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## HALLOWEEN FUN @ TRINITY



Friday the 18th was a day full of scary good times at Trinity Altoona :)

Pictured above, counterclockwise from top:

- A combination birthday/Halloween party with the Healthy You group, special thanks to Sandy Hofmann and Norma Stenger for setting it up
- Pastor Eli strikes a bewitching pose
- A big crowd outside the church, waiting to enter the Triniteen's "Haunted House" in Trinity Hall
- Keeper of The Door Tom Gutshall. Enter if you dare!

Over 150 brave souls explored the "Haunted House," raising money for the youth group and helping stock the Caring Cupboard. Kudos to everyone who made the event such a spooky success!

(Photos courtesy Linda Hoover and Sharon Kutz)

### **KEEP THEIR MEMORY ALIVE!**

Trinity Altoona is now offering **Memorial Markers**, a thoughtful way to remember and honor our departed Trinity family and friends.



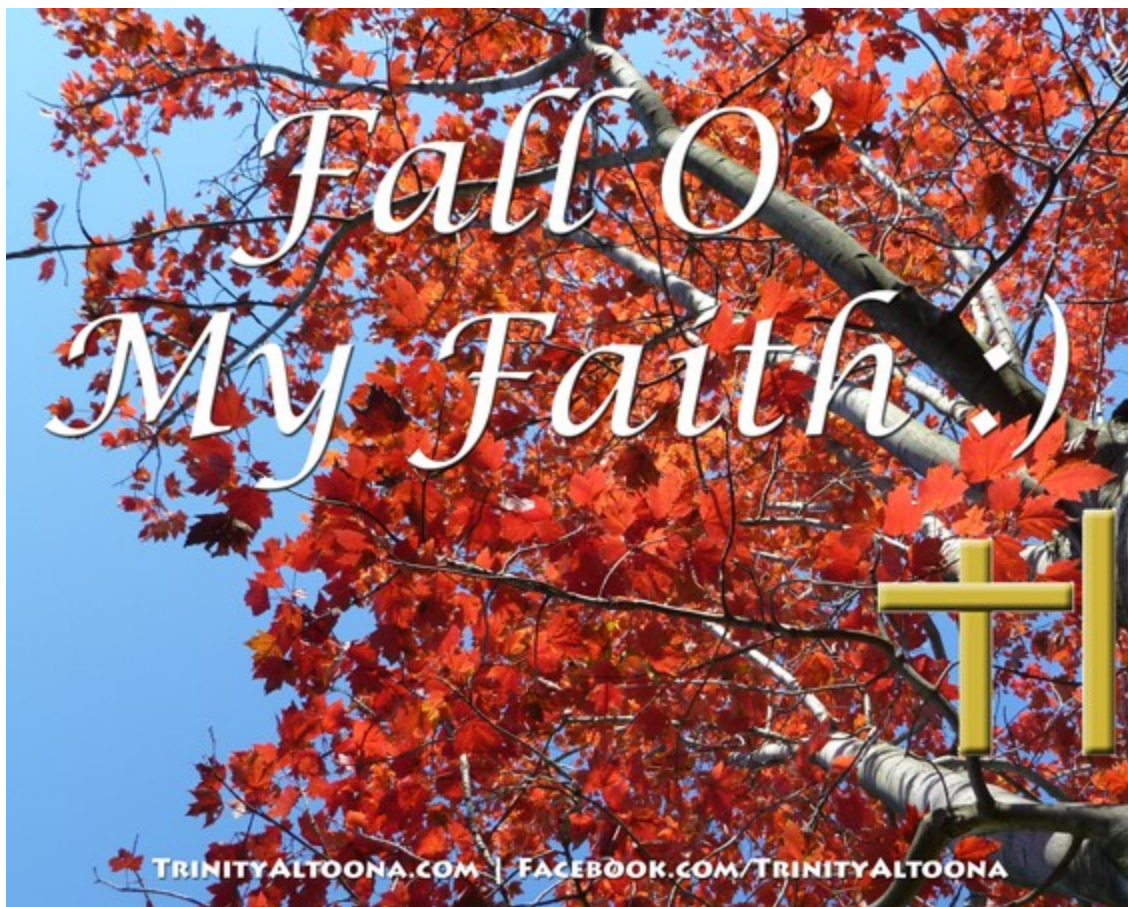
## Sample Plate

These 1" x 3" custom engraved brass plates will be installed in our sanctuary, possibly at the exact seat location where your loved one once worshiped.

The cost of a Memorial Marker is just \$25 and proceeds will help cover Trinity's ongoing operating expenses. An order form is printed on the back cover of your church bulletin (use a separate piece of paper if needed).

### **HELLO AUTUMN!**

Summer's over, colorful leaves and cooler days are here. It's time to "Fall O' My Faith" at Trinity Altoona!



Trinity Altoona's annual **Family Fall Banquet** is coming up this Sunday October 27, featuring a traditional turkey dinner with all the trimmings.

Ticket prices are \$8 for persons 13+ and \$5 for children ages 6-12. Children age 5 and under eat for free. Tickets are available at the church office.

Trinity's Family Fall Banquet is a wonderful opportunity to get together with your Trinity family to share faith, food and fellowship. The banquet will start around noon, following the 10:45AM worship service. See you there!

Trinity's **Treats from Trunks** returns this Halloween, Thursday October 31 from 6-8PM.

Anyone interested in handing out treats is asked to be at the church by 5:45PM to set up. Feel free to wear a costume and decorate your vehicle.

Treat donations can be dropped off at Trinity Hall the last 2 weeks of October. Money donations are also welcomed...please mark your envelope "Treats from Trunks."

For more information, contact Nancy Honecker at 515-2369.

The Trinity Stitchers Sewing Group will be holding their annual **Holiday Bazaar**, Saturday November 9 from 9AM to 2PM in Trinity Hall.

There will be a large selection of hand-made items for sale, including Christmas ornaments, hot pads, jewelry, table runners, tea towels and much more. Linda Hoover will be preparing lunch, with proceeds going to Social Ministry. St. Andrew's Pre-School is taking care of desert, with a variety of baked goods available for purchase.

For more information, please contact Lois Gutshall or Barb Gosnell.

Trinity's annual **Congregational Meeting** will be held the weekend of Saturday November 23 and Sunday November 24. The congregation will be asked to vote for council members and to approve the 2020 budget, which was included with the October mailing of *The Orbit*.

Our **regular weekly activities** include the Sewing Group (Mondays 10AM-2PM), Adult Bible Study (Tuesdays 9-10AM, Wednesdays 7-8PM), the Healthy You Program (Tuesdays and Fridays 10AM), the Crochet Group (Tuesdays 6PM) and the Prayer Breakfast (Thursdays 9AM).

Winter, Spring, Summer, Fall. Faith, fun and fellowship are always in season at Trinity Altoona :)

#### ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL CONCERT AT TRINITY



The recent performance by classical guitarist William Feasley was well received by the audience at Trinity Altoona, who also enjoyed the tasty post-concert food prepared by the Fellowship Committee.

Trinity's Paula Ford passed along a nice comment from Mr. Feasley, who said "it was an absolute delight to perform for such a lovely audience in such a cool church! It was great fun hanging out with you afterwards and the post reception food was amazing!"

The free concert series is made possible by the Dr. William Sunderman Endowment. The late Dr. Sunderman was a long-time member of Trinity.

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