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Merry Christmas from Trinity Altoona :)

TRINITY GOING VIRTUAL STARTING CHRISTMAS EVE

With an 11-1 vote of your church council last week, Trinity Altoona has once again closed it's doors and returned to online worship only at least through January 2021.

We will be broadcasting a live Christmas Eve service starting tomorrow evening at 6PM. Our weekly services will air Sunday mornings at 9:30AM.

Services will air live on Facebook and later be available on TrinityAltoona.com and YouTube.



A message from Bishop Rhyne of the Allegheny Synod:

"I would like to invite the members of the Allegheny Synod to join my family and I in the singing of 'Silent Night' on Christmas Eve 2020. This year has cancelled many things that we usually are able to do together. So on this Christmas Eve let us join together in singing this old, familiar, and beloved carol.

I am inviting you to sing 'Silent Night' between 6pm and 9pm on Christmas Eve. In consultation with the Synod Council we decided to set a range of time so that it more easily can fit into your schedule. Perhaps you will sing this with your family or friends. In our home we are planning to light candles, and go on our front porch to sing for our community. My family will be singing at 6:30pm on Christmas Eve and we are planning to share this through Facebook live on the Allegheny Synod 8C Facebook page. You are welcome to join us and sing along."

Speaking of sharing the season, **the Healthy You group made over 400 "Thinking of You" and Christmas cards for area nursing home residents.** Linda Hoover delivered the cards to the Allegheny Lutheran Home, Altoona Center for Nursing Care, Colonial Courtyard and Maybrook Hills.

Looking for a thoughtful way to remember a deceased member of Trinity and help your church at the same time? **For just \$25, you can purchase a Memorial Marker** which will be placed at or near the seat where they once worshipped. An order form is provided on the back cover of your church bulletin.

Did you know Trinity Altoona has a **YouTube Channel**? Now you can watch our archived worship services and sermons anytime, on your computers, smartphones, tablets and smart TVs. [Subscribe to Trinity's YouTube channel today :\)](#)

Our **regular weekly activities** include the Sewing Group, Adult Bible Study, the

Healthy You Program, the Crochet Group and the Prayer Breakfast are currently on hiatus. We hope to resume our normal schedule in early 2021.

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

PULSE PIC OF THE WEEK: LET IT SNOW!



Looking out the window after last week's big snowfall. Photo courtesy T. Settle

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