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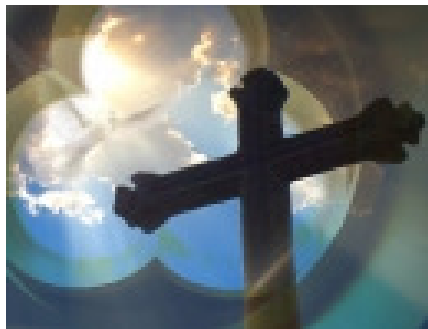
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Spring rain seems to be the dominant theme for us in Warren. What with the wettest April and now another series of overcast, showery days in May behind us, we might wonder if the sunny days of summer are ever going to get here. I have a feeling, though, that sometime this month we will begin complaining about the heat of the midsummer days. It will happen!

Likewise, summer will come to Trinity, too. With the second latest date possible for Easter, our celebration of Pentecost is pushed all the way to June 12<sup>th</sup>. In a subtle way, getting to Pentecost is a journey that guides us for many months. For the church, the end of the Easter Season signals an end to the great cycle of the church year that really picks up with Advent. From the expected birth to the wonderful holy night, the dawning of hope in Epiphany and then the long harrowing road to the cross, we marched through the great Gospel story. And then we crown that journey with the Great 50 days of Easter and the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. What a ride, and what a way to celebrate the beginning of Summer.



This year Pentecost Sunday will serve as a bridge for us in many ways. We will gather for a special service Sunday where we will engage in some conversation and sharing about the next steps Trinity will take as it pursues its mission to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ here in Warren. Following June 12<sup>th</sup>, we will usher in our new Summer Sunday Schedule, focused around one 9:30 service with coffee hour before and after the service. We will

keep to that schedule for our summer together as we enjoy the company of our friends from both services and do our best to avoid the summer heat in our worship space.

It is exciting to try new things and see how the Holy Spirit may be sensed in fresh new ways together. With that perspective of adventure let's step into summer together and see where God is leading us. One thing is certain, God is with us, the Holy Spirit moves among us, and we can hardly wait to see what fruit God bears in our midst as we faithfully follow him in ministry. Now that is a Summer Son worth watching and celebrating.

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## June 12<sup>th</sup> Pentecost Parish Gathering



For Pentecost Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> this year, we will be having a special All-Parish Gathering starting at 9AM here at Trinity. We will begin with Morning Prayer together, led by our choir and Father Matthew, and then share together in a series of workshops and presentations some of the exciting things happening here at Trinity. The Vestry is looking forward to holding small group conversations to share some of their insights and gather the parish's opinions about where what we have come through and where we are now being led. Our Renovation Committee is looking forward to sharing some of

the work they are presently doing to update our gathering spaces. The Transition committee will talk about some steps they are taking to make Trinity a more recognized institution here in Warren and to make sure our message is being heard by our surrounding community. We will wrap up our time together with a Eucharist service around our altar and then share in lunch together in the Parlor.

Please come share in our Pentecost joy on June 12<sup>th</sup> and feast on the riches of our community's life together.



### One Service Sundays for Summer 2011

Starting June 19<sup>th</sup>, Trinity will spend the summer Sundays celebrating one service at 9:30AM each Sunday morning. The plan is to let both services celebrate together while avoiding the summer heat. Coffee

hour will be held both before and after the service, so folks who are used to being here in the morning for that first cup of java can still come and share some time with Father Matthew and their friends before our service begins. Currently the plan calls for our two service schedule (8 and 10:30) to return on the first Sunday of September. How exciting!

## Waldameer

Sunday, June 19<sup>th</sup> is the Diocese of Northwestern Pennsylvania's Picnic at Waldameer, the water park outside Erie. All attendees are invited to celebrate our Sunday



Service together at the park at 11AM, with Bishop Sean Rowe celebrating and preaching. The ticket includes all rides, food, and the water park. Tickets are \$15 per person (\$60 max per family) and financial assistance is available to any and all (speak to Father Matthew - Money is not a barrier!). Please sign up in the narthex indicating the number of tickets needed **by June 5 as the number must be called in to the diocese June 6.**

There will be a 9:30 spoken Morning Prayer service held at Trinity for those who cannot attend.

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY HIGHLIGHTS:

*I heard the Lord saying "Whom shall I send." "Who will go for me?"  
And I answered, "Here I am. Send me!" - Isaiah 6:8*

### Sunday School/Children's Chapel teachers



Trinity has been blessed this past year to have many wonderful adults offering their ministry to our young members during Children's Chapel. After taking a break for the summer months, Children's Chapel will return in September. Children's Chapel leaders are responsible for reading through the lesson plans created by Father Matthew and then joining with their team of teachers

once a month to lead the class. Just once a month! Every teacher has commented about how wonderful it is to work with our young people and share the love of Jesus with our precious children. If you are interested or have questions, please see Father Matthew for more information.



### Altar Guild News



It was a gray, cool, wet day outside on the 14th of May, but it was a warm, fun, full of good food and laughter in the dining room at 707 East Street where 10 women of the Altar Guild gathered for their first Spring Tea.

We all enjoyed the quiche, breakfast rolls and had a wide variety of teas to choose from, along with sharing a good time with each other. There was even a door prize and Barb Willis was the lucky gal that won it! We are hoping to do this again next year, with as many members as possible able to attend.

I would like to thank all who did attend and Tom for pouring the first cup of Tea for all the ladies.

*Mary Lou Watt, Directress*



### Congratulations Graduates

**Ashley Cunningham** graduated on May 14th from Juniata College with a Bachelor of Science in Biology.

**Joseph Thomas** graduated Summa Cum Laude from the University at Buffalo, with a Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Sciences. He is starting medical school, also at the University at Buffalo, this fall.



## Prayer for Trinity

*Almighty and gracious God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth, hear our prayer for the rector, vestry and parish family of Trinity Memorial Episcopal Church. By the indwelling of your Holy Spirit, enlighten and strengthen us for your service. Teach us in all things to seek first your honor and glory. Guide us to know what is right, and give us courage to pursue it and grace to accomplish it. Renew us in faith, hope and charity. Grant us all things necessary for our common life, make us always thankful for your providence, and bring us all to be of one heart and mind with your holy Church; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

## Prayers

**In nursing/assisted living homes:** Ann Blackman, Palmer Davis Jr., Mickey Ettinger, Frances Rhodes (Cambridge), Judy Nobles (Warren Manor), Margaret Gilson, Betty DeLong, Bernadine Goyda, Bill Anderson (Rouse Home), Rhea Waples (Watson Home), Marian Edwards (Warren State Hospital)

**The Vestry:** Vivien Boger, Kathy Bowley, Barry Cunningham, Pat Hesch, Keith Hinsdale, Addy Landrio, Jim McCollough, Elaine Rhodes, Ellen Scalise

**Transition Committee:** Diane Brant - *chair*, Denise Ely, Clare Glarner, Tom Jensen, Dick Klancher, Jocelin Thomas

**Illness/Surgery/Other Needs:** Mickey Conroy, Denny Brown, Jon Ettinger, Veryl Riley, Jerry Davis, Billy Moriarity, Janet Ely, Kurt Glarner, Terry Brant, Denny Hahn, Ed Brant, Michael Brant, Jill Lasecki, Dick, Amy Hindman, Pam, Phyllis, Penny, Lori Brusso, Helen Chrise, Max Sorensen, Cody Stalder, Bud McCollough, Gar & Beth Spicher, Jen Spicher, Scott Mitchell, Jeff Washburn, Brian Knisley, Ash & Jean Brant, Susan Bennett, Emma Campbell, Dave Taylor, Judy, Kaelynn, Logan, Kason, Patrick Nuhfer, Kara Donaldson, Scott Brown, Sandy Lewis, Margaret Suttor, Denise Fink, Wendy Suder, Patty Johnson, Carrie, Jesse, Matt, Peg Ploof, Anne Reynolds, Bobbie Long & family, Randy, the O'Connor family, Susan Wolfe, Mabel Brown, Ron Goltz, Kathy McLaughlin, Ginny Reiff, Reiner Peters, Baker Family, Ted, Towlesey Castles, Denny Williams, Peggy Skinner, Family of Kevin White - parents, Pat & Paul White, grandparents, Joan & Jim Baer

**Serving in the Armed Services:** Adam Pontious, Lenny Johnson, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Infantry Division serving in Iraq; Jake Glenn serving in Afghanistan; Michael Miller, Marc Miller, Peter Landrio, Parker Hahn, Cody, Toby, & Jeremy Williams, Matthew Hammond, Jackie Shaw, José Sepulveda

**The Clergy:** Katharine Jefferts Schori, Presiding Bishop; Sean Rowe, our Bishop; Martha Ishman, Canon to the Ordinary; Matthew Scott, our Priest-in-Charge

**Serving justice and peace:** Christian Peacemaker Teams; House of Hope, Birds of the Sky, and Good Samaritan House in India; Center Fabio, Ivory Coast; Asociacion Rescate -Rio Dulce, Guatemala

*May the Souls of the Faithful Departed Rest in Peace*

*Lillian Lemmon*

*Let Light Perpetual Shine Upon Them.*



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**Important Dates in June**

**JUNE 12th—THE DAY OF PENTECOST  
ALL PARISH GATHERING BEGINNING  
AT 9:00AM**

**June 12th—18th Diocesan Summer Camp**

**June 19th Summer Service Time Begins  
9:30 AM Holy Eucharist**

**June 19th—Diocesan Picnic at Waldameer  
10:00 AM Registration  
11:00 AM Holy Eucharist**

**Sunday Schedule**

**June 5th**

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist

9:15 AM Healing Prayer in the Chapel

10:30 AM Holy Eucharist

**June 12 Day of Pentecost**

**9:00 AM Morning Prayer, Discussions,  
Presentations, Eucharist, Lunch**

**June 19th & 26th One Service**

**9:30 AM Holy Eucharist**

**Monday**

7:00 PM Bible Studies

**Wednesday**

10:00 AM Holy Eucharist

**Office Hours**

8:30AM – 4:30 PM Monday— Friday