

“Living with Change”

My family and I are going through some major changes during these months. We have put up for sale the house we have lived in for 34 years, the home where we raised all three of our daughters. We have selected a neighborhood and builder for our new home outside of Charlotte, North Carolina. I am busy working with Trinity’s leaders in preparation for the transition in pastor early next year.

Most all of us have experienced various major changes in our lives through the years: graduating from college, getting married, having children, getting a job, retiring, moving to another city. Some of us have experience other major changes: a divorce (for ourselves or for a family member), an accident or illness that changed our life forever, loss of a job, or the death of a family member.

Life is full of changes, sometimes major changes. People deal with major changes in their lives in a variety of ways. Some stand on the sidelines and simply watch the change “happen.” Others adopt the attitude of “eat, drink and be merry.” Still others become stressed out by the changes, experiencing fear, worry, and anger, along with physical and emotion problems.

Mission Statement of Trinity Lutheran Church

“The mission of Trinity is to preach and teach the Good News as it is commanded by God (Matthew 28:18) and to reach out with the hands and arms of love to all humanity to do the work Christ commanded us.”

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Another way to face change is by turning to God to help us navigate through the changes of life. One of my favorite Bible passages is Romans 8:28: “We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to His purposes.”

Here are some good formulas for dealing with change: turn to God’s Word for guidance and comfort as we meet changes; pray for God to be with us and lead us through the changes; rely on God to help us through the changes; and look for the blessings God gives us during and after the changes have been made. Psalm 121 ends with this promise: “The Lord will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life.” The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time on and forevermore.”

Please continue to keep my family and me, as well as Trinity’s leaders and members in your prayers as we move through this time of major change.

- Ron Wiese

“A Big Question”

On Sunday morning at the Pink Palace Craft Fair, Sherry the wool spinner asked, “Phil, why aren’t you at church?” Phil: “I’m sort of retired.” Sherry: “Well, why don’t we do church here? We’re in a tent, we could have a revival.” Phil: “I’m Lutheran; I need at least a piano, bulletins, and pews. Plus, I’m not good at ‘off the cuff’ preaching.”

The topic of religion came up several times during the day. Dee Moss, the duck carver, always brings up a religious issue. This time it was about “being saved.” Which, incidentally, was the same question the rich man brought to Jesus in our Gospel lesson Oct. 11: “What must I do to inherit eternal life?”

We would say the problem with the man’s question is there is nothing *we* can do to be saved. Check out Paul; “by grace you are saved; it is a gift.” Yet Jesus doesn’t address the topic in that way. He brings up the 10 commandments, especially the 2nd Table, the ones that deal with human relationships, which the fellow says he has kept. Next, Jesus says: “Cast aside all you have and follow me.” That was too much for the man, for, Mark says, he had many possessions.

So what does this mean for us? Most of us have many possessions and have not given all away to follow Jesus. My best answer is: Trust God, who desires that all be saved. He expects us to live a life that demonstrates our Christian priorities, which are outlined in that 2nd Table of human relationships. We need to be up front about our faith - like Dee - and at the same time, live a life that shows God’s love.

I may be pushing the point a bit, but I think the question of health care reform is about sharing our wealth with those in need. Reports indicate that 20 to 30% of the people are without adequate health care coverage. As rich as we are, can’t we do better? Some say politics and religion don’t mix, but I see the way Jesus treats others as the model for us, the faithful. The question this rich fellow brought to Jesus is still important to us today.

- Phil Schmidt

“St. Pam”

Pam and I were working on a divinity school project when we got to talking about our classmates and what everyone was planning to do after graduation. A couple were sure to become college professors; one had already been accepted as an organ fellow at King’s College. I said that I would be happy serving as a parish musician. When I asked Pam what she wanted to do, she quietly replied, “I want to be a saint.”

Pam was an outstanding student even by Yale standards. The possibilities for her future were unlimited. However, her focus was not on a career, but on her relationship to Christ. Those of us raised in Christian families sometimes take our faith for granted. Pam, who became a Christian in her 20’s, never took the truth of salvation lightly. Every day, she looked for ways to share Christ’s love with others. That’s a pretty good description of what a saint does - share Christ’s love.

Saints come in all shapes and sizes, and work at a variety of occupations. The children’s hymn “I Sing a Song of the Saints of God” (one of Pam’s favorites) says, “You can meet them in school, or in lanes, or at sea, in church, or in trains, or in shops, or at tea.” (Well, it’s a British hymn.)

If I asked you to name a saint, I bet you’d respond first with the Biblical saints - Matthew, John, Mary, Paul. Years ago at a youth gathering, each of us were given a button with the word “Saint” followed by a blank space to fill in our own name. Soon the room was filled with all kinds of saints: St. Gary, St. Jennifer, St. Bob. Add your name to that list.

Saints are simply forgiven people who let God’s love shine through, no matter what their day job might be. Pam’s favorite hymn ends, “For the saints of God are just folk like me, and I mean to be one, too!” As All Saints Day approaches (Nov. 1st), let’s give thanks for all the saints - past and present - who inspire us. And let’s ask God to bless us so that we, too, might be saints for others.

- Martha Israel

November Events

On Sunday, November 1st, we will celebrate ALL SAINTS DAY, giving thanks to God for the “great cloud of witnesses” who encourage and inspire us, and making special remembrance of those who have died in the past year.

Sunday, November 8th is “Consecration Sunday,” when Trinity’s members will have the opportunity in the worship service to bring their pledges of time, talent and treasure to Trinity’s altar. A free luncheon will follow, catered by Terry Turner. (Please make your reservation for dinner by Nov. 5th by calling 525-1056.) Trinity’s ANNUAL VOTERS MEETING will follow. Plan to attend this important meeting, where we will elect church officers and establish the budget for the year 2010.

On Sunday, November 22nd we will celebrate the end of the church year with CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY. Join us for this triumphant celebration of our victorious Lord and Savior.

On Wednesday, November 25th, join us for a THANKSGIVING EVE COMMUNION SERVICE at 7:00 p.m. This celebration will include a Thanksgiving message and celebration of the Lord’s Supper. The Thanksgiving Offering (canned goods and money) will be a love offering from Trinity to the Downtown Food Pantry. All are invited!

Our preparation for Christ’s coming begins with the First Sunday in Advent, November 29th. Mid-week services and suppers will be held Wednesdays, Dec. 2, 9, and 16.

Trinity Fish Fry & Silent Auction

Trinity's 20th Annual Fish Fry will be held Saturday, November 14th from 5 to 7 p.m. The menu features:

Fried Catfish
French Fries
Hush Puppies
Onion Rings
Herb Corn on the Cob
Cole Slaw
Pickles
Dessert
Beverage

Suggested donation for this All-You-Can-Eat meal is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under age 13. We start cooking early and continue throughout the evening, so hot food will be available no matter when you arrive. You can park for free in the Central Parking street lot, across from Trinity.

Trinity's Silent Auction will be held in conjunction with the Fish Fry. If you have any auction items or services to donate, please phone Gary Schwanke (274-7229) or John Konnerth (266-4704).

So that we can get a general idea of how many to prepare for, please sign the sheet on the Fellowship Hall bulletin board or call the church office and ask Martha to put your name on the list. (However, if you didn't sign up and find out at the last minute you can come, please come ahead.)

Last year over \$3,500 was raised by the Fish Fry, Auction and a matching grant from Thrivent Financial for Lutherans. All proceeds go to Trinity's Building Fund, for fellowship hall and kitchen renovation. Please join us!

Church Council News

The Church Council met Oct. 11. Dave Love reported that the General Fund deficit is \$8,000. Dale Anderson said that the Board of Education needs substitute Sunday School teachers. Kathy Zoeller said things are ready for the DCA Church Tour next Sunday, with several additional churches and the Woodruff Fontaine house also participating this year.

In OLD BUSINESS, Two renovation projects have been completed, and funding is needed for the rest. Two cemetery lots have been sold.

In NEW BUSINESS, members David & Carol Verba, Maggie Harris, and Junaita Winger were released by transfer to other Lutheran churches. George Blank, Jeff & Adrienne Fry, Roxanne James, Walter Murphy and Family, and Scott Sanders were released at their request. The proposed 2010 Budget presented by the Board of Finance and the Elders was modified to include a salary increase for Martha Israel, and then approved. The midweek Advent suppers will be hosted by the Boards of Youth and Education (Dec. 2), the Boards of Finance and Evangelism (Dec. 9), and the Elders and Board of Hospitality (Dec. 16). The Voters Meeting is scheduled for Nov. 8th. The next Council Meeting is Nov. 1st.

The meeting was adjourned and closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
Caroline Sheely, Secretary

Voters Meeting — November 8th

Trinity's monthly Church Luncheon and ANNUAL VOTERS MEETING will be held on Sunday, Nov. 16th. The church luncheon will be catered by Terry Turner. The Annual Voter's Meeting will include election of new officers (see page 8) and setting of the 2010 General Fund budget. All members of Trinity are urged to attend this most important meeting.

Education News

Sunday Morning Adult Classes

Please join us for one of these classes at 9:15 a.m. Sundays:

The Fellowship Hall Class is continuing a study of “The Augsburg Confession.” This class is led by Pastor Wiese.

The Library Class, led by Tim Tenner, is continuing a video assisted study of “Jesus, Legend or Lord?”

Weekday Home Bible Studies

You are invited to join one or more of these inspiring home Bible studies that meet at various locations at different times during the week:

- * Tuesday Morning Covenant Seekers Bible Study, led by June Wiese at her home, continues their Bethel study on Nov. 3rd and 17th, at 10:30 a.m.
- * Tuesday Evening Bethel Class continues at the home of the Wieses on Nov. 3rd and 17th at 7 p.m.
- * Tuesday Evening Study led by Pastor Wiese, 7 p.m. at their home on Nov. 10th, will make plans for their next study.
- * Tuesday Evening Study at the Love’s home, 7 p.m. Nov. 10th & 24th, is prepping for the Bethel class.
- * Wednesday Evening Study led by David Chester at Tom and Eileen Sander’s home at 7 p.m., Nov. 11th, begins a study of “Haggai, Zechariah and Malachi.”
- * Downtown Study at the home of Dr. Ron and Brenda Pfeiffer, meeting dates to be determined, continuing a study of “Hebrews.”

Nominations Report

A heart-felt “Thank You!” goes to the officers retiring from office at the end of this year. They include: Doug Campbell (Chairman), Dot Love (Fin. Sec.), Mike Grant (Elder), Kevin Baskette (Chairman, Bd. of Finance), and Barbara Spahn (Chairman, Bd. of Hospitality). This year’s Nomination Committee of Jim Hofer, Kevin Baskette, and Eileen Sander offer the following nominees for church offices, to be voted on at the November 8th Voters Meeting:

Chairman: Gary Schwanke

Vice Chairman: Cynthia Stovall

Secretary: Gloria Klauser

Treasurer: Caroline Sheely

Financial Secretary: Mary Henderson

Elder (3-year term): Tom Sander, Jim Eble

Bd. of Education: Dale Anderson

Bd. of Trustees: Tim Tenner

Bd. of Finance: Bill Otte

Bd. of Evangelism: John Konnerth

Bd. of Social Ministry: Dori McCurdy

Bd. of Hospitality: Kathy Zoeller

Bd. of Youth: Rosie Turner

2010 Pledge Forms

Attention, Trinity members: Please fill out your 2010 Pledge Forms, and bring them to church Sunday, November 8th. If you need pledge or ministry forms, you may pick them up in the Narthex, or call the church office and we will send them to you. Let us know where you want to be involved in ministry at Trinity in the coming year.

“Give it All You’ve Got!”

Whenever I think of the word “Church,” I think of all my friends here. I think of the great feeling of release of problems. I know that my problems can be laid at the feet of our Savior, and go home and know that they will be handled. It doesn’t always happen the way I want it to, but I try to let it go.

I think of my church as a way of life. With that, I recount all the blessings I have received through my faith and the love received from all my friends at my church. Because of that love, I feel it is imperative that I share my joy with others. Sharing encompasses many things, but the most important are the three “T’s” - Time, Treasure, and Talent. It would be selfish to receive all the blessings and not turn it around.

This stewardship program is about sharing, “Give it all you’ve got!” I believe that is what life is all about.

- Dot Love, Board of Finance

Shirley Witte Music Scholarship Fund

Some years ago Trinity established a Music Scholarship Fund in memory of long-time organist Shirley Witte. This fund assists young people by providing partial payment for music lessons. In return, the student is asked to play for worship from time to time. To apply for this fund, please contact the church office for an application form. Nearly \$1,000.00 from this fund was given this fall to several Trinity youngsters. Donations to the Music Scholarship Fund are always welcome; please keep this fund in mind when making a special gift in honor or memory of a loved one.

“Thank You”

Dear Trinity Family, Thank you for your prayers, love and support during Mother’s illness. At this most difficult time, we deeply appreciate your calls, cards and expressions of sympathy to our family.

- Gary, Diane, Cody and Family

Gifts & Memorials

In memory of VERA MARTIN, a gift was given to Trinity by Mrs. Dorothy B. Turner.

In memory of DR. WILLIAM PHILLIPS, a gift was given to the Martens Scholarship Fund by Mrs. Dorothy Martens.

In memory of EDITH ENGLER, a gift was given to Trinity by Mr. & Mrs. L.V. Schmidt.

In memory of IONE PULLIAM, a gift was given to Trinity Ministry by Mr. Ray Pulliam.

In memory of LORI MODGLIN BISHOP, a gift was given to Trinity by Mr. & Mrs. L.V. Schmidt.

In memory of NINA REILLY, a gift was given to Trinity by the firm of Reynolds, Bone & Griesbeck.

In memory of MARIE SPANIOL, a gift was given to the Branden Spaniol Scholarship Fund by J. Allen Scoggin.

Gifts made through October 18 are listed here.

Change of Address

Nancy Bass, P.O. Box 271306, 38167-1306 (*mailing address*)

Tonja Beverly, 811 Parkrose Road, 38109

Michael Chap, 3003 Benjestown Road, 38127

Janie Lappi, 8681 Overcup Oaks Dr., Cordova, TN 38018

756-6674

Roy Martin, 12234 Oakland Hills, Knoxville, TN 37934

865 604-6660

Mary Walls, 2112 Hembury Place, Sun City Center, FL 33573

Oct. Church and Sunday School Attendance

	<u>CHURCH</u>	<u>AVG.</u>	<u>S.S.</u>	<u>AVG.</u>
2008	616 (5)	124	272 (5)	55
2009	495(5)	100	228 (5)	46

Communion Attendance

	<u>MEMBERS</u>	<u>GUESTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
10/5/08	72	7	79
10/12/08	92	15	107
10/19/08	104	8	112
10/26/08	78	10	88
Private 10/07	9	3	12
	355	43	398
10/4/09	82	6	88
10/18/09	85	8	93
10/25/09	78	5	83
Private 10/07	8	4	12
	253	23	276

Official Acts

FUNERAL

Vera Martin, died September 15, received Christian burial September 18, 2009.

MEMBERS RECEIVED, October 18, 2009

Michael Chap and Janie Lappi, received by Profession of Faith.

MEMBERS RELEASED, Oct. 11, 2009

Maggie Harris, transfer to Community Lutheran, Rochester, NY

David & Carole Verba, transfer to Messiah, Charlotte, NC

Juanita Wininger, transfer to Concordia, Jackson, TN

George Blank, Jeff & Adrienne Fry, Roxanne James, Walter Murphy & Family, Scott Sanders, released by request.

Von Bora

The Von Bora ladies met in October to tend to the Altar and Sanctuary, and help with a mailing. All ladies are invited to join us for our next workshop and luncheon on Tuesday, November 10th. Come at 11 a.m. and bring a dish to share with the Young-at-Heart potluck at noon.

Naomi Circle

The Naomi Circle met at church to enjoy a potluck dinner and program led by Diane Reimold. Via a talk and a video, she shared with us the exciting and inspiring experience of the National LWML Convention in Portland, Oregon. One of the projects funded by our mites is the seminary food bank, where families of seminary students can get food and products to help defray their living expenses.

We are making hymnal angels, which will be for sale at the Fish Fry and at the German Christmas service. These recycled old hymnals make pretty Christmas decorations.

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, November 4th, at 7:00 p.m. at the church. All Trinity women are welcome!

- Jean Schmidt, Reporter

Young-at-Heart

The Young-at-Heart and Von Bora enjoyed a free meal at the Hope and Healing Center in October. All seniors and retirees are invited to join us Tuesday, November 10th at Trinity for our pre-Thanksgiving get-together. Bring a dish to share, and come prepared for great fellowship.

Daylight Saving Time Ends

Daylight Saving Time ends early on Sunday, November 1. Be sure to set your clocks *back* one hour before going to bed Saturday night.

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Gratitude through Servi-tude!

So you completed another assignment without the help your peers had promised. You missed a night out with friends because once again you took the blame for incomplete chores when you know you had already done your part. Time and again you look for someone to be grateful for your hard work, your service – is *anyone* going to say “Thanks”? Always remember, your Heavenly Father has given you a daily “thank you,” namely your unique gifts and talents, which God has called you to use in service to others! Use this Thanksgiving time to be grateful for service – your service through Christ for all; and continue to serve without desire for thanks, for, as Christians, we know that Christ’s life, death and resurrection is our eternal “thanks!”

Here it is, Guys! FALL BALL @ The Oldhams! Join us for a night in the woods with Friends, Food and Fun on Saturday, November 7th.

Admission Cost:

Bring 5 cans of food to donate to the Downtown Food Bank. Arrive at Trinity by 5:00 p.m. to caravan to the Oldham Farm. We will return by 10:30 p.m. Remember to dress warm, as all activities will be outside! See you there!

Serving Christ with you. . .
Rosie

Dates of Special Significance

Birthdays in November

- 1 - Michelle Freeman
- 3 - Jordan Pulliam
- 4 - Nancy Anderson
- 5 - Sarah White
- 6 - Aaron Chakraborty, Debra Hart-Curtis,
Diane Schwanke
- 7 - Paul Ringger
- 9 - Pete Martens, Blake Rehberg
- 10 - Anthia Inman, Roy Martin
- 11 - Cliff Acred
- 12 - Benjamin Gentry, Serra Laughlin
- 14 - Brenda Pfeiffer
- 16 - Sandra Hodge
- 18 - Kathleen Hill, Carley Johnston,
Georgie Pulliam, Walter Ringger, Jr.
- 19 - Torie Freeman
- 20 - Brett Rehberg
- 24 - Lee Monger
- 27 - Marsha Boles, Jim Hodges, Julie Schmidt
- 29 - Detlef Boles, Robin Stafford
- 30 - Betsy Hume

Wedding Anniversaries in November

- 1 - Dudley & Debra Kinsley (4)
- 2 - Eric & Kendra Cox (13)
- 4 - Charles & Lisa Little (20)
- 12 - L.V. & Marie Schmidt (54)
- 23 - Gary & Diane Schwanke (41)
- 26 - Greg & Angie Scharfetter (27)
- 27 - David & Dena Chester (38)
- 27 - Bill & Sherrie Otte (10)

News of Members and Friends

In Anticipation

Kevin & Ashley Baskette are expecting a sister for Charlotte, and Pam and J.J. Anderson are awaiting the birth of their first child even as this goes to print. Please keep the Baskettes and the Andersons in your prayers....

May God Comfort the Bereaved

including the family of Idell James (mother of Diane Schwanke) who died October 15; the family of Darla Swalwell (Mike Grant's sister), killed in a car accident in Iowa Oct. 16....

Remember in Prayer Ill & Homebound Members and Friends:

Pam Anderson, Barbara Cross, Beulah Montgomery, Rev. Elwood Bush, Cam McDonald, Rose Klimek, Kimiko Schreiber; Dale & Nancy Anderson, Jeffrey Dennis, Gertie Eddleman, Roy Martin, Hank Mowry, Doug Oldham, Rita Purdy, Doug Reed, Molly Wilkens-Reed, Marie Schmidt, Louise Alspaugh, Audrey Alspaugh, Lovell Barger, Gene Breimon, Susan Coffman, Harriet Davis, Rosemarie Davis, Adele Harrison, Mary Jo Ibrahim, Terry Karnes, Shirley Laster, Kimberly Lee, Kathy Liebman, Carla Mathena, Paul Norman, Kathy Stracener, Carrie Szumila, Joyce Thuftedal, Donald Thuftedal, Barbara Westberg, Betty White.... Florence Carter, E. W. Helms, Herta Kumitz, Marjhorie Parham, Dannie Lee, Ray Pulliam, Walter Ringger, Nettie Snapp, Irene White....

Trinity's THANKSGIVING OFFERING will be dedicated to the Downtown Food Pantry. In addition to our monetary offerings, we invite everyone to bring CANNED GOODS to help stock the Pantry's shelves. Peanut butter, vegetables, canned fruit, macaroni & cheese, rice are some of the most needed items. A list of suggestions is available in

the fellowship hall.

Call Committee Update

We're all anxious to identify an intentional Interim Pastor, and had hoped to choose someone at the November Voter's meeting. However, that would not be fair to the interim pastor, nor benefit our congregation. Part of the challenge of this process is that interims are not always sure when they will be available. The four months until Pastor Wiese's retirement is a long time in the world of an intentional interim pastor.

President Lampe anticipates having a list of names of qualified pastors to submit to Trinity's Call Committee by Oct. 30th. He has already confirmed a couple of names and has been in contact with some other pastors about their availability. When he has definite answers, he will share that with us.

Once the Call Committee has the list, we will need about a month to process the list and present a recommendation to the Board of Elders, Church Council, and, ultimately the Voters, most likely in a January Voters meeting.

- David Chester

German Service Choir Rehearsals

Rehearsals for a combined choir for the German Christmas Service will be held Sundays Nov. 22 and 29, beginning at 2:00 p.m. in Trinity's fellowship hall. All singers are invited. For more information, contact Jean Schmidt (274-1340) or Martha Israel (525-1056 or 327-7882).

31st Annual German Christmas Service

Trinity's 31st annual German Christmas Service will be held Sunday, Dec. 6 at 4 p.m. The service will be in German, with a written English translation available. Traditional Advent and Christmas hymns will be sung in German by the whole congregation. Members of a combined choir, under the direction of Jean Schmidt, will sing. A reception follows the service. Mark the date on your calendar and invite others to come with you for this special event!

Area Church News

“FISHERS FOR CHRIST,” the Mid-South District Fall Ministry Conference, will be held Saturday, Nov. 7, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church. Everyone is invited to come explore ways to connect with our community. Cost is \$10 per person. Register online at www.midsouthlcms.com.

The MEMPHIS YOUTH SYMPHONY, the premier youth orchestra of the Mid-South, opens its 43rd season with an exciting program featuring music of Berlioz, Mussorgsky, and Grainger Sunday, Nov. 8, 3:00 p.m. at the Overton High School Auditorium (1770 Lanier). For ticket information, call 901 327-5078. Come hear this fine orchestra under the direction of Trinity’s own Dr. Douglas Morrison.

Calvary Episcopal Church is offering FREE CONCERTS at noon Wednesday’s this fall. Come hear Planet Reel Nov. 4; Memphis Jazz Band Nov. 11; The Kelley Hurt Quartet Nov. 18; and the Rhodes Singers Dec. 2. Lunch is offered afterwards for \$7.

St. Paul Lutheran Church, 810 Broadway in West Memphis will hold their ANNUAL CHILI SUPPER on Friday, November 6, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. The suggested donation is \$6 per person. Everyone is cordially invited!

The RACE FOR GRACE 5K Run/Walk will be held Saturday, Nov. 7 beginning at 9 a.m. at Shady Grove Presbyterian Church. For information or to register call Rose Klimek at 386-7735 or call 272-7170 or visit: www.raceforgrace.racesonline.com.

The Downtown Churches Association will host an ecumenical Thanksgiving Service at 6:30 p.m. November 25 at 1st Presbyterian Church (166 Poplar). The guest speaker is Rev. Ken Carr, former pastor of First Baptist Church. Everyone is invited!

November, 2009

NOV. 1	ALL SAINTS DAY	
	Sunday School - 9:15 a.m., Holy Communion	10:30 a.m.
	Church Council meeting	11:45 a.m.
NOV. 4	Naomi Circle meeting	7:00 p.m.
NOV. 7	“Fishers for Christ” Conference, at Immanuel	9:00 a.m.
	“Race for Grace”, at Shady Grove Presbyterian	9:00 a.m.
	Youth “FALL BALL”, at Oldham’s	5:00 p.m.
NOV. 8	23 rd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, “Consecration Sunday”	
	Sunday School - 9:15 a.m., Worship -	10:30 a.m.
	Church Luncheon & Annual Voters Meeting	11:30 a.m.
	Memphis Youth Symphony, at Overton High	3:00 p.m.
NOV. 10	Von Bora Circle Workshop -	11:00 a.m.
	Young-at-Heart / Von Bora Luncheon	12:00 noon
NOV. 14	Fish Fry & Silent Auction	5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
NOV. 15	24 TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST	
	Sunday School - 9:15 a.m., Holy Communion	10:30 a.m.
NOV. 22	CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY	
	Sunday School - 9:15 a.m., Holy Communion	10:30 a.m.
	German Service Choir Rehearsal	2:00 p.m.
NOV. 25	DCA Thanksgiving Service, at 1 st Presbyterian	6:30 p.m.
	THANKSGIVING EVE COMMUNION, at Trinity	7:00 p.m.
NOV. 26	<i>Happy Thanksgiving!</i> (Church Office Closed Thurs. & Friday)	
NOV. 29	1 ST SUNDAY IN ADVENT	
	Sunday School - 9:15 a.m., Holy Communion	10:30 a.m.
	German Service Choir Rehearsal	2:00 p.m.

(Please see page 7 for a complete listing of Home Bible Studies meeting this month.)

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