

Announcements ~ May 13, 2018

Ushers for this morning's worship are
The Beauchamp Family.

Counters are Amy Jessup and Liz Dobson-Davis.

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LARGE PRINT BULLETINS are available as are 3 hearing enhancement devices. Please see an usher for assistance.

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If there is something you would like included in the spoken announcements, please write it on the clipboard in the back. If you would like to make the announcement yourself, write your name on the clipboard and one or two words that give the topic of your announcement. The person leading announcements will call on you. ***If you have an announcement to share, please begin worship in the front row, so that the announcement process can be as efficient as possible; once you've made your announcement from the microphone, it's fine to sit elsewhere in the congregation.***

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The **Confirmation Class** will meet **after worship today** to prepare for their meeting with Session next week (May 16).

We will **meet by the fire circle**, weather permitting.

The **Session** will meet Wednesday at 7:00 PM.

Parallels Service on **Saturday May 19 5PM** at Charlton-Freehold Church.
Theme is 'Unseen Power'.

Two weeks from today, May 20, is **Pentecost Sunday**. The color for Pentecost is **red**, symbolizing the tongues of fire described in the Acts 2 passage about the Day of Pentecost. As part of a festive, if you have an article of **red clothing**, please wear it that day, symbolizing the Spirit in our midst!

The "**Unafraid**" **book study** continues.

The Monday group meets at 7:00 pm.

The Tuesday group meets at 6:30pm.

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Tim Coombs needs 100 practicum hours to become a certified International Coaching Federation (ICF) coach.

Contact Tim ***if you would like individual coaching*** to help achieve your goals or to learn more about what coaching is about.

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BYOC Night! (Bring your own crafts) - an opportunity to work on your portable projects - sewing, crocheting, rubber stamping, scrapbooking, jewelry making, etc. etc. OR learn a new skill. Please contact Cara Molyneaux or Laraine Longhurst if you are interested. No sign up needed. **Monday May 14 and Monday June 11 6:00pm at Trinity**. There will be soup! Bring a snack or drink to share if you'd like.

There will be a **Women's Spirituality Retreat** at the Longhurst's place on Friends Lake, Friday June 1- Saturday June 2. Some worship, some structured discussion, time near the water, time for rest, lots of fun! Sign up in the annex; see Laraine Longhurst or Kathy Gorman-Coombs for further information.

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Once again, Trinity will have a presence at the **Capital District Pride Parade** in Albany on **Sunday, June 10**. This year we will be walking with other congregations who are part of the **Schenectady Clergy Against Hate** group. The parade begins at Washington Park at noon. If you are interested in joining us, see Kathy Gorman-Coombs. To get there on time, we'll have to leave Trinity quickly after worship that day.

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Trinity's Prayer Chain is a form of ministry in which members pray for concerns brought to their attention in the form of an e-mail chain. The new contact person is Louise Gundrum, louise.gundrum@gmail.com. You can also cc Kathy at revkgc@aol.com with your concerns.

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Dates to Remember

Wed, May 16, 7 PM	Session meeting
Sun, May 20, 10AM	Pentecost Sunday
Tues, May 22, 7 PM	Deacons meeting
Fri June 1- Sat June 2	Women's Retreat at Friends Lake
Sun, June 3, 10 AM	Confirmation
Wed, June 6, 7 PM	Session meeting
Sun, June 10, noon	Capital Pride Parade, Albany
Wed Aug 8- Sun Aug 12	Woodberry Crossing

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Trinity's Mission 2018 Mission trip to *Woodberry Crossing* will be **August 8-12th**. Some of those planning to go this summer met this past week and began planning. If you cannot join us, but would like to support the work, there will soon be a list in the annex of items you can donate—non-perishable food items, paper products, and Home Depot gift cards to assist in purchasing supplies once we get down there. We also welcome home-baked goodies to take with us! And if you have a favorite prayer or grace you would like to share with us, there will be an envelope hanging in the annex to share those in.

If you have questions about meal related items to donate, see Megan Beauchamp, Mariellen Boomhower, or Jennifer Parsons. Questions about Home Depot or other project focused donations—see Steve Parsons. Any other questions? See Kathy G-C.

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Welcome

Welcome to worship with us today. If you are visiting, please complete the guest card in the front of your hymnal, place it in the offering plate or hand it to a pastor. Also, help yourself to a brochure and please sign our guest book. You are invited to join us for fellowship in the Annex after worship.

Children will begin the worship service with us and will leave for their Sunday School classes after the Word with the Children. Nursery care is provided for the youngest children during the entire service.

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