a package, and it will be mailed free of charge to them along with monthly cards of hope. There is a collection container in the Parish Hall with a list of items that are always needed. Please take one and give what you can. There will also be an "item of the month" mentioned in the newsletter. The May item will be 5 oz. or smaller fragrance free lotion. Contact Laurie Marx at 696-4614 or Sue Stadt at 844-6176 if you have any questions. You can also go to the Phil's Friends website <philsfriends.org> to learn more about this organization.

Funeral Luncheon Call List

If you would like to be on the call list to provide a dish or help with funeral luncheons, please contact either Laurie Marx (696-4614), Sue Stadt (844-6176) or the church office (696-9338).