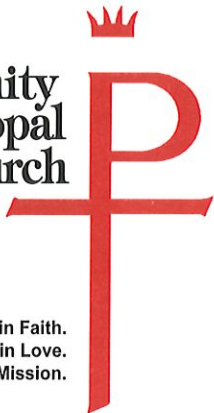


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Dear Beloved People of St. Peter's,

There are many things in our lives that have changed over the past 9 months. We lament the fact that we cannot meet with one another in person. We mourn those who have died. We pray for those whose lives have been disrupted by this pandemic. Yet, through it all, one thing has remained constant: your steadfast intention to make certain that people continue to receive a healthy hot meal every month.

Yes, Trinity Food Ministry's Sunday Hot Lunch has changed dramatically. Those chaotic, laughter filled 30 to 45 minutes where people flow quickly through the doors to make their place in line to be served a great meal by a large group of people who want only to share their love is postponed until a time unknown. Yet, the meal remains.

We have returned to the basics. Jesus said, "You feed them." And you do. Not only that, but you go further by making certain that items are collected for our Pantry.

In talking with another faithful community at Hot Lunch on Sunday, I realized how enormously grateful I am for everyone's steadfast devotion. Your intentional giving has continued in spite of all the pandemic-caused obstacles. There are many to thank, I know, but I wish to especially thank Bill and Jim Gilbert and all those who come to serve. The extra steps you have taken are a balm to my too-often anxious heart.

May God bless and keep you all until we meet again.

Love always. Always love.

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