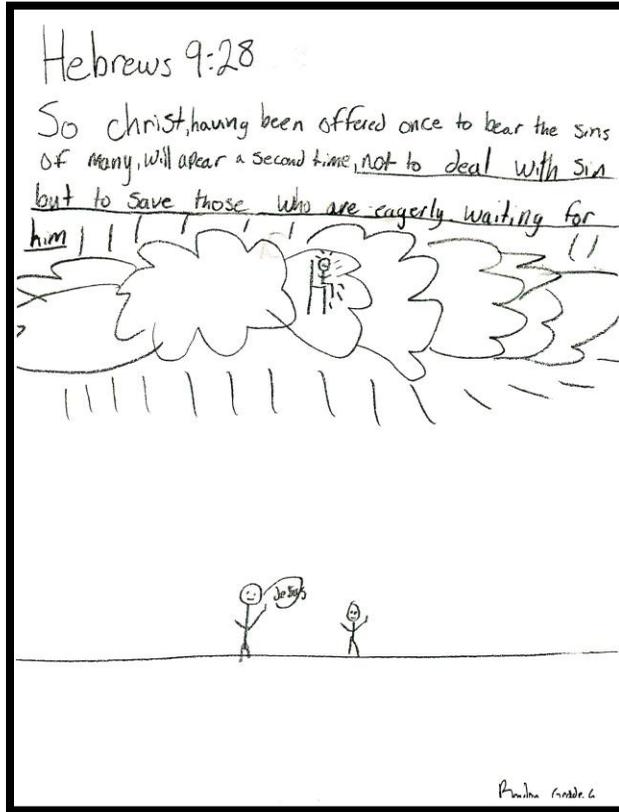


Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost



November 11, 2018 8:00am
Trinity Lutheran Church

*Trinity is a member of the Prince of Peace Lutheran School Association
and the Good Shepherd Community.*

Welcome

Those Serving Today

Officiating Today		Rev. David Hinz
Organist	8:00am	Daniel Reineke
Musicians	10:30am	MN Adult & Teen Challenge
Screen Team	8:00am	Open
	10:30am	Jeff Zimmer
Lector	8:00am	Josh Borgerding
	10:30am	Pastor John Bakou
Acolyte	8:00am	Andrew Kath, Nick Lindquist
	10:30am	Katie Phiabaum, Chloe Molitor
Visuals		Daniel Reineke
Altar Guild		Evora Sorokie, Sue Kulzer
Information Desk	Zone – 1	Barb Mingo
	Zone – 2	Russell & Renee Hackett
Greeters	Zone – 1	Shirley Skuza, Lori Zipp
	Zone – 2	Diane Gooch, Donna Esselman
Ushers	Zone – 1	Mark Helgeson, Dick Mingo, Norm Greenwaldt, Bob Koroll, Dan Reberg, Russ Riehm
	Zone – 2	Dave & Bev Grose, John Sprengeler, Ken Knafla, Jim & Carol Truenow
Lay Minister	8:00am	Jeff Snyder
	10:30am	Bob Koroll, Justin Hackett

If you have difficulty standing during the worship service, please feel free to remain seated during those parts of the service.

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Divine Service Setting 3 (LSB pg 184)

November 11, 2018

8:00 a.m.

A TRIBUTE TO OUR VETERANS

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN: “Praise the Almighty” LSB 797

INVOCATION

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P In joyful expectation of the resurrection to life eternal, we remember before the Lord our departed family and friends who have gone before us in faith and all those who are in our hearts and minds this day.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P Let us also draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only

Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

C Amen.

Psalm 146 (antiphon: v. 9a)

P The LORD watches over the sojourners;
C he upholds the widow and the fatherless.

P Praise the LORD!
C Praise the LORD, O my soul!
P I will praise the LORD as long as I live;
C I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.

P Put not your trust in princes,
C in a son of man, in whom there is no salvation.

P When his breath departs he returns to the earth;
C on that very day his plans perish.

P Blessèd is he whose help is the God of Jacob,
C whose hope is in the LORD his God,
P who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them,
C who keeps faith forever;

P who executes justice for the oppressed,
C who gives food to the hungry.

P The LORD sets the prisoners free; the LORD opens the eyes of the blind.
C The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down; the LORD loves the righteous.

P The LORD watches over the sojourners; he upholds the widow and the fatherless,
C but the way of the wicked he brings to ruin.

P The LORD will reign forever,
C your God, O Zion, to all generations. Praise the LORD!

P The LORD watches over the sojourners;
C he upholds the widow and the fatherless.

GLORIA PATRI



☐ Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

KYRIE



☐ Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -

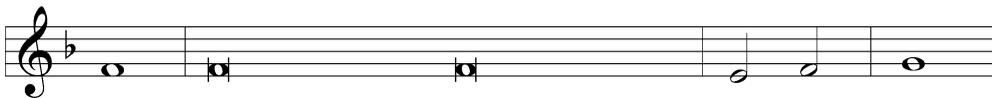


on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

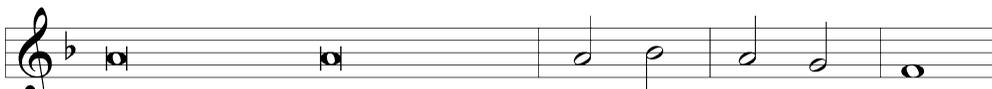
GLORIA IN EXCELSIS Luke 2:14; John 1:29



☐ Glory be to God on high: ☐ and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



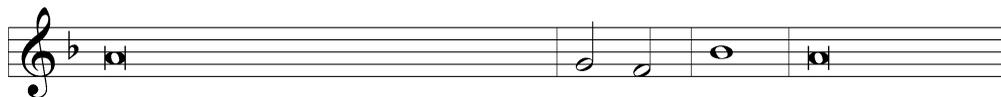
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,



that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.



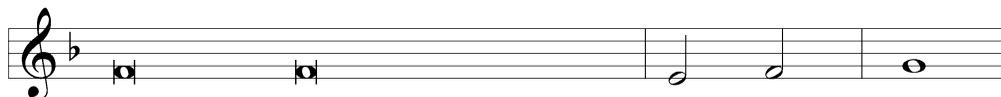
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.



Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-



on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.



Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost,



art most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY



P The Lord be with you.



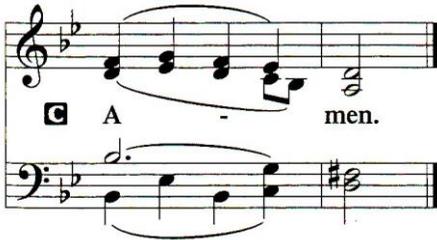
C And with thy spir - it.





P Let us pray.

P Let us pray... Almighty and ever-living God, You have given exceedingly great and precious promises to those who trust in You. Grant us so firmly to believe in Your Son Jesus that our faith may never be found wanting; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Sit

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: 1 Kings 17:8–16

⁸Then the word of the Lord came to [Elijah], ⁹“Arise, go to Zarephath, which belongs to Sidon, and dwell there. Behold, I have commanded a widow there to feed you.” ¹⁰So he arose and went to Zarephath. And when he came to the gate of the city, behold, a widow was there gathering sticks. And he called to her and said, “Bring me a little water in a vessel, that I may drink.” ¹¹And as she was going to bring it, he called to her and said, “Bring me a morsel of bread in your hand.” ¹²And she said, “As the Lord your God lives, I have nothing baked, only a handful of flour in a jar and a little oil in a jug. And now I am gathering a couple of sticks that I may go in and prepare it for myself and my son, that we may eat it and die.” ¹³And Elijah said to her, “Do not fear; go and do as you have said. But first make me a little cake of it and bring it to me, and afterward make something for yourself and your son. ¹⁴For thus says the Lord the God of Israel, ‘The jar of flour shall not be spent, and the jug of oil shall not be empty, until the day that the Lord sends rain upon the earth.’” ¹⁵And she went and did as Elijah said. And she and he and her household ate for many days. ¹⁶The jar of flour was not spent, neither did the jug of oil become empty, according to the word of the Lord that he spoke by Elijah.

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

HYMN: “From God Can Nothing Move Me” LSB 713 vs. 1-5

EPISTLE: Hebrews 9:24–28

²⁴For Christ has entered, not into holy places made with hands, which are copies of the true things, but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf.

²⁵Nor was it to offer himself repeatedly, as the high priest enters the holy places every year with blood not his own, ²⁶for then he would have had to suffer repeatedly since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the ages to put away sin by the sacrifice of himself. ²⁷And just as it is appointed for man to die once, and after that comes judgment, ²⁸so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

ALLELUIA



C Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

HOLY GOSPEL: Mark 12:38-44

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the twelfth chapter.



C Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

³⁸In his teaching [Jesus] said, “Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes and like greetings in the marketplaces ³⁹and have the best seats in the synagogues and the places of honor at feasts, ⁴⁰who devour widows’ houses and for a pretense make long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation.”

⁴¹And he sat down opposite the treasury and watched the people putting money into the offering box. Many rich people put in large sums. ⁴²And a poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which make a penny. ⁴³And he called his disciples to him and said to them, “Truly, I say to you, this poor widow

has put in more than all those who are contributing to the offering box. ⁴⁴For they all contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

APOSTLES CREED *(Back Page of the LSB Hymnal)*

Sit

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY: “No Temple Now, No Gift of Price ” LSB 530

THE MESSAGE

OFFERTORY



C Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -



new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -



way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it



from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -



tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

OFFERING *(Please sign and date the Rite of Friendship pad located in the pew. The children are invited to bring their offerings to the front at this time.)*

HYMN DURING OFFERING: “The Temple Rang with Golden Coins” LSB 787

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(Back Page of the LSB Hymnal)*

SALUTATION AND BENEDICAMUS



P The Lord be with you.



C And with thy spir - it.



A Bless we the Lord.

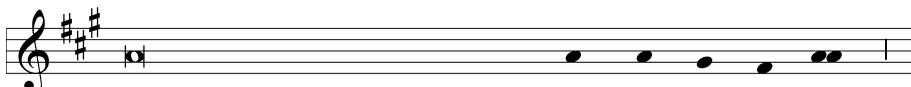


C Thanks be to God.

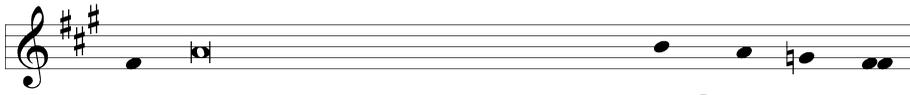
BENEDICTION



P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.



■ A-men, a-men, a - men.

CLOSING HYMN: “Lord of All Hopefulness” LSB 738

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Are you looking for a way to give? Trinity could use a new vacuum cleaner. Please contact the church office if you would like to contribute one!

Faith in Action St. Cloud is looking for someone to volunteer to drive a Trinity member to church on Sundays. Contact Cherise at 320-348-2322.



PIE FEST: Please stay after the Thanksgiving Eve service for a slice of yummy pie and a dollop of friendship. There will be a sign-up sheet in the gathering area for pie donations.

Guests from the Good Shepherd community and other area nursing homes are



welcome to visit Festival of Nativities from 3-5 p.m. on Friday, November 30th. This is 2 hours before it is open to the public. This will allow them time to view the nativities in a less crowded manner. If you know of any of our Trinity members or other residents that would enjoy festival and, if you are able, please

provide transportation and an invitation for them to experience Festival of Nativities also.

The New Member Class will continue Sunday, Nov. 18, Dec. 2nd and 9th at 9:15am in the Large Classroom. We will welcome these new members on Sunday, December 16th in the 10:30am worship.

Calendar for the Week

Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost Teen Challenge & Veteran Recognition

8:00am Worship Z1
 9:15am Bible Classes & SS
 10:30am Worship Z2
 12:00pm Anyuak Worship
 4:00pm Creative Crafts
 4:00pm 4H Mtg.
 7:00pm Good News Bible Study

MONDAY

6:00pm Bev's CC
 7:00pm Church Prop. Mtg.

TUESDAY

7:00pm Friends in Harmony

WEDNESDAY

7:00am Men's Bible Study at GS
 5:00pm God's Grub
 6:00pm Women's Bible Study
 6:00pm Confirmation Classes
 6:00pm Celebration Ringers
 7:00pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY

9:00am Sewing and Crafts
 6:00pm Worship Team Rehearsal

FRIDAY

9:00am Parish Workers
 7:30pm Narc. Anon.

SATURDAY

9:00am Altar Guild

Our Response in Faith

WEEK OF	TIME	ATTENDANCE
11/4/2018	8:00am	104
11/4/2018	10:30am	115
	Total	219
	OFFERINGS	
General Fund Offerings		\$8,770.99
Building Debt Offerings		\$1,258.00
Total		\$10,028.99
Weekly Need:		\$11,745.05
Missions		\$463.00
Rec'd to-date		\$17,030.37
Annual Funds Promised		\$23,000.00

Readings for next Sunday:
Daniel 12:1-2; Hebrews 10:11-25
Mark 13:1-13
Let's be in the Word!

**Thanksgiving Worship: Wednesday,
 November 22nd (HC) 6:00pm**
Pie Fest to follow!
Thursday, November 23rd (HC) 9:00am

Twenty-sixth Sunday after Pentecost POP SCRIP

8:00am Worship Z3 (HC)
 9:15am Bible Classes, NM Class & SS
 9:15am Sewing and Crafts Sale
 10:30am Worship Z4 (HC)
 12:00pm Anyuak Worship

Today's Radio Broadcast is sponsored by Sandra Busche in memory of her husband, Dick Busche. We thank her for her generosity. We have openings in January. If you would like to sponsor a broadcast, please complete a form and turn it in. The cost of a full broadcast is now \$90. Forms are available in the church office. The service airs on WVAL 800 on the AM dial, at 8:00am, and live on the internet at www.800wval.com.



Sunday Morning Fellowship November our hosts are Gail Reginek & Carol Wendt. Members who have last names beginning with the letters "T, U, V" are asked to bring treats for our fellowship time. If you can help, please sign up on the bulletin board.

Please remember in your prayers this week: Betty Winczewski, Judy Heintze, Jessica Raveling, Bonnie Duea, Les Fread & Pam Hadley undergoing medical care and following surgery. Jim Bump, Janine Lutgen (sister of Mona Hanson) and Sandy Duffy as they continue their cancer treatment and care.

Preschool is looking for Friends in the Faith at Trinity Church that are willing and able to read a story to us on a Friday morning. We can provide the book or you may bring your own! Please call (320) **230-3047** to schedule with Mrs. Petty or Mrs. Bauer. We need Friends for all Fridays in November and December!

Do you know a family who is suffering and would appreciate a Christmas Stocking this year? Please call the church office if you have a name to share at this special time of year!

Minnesota Teen Challenge Choir MN Adult & Teen Challenge will bless us with worship & song at the 10:30 a.m. service and a time of sharing and testimonies during Bible class **TODAY**. The testimonies and heartfelt singing of our visitors is a moving experience every year. We are pleased to invite you to bring a dish to share, as indicated, according to the first letter of your last name: **A-K Hot dish, L-R Salad, S-Z dessert**. We will also receive a door offering at both services that day, and checks should be made payable to: **Trinity Lutheran Church, and note in the memo, "MNTC"**. Their contagious enthusiasm, faith, trust, & humbleness are a blessing & honor to experience. Please stay to break bread with our brothers in Christ and support them in their journey by spending time with them after the service.

LCEF is celebrating 40 years with a limited-time offer of a 4% term note for 40 months on new money. See the kiosk for more details or contact Lori Wendt.

There has been a Nominating Committee formed to prepare a slate of nominees for the Leadership Team positions that will be up for election at the December 16th Voters Meeting. The terms for all four elected positions are up for election in December (President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer). The members of the Nominating Committee (Chaired by the Vice President of the Congregation, Jon Copeland) are Marc Cassen, Jenny Sprengeler, Farrah Machula and Karen Petron-Broda. The Committee will meet as needed in October and November to prepare for the December 16th election. If you know of individuals that you think should be nominated for one of the positions please contact them directly to verify that they are willing to accept the nomination, then provide the name to one of the members of the Nominating Committee. On the Bulletin Board in the Narthex you will find information that describes what the Bylaws state regarding the responsibilities of the Leadership Team and each of the individual positions. If you have any questions please contact Jon Copeland at 267-4905 (or any other of the Committee members). A list of the individuals that have been nominated for the various positions will be posted in the bulletin on November 25th, December 2nd and December 9th. The nominations will remain open until the December 16th Voter's Meeting. It will be possible to present other nominations from the floor at that meeting, however, the person nominated must be available to acknowledge that they are willing to accept the nomination before their name can be added to the slate. Once it is apparent that there are no more nominations to present, the nominations will be announced to be closed by the Chair of the Nominating Committee.

Elections will be held by ballot once the nominations are closed. An individual must receive at least 51% of the votes cast to be elected. The elections will be ordered by position as follows: Treasurer, Secretary, Vice President and finally President. The other item on the agenda for the December 16th Voter's Meeting (at a minimum) is the presentation of the 2019 Budget for review and approval. Additional agenda items will be posted in the bulletin on the two Sundays prior to the meeting.



Stockings for Jesus Mission Project: Kathy Schlueter is again making Christmas stockings to distribute to needy families and organizations that aid those in need. Kathy works year-round to assemble thousands of stockings. They are sent out locally and out of state. Items are needed to “stuff” the decorated stockings. Items to donate include pencils, pens, notepads, rulers, erasers, blunt scissors, yo-yos, decks of cards, combs, small toys, **wrapped** candy, soaps, etc. Cash donations will be used to pay for shipping and to purchase more stocking stuffers. Please have your donations to the church by November 18th to allow time for packing and delivering. Donations can be dropped off in the box provided at church or Kathy can be reached at 252-3722. Thank you for your continued help throughout the years with this project!

Invite a couple of SCSU International students for Thanksgiving this year. This may be their first opportunity to celebrate this American holiday. Let Sue Morey (250-7534) know of your interest **TODAY**. What an opportunity to reach out to the world with God's love.



Altar Guild will be ordering Poinsettias for Christmas They will be red, 6 1/2" pots for \$11.75 with gold wrap. We will be printing a "Memorial/in Honor of" folder again this season. Please order by Nov. 18th. Place your check made out to Altar Guild in an envelope and write the memorial information on the outside, also include your telephone number, please print clearly. You can place the envelope in the offering plate or in the office. Thank you! Any questions call Evora Sorokie @ 291-0740 or Sue Kulzer @ 248-9783.

Parish Workers: Sandy Molitor has graciously agreed to be the contact and organizer for the Parish workers who assemble the bulletins each week. Please call her if you would be interested in helping with this easy and fun task. 320-310-1185

The Trinity Food Shelf is no longer available. Trinity generously donated their remaining items to St. Paul's Lutheran in Foley. The Youth at Foley have taken on this ministry. Thank you to the members of Trinity for helping them get this project underway!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! In order to invite our neighbors to Festival of Nativities we need 20 volunteers -- currently we have 6. Each volunteer will get a specific list of homes (10-15) to deliver the invitations to and all are very close to church. The invitations will be delivered on Sunday, November 18th after second service and a sub sandwich will be available before heading out. Can you help us with this outreach opportunity? Currently we have the volunteers to deliver 60 -- help us reach our goal of 200! Stop by the table in the narthex today for more information on all the FON volunteer opportunities including greeting and baking Christmas cookies to serve our guests.

P.O.P. SCRIP will be at Trinity on November 18th and December 16th. Start your Holiday shopping early! In preparation for Christmas SCRIP will have lower denomination gift cards from the following retailers: Amazon (\$10), Applebee's (\$10), Home Depot (\$10), Olive Garden (\$10), Panera (\$5), Starbucks (\$5), Target (\$10), and Walmart/Sam's (\$10). Also, Scheels \$25 gift cards are now available! Don't forget to get your Pizza Ranch gift card for this month's Dine to Donate on November 26th. Again thank you for supporting Prince of Peace School by utilize the SCRIP program!

God's Grub this week: Taco in a Bag



Hard to believe that Christmas is just around the corner. The time of year to reach out and help others through the Angel Tree Program is upon us once again. Our Church is pleased to continue to participate in Angel Tree, a Prison Fellowship program that provides a pathway for incarcerated parents to restore and strengthen relationships with their children. Volunteers like you help make this possible by giving Christmas gifts and the Good News of God's love to children in the name of mother's and father's behind bars. Angle Tree Sunday will be on Sunday, November 25th, names of children and gift ideas will be available in the Narthex on the tree. Please be sure to sign your Gift tag name out at the desk that will be located next to the tree. Gifts will need to be returned wrapped and under the tree by Sunday, December 9th. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer to deliver gifts please contact me Jennifer Kranz @ 320-290-3498. Thank you for helping make this Christmas special for these children. This year due to the extended need in areas where not as many churches participate in the Angel Tree Program we will be reaching out to help with Children in the North Dakota Area. Gifts will be mailed to these children, therefore monetary donations is another option to purchasing a gift this year to help provide for the postage required to send the packages. Thank you again for making this program such as success.

WE WELCOME FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

We are glad you are here! If there is a time during the Worship Service that you feel your child (or you) needs a "time out," please feel free to leave the service. If you leave the service, you can go to the **lobby** or use the **large conference room** across from the church office. The conference room has speakers and one-way glass so you can still participate in Worship. During the Sunday school hour, (9:15am – 10:15am) and during the 10:30am worship service the **nursery** is staffed for children 0-3 years old. The nursery is in the preschool on the north end of the building. It is the first classroom on the left as you enter the preschool parent lounge area. There are also speakers in the nursery so you can listen to the service. **Activity bags** for young children to use are in the plastic tub outside the church office.

