



November, 2016

Trinity News

Trinity Church of Spring Valley, California
News of Events on the Hill

Words from Pastor

As I think of this last press article there is so much I want to say to you. First, you have been my family for a long time and I love you all. Secondly, it may seem to many of you that there is a lot of change going on. And there is. But don't let that scare you or make you feel uncomfortable. Change is good for us and we are not going to shut the doors of our church. I believe God has not brought us this far just let us go. Keep on being the loving Church family you already are.

There is a lot that needs to happen, new staff chosen, a new pastor selected and the support of our ministries here on the hill. I know you will be supporting your session as they make decisions, some of them hard ones and others not so hard. The next 6 months are going to be critical for us to listen to the direction of the Lord. I know God will bring you just the right minister to lead and guide you in the years to come.

As for me I am not allowed to come to worship here for one year as we let the new minister get comfortable. I will support you by my prayers. Know I love you all. Jon's family and I will still live in the same house and we have about 3 and a half years until he finishes Seminary. Then who knows where they will be and I will seek the Lord's direction on where I will live. At some point, I will look for a part time job just to help cover our expenses as a family. I know our God will be looking out for us and you as well. Blessings to each of you.

In His Adventure,

Pastor Randy Yenter
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Let's Bless His Socks Off!



**Pastor Randy is
retiring so let's
give him a party
he won't
FORGET!**

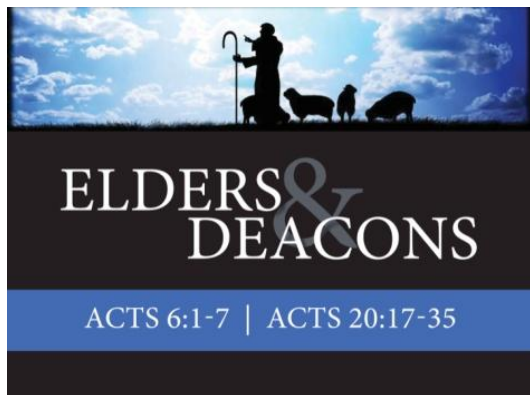
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**Dinner prepared by our own Chef
Don Axe**

Because of our status as a non-profit, we will not be able to collect monetary gifts for Pastor Randy. We will have a collection container available at the party for those who wish to bless in this way.

Also, be thinking of any fun or joyful memories you would like to share about our years with Pastor Randy. Laughter is such good medicine at a time like this.

Please RSVP by **Monday, November 7th** to the church office.



One Service at 10:00 a.m.
on Sunday, November 6th.

Congregational Meeting to follow at 11:15 a.m.
in Williams Hall to vote on Pastor Yenter's
Retirement, update our congregation on our
transfer process with Echo and to vote on
Elders & Deacons.

On Saturday, November 12th



JOY BYARS LAST RECITAL FOLLOWED BY HER GOING AWAY PARTY!

Please join us as we say goodbye to a very special
gal! Joy has been such an inspiration and we
would love to give her a loving send-off.

The recital is from 1:00-2:00 p.m. and the party
starts right after. You are welcome to come to the
recital (MikeDeBreau & Heather Riggs are doing
a duet)

No need to RSVP

Please contact Heather Riggs with questions
and/or gift ideas @

619.749.7049 or grapemomma@mac.com. If you
would like to contribute to the party, please feel
free to bring a snack to share.

Hope to see you there. God Bless!

Words from our Financial Administrator

“And God is able to provide you with every
blessing in abundance, so that you may always have
enough of everything, and may provide in
abundance for every good work.” 2 Corinthians 9:8

Greetings Trinity Family- God has given to the
good work of Trinity Church in wonderful ways this
year, the ability to cover our debts each month is
only a small part of His care for us. As we gather
together in November we can give Him glory and
thanks for what He has done so far this year, and
how He plans to provide in the year to come. Our
Stewardship and Pledge season for 2017 starts in
November.

*We ask that you return your Pledge card no matter
what your decision or ability.*

We are generous people, made in the image of a
generous God. Thank you for prayerfully
committing to continue the Mission of Trinity
Church.

	<u>August 2016</u> (Final)	<u>September 2016</u> as of 9/29/2016	<u>Year to Date</u>
Budgeted Income:	\$36,729.45	\$36,729.45	\$ 373,446.44
Actual Income:	\$33,860.41	\$26,858.81	\$ 355,556.13
Difference	-\$ 2,869.04	-\$ 9,870.64	-\$ 17,890.31
Current Expense:	\$30,830.71	\$19,874.57	\$ 322,868.21
Income – Expense:	\$ 3,029.70	\$ 6,984.24	\$ 32,687.92

Financial Administrator
Joyfully in Christ, Rebecca Casey
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Children's Ministries Director

As the weather cools off a bit, that feeling of the
holidays grows closer. Children have settled into
their school routines. Families look forward to our
Wednesday night, Simply Church dinners. Let's
bring the warmth in our hearts to the new faces and
families we see at simply church dinner and/or
especially on Sunday morning. Many times when a

family visits a church for the first time it is someone like you that makes them feel noticed and valued. And because you learned their names and invited them to come back again, they did! We have a very special, loving and caring church family. People need to know how much we care. I challenge you this next month to make new friends and invite them to participate in the activities that you enjoy at Trinity.

I would like to thank all the volunteers that have spent precious time giving to our Simply Church dinners and KIDZ C.L.U.B. activities; Bob Hensley and Don Axe who make our delicious dinners. Ardis Roland, Barbara Wells and Brie Barcenas who are teaching our Bible lessons, Jackie and Dave Van Dyne who have shared their creativity in doing crafts with the children. Sue Taylor, Peggy Watkins, Rebecca Casey, Bill Ross and Venita Barry who have all helped in the kitchen prepping food and cleaning up. Lori McMurry who has made beautiful table decorations each week for us. Sue Walters who has helped the kids with their homework after school. Thank you to all the parents who have offered to help as well. And many more have helped in numerous ways and I thank all of you for participating and being involved in this ministry.

Julie Ingraham
Children's Ministry Director
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Words from our Interim Missions/Outreach Director

I am so excited to be the Interim Missions/Outreach Director at Trinity Church! Between my continuing duties as Deacon Moderator and my new duties, I stay very busy.

By the time you receive this newsletter, we will have had our Trunk or Treat event. I want to thank all those who contributed candy and trunks for this fun-filled outreach.

Along with organizing Trunk or Treat, I have had the opportunity to redesign the bulletin. I am also updating and reworking on our website. Graphic design is my

vocation, so creating an overall look to our graphics is very exciting to me, and I believe it can be an important part of our outreach to the community.

The first Sunday of October, I joined the group that visits Brighton Place, a nursing home down the street. I was introduced to some of the staff and residents. We hope to continue our homeless outreach, as well. I would love any input as to how we can organize to put our hygiene packets together to bless the homeless people to whom we talk.

As many of you know, my heart is in missions, but I am opting to wait until 2018 to do a missions trip. I want to be able to give Olivia Wallace, who is planning on being a long-term missionary in Africa, as much support from us as possible. I also want to develop relationships with Praying Pelican and other agencies before we go out again.

I would also like your input regarding our annual Thanksgiving Dinner. I am not able to cook turkeys like Jon did. If enough people are willing to cook and help organize, we will continue this tradition.

Sometimes change is easy. In some situations change doesn't happen fast enough. Other times, change is more difficult, requiring us to be patient with God, others, and ourselves. Whatever the case, we are to remain in Jesus, joyful in all things with love and grace for one another, without fear. God doesn't want things to remain status quo in our lives. We don't grow in Him without change of some sort. With all the change happening in our church, I encourage you to remember the amazing gift of salvation through Jesus that God has given us. May this be our house built on a rock, that the storms of life (change) will not bring our house down.

Rebecca DeBrau
Interim Missions/Outreach Director
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Christ
The Way, the Truth,
and the Life.

JOHN 14:6

Words from our Principals

We are delighted to host our annual **Veteran's Day Chapel**. Please come and invite guests! It will be held in **Williams Hall on Friday, November 4th at 9:00 a.m.** School will be closed November 11th in honor of Veterans' Day! If you are a veteran, currently serving, have a family or friend who you would like to come or just appreciate honoring our country; please come to our annual Veteran's Day Chapel.

Operation Christmas Child's kick off will be held on October 28th at 9:00. We are joining with the church in this worldwide event to spread the good news about Jesus. Shoe boxes are filled with small items such as toiletries, colored pencils, pads of paper, coloring books, small stuffed animals, games, toys and crafts etc. They will be collected at chapel on November 18th at 11:15 in Williams Hall. Please feel free to join us for either of these events.

We would like to extend a special thank you to a dear friend who retired just in time to serve TCS as an awesome substitute teacher. Last year she volunteered as an Everyone a Reader tutor and helped in the kindergarten classroom each week. We love her and will miss her in so many ways. Thank you Andrea Fry...

Trinity Christian School Principals
Sharon Axe and Jimmie Drummond
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On Friday, November 4th at 6:00 p.m. Our Home Fellowship Group will be having a Pot-lock/Bar-B-Q and a time of prayer & worship with our brothers and sisters in Williams Hall. Anyone that would like to come and join us in prayer is welcome. If you have any questions, please contact Kirk Drummond at (619) 405-6692



**ALL TRINITY WOMAN ARE
PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN**

November 1st 9:30 a.m. Board Meeting
in Ward Center

November 6th Fall Festival

November 8th 9:30 a.m. 2nd Tuesday
Gathering
Bible Study & Business
Meeting

Program: **Barbara G. Hughes**
12:00 Luncheon by Circle 3,
All Trinity Ladies are
invited!

November 15th at 9:30 a.m. Crafts in
Ward Center
Circle 3 at Debbie Torres'
Home at 6:00 p.m.

November 22 at 9:30a.m. Circles 1
and 2 at Lois Moravec's
Home.



My sincerest thanks to all my Trinity Church and Trinity Christian School precious friends for blessing me with your presence and your kind words/cards/gifts/food at my recent going-away party.

Special thanks to my dear friends, Jimmie and Kirk Drummond, for organizing and hosting the event. And, to those of you who were unable to attend but called,

wrote, or spoke to me before or since, your words and love are a strong encouragement to me as I embark on my new adventure. I will definitely miss all of you, but I'm excited to see where God leads me! Please feel free to contact me or come visit!

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**NEXT PRESS
DEADLINE
IS
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH!**

Please send your articles to:
vasmin@trinitypres.org
Thank You!



EXOTIC PLANT SOCIETY

The exotic plant society will not meet in November or December we will resume in January 2017
Have a very merry Christmas and
Happy New Year!

Any questions, please contact
Julanna Loveberg. 466-2907



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Please remember to pick up your box(s) for the shoebox gifts. Information and boxes will be available in Williams Hall between Services. Please be sure to pick up a label, adhere it to the top of the box, and include a check inside each box (made out to Samaritan's Purse) to cover the cost of shipping (\$7.00/box). If you wish to make a monetary donation in lieu of packing a shoebox, please use the envelopes provided (on the table in Williams Hall) and drop them in the collection plate any time before November 13th.



Please bring your filled shoeboxes to the Church on November 13th and place them in Williams Hall.



**One Service Sunday,
November 20th**

**at 10:00 a.m. in the
Sanctuary**

**Pot-Luck Lunch from
11:30 – 12:30pm**

**Please bring a main dish
and a salad
or dessert to share**

Decorating 12:30 – 1:30pm

**Any questions, please
contact Mishon Wallace
or
Yasmin Hampton**



MOM's CHRISTMAS TOY DRIVE

Please remember to add new, unwrapped toys and children's gifts to your Christmas shopping list for the Military Outreach Ministries annual Christmas Toy Drive. There will be a box located at the back of Williams Hall on **Nov. 20 & Nov. 27** to receive your donations. The toys and gifts will be distributed to the local churches hosting the Toy Stores this year where the young military families can select Christmas gifts for their children.



Trinity Clippers

CLIPPER'S

Please join us on November 19th for our monthly program. Our speaker will be **Rudy Shappee**, who will be

looking back at the Pilgrims and their first Thanksgiving meal. Earlier this year, Rudy gave a highly-entertaining presentation on feeding the Navy; this should be equally engaging and informative.

We meet at 5:45 p.m. for a fantastic 6:00 p.m. Potluck Dinner. We will be providing home-cooked turkeys, for which a \$2 per person donation is requested.

GUESTS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.

Please contact Norma Mondeck or Julie Wolfe at 466-2367 for further information.

Bianca Dueño



Come see me in...


GODSPELL

November 11 @ 7pm
November 12 @ 2pm & 7pm
November 13 @ 3pm
November 18 @ 7pm
November 19 @ 2pm & 7pm
November 20 @ 3pm



For tickets please contact Yasmin Hampton
At: jazz_hampton@yahoo.com or (619) 517-7376

for I Know
the plans I have
FOR YOU declares the LORD



Plans to **PROSPER**
You & not to
harm you
Plans to
give you **HOPE**
AND A **FUTURE.**

-Jeremiah 29:11

With God
ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE

San Diego Festival Chorus and Orchestra Present

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with Outstanding San Diego Area Vocal Soloists

Christmas Oratorio
Camille Saint-Saëns

Te Deum
Mozart

'Twas the Night Before Christmas

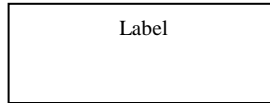
December 4th, 2016
3:00 pm
TICKETS

Adults \$17 • Seniors and Students \$15 • Children under twelve years \$5
Military with current ID FREE • All tickets at the door \$17
Ten or more advance sale tickets \$12 each
Advance sale from chorus members or buy tickets online
For more information call (619) 448-1926

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Please come an support
Heather Riggs, Pat Palmore
&
Sue Walters

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TRINITY'S MISSION

**The mission of Trinity Church is to introduce people of East County
To Jesus Christ and together experience the living presence of God.**

