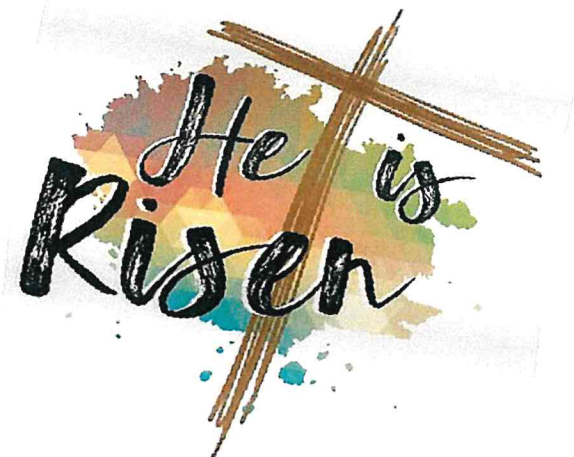


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## Pastor Doug

# Trinity United Methodist Church of Bellefonte

## Holy Week and Easter Worship Services

### HOLY WEEK

#### **Sunday, April 10, 2022 - Palm Sunday**

10:00 am Morning Service with waving of the palms  
in the Sanctuary

#### **Thursday, April 14, 2022 - Holy Thursday** at the Gathering (no Wednesday meal)

6:30 pm Worship Service with Holy Communion at the table during the meal  
7:00 pm Meal in the Gathering Room

#### **Friday, April 15, 2022 - Good Friday**

7:00 pm Contemplative Evening Service with the reading of the Passion  
in the Gathering Room

#### **Sunday, April 17, 2022 - Easter Morning**

10:00 am Traditional Morning Service with Holy Communion  
in the Sanctuary

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# SERVING THE LORD—*April 2022* Head Usher—*Barb Catherman*

## Altar and Pedestal Flowers and Bulletins

<u>Date</u>	<u>Altar Flowers</u>	<u>Pedestal Flowers</u>	<u>Bulletins</u>
April 03	None	None	Gay Williams
April 10	Sharon and Doug Johnson	None	George and Linda Spangler
April 17	Wendy Albright	None	Steve and Vicki Brightbill
April 24	None	None	Jane and John Borthwich

***If you do not wish to participate with flowers or bulletins, please contact the church office at 814-355-9425.***

***Paper Copies of the April 2022 Newsletter "The Messenger"  
and***

***THE UPPER ROOM for March and April***

***"The Gathering Room"***

***and in the Sanctuary on the table by the elevator.***



## *To Honor April Birthdays*

01-Paul Hartle	01-Ron Smith	01-Eliza Goodman	02-Chris Anderson
03-Angela DeHass	05-Dottie Swartz	05-Diane Lidgett	05-Brook Bixler
05-Abigail Smith	07-Phil Heverly	07-Brenna Bixler	08-Jessica Stevenson
09-Brian Gilpin	09-Michael Long	10-Nick Kellander	11-Daniel Smith
11-Annaliese Witmer	12-Ruth Fultz	13-Reese Redman	14-Steve Brightbill
15-Tara Galbraith	15-Ian Kontier	16-Vicky Long	18-Ben Barnhart
20-Rose Barnhart	22-Amy Snook	22-Albert Hazzard	23-Joseph King
25-Raymond Brooks, III	25-Gwen Karstetter	29-Steve Albright	30-True Coleman

## **PRAYER MINISTRY - April 2022**

**PRAYER MINISTRY** - (Please contact the Church Office 355-9425)

Pastor Doug Conway and family --Trinity members at home or in assisted living -- our church and its ministries  
our community -- nation -- world -- Our military and families -- Desi McNichol -- Tanisha Ranio -- Flora Brooks  
Donna Brooks -- Janet Houser -- All people afflicted with COVID-19 and caregivers and all front-line workers  
Bethany Schwartz -- Sonia Myers -- Ava Kosmam -- David Walker -- Mike Faulkner -- Connor Wagner  
Raymond Brooks -- Brenda Blue -- Tom Scornavacchi -- Scott Young -- Ed Steele Tom Worrich  
Tim Williams -- Pastor Doug's uncles Steve, Matt and Jim -- Gerry Lynn Schultz -- Cathy Drysdale -- Roy Goreck  
Ed Drumond -- Mike Moyer -- Jim Matson -- Donna Bennett -- Mabel Wilkinso -- Robert Pluebill -- Jane Bodle  
Carole Hockman -- Mike Sheckler -- Robin Burns -- Trudy Snyder -- Sharon Lowe -- Richard Sterling -- Mark Adams  
Lonie Mason -- Brittany Kay -- Michael Stine and family -- Patricia Kidder -- Wendy Albright

**Please look over the prayer ministry and if you need to take anyone off or if you want to put someone on please call the office at 814-355-9425. Thanks You.**

## General Fund Finances

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Here is a condensed picture of the monthly income and the expenses but, it will be one month behind. The financial report for the current month has not been completed when the newsletter is prepared.

### Report for February 28, 2022 Finances

Attendance (4 week average) **Sunday Church Service** = 40  
**Wednesday Night Service** = 30

**Beginning Balance Checkbook** \$ 43,058.45

Receipts + \$ 16,373.00

**Total Cash Available for use this Month:** \$ 59,431.45

**Expenses** - \$ 18,378.46

Pastor Retirement/Pastor Health + \$ 631.64

Payroll Taxes + \$ 105.67

Dues +\$ 200.00

**Ending Bal. Checkbook** \$ 41,990.30

Less Designated Funds - \$ 31,658.23

**Net Cash after Designated Funds:** \$ 10,332.07

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**With the increase cost of everything going up as the inflation rate continues to rise, it will become more difficult for Trinity to meet its obligations. At this time Trinity needs the continued support from everyone to continue with the Missions we provide to our community and members.**

**Sandwich Sale** – We are holding a Sandwich Sale with delivery scheduled for Thursday, April 21. We will be accepting orders until Monday, April 11. We have Ham, Turkey or Beef, each with a slice of cheese, mayonnaise/mustard and a bag of chips for \$5.00 each. We would like the members of Trinity to join us in selling sandwiches if possible. Contact Denise Geissinger or the church office to get an order form or to place an order.

**Soup Sale** – Our next Soup Sale is scheduled for Saturday, May 21. Please watch out for more information on what soups will be available.

### **ONGOING FUNDRAISERS**

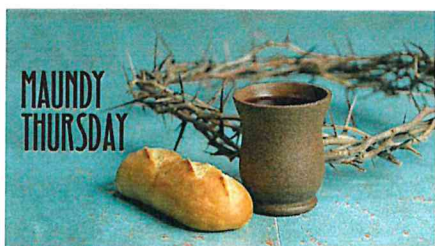
We are continuing our fundraiser called ***Quarters by Quarter*** and we need your support. In the back of the sanctuary, there is a box with empty medicine bottles. Take an empty bottle home, fill it with quarters at your leisure, and once your bottle is full, return it to the box and take another empty bottle to start again. This is an easy way for everyone to help Trinity. The money raised during each calendar quarter will be used to bolster the General Fund to cover our regular expenses. If you have any questions, contact Steve Albright. A little “change” can go a long way to help us do God’s work here at Trinity Bellefonte!

The **SCRIP** fundraiser is also continuing, it has raised \$517 since its inception. A reminder on how this program works; you can purchase gift cards to many local and nationwide businesses. Trinity will receive a percentage of the purchase price for each gift card. This percentage varies for each vendor, ranging from 2% - 14%. We order gift cards on the 15<sup>th</sup> and end of each month, to make it easy and convenient for you to purchase the cards you need when you need them. Consider them for your gift giving or for use at your favorite grocery stores or restaurants. While you are going about your normal activities, you are also helping your church. What a great idea! Order forms are available at the church or you can contact the church office and we will be sure to get one to you.

**Thank you to the congregation, family and friends of Trinity for your faithful giving and support!**



# FOLLOWING IN THE FOOTSTEPS April, 2022



## The Gathering will move to Thursday on April 14 for Holy Thursday.

Join us at 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary for worship followed by our meal at 7:00 pm. Traditional Communion will take place at table. As always, take out and delivery meals will be available at 5:00 pm.

**All are welcome!**

## GLORIFY

IS OUR WORD FOR THE YEAR!

**GLORIFY** God in all we do as thanks for the gift of Jesus Christ, who died that we might live eternally.

**GLORIFY** – listen for the word.

**GLORIFY** – make it your mantra.

## COLLECTIONS FOR UKRAINE

It is not too late to make a donation for ongoing humanitarian efforts in the Ukraine. You can still make monetary donations through UMCOR.



Or donate items for Mission Central. See page two for a list of items we are collecting. Contact Linda Mundy Boone for more info.

## HELP NEEDED!

It has come to our attention that some of the residents of Centre Care are in need of lap robes. If you can knit or crochet and would like to help, please contact Linda Mundy Boone. We will give lap robes to members of our congregation who live there and other residents too.



## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES



ITEM OF THE MONTH IS  
**HYGIENE ITEMS.**

We need items such as: individually wrapped soap, toothbrushes, combs, brushes, feminine hygiene products, fingernail files/clippers and wash clothes.



# FOLLOWING IN THE FOOTSTEPS

## April, 2022

### EASTER EGG HUNT FOR KIDZ KONNECTION

Trinity Bellefonte will host this event for the children who attend Kidz Konnection Daycare on April 13, 2022. We hope the weather will cooperate and we can be outside.

**We need candy donations to fill the eggs.** If you can help, please bring your candy to church by April 3. A collection bin will be placed in the narthex for your items. We cannot accept candy that contains peanuts or peanut butter. And all candy must be small enough to fit in the eggs.

Thanks so much for your help with this ministry!



### TRINITY MISSION CENTRAL HUB

Mission Central is asking for these items:

Baby food in plastic containers  
New blankets  
Dry food, 3-6 mo. Expiration  
Hand & foot warmers  
Wrapped bars of soap  
Band-Aids  
Adhesive dressings  
Wound treatments

New clothing  
First Aid kits  
Personal hygiene items  
Pillar candle (no glass)  
Flashlights with batteries  
Gauze rolls and pads  
Non-adhesive dressings  
Alcohol swabs/pads

### SPECIAL THANKS

Thank you to Bonnie and Jim Kustanbauter for their service to Trinity Bellefonte. Kusty built a new closet for our meal ministries and did some finish work in the pantry closet. As a team, they started to prepare our community gardens for planting and reorganized our kitchen and pantry shelves. We are grateful for their work!

### APRIL FOOD PANTRY ITEM

#### PASTA SAUCE

Please place your items on the table in the HUB room.



### LOOKING AHEAD

May

Luminaria sales for Relay for Life

# *Announcements and Meetings*

## **Visit By The Pastor**

Pastor Doug will be scheduling time on Monday mornings to visit members of the congregation who are shut in, ill or who just might need some one-on-one time with their pastor. This does not include emergencies or hospital calls. For these calls please contact Pastor Doug at 570-660-6515

## **Win-One Class**

will meet on April 1st  
11:30 am at

Maria's

call Barb Markel  
for reservations by  
March 30th at  
814-353-8049

## **Leadership Board**

Monday  
April 25, 2022  
At 6:30 pm  
in The Gathering Room

## **Choir Rehearsal Dates**

Thursday, March 24th at 7 - 8:15 pm

Thursday, March 31st at 7-8:15 pm

Thurs. April 7th at 7-8:15 pm

Wednesday, April 13th at 7-8:15 pm

Thursday, April 21st at 7-8:00 pm

Thursday, April 28th at 7-8:00 pm

## **Dates the Choir will Sing**

Palm Sunday- April 10th  
Morning Worship Service - 10:00 am

Holy Thursday - 6:30 pm  
April 14th  
Worship Service with Communion

Easter Sunday - 10:00 am  
April 17th  
Worship Service with Holy Communion



Second Sunday of Easter  
April 24th  
Worship Service - 10:00 am

Third Sunday of Easter  
May 1st - 10:00 am  
Worship Service - Holy Communion

# Trinity United Methodist Church

## April 2022

March '22							May '22							June '22						
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div>3</div> <div>Fifth Sunday in Lent with Holy Communion 10:00 AM</div> <div>Potluck Luncheon</div>	<div>4</div> <div></div>	<div>5</div> <div>Drop-In Centre 9:00 am - 12:00 Noon "The Gathering Room"</div> <div>"Just Friends" 2:00 pm "The Gathering Room"</div>	<div>6</div> <div>Short Lenten Service in the Sanctuary 6:30 PM</div> <div>"The Gathering Room Meal" 7:00 PM</div>	<div>7</div> <div>Drop-In Centre 9:00 am - 12:00 Noon "The Gathering Room"</div> <div>"Yarn Art" 2:00 pm in "The Hub Room"</div> <div>Men's Group 2:00 pm in "The Gathering Room"</div>	<div>8</div> <div></div>	<div>9</div> <div></div>
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<div>17</div> <div>Easter Morning</div> <div>Traditional Morning Service with Holy Communion 10:00 AM</div>	<div>18</div> <div>Taxes Due</div>	<div>19</div> <div>Drop-In Centre 9:00 am - 12:00 Noon "The Gathering Room"</div> <div>"Just Friends" 2:00 pm "The Gathering Room"</div>	<div>20</div> <div>"The Gathering" 6:00 PM</div> <div>"The Gathering Room"</div>	<div>21</div> <div>Drop-In Centre 9:00 am - 12:00 Noon "The Gathering Room"</div> <div>"Yarn Art" 2:00 pm in "The Hub Room"</div> <div>Men's Group 2:00 pm in "The Gathering Room"</div>	<div>22</div> <div></div>	<div>23</div> <div></div>
<div>24</div> <div>Second Sunday of Easter</div> <div>Worship Service 10:00 AM</div>	<div>25</div> <div>Bellefonte Community Luncheon - 11:30 AM</div> <div>Leadership Board Meeting 6:30 PM in "The Gathering Room"</div>	<div>26</div> <div>Drop-In Centre 9:00 am - 12:00 Noon "The Gathering Room"</div> <div>"Just Friends" 2:00 pm "The Gathering Room"</div>	<div>27</div> <div>"The Gathering" 6:00 PM</div> <div>"The Gathering Room"</div>	<div>28</div> <div>Drop-In Centre 9:00 am - 12:00 Noon "The Gathering Room"</div> <div>"Yarn Art" 2:00 pm in "The Hub Room"</div> <div>Men's Group 2:00 pm in "The Gathering Room"</div>	<div>29</div> <div></div>	<div>30</div> <div>Prayer Breakfast 8:30 AM in "The Gathering Room"</div>
<div>  </div> <div> <b>Sandwich Sale</b>            Still able to order until April 11th by calling the office at 814-355-9425            Ham, Turkey or Roast Beef         </div>		<div> <b>Yarn Art 2:00 pm Thursdays in "The Hub Room"</b>            "The Gathering" - Wednesday at 6:00 pm - meal provide - delivered  <b>Drop-In Centre 9:00 am - 12:00 pm (Tuesday and Thursday)</b>  <b>Food Distribution - Every Day until 2:00 pm</b>  <b>"Just Friends" 2:00 pm on Tuesdays in "The Gathering Room"</b>            Men's Group - 2:00 pm "The Gathering Room" on Thursdays            Website: www.TrinityBellefonte.com         </div>		<div>  </div> <div> <b>Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes</b>  <b>Item of the Month for April</b>  <b>Hygiene Items</b> </div>		

# Sandwich sale

Ham, Turkey, or Roast Beef

1/3 pound of meat w/ cheese on 4 1/2" - 5" roll

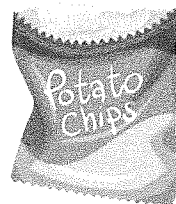
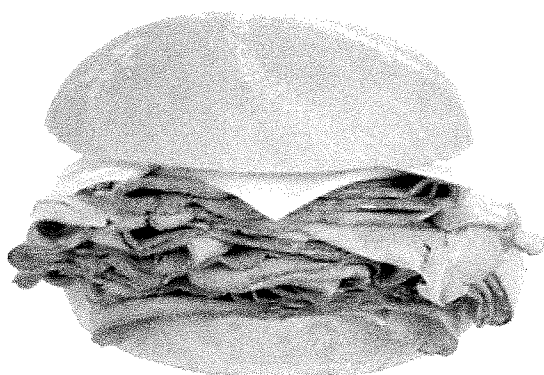
Includes mustard & mayo packet and chips

\$5.00 each

Pick up: Thursday, April 21 between 4:00 – 6:00 p.m.  
in the Gathering Space

Proceeds benefit: Trinity Bellefonte UMC General Fund

To place an order:  
please contact the church office before April 11  
phone: 814-355-9425 or email: [barbtumc@comcast.net](mailto:barbtumc@comcast.net)





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**BRING THE LOVE OF**  
**JESUS CHRIST**  
**TO OUR WORLD.**

