#### CHURCH OF THE TRINITY 323 East Lincoln Highway Coatesville, PA 19320



**July 2019** 

# Trinity Topics

From the Rector's Desk . . .

#### By the Reverend Sherry Deets

Several people have asked about the Thistle Farms Conference in Nashville that Deacon Joan, Jennifer Lopez and I attended to learn more about beginning a sister ministry here in Coatesville. In short, it was AMAZING! We attended the preconference session on "Digging Deep: Sharing Residential Experiences" in which good, practical information was shared about the specifics of the Thistle Farms residential program. We heard from the United States Ambassador, John Richmond, about trafficking in the U.S. We attended breakout sessions on Trauma Informed Care; Keys to Launching the Enterprise; From Strategic Planning to Strategic Thinking and Fearless Fundraising.

One of the most powerful sessions was the Survivor Leaders Conversation (Help, Hope and Healing) in which we were able to "sit in" on a group session with five Survivors. They told their stories and I was struck by one of the commonalities. All but one of the women experienced sexual abuse by someone they knew, family members, when they were very young. It was a gift to all of us who were present at the conference for these women to tell such deeply personal stories of just how they wound up in the world of sex trafficking. I am deeply grateful that Trinity is supporting a ministry that will work to enable women involved in this world to find a different way to live their life; to reclaim their lives. Love heals.

We also enjoyed meeting and connecting with others, all over the country (and world!), who are involved in this movement. And, we discovered that when you are in Nashville, you will most definitely see and hear from people who have a guitar and a wonderful voice. Music was everywhere.

Thistle Hills (the name of our Coatesville sister program) has received its first grant of \$7,500 from the Stewart Huston Charitable Trust. We have applied for a grant to purchase and renovate a home that we have identified near the church. We won't hear about that until the fall. In the meantime, the board /mission committee is forming and we will begin work on fund raising and brainstorming the social enterprise piece, etc.

Love Heals.

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# Take Care... But HOW?!! Join Us

You're there to support your Veteran.
We're here to support YOU.

for Caregiver Education, Support & Networking

Friday, July 19, 2019

9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

(Registration 8:30 a.m.)

- ✓ Does Taking Care of yourself feel like one more thing on a very long "to-do" list?
- ✓ Are you frustrated by well-meaning people who say "Take care!" when they don't "get" how hard that is? You know self-care is important...but, HOW?
- During this program, you will learn practical ways to preserve your health, well-being and capacity to care, especially when you are overextended, exhausted or alone.

#### **Presenters**

Chaplain Thomas Behling, Chief, Chaplain Service Reverend Sherry Deets, Rector Jane Meier Hamilton, MSN, RN Audrey Hall, LCSW and Mollie Baker, LSW, Mindful Movement Meditation Maureen Miller, LCSW and Michelle Bade, LCSW

#### **Conference Location**

Trinity Episcopal Church 323 E. Lincoln Hwy Coatesville, PA 19320 610-384-4771

#### **In-home Respite and Childcare**

Please contact your PACT Team Social Worker to coordinate
In-home or Community Adult Day Care respite arrangements and
to complete or update required forms in advance.
Childcare provided on site. Please call to confirm name and age of child.

Register by July 8, 2019 by contacting Maureen Miller, LCSW or Michelle Bade, LCSW Caregiver Support Coordinators at 610-384-7711, ext. 5310 or ext. 2917 or email Maureen.Miller@va.gov or Michelle.Bade@va.gov

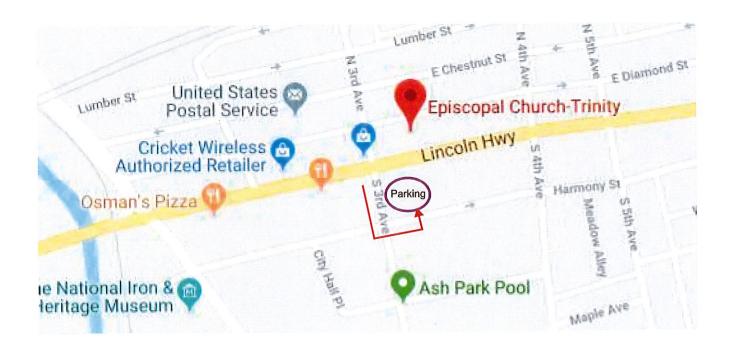


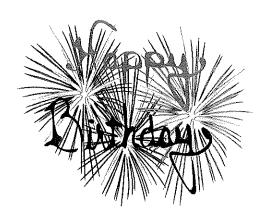


#### **Directions to**

Episcopal Church of the Trinity, Coatesville, PA
30 Bypass to exit 82 S to business 30
and make a left onto Business 30.
Park at lot on 3rd Ave. and Lincoln Hwy.
across from the Community Garden
(next to the Rite Aid parking lot).

entrance to parking lot is on Martin Luther King (formerly Harmony St.)







Molly Beck	4-July
Ian Post	7-July
Margaret Bragg	7-July
Ruth Gardiner	8-July
James Anderson	10-July
Kathy Terry	11-July
Violet Cole	14-July
Elinor Barnes	17-July
Noreen Bush	19-July
Phyllis Boyd	21-July
Judy Vennell	21-July
Sara Smyth	23-July
Michael Crane	23-July
Caitlyn Hanna	24-July
Lance Bush	27-July
Ellanore Hurd	29-July

John & Susan Petura 12-July

### **Congratulations Corner!!!!!**

# **July 2019**

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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
				HE Chapel- 12noon		
28	29	30	31			
Vet Brunch						



## Readers, Servers and Greeters for July 2019



Date	Readers	Psalter/P-O-P	Chalists	Servers	Torches	Greeters
7/7	Betty Sullivan	Jim Anderson	Jim Anderson	Jim Anderson	N/A N/A	ТВА
	Chris Haak	Seth Haak	Donna Fleck	Jim Anderson		
7/14	Vic Shanley	Caroline Bentley	Pat Kirkner	Seth Haak	N/A	' I TRA
	Pam Smyth	Dev Devereux	Pam Smyth	Pat Kirkner	N/A	
7/21	Kent Nation	Craig McGovern	Bill Terry	Jack McGovern	N/A N/A	ТВА
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7/28	Violet Armstead	Bill Terry	Al Carey	Craig McGovern	N/A N/A	ТВА
-	Betty Sullivan	Chris Haak	Donna Fleck	Al Carey		

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Jamoca Harkins, Parish Administrator Parish Office Hours Monday - Friday: 130-430pm

#### **Mission Statement**

Church of the Trinity is a congregation rooted in the faith and love of Christ, unified in diversity, seeking to grow and nourish the Trinity family and our Coatesville community.

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Service Schedule

Holy Eucharist

Sundays 9:30 AM

Thursdays 12:00 PM

<u>Church School</u> Sundays 9:15 AM