Meetings and Events

April 9-15

| Sunday | 9:45 a.m. | Sunday School |
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| | 11 a.m. | Worship/Healing Service |
| | 12 p.m. | Palm Sunday Party (Social Rm) |
| | 1 p.m. | New Members Class |
| Monday | 6-7:30 p.m. | Brownie Troop (Social Rm) |
| Tuesday | 11:30 a.m. | Helping Hands Board Meeting |
| | 11:45 a.m. | Out to Lunch |
| Thursday | 1-3 p.m. and | |
| | 6:30-7:30 p.m. | Silent Communion |
| | 7:30 p.m. | Tenebrae Service |
| Friday | 6 p.m. | Crafts Night |
| Saturday | 10-11:30 a.m. | Easter Egg Hunt |

April 16-22

| Sunday | 7 a.m. | Sunrise Service (B-Y Park) |
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| | | followed by breakfast in the |
| | | church Social Room |
| | 9:45 a.m. | Sunday School |
| | 11 a.m. | Worship/Communion |
| | 12 p.m. | Reception for New Members |
| Monday | 6-7:30 p.m. | Brownie Troop (Social Rm) |
| Tuesday | 7:30 p.m. | Ad-Council Meeting |
| Wednesday | 7:15 p.m. | Women's Bible Study |
| Thursday | 7:15 p.m. | Choir |
| Friday | 6 p.m. | Crafts Night |
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 $Greeters-Jim\ and\ Eileen\ Bentley$

Nursery – Stephanie Judy and Ashley Kitchen

Altar Flowers – The flowers on the altar are presented by Nick and Danielle Mallik in honor of Miranda's second birthday.

Palm Sunday Sunday, April 9, 2017

Justin Judy, pastor

Jane Pogue, Liturgist

Theme – "The whole city" asked a single question, "Who is this?" They were so engrossed with the way the disciples were acting concerning Jesus that it stopped to make them acknowledge something different was happening. I pray we are able to follow Christ in such a way that makes others ask, "Who is this Jesus you follow?"

Prayer Focus – Countries experiencing unrest and uncertainty

Welcome/Announcements

Preparation for Worship (Meditate; pray silently)

Prelude

Freely, Freely

Call to Worship

L: Open the gates of justice, that we may praise God.

P: We come bringing our thanks and praise for God's Son.

♦ Hymn #64 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty

Prayer

Anthem Hosanna, Loud Hosanna Joel Raney

Joys, Concerns and Prayers #895 The Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into

temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Giving God our Tithes and Offerings
Offertory
God Is So Good

- Doxology/Offering God our Praise #95 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.
- Prayer of Dedication of our Offerings
- Ritual of Fellowship (Offer one another signs of Christ's peace and God's love)
- ◆ Hymn #77 How Great Thou Art

Children's Sermon/ Distribution of Palms

Scripture Matthew 21:1-11

Message The Question

◆ Hymn #70 Glory Be to the Father

Benediction

♦ Chorus #672 God Be with You till We Meet Again
God be with you till we meet again; by his counsels guide, uphold you, with his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude God of Our Fathers

◆Rise in body or in spirit

Announcements

Immersion Bible Study – The group will resume the series with *Job* starting May 2 at 7:15 p.m. Sign-up in the vestibule.

Easter Egg Hunt – The egg hunt is this Saturday, so get those registration forms in! If you would like to help with preparation for, or with the event itself, see Pastor Justin or Kris Peters.

Campership Fund – As you go through your closets this spring, drop off your unwanted coats, shoes, purses, hats and clothing in the blue bins on the 4th Street side of the church. Proceeds benefit Trinity's campership fund.

Easter Flowers – Today is the last day to order Easter flowers (daffodils, tulips, hyacinths and Easter lilies). The cost is \$11 per plant. Order forms/envelopes are in the vestibule.

Blankets+ Sunday – Today Trinity is collecting donations for Church World Service, an organization that helps people worldwide through the distribution of blankets following a disaster to relief efforts to assistance rebuilding communities.

Gift Card Program – Today is an order day. Give your orders to Linda Yocum or Jane Pogue (forms available at the information center). Proceeds for March-May go toward Trinity's Connectional Apportionment payments.



Feed the pig! – Donations go to the church roof fund.

Subway Cards – Helping Hands still has these coupon cards available, \$10 per card. See Joan Vowler for details.

Community Events/News

Good Friday Service – Penn Evangelical Lutheran Church, 601 Harrison Avenue, Penn is hosting the Community Good Friday Service on Friday, April 14 at 7 p.m.

Backpacks-to-Go Program – This program of the Penn-Trafford School District provides supplemental weekend nutrition to needy students two weekends a month. Gift cards to Walmart/Sam's Club as well as monetary donations help greatly to defray costs. If you would like to contribute, you may make donations through the church (note: Backpacks-to-Go) or mail donations (checks payable to Penn-Trafford School District) to:

Penn-Trafford School District c/o Megan Massarelli 1006 Harrison City/Export Road PO Box 530 Harrison City PA 15636

Spaghetti Dinner – The Trafford American Legion, Post 331 is holding a spaghetti dinner on April 26 from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. See the flyer posted in the vestibule for more information.

Remember in Prayer

Patty Aubele; Renee Cappetta; Emma Chichilla; Beecher and Kay Dale; Brock Dulemba (John and Cindy Graw's grandson); Beverly Frank (friend of Beverly Piper); Carol and David Grubb; Joan Hartley; Lena Jones (Angela Knopf's grandmother); Jan Keefer; Paul Madaras (Mary Ann Casper's brother); Judy Mason; Gary Peters; Kris Peters; Joyce Rogers and her sister Carol Jean; Blanch Seiple (Peggy Whitfield's aunt); Jean Swick; Matthew Tranter (friend of Cindy Graw); Bob and Patty Vaughn (friends of Donna Race); Laurie Weisberg (friend of Shirley Pogue Fisher); Peggy Whitfield

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(Call in advance for pastor's availability)