Our Many Ministries

OUTREACH



This is mostly what we are all about. . . reaching out to the world beyond our the walls of our church.

Our Food Ministry to the needy in our community and beyond has blossomed into five areas.

- 1. We financially support the senior meals program at "Plowshares."
- We collect food in the entryway to our church each week which is given to the local food bank. Our members are so very generous. The basket always seems to be full
- 3. Once per month we prepare, provide and serve Dinner to the homeless and the needy at the Buddy Eller Center.



- 4. We take our turn at preparing bag lunches for the many homeless in the Ukiah area when the call goes out.
- 5. Because of our close proximity to Highway 101, our church is a prime location for those in need to "drop in" for all kinds of loving help. We have begun our own food closet so we can provide immediate help when needed, and we also have personal care bags for both women and men.

E.C.W. (Episcopal Church Women)



All women of the church are members of the E.C.W. They are dedicated to enhancing the ministries at Holy Trinity Church. They are a "Think Tank" of talent that spearheads most of the dynamic ideas that provide for the needs of both members and non members alike. They sponsor BUNKO parties that are both a fundraiser and an outreach of fellowship in our community. They also sponsor the Valentine Card Party where half of the proceeds go to a good cause in our local community. They have been responsible for everything from remodeling at the church to the Christmas Fair. These dedicated women are the very fabric of our life at Holy Trinity.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND FAMILY MINISTRIES

Right now, we have two educators who are trying their level best to bring children who attend church closer to the God of Love. The plan right now is to have the Children leave the church and follow the teachers to the classroom right after the reading of the Gospel. They return in time to receive Holy Communion with their families. Currently, these teachers are on "stand-by" for when children happen to show up on a Sunday Morning. Would you like to help us re-vitalize our Sunday School? We fully admit, honestly and up front, that we are very much **in need of children to fill our many classrooms.** We also fully admit that we need a core of young families to take this program to the next level. This is your chance to build a Christian Education program for your from the ground up! If you'll join us, you can be assured that you will be appreciated and that we will listen to your needs! You can make your mark for the church and for God's children. Why should you consider Holy Trinity Church? Because we love all God's children as if they are our own.

We also have some great Adults in addition to our Priest who are prepared to engage in **Family and Youth Ministries**. Take a look at our "Family Ministries page on this website.



ON THE CUTTING EDGE

This is the name given to our primary Adult Education Forum which is held for one hour after the Coffee Hour on Sunday mornings at 11:45 a.m.. It centers around a book study, facilitated by our Priest. The books we study are always on the leading ("cutting") edge of theology and biblical study. This single hour each week provides an immense opportunity for new learning. We have other opportunities for study throughout the year as announced.

ALTAR GUILD

This guild is comprised of dedicated parishioners who take responsibility for preparing the sanctuary and setting the Holy table each Sunday, Wednesday and on Holy Days throughout the year. They often work behind the scenes, but they are essential to our liturgical ministry at Holy Trinity. They help us to worship in the beauty of holiness. Together with our priest, they assure that our community can enter into meaningful communion and prayer with our God.

