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## Lutheran Church

## Welcome Pastor Natalie Leske

On Sunday, June 4, the Trinity congregation voted overwhelmingly in the positive to extend a call to Rev. Natalie Leske. Natalie has accepted our call and will begin as our half-time Pastor of Care and Concern on Sunday, July 23. Natalie is presently serving a congregation in Modena, WI. Natalie comes to us with a strong background in Spiritual Formation, preaching, and teaching. In addition to her pastoral work, Natalie teaches in the Synod's Lay School of Ministry. Natalie's husband, Paul Oppedahl, is the Pastor of Our Saviour's Lutheran Church in Chippewa Falls. They have two teen-aged children. Pastor Natalie will be installed as a pastor of Trinity on Sunday, August 6, at 8:15 A.M. and 9:45 A.M. worship services.

## 2017 Vacation Bible School "Journeys in God's Word"

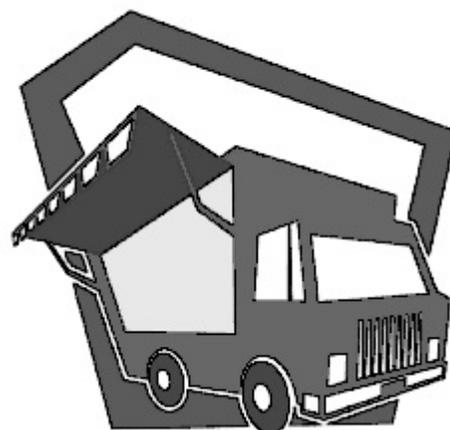
Let's hit the road! Join us as we travel over mountains and through deserts, as we walk the walk, talk the talk, and hike the hills through the Bible the week of Vacation Bible School. VBS is scheduled for July 24–28 from 8:45 A.M.–12:00 P.M. The cost is a suggested \$20 donation per child. VBS is for children who are three through sixth grade. The Kickoff Event is Sunday, July 23, at the 9:45 A.M. worship service. **The deadline for registration is July 16.**



## Noah's Ark Preschool Openings

Noah's Ark Preschool still has a couple of openings for the 2017–2018 school year. We would love to share this experience with your child, grandchild, neighbor, or friend. The M/W/F afternoon (12:45 P.M.–3:15 P.M.) class (for children who turn four before December 31, 2017) and the T/TH afternoon class (for children who turn three before September 1, 2017) have openings. These classes allow children to grow through discovery, hands on experiences, and social interaction with friends. Spread the word of this ministry to your friends and neighbors! For information or to register, contact Marlee Knickerbocker at 715.832.6601.

## FOOD TRUCK Friday



Food trucks will be at Trinity Lutheran Church on Friday, July 28, from 12:00 P.M.–2:00 P.M. to serve up some of the best food on wheels in the Chippewa Valley.

Purchase lunch for you and your family following the VBS closing and dismissal, or stop by for a quick bite on your lunch break from work. There will be picnic tables available and cool, green, grassy areas for blankets. **Invite a friend, neighbor, or co-worker; all are welcome!** Trinity volunteers will be stationed at each Food Truck accepting freewill donations to support Trinity's Food Pantry. The Trinity Food Pantry served over 7,800 families in the Chippewa Valley last year.

Don't forget to stop by the Trinity Truck that will have information on our Food Pantry plus additional information on all the exciting ministries Trinity will offer during the upcoming school year.



## The Trinity Backyard Series

Our summer Wednesday evening dinner and worship time is off to a strong start. There is something about the evening sun, singing with the guitar, the smell of the grill, and the laughter of children that makes worshipping together in this way a real delight. The Backyard Series will continue through the summer, and please invite a friend to join you. You can see a short video introducing the series on our Facebook page or on our website. See you next Wednesday!

## Welcome Lucinda Kemmet

Our new Coordinator of Community Connections, Lucinda Kemmet, began her work on Monday, June 12. Lucinda and her family have been members of Trinity for several years. Expect to see Lucinda in many places in and out of Trinity while she discovers how to best help people connect with one another and with our congregation. She loves to hear your stories, and it is likely that she'll invite you to share yours. Lucinda's office hours are on Sundays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays. She has a deep commitment to spiritual growth and enjoys yoga and photography. If you see her, please extend your hand and say hello. Lucinda can be reached at [lucinda@trinity-ec.org](mailto:lucinda@trinity-ec.org) or 715.832.6601 ext 209.

## More VBS Information!

### Staff Needs for VBS

Teachers and student helpers are urgently needed for all grade levels. Please sign up on the poster in the lobby on Sunday mornings or at the Children's Ministries office during the week. Contact Sara Reed for specific information at 715.832.6601 ext 218 or by email at [sarar@trinity-ec.org](mailto:sarar@trinity-ec.org)

### VBS Staff Orientations

**Orientation for Rec, Craft Tent, Science, Kitchen, and VBS Grandparent Volunteers** will be Sunday, July 16, in the Trinity Room. Check-in begins at 10:45 A.M. with orientation from 11:00 A.M.–12:00 P.M.

**Orientation for Teachers and Teacher Helpers** will be Monday, July 17, in the Worship Center. Check-in begins at 6:00 P.M. with orientation from 6:15 P.M.–7:15 P.M. Staff will receive copies of the materials, guides, and procedures—all items to help you get ready! VBS class lists will be available during orientation.

### Be a VBS Grandparent!

Trinity is looking for caring adults, age 50 and up, who are interested in taking on the role of elder at VBS. The time frame required is just over an hour/per day, or more if the grandparent desires. VBS grandparents will not be the main teacher, and no preparation is necessary! Contact Sara Reed by phone or email to sign up: 715.832.6601 ext. 218 or [sarar@trinity-ec.org](mailto:sarar@trinity-ec.org)

## Received in May Memorials & Gifts

### Endowment Trust Fund

- In memory of Andrew Smith: Pat Hanson

### Vacation Bible School Fund

- In memory of Jessie Schultz: Family & Friends

### Chloe Richie Memorial Fund

- In memory of Joan Richie: Her family

### Food Pantry Fund

- In memory of Laurence Cook: Hazel Cook

### Endowment Trust—Gerald & Helen Amundson Fund

- In memory of Gerald & Helen Amundson: Anonymous Donor

### Day Camp Ministries Fund

- In memory of Vernice Karker: Bob & Mary Schoenknecht

### Soles for Special Souls Fund

- In memory of Andy Smith: Bob & Mary Schoenknecht

## Circle Listings

### Deborah

Thursday, July 20, 9:30 A.M. Trinity  
Hostess: Helen Mateski  
Leader: Carol Bartingale

### Martha/Mary

No Meeting in July

### Miriam

Wednesday, July 19, 9:30 A.M.  
Hostesses: Gloria Crossman and Mary Schoenknecht, 1808 Pine Park Drive Eau Claire

### Ruth

Tuesday, July 18, 12:00 NOON  
Hostess: Mary Hoepner, 524 E MacArthur Avenue, Eau Claire



## Financial News

Your offerings to God through Trinity are so important. Each dollar you offer is invested in bringing hope and encouragement to people, advancing ministries that bring healing and faith development, and investing in missions that bring alive here and across the world our desire to “Serve in Christ’s Love and Share the Good News.”

Your weekly offerings to Regular Ministries and to Mortgage Payment may be made through electronic fund transfer. You may set this up on Trinity’s Give page at [trinity-ec.org](http://trinity-ec.org) or by contacting Amber Moltzau at [amber@trinity-ec.org](mailto:amber@trinity-ec.org)

Your generosity is appreciated as your church invests faithfully and wisely to make a difference in people’s lives with the grace of Jesus Christ. Thank you!

### Financial Update January through May

Offerings to Regular Ministries	2016	2017
Income	\$492,444	\$470,018
Expenses	\$467,162	\$463,846
Variation	\$25,282	\$6,172
Offerings for Mortgage Payment	\$92,074	\$79,846
Monthly Mortgage Payment	\$8,413	\$8,413
Applied to Principal in 2017	\$85,230	\$80,288
Loan Balance (5.31.2017)		\$181,085

## The Women’s Giving Circle

The mission of the Women's Giving Circle, a fund of the Trinity Endowment Trust, is to "demonstrate God's love by positively impacting people's lives through collective philanthropy and awarding of financial gifts." Grant applications are welcomed between now and August 31.

Grant criteria will focus on the following:

- Support for basic human needs
- Promotion of health and wellness (spirit, mind, body)
- Education to advance the quality of life
- Support for the arts in ministry
- Meeting needs of the elderly
- Encouraging self-sufficiency for women and girls
- Support for families in need

If you know of a group that could benefit from one of these grants, please encourage them to apply! The Circle Governance Board reviews all grant applications, and the full membership of the Women's Giving Circle has the opportunity to vote on the Board's recommendations at their annual meeting in October. The Women's Giving Circle invites and encourages all members of Trinity Lutheran Church to become participating members. You can read more about the Women's Giving Circle and find the grant application at [trinity-ec.org](http://trinity-ec.org) under the Endowment tab.

## Noah’s Ark News



Noah's Ark Preschool students and teachers are on summer break following a great 2016–2017 school year. We hope you are all enjoying summer fun, relaxation, and rejuvenation in God's summer world with families and friends.

In these summer months, I hope to have an opportunity to reflect on my first year in this new role, as well as move forward thinking and planning for our new school year. This has been a year of transition, but one that seemed to go smoothly for everyone. The new bathroom, which was installed last summer in our classroom space, quickly became routine for the kids. It was wonderful for children to have that independence with their bathroom breaks and for teachers to be free from taking kids down the hallway to the bathroom. Mrs. Lien, Mrs. Kasmarek, and I quickly found our rhythm working together with myself as the new director. I had the support and help of many people including the teachers, office staff, Pastor Peter, and the Preschool Committee as I learned new skills and the tasks involved in my new role. It was a challenge, but one I enjoyed wholeheartedly! Thanks also to the congregation for your continued support through our fundraising events and your prayers for our ministry. We can truly see God at work throughout the Noah's Ark program with everyone involved!

Enrollment for the 2017–2018 school year continues. We look forward to enrolling just a couple more children in our T/TH afternoon and M/W/F afternoon classes. Noah's Ark is a wonderful experience for all children, and we would love to share that with your families, neighbors, and friends. We appreciate your spreading the word so we can share our ministry with others.

Enjoy these great summer days!

In Peace,

Marlee Knickerbocker

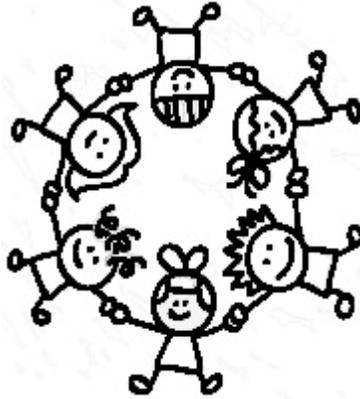
Noah’s Ark Preschool Director



# Children's Ministries

## Important Fall Dates

- Wednesday, September 6 • Pizza Registration Event, for all Wednesday night programs and Sunday school, beginning at 5:00 P.M. Watch for specific information in the August Children's Ministries mailing and on our website.
- Rally Sunday, September 10 • Register for Sunday school and enjoy an ice cream sundae. Children who are three years old and in third grade will receive their Spark Bibles at the 9:45 A.M. worship service.
- Wednesday, September 13 • Wednesday night classes and Children's Choir rehearsals begin
- Saturday, November 4 • Fall Communion Instruction for children in Grades 2–5 from 9:00 A.M.–11:00 A.M.



## Fall Programming for Young Children

- *Music and Movement* • Children will move and groove as they explore music with song, dance, and instruments. This is a parent/child class on Mondays from 9:00 A.M.–9:45 A.M. (Session One) or 10:15 A.M.–11:00 A.M. (Session Two) beginning September 11. The cost for this class is \$95. There is no class on November 20. This class is for children whose birthdates are between 9.1.2014 and 5.31.2016.
- *Creative Arts* • Spend Mondays engaged in a variety of creative activities! Children will dance, sing, and experiment with art processes. They will hear stories, Bible stories, and enhance language learning through finger plays. This class meets on Mondays, beginning September 11, from 12:30 P.M.–2:30 P.M. The cost for this class is \$215. There is no class on November 20. This class is for children who turn four between 9.1.17 and 8.31.18.
- *Readers, Authors & Artists* • Immerse your child in literature and early oral and written language experiences with a focus on nurturing a child's natural readiness for reading, writing, and creating. Children will explore books, authors, and illustrators through discovery, music, play, and art. This class meets on Tuesdays, beginning September 12, from 9:00 A.M.–11:15 A.M. The cost for this class is \$215. There is no class on November 21. This class is for children who turn four by 9.1.2017.
- *Come and Play* • In this great precursor to preschool, children are provided a warm and safe Christian environment to play with other children. Art and music activities are included. This class meets on Wednesdays, beginning September 6, from 12:15 P.M.–2:15 P.M. The cost for this class is \$230. There is no class on November 22. This class is for children whose birthdates fall between 9.1.14 and 5.31.15.

# YOUTH MINISTRIES

## Summer Stretch

We have 27 youth, three counselors, and two adult leaders participating in Summer Stretch this summer. On June 22, we served at Luther Park Bible Camp by cleaning and getting the disc golf course ready. We then spent the afternoon playing basketball, 9-square, gaga-ball, and swimming. On June 29, we volunteered at The Boys and Girls Club in Eau Claire with Immanuel Lutheran and Spirit Lutheran youth. We then spent the afternoon watching a movie at the Budget Theater downtown. We will meet again twice in July and then travel to Valley Fair in August for the final meeting.

## Luther Park Bible Camp Recap

Pastor Brahm and Ashley Olson spent a week at Luther Park Bible Camp with 11 children and youth. We all studied *The Jesus Way: Therefore, be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us. –Ephesians 5:1–2*. We enjoyed meeting new friends, worshipping, having campfires, and playing games. It was a great week, and Pastor Brahm and Ashley hope you will join them again next summer. Trinity has 41 children, youth, and adults who will attend Luther Park Bible Camp sometime throughout the summer.

## Confirmation Students Mark Your Calendars!

- Club 78 Student and Parent/Guardian Orientation and Service Fair: Wednesday, September 6, from 7:15 P.M.–8:30 P.M. in the Trinity Room.
- Club 78 Group Guide Orientation: Wednesday, September 13, at 7:15 P.M. in Room 208.
- Club 9 Student, Parent/Guardian, and Mentor Orientation and Service Fair: Wednesday, September 13, from 7:15 P.M.–8:00 P.M. in the Trinity Room.



# LIBRARY NEWS

Bring “4<sup>th</sup>” the Best in Yourself–READ!

## Summer Story Time

Join Library Committee members in the church library on Sunday mornings, July 9 and 16, following the 9:45 A.M. worship service where they will be on hand to read *Elephant & Piggy Books* by Mo Willems. Children will receive prizes and have an opportunity to check out books.



These Elephant & Piggy books promote friendship:

- *Let's Go for a Drive!* (++) FIC WIL)
- *Happy Pig Day!* (++) FIC WIL)
- *I Really Like Slop!* (++) FIC WIL)

## Other Books for Young Children

- *Secret Pizza Party* by Adam Rubin. While raccoon is eating pizza at his secret pizza party, he sees a masquerade party going on in the house next door to him and joins the fun. (++) FIC RUB)
- *Mother Bruce* by Ryan T. Higgins. Bruce is a grumpy bear who likes no one and nothing but cooked eggs. But when some eggs he was planning to boil hatch and the goslings believe he is their mother, he must try to make the best of the situation. (++) FIC HIG)

## Two Books Featuring Pete the Cat

- *Pete the Cat and the Missing Cupcakes* by Kimberly and James Dean (++) FIC DEA)
- *Pete the Cat and the Cool Cat Boogie* by Kimberly and James Dean (++) FIC DEA)

This book for children encourages kindness to others. Look for the special label on the book cover.

- *We're All Wonders* by R.J. Palacio. Auggie knows he's not an ordinary kid. He does plenty of ordinary things. He feels ordinary. He just doesn't look ordinary. (++) FIC PAL)

Look for these additional books in our collection with the label “A Book that Encourages Kindness”:

- *A Sick Day for Amos McGee* by Philip C. Stead (++) FIC STE)
- *Last Stop on Market Street* by Matt De La Pena (+ FIC DEL)
- *The Invisible Boy* by Trudy Ludwig (+ FIC LUD)
- *Each Kindness* by Jacqueline Woodson (+ FIC WOO)
- *Rude Cakes* by Rowboat Watkins (++) FIC WAT)
- *How Full Is Your Bucket* by Tom Rath and Mary Reckmeyer (++) FIC RAT)
- *Those Shoes* by Maribeth Boelts (++) FIC BOE)

- *We All Sing with the Same Voice* by J. Philip Miller and Sheppard M. Greene (++) FIC MIL)
- *Ordinary Mary's Extraordinary Deed* by Emily Pearson (++) FIC PEA)

## Books for Youth

- *Real Friends* by Shannon Hale and LeUyen Pham. This graphic novel deals with the theme of friendship and bullying, a good topic for young people to read. (+ FIC HAL)
- *Lemons* by Melissa Savage. Lem and Tobin set out to capture the elusive creature, Bigfoot, on film. (+ FIC SAV)

## Page Turners Book Club

Interested in reading a good book? The Trinity Page Turners Book Club meets once a month during the school year. Books, both fiction and nonfiction, are chosen by the group to be read over the course of the school year. Brochures with next year's titles are available in the library.

The Book Club meets on the third Tuesday of each month (September through May) in the Trinity Library at 6:30 P.M. We have no special expectations to participate in this group. Please feel free to come whether you've finished the book or not. Talk if you want, or just listen. We hope to see you there!

On Tuesday, September 19, we will discuss *The Witches: Salem, 1692* by Stacy Schiff. It began in 1692, over an exceptionally raw Massachusetts winter, when a minister's daughter began to scream and convulse. It ended less than a year later, but not before 19 men and women had been hanged and an elderly man crushed to death.

As psychologically thrilling as it is historically seminal, *The Witches* is Stacy Schiff's account of this fantastical story—the first great American mystery unveiled fully for the first time by one of our most acclaimed historians.



# Social Ministries

## Christmas in July

Trinity is joining with other Lutheran churches in Eau Claire to celebrate "Christmas in July" by providing supplies for the Beacon House and the Sojourner House. The following lists are the "Top 10" most needed supplies for each house. Please place contributions in the appropriate bucket in the Trinity Lobby during the month of July.

There is also a cash opportunity for the Beacon House. Take one of the envelopes from the tree, and turn it in to the Trinity office or place it in the offering plate for matching funds. There are matching funds up to \$500 for money collected in the Christmas Tree envelopes!



- **Sojourner House:** rain ponchos, bus tokens, feminine hygiene products, sweat pants (sizes L, XL, 2X), toothpaste and toothbrushes, sunscreen, band-aids, razors, shaving cream, cereal.
- **Beacon House:** toilet bowl cleaner, general cleaners (Pine Sol and disinfectants), laundry soap, fabric softener sheets, deodorant, full size shampoo and conditioner, feminine hygiene products, garbage bags (kitchen and leaf), adult bus passes and tokens, and bath towels.

## Serving Others Locally

Trinity serves at the Sojourner House on the third Friday of each month from 6:30 P.M. to 9:30 P.M. They are always looking for additional volunteers to serve or to donate large fruit salads to be served with the meal. Sign up at the designated sheet at Clipboard Central. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the co-leaders Phyllis at 715.836.7055 or Sheila at 715.831.8982.

## May Food Pantry Statistics

- There were 18 pantries held in the month of May.
- Total visits were 752 families comprised of 2,656 individuals of which 846 were children.
- Trinity purchased 27,560 lbs. of food from Feed My People.
- Kwik Trip Pick-ups amounted to 1,785.5 lbs. of food.

## Food Pantry Help Needed

Interested in giving an hour a month to Trinity's Food Pantry? We are looking for a person to be at the food pantry from 9:15 A.M.–10:15 A.M. one Tuesday a month. Feed My People delivers our produce and milk on Tuesday mornings, and we need a person present when the truck arrives. If you are interested in donating one hour a month on a Tuesday morning or if you have any questions, please contact Food Pantry Coordinator Sharry Hebert at [sharry@trinity-ec.org](mailto:sharry@trinity-ec.org)

## Friends of Flynn School Supply Drive

As a reflection of our mission statement of "Serving in Christ's love and sharing the good news," Trinity has a wonderful partnership with Flynn Elementary School to help address the needs of children. Have you seen the great prices recently on all the school supplies that children need? If so, please consider purchasing some to give to children at the beginning of the school year. We are in need of folders, paper, bottles of white glue, small glue sticks, boxes of Kleenex facial tissue, child size Fiskar scissors, eight or ten count Crayola classic markers, erasers, yellow highlighters, red pens, and colored pencils. Most stores have a printed list near the supplies to help with your selection for Flynn students. The supplies can be dropped off at Trinity (lobby after worship; office during the week) beginning July 15 through August 14. Thank you!

## Flynn Elementary Thank You

To the dear people at Trinity Lutheran Church,

The Flynn students and I would like to thank you so much for the generous book donations this spring. Because of a schedule change, I am unable to produce a video, but we are no less thankful and impressed by the kindness of your congregation.

With thanks,

Julie Majkowski

### Overheard comments from students:

- "You mean they spend their own money to buy us these books?"
- "Wow, these people must be rich!"
- "I was sad because I had to hand in my book because Mrs. M needed it. Now I just found the same book!"
- "They gave us Minecraft books? Awesome!"



# Health Ministries

Summer is definitely here! After a cool and rainy May, we jumped right into hot and humid. You can always count on a variety of weather conditions in our state.

*Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice; let the sea roar, and all that fills it; let the fields exalt, and everything in it. Then shall all the trees of the forest sing for joy before the Lord... –Psalm 96:11-12*



While I was looking for a summer health topic on Google, I found an array of topics that almost made me wish for winter. According to the CDC, Wisconsin is one of the top Midwestern states for tick borne diseases of Lyme, ehrlichiosis, anaplasmosis, and babesiosis. Then there is sunburn, food poisoning, poison ivy, and the list goes on. So, instead of focusing on what to avoid, I am going to focus on the joys of summer that we can embrace.

Here is my summertime favorites list: Walking barefoot through the grass or on a sandy beach, fresh strawberries and watermelon, sweet corn and home grown tomatoes that taste like actual tomatoes, ice cream cones, the blaze of color from all the flowers, the lush green of the lawn after a rainfall, the sound of laughter during family get-togethers, Vacation Bible School, and going for a walk without worrying about slipping on ice. What is on your list? Slow down, look around, and enjoy the magnificence of God's creation right outside your front door.

Thank you to the blood donors and volunteers who helped make our Blood Drive on June 1 a success. Although we did not have as many donors as we wanted, we still did well and, when combined with our February drive, surpassed our usual spring total. This is always a team effort, and I appreciate each and every one of you who help.

Don't forget the monthly Healing Service. The next one will be Sunday, July 16, at 9:15 A.M. in the Chapel. Everyone is welcome! You can even just come to be still and pray.

I have to share a May experience. I was having an especially stressful couple of weeks with work and family. I kept trying to trust that God had a plan, but God wasn't getting things in place nearly quickly enough in my eyes. Then, no one showed up for the Healing Service. My first thought was disappointment. Then I thought about what I was going through. Hmmm... Okay God, I get the message. I spent that 30 minutes in quiet prayer and thought. I felt a whole lot better after that. Parish Nurses need healing, too.

Vicki Dueringer, Parish Nurse

## Reminder

Dementia Resources are available: Contact the Eau Claire County ADRC at 715.839.4735 if you or a loved one needs resources. They are experts and can help!

## Monthly Healing Service

Join us for our next Healing Service in the Trinity Chapel on Sunday, July 16. The service begins at 9:15 A.M. and is completed by 9:45 A.M. It is a brief service devoted to prayers for healing and comfort. It is for anyone who is in need of healing in body, mind, or spirit or who knows someone for whom they would like to pray.

## Home Communion Visitors Needed

Are you on a less structured, more leisurely schedule during the summer? This might be a great time to become oriented to the role of Home Communion Visitor. The training only takes two hours. You will then be paired with a homebound member who will enjoy your visits and access to regular communion. If you are interested in learning more, please contact Pat Garber at [garberpa@uwec.edu](mailto:garberpa@uwec.edu) or 715.835.5801.

## Blood Pressure Screening

Don't forget that on the second Sunday of each month between worship services, the Parish Nurse and her team of screeners offer blood pressure checks. Know your numbers!

## Feta Salsa

- 1/2 pound feta (cow's milk)
- 2/3 cup sundried tomatoes in oil
- 1/2 cup pitted Kalamata olives
- 2 tablespoons fresh dill
- 3 tablespoons flat-leaf parsley
- 2 scallions
- 1/4 cup olive oil

Crumble the feta into a bowl. Chop the tomatoes, olives, dill, and parsley and thinly slice the scallions. Gently mix the ingredients together and drizzle with a few tablespoons of olive oil, or to taste. Serve with crackers or flatbread.

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## World Missions

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Blantyre Lutheran Parish in Malawi, Africa  
Jacqueline & Patrick Bencke, Japan

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  - All submissions must be your own work. Any copyrighted material (code, images, or otherwise) must include written permission from the original source.
  - Deadline for the August Newsletter is Tuesday, July 18.