



TRINITY
United Methodist Church

The Mountaintop



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Welcome to Trinity!

We pray that you experience the love, joy, and peace of Christ this morning.

We invite you to check out the website (trinityumc.net) to learn more about Trinity and to find out how to get involved.

At Trinity, our mission is “to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.” Our staff will be happy to answer any questions you may have – we are here for you. May God’s love refresh and inspire you today and always.

Please sign the pad in the Guest Book located in each pew. Whether a visitor or member, knowing that you worshipped with us this morning and in which of our services you were present helps us care for you better.

If you are interested in becoming a member of Trinity UMC...

Please contact Rev. Judy Oguich (joguich@trinityumc.net) or speak with one of the pastors. You can request a pastoral consult using the attendance pad in the guestbook when you sign in.

Kids in Worship

Trinity welcomes all kids in Worship. Worship Bags are available in the Welcome Center to help them engage with the service. *We ask that you return the Worship Bags to the Welcome Center after the service.*

During the 9 AM service, preschoolers and elementary aged kids may attend Kids Church - they will be dismissed from Worship at the beginning of the first song and they will return to the Sanctuary during the final song of the morning.

At 10 AM, kids are encouraged to come to Trinity Hall for Stay, Pray, and Play.

Technician(s)

9 AM: Laura Maher, Paul Larkum

11 AM: Leo Kirkpatrick

Acolytes

Candlelighters: Elise Vernon, Clara Vernon

Crucifer: Laurel Vernon

Liturgical or Special Day / Color

Transfiguration Sunday / White

Prayer... To submit your prayer request or to share a joy with our intercessory prayer chain, contact Rev. Judy Oguich (*joguich@trinityumc.net* or 288-6056 ext. 206). Over 50 persons have committed to praying for our community.

Trinity members and staff pray for the concerns and joys of your heart. If you have a request, fill out a green Pastoral Care Card or the white Trinity Care Team Card (*located in the Guest Book*) and drop it in the offering plate.

“I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone,” *1 Timothy 2:1*

Known Member Prayer Concerns

Carol Crowder
Juanita Woodson
Carole Dishman

Michael Morris
Margie Stahl

Madeline White
John Rollison

Jo Ann Brooks
Ellen Norris

Family and friends of Scott Umphlet (son of Terry and Wanda Umphlet)

Family and friends of Jill Riggs (sister of Joe Andrews)

Family and friends of Jane Burge

Community Prayer Concern

Members' loved ones: Miller Jenkins, Erik DeVriendt, Bobby Price, Jacob Clegg

Victims of war and violence

First Responders and Active Service Men and Women

Victims of extreme weather and natural disasters

All those dealing with extra anxiety from life situations



Flowers

The beautiful flowers in our services this morning are in loving memory of Vickie Argabright, given by her family.

Modern Worship

@ 9:00 AM

Entrance

Announcements

Dismiss to Kids Church

*Song *Everlasting God*

Welcome

*Opening Prayer

*Song *Knowing You*

*Passing the Peace

Proclamation and Response

*Scripture Matthew 17:1-9 Luke Helms

The Message *The Mountaintop* Rev. Daniel Guenther

Response to the Word Rev. Judy Oguich

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Thanksgiving

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

Doxology *Bless His Holy Name*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sending Forth

*Song *Is He Worthy?*

*Benediction

** Please stand as you are able*

Traditional Worship

@ 11 AM

Entrance

Chiming the Hour

Announcements

Prelude

Welcome

***Call to Worship**

written by Richard Bott, posted <http://liturgy.richardbott.com/>

*God touches the world,
and the world changes.*

*God touches us,
and we are transformed.*

*In the brightest of day,
in the deepest of night,
on mountain,
in valley,
everywhere.*

**In this time, together,
we invite God
to open our eyes
to the transformation
of our lives.**

*And through the change –
we worship God. Alleluia!*

***Processional Hymn**

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Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies

***Opening Prayer**

adapted from post on <http://revgalblogpals.blogspot.ca/>

**Holy One,
We come before you,
many of us feeling like
we have climbed just a part of the mountain,
and there is so much more of a climb left
to even get to dream
that we might be dazzled by what is Divine.**

(continued)

*Opening Prayer (*continued*)

**Our loads are heavy,
with worry, with regret,
with fatigue, with illness,
with despair for all in the world
that is hurting, in danger, in bondage and more.**

**Lead us Lord,
to the top of that mountain,
where we might be dazzled by your Light,
lifted by what is Divine,
filled by the sheer delight
of what is numinous and ethereal
and grounded and real.**

**We pray this,
for ourselves, for one another,
and for the worlds in which we live. Amen.**

*Passing the Peace:
May the peace of Christ be with you. And also with you.

Proclamation and Response

Anthem *Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory*

*Scripture Matthew 17:1-9 Colleen Messick

*Gloria Patri UMH 70
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The Message *The Mountaintop* Rev. Daniel Guenther

Response to the Word

**Holy God, we have gone about our lives as a people in shadow.
Take us to the mountaintop now.**

**Pull back from us the gray rain curtain of this world,
and show us your holy Kingdom,
in which mercy and justice are one.**

in which mercy and justice are one.
And then send us down again,
that as the sanctified citizens of your land,
we might give ourselves to the world, as you have

Amen

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

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Thanksgiving

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology

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The Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sending Forth

*Hymn

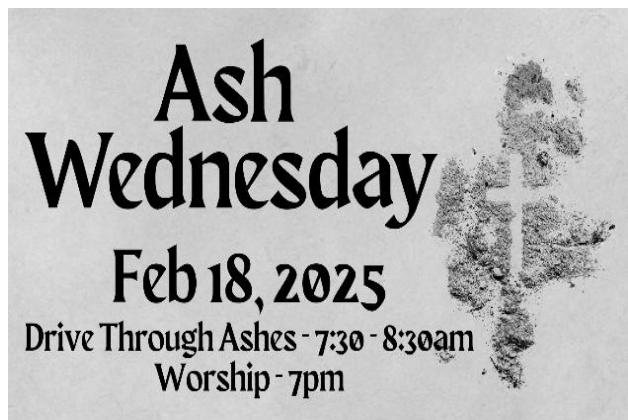
O Wondrous Sight! O Vision Fair

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*Benediction

*Postlude

** Please stand as you are able*



This Week

TODAY	9 AM	Modern Worship
2/15	10 AM	Discipleship/Sunday School
	11 AM	Traditional Worship
	12:30 PM	Confirmation Class – <i>Student Center</i>
	5 PM	Youth Group – <i>Student Center</i>
	7 PM	Trustees Meeting – <i>Room 323</i>
Monday:		CLOSED for President's Day Holiday
2/16	7 PM	Dillard Bible Study Group (<i>Online Only</i>)
Tuesday:	9:30 AM	United Women in Faith Circle 1 – <i>Student Center</i>
2/17	5:45 PM	Connect Team Meeting
	6 PM	Pickleball – <i>Trinity Hall</i>
Wednesday:	7:30-8:30 AM	Ash Wednesday Drive Through Ashes
2/18	9 AM - 4 PM	Personal Prayer and Reflection – <i>Chapel</i>
	5:15 PM	Long Range Planning Meeting – <i>Room 323</i>
	7 PM	Ash Wednesday Service - <i>Sanctuary</i>
Thursday:	9 AM – 4 PM	Trinity Stitchers – <i>Room 323</i>
2/19	10 AM	United Women in Faith Circle 7 – <i>Student Center</i>
	6 PM	Pastor Daniel's Bible Study – <i>Room 323</i>
Friday:	9 AM - 2 PM	Food Collection – <i>Trinity Hall</i>
2/20		
Saturday:	8 AM-5 PM	Upward Basketball Games – <i>Trinity Hall</i>
2/21		

Go to our website for gatherings, events, and details: www.trinityumc.net/calendar

YOUNG AT HEART WELCOMES...



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22

● Live performance!

Time: 3:00pm Location: Trinity Hall

Join us in Trinity Hall for a special a cappella concert from this 30+ voice choir performing gospel, country, patriotic, classics, and more!

Building Trinity's Roadmap

Sunday, March 8

-10am Combined Worship
-11am Listening Session
followed by
lunch

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