

TRINITY TALK

March 2023

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Food insecurity continues to be a severe challenge for many of Friendly Center's client families.

Responding again to Orange's premier family resource center's need for non-perishable food supplies, your Outreach team will hold a FEED THE NEED food drive March 19th.

You may bring your contributions to church on Sunday, March 19th and on Sunday, March 27th. The Outreach bins will be in church for the 8:00a.m. service. There will be an Outreach member in the parish hall after the 10:00a.m. (PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR ITEMS ARE FAMILY SIZE, NOT GIANT SIZE).

Suggested Food Items are:

Rice and dried beans

Pastas and sauces

Canned fruits and vegetables

Shelf-stable milk

Cereals and oatmeal

Stuffing and dried potatoes

Peanut butter and jelly

Canned tuna and meats

Outreach will deliver Trinity's FEED THE NEED contributions to Friendly Center on Tuesday

LENTEN MEDITATION BOOKLETS



The 2023 ERD meditations are available online to <u>download</u>. Supporters are also invited to <u>sign up</u> to receive the daily meditations in English and Spanish by email. Like year, the meditations are only available online, not as printed booklets.

From Your Senior Warden:

What a fabulous celebration for our Jeannie!!!! Again, "Thank you" to everyone who helped to make it all happen. And now she is off on her next journey. I know she feels our prayers and support wherever she goes, and I know we will have a chance to hear from her again. We will just have to wait awhile.

And now, our next journey begins as well. Our vestry met last Tuesday evening. The meeting opened with a helpful Q&A with the diocesan liaison for transitional ministry. He has been with us from the very beginning and I know it was helpful for our new members to get the chance to hear his wise words and talk with him. Our first step on this part of the journey will be to meet together and identify the group from our congregation who will undertake the important task of putting together our profile. This will be a document that best describes who we are as a parish, where our strengths and talents lie, and the attributes we feel are the most beneficial in our search for our next rector. There will be a chance for everyone's input in the form of questionnaires surveys and lots of shared communication. This cannot be a rushed project. It will take as long as is needed to best describe who we are as the body of Christ in this community. We ask the Holy Spirit for guidance and patience

In the meantime, we will continue what we do best: meet together as God's family each week, look out for each other, celebrate with song and prayers, and do God's business in this world. WE ARE VERY GOOD AT THAT! Two supply clergy have offered their services. Fr. Peter Wright and Rev. Valerie Hart will trade off Sunday services with each other through Easter. I am currently putting together a list of local clergy who can be called in cases of pastoral emergencies. There is already discussion on putting together a phone tree (like we had during Covid) that will reach out to all the members of our congregation, to help keep everyone in the "fold". We are "Trinity Strong"

God is good - Faith is strong - All shall be well

Lindsay Whipple









03/06	Dean and Toni Gavello
03/26	James and Katie Wood
03/30	Jack and Nell Luce
03/31	Tim and Janette Mattson



03/01	Ty Richter	03/15	Megan Richter
03/02	Uzo Elendu	03/17	Heather Anderson
03/03	Jenny Oberschlake	03/18	David Ripley
03/04	Miranda Hubbard	03/20	Connie Donaldson
03/05	Laurie McKinnell		Pat Kress
	Darwin Kibby		Pat Fauteux
03/06	Denis Bilodeau		Kimmie Powers
03/09	Allen Stephens	03/30	Mike Long
03/14	Arlyce Underwood	03/31	Paula Fisher



The Book Club will be meeting on **Saturday March 12th**. This month's featured book is <u>And Now Miquel</u> by Joseph Krumgold and Jean Charlot . The club meets in the Parish Library from 9:30am - 11:00am. Come join everyone for a truly enjoyable morning, and some lively literary discussions. A synopsis follows:

He wanted to be treated like a man, not a child.

Every summer the men of the Chavez family go on a long and difficult sheep drive to the mountains. All the men, that is, except for Miguel. All year long, twelve-year-old Miguel tries to prove that he, too, is up to the challenge, that he, too is ready to take the sheep into his beloved Sangre de Cristo Mountains.

When his deeds go unnoticed, he prays to San Ysidro, the saint for farmers everywhere. And his prayer is answered . . . but with devastating consequences.

When you act like and adult but get treated like a child, what else can you do but keep your wishes secret and pray that they'll come true.

This is the story of a twelve-year-old Miguel Chavez, who yearns in his heart to go with the men of his family on a long and hard sheep drive to the Sangre de Cristo Mountains--until his prayer is finally answered, with a disturbing and dangerous exchange.

WORSHIP AND GIVING SUNDAY ATTENDANCE

02/05	\$ 4,698	123 in-person, 14 on zoom		
02/12 \$ 9,155		105 in-person, 8 on zoom		
02/19	\$ 4,590	137 in-person, 18 on zoom		
02/26	\$ 6,611	80 in-person, 9 on zoom		

PARISH DINE OUT



Since 1991, Tutto Fresco has been creating quality Italian cuisine, made with care. The menu is inspired by authentic Italian recipes with a passion for flavor, a flair for creativity and a respect for tradition. Enjoy pizza, pastas, calzones, and all your favorite Italian dishes while helping Outreach make their 2023 goal.

You can partake in these delights all day from 11am to 9pm

Tutto Fresco is located on the north east corner of Katella and Glassell in Orange.

20% of all proceeds go to our Outreach Committee.

SPRING AHEAD

It's that time of year again! Yes, the dreaded "spring forward." While we love the longer days, we are not so crazy about the loss of an hour of sleep! Don't forget to turn your clocks ahead before going to bed on **Saturday March 11th.**



Youth Group News!

Youth Group will continue to meet on Sunday afternoons from 4 to 5:30. All middle school and high school aged children are welcome to join in the fun! Just a heads up however, there will be no Youth Group on Sunday, March 12th due to The Oscars. If you have any questions, please contact Youth Director Alex at alexander.long96@gmail.com.

As always, we thank each and every one of you who have donated and helped support the youth program with money, food, and of course your commitment of time. As we go into this new phase at Trinity, it is of the utmost importance that our young people have the opportunity to meet and grow together in a faith based environment outside of just conventional church services. We also encourage you to invite friends and family to come to Youth Group as we are always welcoming of new attendants!

Alex























