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Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and kindle in us the fire of your love.

June Stewardship Special Love INC of Lancaster County

Our mission is to empower, connect and support churches as they arise to transform lives and communities, In the Name of Christ. We partner with churches throughout Lancaster County to empower church volunteers to use their gifts and connect them with people in need to transform lives and communities. The primary ways we do this include:

Community Call Center

Run by volunteers, our community call center receives requests for help year-round. Love INC screens the requests and verifies the needs. We then work to connect the person in need, to a church volunteer who has the gifts to meet that need. In the event that we do not have a church volunteer or a church able to meet the need, we refer out to other community agencies.

Homes of Hope

Homes of Hope, a ministry of Love INC, is a transitional housing program offered to families with children who are currently experiencing homelessness. The program is a coordinated effort between Love INC, partner churches and community resources which provides short-term, temporary housing for 6-9 months. The program connects families with a mentor and budget coach to assist the family in working toward financial stability and self-sufficiency. We currently have 8 Homes of Hope located in 7 different Lancaster County school districts.

Elder Net

Love INC of Lancaster County's ministry for 67+ providing volunteer services for elders in Lancaster County. Common services include transportation, friendly visitor, simple home repairs, tech assistance and more. Love INC's call center receives the call from an individual in need and connects that person to a church volunteer, gifted to meet that need.

Volunteers Needed - Compassion Project

Holy Trinity will be participating in the Compassion Project through LOVE INC. during the month of July. This was previously called the Ephrata or the Manheim Project. The Compassion Project is a local mission outreach which provides tangible services to our neighbors in the name of Christ. What is at the heart of a Compassion Project? Jesus showed compassion to people and shared the hope of a relationship with Him. He connected with people where they were and built relationships based on compassion. Jesus set an example for us as we look to meet people where they are. The Compassion Project is designed to be a practical resource to the local church and Christian community to aide them in acts of compassion, and can be engaged in by one or multiple congregations. These acts of compassion create unique and exciting opportunities for relationships to be built and the gospel to be shared. Local families will submit requests to LOVE INC. for projects they need done in and around their homes. Based upon our talents we will be matched up with families to assist them. Please complete the Compassion Project Volunteer Form and return to Rob Gilbert or the office by June
19. If you have any questions, please contact Rob Gilbert.

Other Volunteer Opportunities

Love INC is always welcoming new volunteers, through your church family. You can serve one-time, short term or ongoing! Are you a good listener? Volunteer in our call center, hearing people's stories

and helping them get connected. Are you handy, gifted at building relationships or connecting with others? Become a volunteer with Love INC through your church family and we'll help you get connected so you can serve your neighbors in need.

Other Giving Opportunities

Ephrata Area Social Services is in Need of the Following Items!!

With financial hardship and rising food prices it is getting harder and harder for some of our local families to provide meals for themselves. Items needed: beverage products (kool aid, juicy juice, capri suns), cake mixes, canned fruits, canned meats (spam, salmon, ravioli, etc.), canned corn, instant soups, beef stew, instant potatoes, premixed Jell-O snacks, Fruit Snacks, pancake syrup, baked beans, paper products (toilet paper, paper towels), dish soap laundry detergent, feminine hygiene products, diapers-larger size 5 and 6

This Week At Holy Trinity: June 5-11

Sunday, June 5			
Pentecost Sunday			
9:00am	Sunday Worship		
10:00am	Coffee Hour After Worship		
2:00pm	Trinity Game Day		
Monday, June 6			
10:00am	Women's Prayer Group		
6:30pm	Zoom Yoga		
7:00pm	Evangelism		
Tuesday, June 7			
6:30pm	VBS Decorating Committee		
7:00pm	Fellowship Committee Meeting		
7:00pm	Finance Committee		
8:00pm	Executive Council		
Wednesday, June 8			
Grief & Loss Workshop RSVP			
Thursday, June 9			
7:00pm	Zoom Yoga		
7:00pm	Thursday Worship		
7:30pm	Council Meeting		
Saturday, June 11			
7:30am	Church Yard Work		
7:30am	Walking Group		
10:00am	Workshop: Understanding Loss and Grief During the Pandemic		

View This Month's Calendar Here

Office Hours: June 6-10

We recommend you call the office prior to stopping in to ensure hours have not changed

Day	Sue	Pastor
Monday	8AM - 4PM	
Tuesday	8AM - 4PM	
Wednesday	8AM - 4PM	

Thursday	8 AM - 2PM (back for council in PM)	
Friday	8AM - 12PM	Off

Congratulations and Best Wishes

To the members of Holy Trinity who are 70 years and older and celebrating a birthday in June

JUNE

6 - Doris Randall
7 - Phyllis Doughty
10 - Terry Gehman
6 - Cheryl Plummer
9 - Dave Bowers
11 - Betty Albright

11 - Bynrece Shreiner 11 - Barbara Hammaker

15 - Myrtle Lausch 22 - Phyllis Enck

24 - Peggy Wenzel

Send them a birthday card or call them with a greeting. We pray God grants them many more years in their pilgrimage.

More Info For You



June 26 at Grater Park
Worship at 10:30am followed
by food, fellowship and fun!
Bring a bag of strawberries....
everything else provided.

Game Days June 5, 2 – 4 PM

Table Games. Corn Hole. Free Play in the Gym. Families, Oldsters & Youths Youth in middle school and below must come with an adult.

May Weekly Attendance

• 5/1: 84

5/8: 755/15: 89

• 5/22: 71

5/29: 76



Vacation Bible School
July 25-28, 6:15-8:30pm.

Monumental - Celebrating
God's Greatness

Volunteers please signup on the sheet on the piano in the gathering area A simple meal will be offered at 5:30pm for families attending the program. VBS Decorating Committee: Tuesday from 6:30-8:00PM in the Social Hall

SUMMER MUSIC OPPORTUNITIES

A sign-up sheet will be in the Gathering Area for musicians willing to offer special music during the prelude for our summer liturgies. Please sign-up.

The Adult Lunch Bunch (all adults are welcome)

will be going to Park Place
Diner on **June 12**.
Reservations can be made by

Reservations can be made by calling Cheryl Plummer at 717-625-3187 by **June 11**.

Luther Lunch Ladies

Join the Luther Lunch Ladies for a fun filled luncheon on **June 15** at noon. We are all women from Trinity who enjoy dining around the county on the third Wednesday every month. Think about joining us and participating in a nice afternoon of fellowship and friendship. Contact Marti Nissley by **June 13** to be added to the reservation.

Celebration of Pastor Hummer's 50th Anniversary of Ordination

We will celebrate The Rev. Larry Hummer's 50th ordination anniversary at the 9:00 a.m. worship service, **Sunday, June 12**. The Rev. Dennis Trout, retired pastor of Swamp Lutheran Church and long time friend of Pastor Hummer, will preach. Pastor Mark Luscombe will preside.

Following the worship service, a reception with light refreshments will be held in the multipurpose room. Join us along with family, friends, and colleagues of Pastor Hummer to celebrate this milestone anniversary. No program is planned. Come enjoy the decorations, food and fellowship.

Pastor Hummer was ordained June 11, 1972, at the assembly of the Central Pennsylvania Synod in Gettysburg, PA.

Workshop: Understanding Loss and Grief During the Pandemic

The majority of us have suffered from grief and the feelings of loss that often accompany it at one time or other in our lives. How we approach and work through grief is unique to each of us as is what we are feeling. The Covid-19 pandemic, with which we are still struggling, has resulted in a variety of losses over which many of us continue to grieve. With this in mind, you are invited to participate in a workshop on **Saturday, June 11**, **from 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM** at Holy Trinity that will focus on loss and grief and is designed to help each of us identify the loss and grief we are experiencing and begin the process of working through these to find a healthier place in our lives. The workshop will be led by Suzanne Accardo, who is a local grief counselor, life coach, and yoga instructor. There is a sign-up sheet in the gathering area, so please sign up and include your email address and telephone number. We need to know by **June 8** if you are planning to attend.

Looking for more information not included in this week's newsletter?

Be sure to checkout our website!

Thanks for reading! Have a great week ahead!









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