

Trinity Newsletter

August 2022



I have been with you all in some way, through all of the transitions and transitions yet to come, for about 1 year. While I know I will still get to know many of you better, I thought this may be a fun idea for this newsletter! So, here are 15 questions to get to know me better.

1. What is your birthday? *I was blessed to see 21 days the 80's.*
2. What is your favorite animal? This is a hard one, I love all animals soooo much, but nothing beats the companionship of man's best friend.
3. If you could travel anywhere in the world, where would you go? *I would love to see the whole world but if I could only go one place to explore, I think I would choose, Italy.*
4. What was your favorite school subject? *Lunch and recess of course! In school I was fonder of literature but now I have more interest in math and science.*
5. Do you have a small or big family? *Well, I am an only child but I have 3 children of my own. I would say that my family circle is fairly small.*
6. What genres of music do you like best? *In the secular world, I have always liked early 2000's or earlier rock n' roll but I also really appreciate early hip hop for its lyrical artistry.*
7. How do you spend your free time? *I appreciate silence so I try to find some time where I can just be still or even finding a place around nature to hear the peace of the world.*
8. Are you a morning or a night person? *I used to be a night person and that is often the case, but really, when it's time to go, I'm ready.*
9. What is your favorite food or meal? *Honestly, nothing beats either a good burger, pizza or taco depending on my mood. Keep it simple.*
10. What is your favorite color? *Red for redemption.*
11. What is your favorite memory as a kid? *Going to my grandpa's farm to help and be rewarded by grandmas cooking.*
12. Do you speak more than 1 language? *No, but Brooklyn and I have rosette stone and will learn Spanish together this year.*
13. What is your favorite holiday? *For traditional Christian celebrations it is certainly Easter. However, I do really appreciate Día De Los Muertos.*
14. What is a skill that you would like to learn? *I would rather enhance upon the skill I have already ventured into than learn new ones at this point. Otherwise, the list is endless.*
15. What do you value most in a friend? *Honesty.*

In Christ,
Nico Kinner

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1 6-7pm @ E	2	3 4 Church PPRC meeting @ 7pm at Trinity	4 Trustee meeting 6:30pm	5	6
7 Service 9:00am Guest Speaker Vince Cantu	8 6-7pm @ T	9	10 UMW meeting 1:30pm	11 Finance meeting 6:00pm Council meeting 6:30pm	12	13
14 Service 9:00am with Communion Pastor Nico	15 6-7pm @ P	16	17	18	19	20
21 Service 9:00am Guest Speaker Tanya Brunner	22 6-7pm @ S	23	24	25	26	27
28 Service 9:00am Pastor Nico	29 6-7pm @ E	30	31	1	2	3

T=Trinity

S=Stryker

P=Pulaski

E=Evansport

FINANCIALS

Income	Giving	\$6,167.20
June 2022	Miscellaneous Income	\$1,604.99
	Total Income	\$7,772.19

Expenses	Connect, Grow, Serve, Apportionments, Office, Payroll, Miscellaneous Expenses	\$4,002.21
June 2022	Electric	\$240.99
	Gas	\$712.00
	Phone and Internet	\$169.30
	Water	\$82.21
	Other Building Expenses	\$1,908.98
	Partnership Expenses	
	Total Expenses	\$7,115.69

Beginning Balance June 2022	\$23,131.19
Income	\$7,772.19
Expenses	\$7,115.69
Ending Balance June 2022	\$23,787.69

Attendance	At Trinity	Facebook Live	Facebook Views
June 5	39	8	83
June 12	48	5	80
June 19	40	5	56
June 26	38	3	20

If you have any questions regarding the finances of the church, you may contact any of the Finance Committee members:

Chris Spangler 419-769-4520	Deb Bowers	419-782-3394
Bill Duffey 419-395-2140	Kathy Koch	419-782-4458



Here is a look ahead to what events that we are having or currently in the discussion of having for this year. Remember, if you would like to volunteer in helping with any events that we do, please notify the office.

September 14	First night of J.A.M., Youth and Bible Study
October 27	Trunk or Treat
December 4	Trinity Family Christmas Dinner
December 21	Christmas Carry-in for J.A.M.
December 24	Christmas Eve Candlelight Service
December 25	Christmas Day Dinner

More information will come for each event as it gets closer.

Hygiene Kits

When people are forced to abruptly leave their homes because of emergencies, they may not have time to pack the things they use on a daily basis like toothbrushes or soap. But after a few days without these items, they definitely miss them. Your hygiene kits offer a refreshing daily boost for someone when supplies are hard to come by.

All items must fit inside a 1 gallon Ziploc type bag. Remove the excess air from the bag and seal. Only put in the items exactly as listed into each bag.

- ▶ One hand towel measuring approximately 15" x 28" to 16" x 32".
(No fingertip, bath, dish, or micro-fiber towels)
- ▶ One washcloth
- ▶ One fingernail or toenail clipper
(Either one is acceptable. Remove from packaging)
- ▶ One bath size bar of soap in the original package.
- ▶ One toothbrush in the original package.

All bags must be turned in by September 11, 2022. Thank you for your support in our missions.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

I want to thank everyone for the many donations we received that helped make our VBS special this year! Thank you for the food, craft supplies and also for the anonymous monetary donations. With the donations from the congregation, the children managed to raise enough money to purchase four goats through Heifer International, as well as a flock of chicks!

Also, a huge thank you goes out to all of our volunteers; Sandy and Dave Kessler, Melissa Beilke, Gerry Schlachter, Bill and Penny Duffey, Jody Schroeder, Bob and Joyce Heil, Sue Brown, Leona May, Kathy Koch, Jody Schlachter, Margarita Cereceres, Cindy Bielke, Deb Bowers, Denny Siebeneck, Jonah Kessler and Matthew Brink.

They all did a wonderful job and they are the reason the kids will remember our VBS!



United
Women
in Faith

UMW will resume our monthly meeting on August 10th at 1:30pm. Refreshments will be furnished by Penny Duffey. We will be planning for Festival of Sharing hygiene kits. There is more information on the hygiene kits in this newsletter. We will also be doing Christmas for Kids shoe box collection again this year in October. Remember if you are planning on doing a shoe box and are wanting to put summer items or school supplies in, now is the time to get those items. All women are welcome to attend our meetings.

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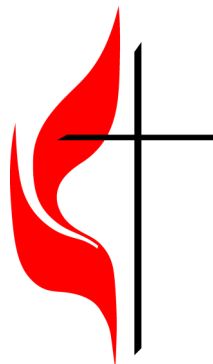
office hours

Staff Office Hours

Pastor Nico Kinner
By Appointment
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Lori Olds, Secretary
Monday-Thursday 8:00am-1:00pm

Lisa Schimizzi, Children's Ministry
Tuesdays & Thursdays 8:30am-12:30pm



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Sunday Service: 9:00am

If you are unable to make it to service on Sunday morning, you can join us live on Sundays, or view service at a later time, go to [Facebook.com/defiancetrinity](https://www.facebook.com/defiancetrinity)