**Announcements**

**Meetings & Events**

Tuesday, April 13th Trustees 7pm

Sunday, April 18th Christian Ed. after worship

Wednesday, April 21st SWAT 7pm

**ATTENDANCE SHEETS**

 Please remember to fill out the attendance sheet you will find in your bulletin and leave it on the pew when you leave today. The elders will collect them after the service.

**NEW PORTALS OF PRAYER**

 You will find the next quarterly Portals of Prayer on the ledge by the church entrance. Please help yourself to whatever size works best for you.

**PREGNANCY CARE CENTER NEWS**

 After much prayer, the board of Lighthouse Pregnancy Care Center has hired Sherry Curtiss and Sue Johnson for the positions of Client Services Manager and Office Manager, respectively. LPCC has again opened its doors to folks needing services, seeing them one at a time, masked, and socially distanced. If you know of anyone who is pregnant or has young children in need of resources (clothes, baby food, wipes, equipment) or just needs someone to talk to, please have them give us a call at 231-398-7984. We’d love to have a phone visit or have them come in!

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

**John 20:19 – “Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, ‘Peace be with you.’ ”** The peace we have in Jesus is what makes a life of good works possible. Since we know that it is Jesus who saved us – not our works – we are now free to do good works. Good works shouldn’t be done out of self-interest but for the right reasons – out of thanksgiving toward God and love for our neighbors.

**BIRTHDAYS IN APRIL**

Margaret Punches April 3rd

Hannah Stuck April 25th

**THANK YOU EVERYONE**

 A large thank you to everyone who helped in any way on Saturday with making donuts, bagging donuts or cleaning up on Monday. We had a wonderful turn out of helpers and everything is ready to go for our next donut event. Thanks again for making donuts for Easter a success!

**CAN YOU HELP?**

 A woman in Onekama is in need of home assistance to enable her to remain in her home. If you can help, please see the “Home Care” message on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

**FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

 Our congregation has a Local Mission Fund whereby we assist individuals and organizations in the community with various financial issues. If you know of someone who is in need of help, please let Pastor Sherry know and he will get the process rolling to see how we might be able to help.

**TRINITY MANISTEE WILL HAVE A NEW TEACHER**

 Trinity Manistee is excited to announce that they will have a new full-time teacher for the Grades 3-5 classroom. Miss Ashlea Weston, a graduate of Concordia Ann Arbor, is most recently from the Fort Wayne area, but she is a native of Michigan. She has more than 10 years of experience teaching, the majority of those years in a multigrade classroom. There will be opportunities to meet her this August prior to school opening this fall. If you know of someone who may have a place for her to rent, please contact either Tina Fisk at tfisk@trinitymanistee.com or call the church at 231-723-5149.

**SERVING THIS MONTH**

**Greeters:** Diane Hanson & Cathy Baker

**Altar Guild:** Bev LeSarge

**SERVING TODAY SERVING NEXT WEEK 4/18/2021**

**Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry **Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry

**Elder:** Ted Bromley **Elder:** Steve Myers

**Accomp:** Natalie Fisk **Accomp:** Natalie Fisk

**Acolyte:** Connor LeSarge **Acolyte:** Erin Smith

**Reader:** Diane Hanson **Reader:** Pastor

**ATTENDANCE**: 4/4/2021

WORSHIP: 130 BIBLE STUDY: 0

**FIRST FRUITS TRACKER WEEK ENDING:** 4/4/2021

Offering Receipts: $3,983.00 YTD Budget Receipts: $41,538.00

Weekly Budget Needs: $2,766.27 YTD Budget Needs: $38,727.78



**Special Prayers**

Carolyn Burrus Jill Hoseler (Cancer) Barbara Potter

Joanne Carlson (lymphoma) Rita Merkey Marge Reckow

Kaydence Devenport Lavonne Miller Jim Reeves

Dylan Gladding Jim Poellet Steve Schimke

Bob Hilliard Shirley Poellet Rev. Jeff Walsh (Cancer)

 Sandy Wing

The family of Thelma Zalud who died on Tuesday, April 6th.

**Prayers for Our Military**

**Andrew Burch**, **Jr**., grandson of John & Loree Sprawka.

**Mark Granzotto** with U.S. Navy in Bahrain, grandson of Rita Merkey

**Army Major Riley Morgan Kennedy, s**tationed in Washington, DC, George & Margaret Punches’ grand-niece

**Steve & Carol Sprawka,** son & daughter-in-law of John & Loree Sprawka

**Derek Sprawka,** grandson of John & Loree Sprawka

**Alyssa Eisenlohr** with the U.S. Navy in Japan, friend of Janette & Fred May

**Ian Nelson,** nephew of Jack and Pebbla Nelson

**Tyge Nelson & family,** nephew of Jack and Pebbla Nelson

**Lt. Tim Brandt** at Uniformed Services University, Bethesda, MD, son of Bruce & Debbie Brandt

***If you wish to add someone’s name, please call or e-mail the church office.***

***When someone’s name is placed on prayer lists,***

***his or her name will remain until instructed to remove it. Thank you!***