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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).

You can also submit your order [via email](#). Simply include your name and phone number, plus your requested inscription (3 lines, up to 20 characters per line including spaces) and where you would like your marker installed. We will contact you via phone or email if we have any questions regarding your order.

Make checks payable to **Trinity Lutheran Church**, write Memorial Marker in the memo line. You can mail/drop off your checks in the church office or place them in the collection plate.

HELLO AUTUMN!

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



The Trinity Stitches Sewing Group will be holding their annual **Holiday Bazaar**, this 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.

Our next **Paint Party** featuring a "Winter Scene" is coming up this Sunday November 10 from 1-4PM in Trinity Hall. Cost is \$20 with all monies raised going toward Trinity's general operating expenses. A sign-up sheet is located outside the church office.

2020 Offering Envelopes will be distributed in mid-November. If you didn't have envelopes this year but would like a box for 2020, please contact the church office at 943-3972 or office@trinityaltoona.com.

Trinity's annual **Congregational Meeting** is slated for 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*.

A classic holiday tradition returns to Trinity Altoona this year. We will be participating in the Borough of **Hollidaysburg's Winterfest Parade** (Sunday 24 November 3-4PM) and the City of **Altoona's Spirit of Christmas Parade** (Thursday 5 December 6-8PM). For more info, contact Adam Counterman at doormanadam@yahoo.com.

We are currently seeking sponsors for the **2019 Christmas Trees** to be displayed in our sanctuary. The trees will be purchased from J&B Tree Farms on November 27 and decorated Friday November 29 at 6PM. The cost is approximately \$29 per tree. If you'd like to sponsor a tree, please call the church office at 943-3972. Want to help decorate? Call Debbie at 944-5706.

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 :)

SOCIAL MINISTRY SUPPORTS VETERANS

Trinity Altoona's Social Ministry Committee recently donated a basket for a silent auction benefiting Victory Therapeutic Horsemanship.

VTH is a Bellwood-based therapeutic riding organization that serves veterans and their families exclusively. You can learn more about them by visiting VictoryHorse.org.



Trinity's Claire Goon (pictured) used her talents to put together the beautiful basket.

Photo courtesy Linda Hoover

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Would you like to help your church save money on printing and postage? Sign up for electronic delivery of our monthly newsletter *The Orbit*!

We already offer *The Orbit* for [viewing on or download from our website](#). Now we can also email you *The Orbit* as a .PDF file, direct to your inbox.

Over a dozen Trinity Altoona members have already made the switch to e-delivery of *The Orbit*. If you'd like to join them, just send us a [quick email](#) with your name, email and current street address. Thanks!

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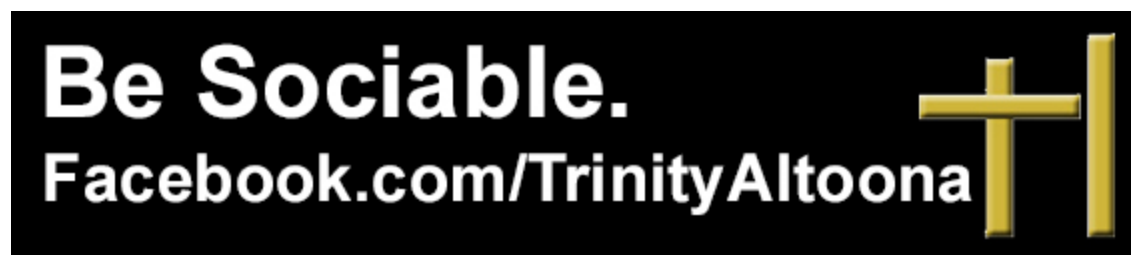
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