

Allegheny Lutheran Social Ministries
invites you to attend the

**Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony at
Lutheran Commons at Berlin Pike**

A Senior Housing Ministry of ALSM
443 Berlin Plank Rd., Somerset

Wednesday, April 7, 2010 at 4:00 p.m.
Reception and open house to follow ceremony



Please RSVP your attendance
at 814.696.4516 or
info@alsm.org by April 2.



**ALLEGHENY LUTHERAN
SOCIAL MINISTRIES**

We Touch Lives

Christ the Lord is risen today.

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ASSISTING IN THE SERVICE

USHERS: 6:30 AM Jim & Kerrie Broderick, Mike Countryman
10:40 AM Dale Leydig Team
LECTOR: 6:30 AM Deb Cook
10:40 AM Kathy Bell
ACOLYTE: 8:00 AM Mitchell Walker
10:40 AM Kordell Leydig
NURSERY: 10:40 AM To be scheduled

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY: 6:30 AM Easter Sunrise Service
9:30 AM Sunday school Easter program
10:40 AM Communion
4:00 PM Communion
MONDAY: Church Office Closed
7:00 PM Cub Scout Pack Committee
TUESDAY: 9:00 AM Quilters & Knotters
WEDNESDAY: 6:30 PM Senior Choir
7:30 PM Adult Bells
THURSDAY: 11:00 AM Berlin Senior Citizens
SATURDAY: 6:00 PM Family Dinner in Fellowship Hall
SUNDAY: 8:00 AM Worship
9:30 AM Sunday school
10:40 AM Worship
2:00 PM Easter Cantata
7:00 PM Uncommon Life

him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

PSALM 118 [Sung in unison]

Give thanks to the LORD, for | he is good;*
his mercy en- | dures forever.

Let Israel | now proclaim,*

"His mercy en- | dures forever."

The LORD is my strength | and my song,*
and he has become | my salvation.

**There is a sound of exulta- | tion and victory*
in the tents | of the righteous:**

"The right hand of the | LORD has triumphed!*"
The right hand of the LORD is exalted!
The right hand of the | LORD has triumphed!"

I shall not | die, but live,*

and declare the works | of the LORD.

The LORD has pun- | ished me sorely,*
but he did not hand me o- | ver to death.

Open for me the | gates of righteousness,*

I will enter them; I will offer thanks | to the LORD.

"This is the gate | of the LORD;*"
he who is right- | eous may enter."

**I will give thanks to you, for you | answered me*
and have become | my salvation.**

The same stone which the build- | ers rejected*
has become the chief | cornerstone.

This is | the LORD's doing,*

and it is marvelous | in our eyes.

On this day the | LORD has acted;*"
we will rejoice and be | glad in it.

SECOND LESSON: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 (p.747 in pew Bible;
p.1660 in large-print Bible; p.1399 in Christmas edition)

Now I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you -- unless you have come to believe in vain.

For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them -- though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

THE VERSE

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GOSPEL: John 20:1-18 (p.704 in pew Bible; p.1558 in large-print Bible; p.1313 in Christmas edition)

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting

- Thank you to everyone who has donated to Holy Trinity's Steeple Fund. As of March 28 we have collected \$36,499.40. Because we are now depositing all donations into our Money Market account, please make donations separate from your regular contributions. Checks can still be made out to Holy Trinity.
- Uncommon Life will NOT be held this evening.
- The Church Office will be closed Monday, April 5.
- Holy Trinity's Senior Choir will present the Easter cantata *Amazing Grace* at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 11.
- Adult Bells will resume on April 7 and Joyful Noise band will resume on April 14.
- The Church Rummage Sale will be held Saturday, April 24. Almost anything in good condition may be donated, and the funds from the sale will benefit our youth programs. Items can be dropped off at the church basement entrance. Berlin C.A.R.E.S. will also hold a bake sale that day; baked items can be donated and dropped off the morning of April 24.
- The Somerset Church of the Brethren will host the 3rd Annual Family Forums from 3 to 8 p.m. Thursday, April 8. There will be a variety of presenters and lots of table displays and information -- see the flyer on the bulletin board for the complete list. For more information, contact the Somerset County Workshop at (814) 445-6908.
- Sign up by May 9 for discipline workshops with Focus on the Family beginning 7 p.m. June 4, 7 p.m. For more information, call Jeff Moore at 267-5703.
- There are sign-up sheets on the bulletin board for spring cleaning -- both workers and those needing work done. For more information, call Jeff Moore at 267-5703.
- A Creation 2010 coordination meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, April 16, at the church. For more information, call Jeff Moore at 267-5703.

	<u>Need Per Week</u>	<u>Received Last Week</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
Current	\$2,579.35	\$2,310.00	3/28 - 167
Benevolence	\$322.43	\$272.00	3/21 - 162
Building	\$920.77	\$604.50	3/14 - 107

Deceased members of the needlepoint group by the Rose Fogle Needlepoint Memorial Fund

Mr. & Mrs. William Carver, Harry & Frank by loved ones
Deceased members of our family by children of Mrs. Rachel J. Saylor
Mr. & Mrs. Stewart C. Saylor and family by Phyllis Claypool

The **Lilly Cross** is given in memory of Alverda and J.I. Miller, Anna Mae, Robert and Ronald Miller, Harry Miller and Joseph Dyer by their family.

In Honor Of:

Ray Adams by children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren
Patti Ohler's 5-year cancer-free anniversary by Doug, Kathy & David Bell
My family and to the glory of God by Charlotte Chonko
Grandchildren by Lana Clemens
Jean Gerber and Sgt. Jason Gerber by Roger & Mary-Alice Duckett
Faye Glessner by Joyce and Charlie Dunn
Nan Engleka by children, grandchildren & great-grandchildren
Parents, grandparents & loved ones by Keith & Denise Leydig & family
Our family by Kevin & Martha Lowery
Maria Mowry by Jim & Esther Mowry
Marie Countryman by children & grandchildren
Esther Ohler by Rocky & Patti and family
Mabel Schrock and Kay Boyer by Roger & Donna Schrock
Irene Mowry & Geneva McVicker by Lynn & Robin Walker
Mr. & Mrs. Devon Walker by Lynn & Robin Walker

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of Elmer, Sallie & Fannie Martz by their daughters and son.
- The bulletins are given to the glory of God and in memory of George E. Hummel and Belinda K. Hummel by the family.
- Happy Easter! After the Sunrise Service at 6:30 a.m. today, please join us in the Fellowship Hall for breakfast. Our youth will present their Easter program during the Sunday school hour at 9:30 a.m., followed by our 10:40 a.m. and 4 p.m. services.
- Our sympathies to the families and friends of Vera Patten and Jackie Shaw, who died and were buried last week. We pray these families will experience the shepherding hand of God as he leads them past the valley of the shadow of death and guides them to find the green pastures of hope and the still waters of peace.
- The rose on the altar is in honor of the birth of Lydia Jane Broadwater, daughter of Katie Fisher and Matt Broadwater, born March 16, and is given by the Mr. & Mrs. Harold Miller Memorial Fund in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Edward H. Miller and Mr. & Mrs. William McLuckie.

where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping?" She said to them, "They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him." When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?" Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away." Jesus said to her, "Mary!" She turned and said to him in Hebrew, "Rabbouni!" (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, "Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.' " Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, "I have seen the Lord"; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

CHILDREN'S SERMON (10:40) Lee Woida

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SERMON: "The Gospel for Every Body"

***HYMN OF THE DAY:** 131 "Christ Is Risen! Alleluia!"

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***PRAYERS**

As the cross draws us to new life in Christ, let us pray for all who stand in need of grace, hope, and life.

A brief silence.

That the church may ever rejoice in this gift of salvation, be instruments of Christ's truth and peace, and extend the joy of the gospel in word and deed. God of new life,

hear our prayer.

That the world may be delivered from oppression, terror, and violence and be filled with the peace that Christ gives. God of new life,

That all the baptized, brothers and sisters of Christ through the waters of baptism, may grow as God's people and walk in newness of life. God of new life,

That those who weep and are downcast, those who suffer and are sick (especially), may be met by the risen Christ who turns sorrow into joy. God of new life,

That all who await new life, those about to be born and those about to die, will know Christ's presence with them. God of new life,

Here other intercessions may be offered.

That with all the faithful who have died, we will join in songs of praise at the victory feast of God who triumphs over death and gives eternal life. God of new life,
Gracious God, hear our prayers and receive them for the sake of the crucified and risen one, our Savior Jesus Christ.

Amen

***PEACE**

OFFERING

MUSICAL OFFERTORY

***LET THE VINEYARDS**

***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

***GREAT THANKSGIVING**

***EUCHARISTIC PRAYER #32**

***LORD'S PRAYER**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P The gifts of God for the people of God.

C **Thanks be to God.**

LAMB OF GOD IS SUNG

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

***BLESSING**

***POST COMMUNION CANTICLE IS SUNG**

***POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

***BENEDICTION**

***CLOSING HYMN: 145 "Thine Is the Glory"**

***Please stand, if you are able.**

**The Easter Flowers are lovingly presented
in celebration of our Risen Lord**

In Memory Of:

Pauline Adams by children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren
Elmer, Sallie & Fannie Martz by children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren

All of our loved ones by Doug, Kathy & David Bell

Grandparents by Beth Bittner

Hazel & Richard Blubaugh by Allan, Chris, Eric & Korey Blubaugh

Parents, brothers and grandparents by Kay Ann Boyer

Loved ones by Carol & Jim Burcaw

My parents and sister Lois by Charlotte Chonko

Loved ones by Lana Clemens

Don & Betty Cober by their families

Ira & Maude Cober by their families

Bill & Tim Fogle by their families

John & Lucille Lichvar by Bill & Kay Ann Cober & family

William Lowry by Bill & Kay Ann Cober & family

Richie Hyatt by Elizabeth Cober Gillette

William and Phyllis Cober by Bill & Kay Ann Cober & family

Jane Schrock by Miriam & Gene Coughenour

Jane M. Schrock, Charles E. Schrock and Sally S. Croner by Jaynanne

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Loved ones by Dorothy Dilling

Thomas Gerber, Floyd, Wilma & Rhonda Duckett by Roger & Mary Alice

Duckett

Donald Engleka and William & Rose Emeigh by Florence Engleka

Don Engleka by children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren

Loved ones by Jim & Jean Ferguson

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence L. Fisher by Anne L. (Fisher) Gormer

Tom Gerber by Jean Gerber & family

Bill Harris and Victor Harris by Lois Harris

Dwayne Hittie, Lori (Hittie) Ankney and loved ones by Marian Hittie

Loved ones by Lynn, Lori, Landon and Lance Hoppert

Sue's dad Frank McNeal Sr. by Sue & Chip Landis

James by Linda Leverknight

Katie Owens by Kordell Leydig

Paul E. & Emma S. Pritts by Kevin & Martha Lowery

Polly by Bill Mothersbaugh

Mildred Ringler by Jim & Esther Mowry and family

Paul Countryman by children & grandchildren

Leo Ohler by Rocky, Patti & family

Parents Warren & Betty and my son Kristopher Warren Pugh by Meg Pugh

John O. Ream Jr. by Louise M. Ream and family

Mildred Ringler by William Ringler

Loved ones by Rose Saylor

Richard Schrock, William & Hilda Schrock by Roger & Donna Schrock

Ben Dickey by Tracy Schrock

Jay & Ruth Suder by Jim & Lynn Suder

Loved ones by Don & Alice Trent

Cleo & Dalphon Landis by Suzanne & Doran Walker

Ethel & James Ryan by Doran & Suzanne Walker

Our parents Guy & Pauline Baer and Dan Weighley Sr. by Jack & Roxanne Weighley

Grandfather, John O. Ream Sr. by John & Deborah Burk and John & Dianne Ream

John O. Ream, Sr. by children

Rose Fogle and Lyda Friedline by the Rose Fogle Needlepoint Memorial Fund

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