



# This Week at Trinity English

Second Sunday of Lent | Thursday, March 14 & Sunday, March 17, 2019

## Welcome to Trinity English

*God's blessings to each of you! Activity bags are available at the doors for children—we always welcome your children to worship! A hearing loop is installed in both our Nave and Krauss Chapel and hearing assistance devices are available from an usher. If you are baptized you are welcome to communion. If you are seeking baptism, please speak with a pastor.*

## IN OUR PRAYERS

### For Healing

Pete Barleben  
Ian Bell  
Brenda Betley  
Sue Blackburn  
Bob & Liddy  
Dwayne Bricker  
Bobbie Brubaker  
Kristy Caldwell  
Tim Denton  
Rick Dumford  
Jean Ehrman  
Donna Emley  
Alisa Gearhart  
Don Goldner  
Virginia Hahn  
Hayley  
Griffin & Jordan  
Adam Larry  
Moe Lawrence  
Mark Lepisto  
Esther Nuñez

### For Healing

Charles Putt  
Max Robart  
Richard Schofield  
Dave Skillman  
Charon Snearing  
Judy Sterling  
Michael Waldorf  
Evin & Katie Wallace  
Leslie Wilson

### In Hospice Care

Bill Blackford  
Joanne Bruick  
Suzanne Cserep  
Evelyn Hoham  
Margie Bienz Smiley  
Ruth

### In Memoriam

Pastor Daniel Hamlin

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Trinity Is a Safe Place** — You may see a few yellow signs around TELC, designating this as a “Safe Place” for youth in crisis. The program, run by the SOCAP (Status Offender Court Alternative Program) through the YMCA aims to let young people know there is a way out of bad situations, such as abuse, homelessness, or trafficking. Staff underwent training to know how to connect a young person in crisis with timely resources in the community to help them.

**Redemption House Shower** — Last chance to donate! The Redemption House, a transitional home for women, is a ministry partner with Trinity. They are opening a second location just down the street from us. TELC wants to help them get their house ready, so we are holding a kitchen and bath drive! If you'd like to help make their new home comfortable and welcoming, you can visit Target's registry at Target.com, click “Registries and Lists” and search “Tomi Cardin.” Then click “new redemption house registry” to find a list of items they can use. Gift cards will also be appreciated. The Monday Morning Bible Study will collect and present the gifts to the women at a shower on March 18th showing them our support and care.

**Easter Lilies** — Trinity will offer sponsorships of Easter lilies again this year. For a gift of \$15, you may sponsor a lily “in honor of” or “in memory of” someone you designate. More information will be available in next week's announcements. Lilies can be picked up following the 11:00 worship service on Easter Sunday, April 21.

**Lent** is the period of time (approximately 40 days) leading up to Easter. During this time, many Christians focus on penitence, perhaps “giving up” something, or maybe adding a new discipline that helps focus their hearts and minds on growing closer to God. Trinity English has resources available throughout the season to help you deepen your relationship with Jesus. First, there is a booklet of prayers centered on our Bihar partnership. Pick up a copy in various places throughout the church to help focus on our commitment to Bihar, and to the people whose lives are being touched by our support. Additionally, you can sign up for a daily email from a group called 40 Acts. Each day of the season (except Sundays), your inbox will have some ideas about how you can strengthen the practice of generosity, with some words from various Christian writers, as well as specific suggestions for ways you can help share more compassion, love and positive energy in this season. Go to our website, <https://www.trinityenglish.org/40-acts.html>, for more information and to sign up.

**If you did not receive the Lent/Easter postcard** in the mail, please check out the website (TrinityEnglish.org) for a list of the various services and worship times in this season. In addition to regular weekly worship services, there will be a midweek prayer service every Wednesday from 12:15-12:30 PM in the Nave. Holy Week services are listed, culminating in Easter on April 21.

**Justice Bread Available** — between 8:45 am and 12:15pm this Sunday, March 17, in the Gathering Area. The speciality breads this month are Wheat, Cranberry, and Rye for \$3.50 per loaf. Justice Bread is part of the Cup of Kindness program by Lutheran Social Services of Indiana that provides families in need in our community a “hand up.” They provide financial and job counseling to families going through difficult times. All dollars received from Justice Bread purchases go to programs for families in need. You don't have to buy Justice Bread to support this ministry--donations gratefully accepted!

## OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

### March Sharing Care In-Kindness



Trinity English's City Ministry invites you to contribute in-kind donations to support our community neighbors. Questions should be directed to Janet Altmeyer by phone at 260.426.3424 or send an e-mail to

JAltmeyer@TrinityEnglish.org.

**EMERGENCY NEED: Family Size Soups** for *Wellspring Food Bank*.

**Men's Jeans** for the *Wellspring Clothing Shoppe*.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

**Wednesday, March 20th Parent Series presents** — Amy Hanna "What Kids Go Through to Understand Self & Others" \*5:30pm - 7:00pm Krauss Chapel. \*doors open 4:30pm mingling & savory foods Room 101W. Questions: Maggie text/call 260.414.9656

**Congratulations and Thank You!** — Once again, congratulations to Trinity member, Nancy Carlson Dodd, whose musical, "The Wedding Gift" was recently premiered at the Civic Theater. Nancy thanks the members of Trinity English for their support, encouragement, and presence at the performances; she is very appreciative. And thanks be to our Creator who gives each of us talents to share with the world in a myriad of ways.

**The Trinity English Lutheran Church Greeter Ministry** — exists to create an atmosphere of welcoming love and fellowship for everyone who enters the church. This will be accomplished through a warm and friendly welcome, knowledgeable information, and help for those who need it. If you are interested in participating, please contact Trina Gould Liggett at trinagould@helmkebeams.com or Cindy Spohr at cindyspohr1@gmail.com. for additional information and to be added to the SighUpGenius Greeter Ministry email distribution list.

**Easter Eggs** — Grab-a-Bag & Fill-a-Bag of plastic eggs for Trinity English annual Easter Egg Hunt. April 7th after each service (8am, 9am, 11am) pick up your pre-bagged eggs. Return by Friday, April 19th to Family Ministries Department. Questions: Maggie 260.414.9656 / mmilne@trinityenglish.org

**NO High School Youth Group** Sunday, March 17th. We'll see you Sunday, March 24th YAY!! Questions: Maggie 260.414.9656

**SPRING BREAK:** April 2nd 1pm - 4pm Pre-K through 5th activities, April 3rd 1pm - 4pm Middle School activities, April 4th 1pm - 4pm High School activities. Daily in Youth Center. Questions: Maggie 260.414.9656 / mmilne@trinityenglish.org

**April 5th Family Fun Night** — at Trinity 6pm - 8pm Spring Break MOVIE in the Theatre. Staycation get-away through film (and popcorn). Questions: Maggie 260.414.9656 / mmilne@trinityenglish.org

**Wednesdays** — 10:00am Infants & Toddlers Playgroup \$0 No cost. Parents exchange parenting strategies, kiddos play together. Fun Time!! Questions: Maggie 260.414.9656

**Thursdays 4:30pm High School Real Talk** — deepen your faith. Youth Center. Details: Maggie 260.414.9656

## EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

March 17 Sunday	YouthQuake - No High School Youth Group 8:00a Worship Service with Holy Communion 8:45a Nursery Care Available 9:00a Pre-K through 5th Sunday School 9:00a Worship Service with Holy Communion 10:00a Middle School Sunday School 11:00a Pre-K through 5th Sunday School 11:00a Worship Service with Holy Communion
March 18 Monday	10:00a Monday Morning Bible Study - Shower for Redemption House 11:45a Rebekah Circle Lunch at Wu's 3:15p Study Connection
March 19 Tuesday	10:00a Open Doors 5:30p Property Committee 5:30p Wine & Wisdom - Pint & Slice
March 20 Wednesday	9:00a Dorcas Circle 10:00a Infant & Toddlers Playgroup 10:00a Open Doors 12:00p Mutual Ministry Meeting 12:15p Midweek Prayer 4:20p E3 4:30p Parent Series Refreshments 5:30p Youth Choir 5:30p Trinity Recorder Consort 5:30p Parent Series 2 - Engaged Family, Engaged Faith at Home 6:00p Community Dinner 6:45p E3 Youth Steel Drums 7:00p Wednesday Steel Drums 7:00p Trinity Ringers 8:15p Celebration Ringers
March 21 Thursday	10:00a Open Doors 4:30p Theatre @ Trinity 4:30p High School Real Talk 6:00p Thursday Steel Drum Ensemble 7:00p Worship Service 7:30p Chancel Choir