



TRINITY
United Methodist Church

March 23, 2025



**WHAT IS
GOOD**

MARCH 23, 2025



Rev. Brian D. Siegle, Pastor

Rev. Daniel W. Guenther, Associate Pastor

Rev. Judy C. Oguich, Minister of Congregational Care

Dr. Daniel E. Parks, Director of Music Ministries

Laura Candler-White, Organist

Jen Williams, Director of Kids Ministries

Kenzel Pugh, Assistant Director of Student Ministries

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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 we would like to know that you worshipped with us this morning, and which of our services you attended.

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

Please contact Rev. Daniel Guenther at dguenther@trinityumc.net.

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.*

After the Kids Moment at each service, preschoolers and elementary aged kids may attend Kids Worship in the Chapel. They return to the Sanctuary during the offering.

Technicians

J. C. Brooks, Paul Larkum (9 AM)

Paul Brooks (11 AM)

Acolytes (11 AM)

Candlelighters–Ashby Belding, Kennedy Buchanan Crucifer–Ginny Kirkpatrick

Liturgical or Special Day / Color

3rd Sunday in Lent and Confirmation Sunday / Purple

Prayer... To submit your prayer request or to share a joy with our intercessory prayer chain, contact 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

Jane Hobeika

Gail Turner

Bonnie Andrews

Shari Adams

The Family of Jody McWilliams

The Family of Jane Cunningham (sister of Vickie Argabright)

Community Prayer Concern

Trinity members' loved ones: Miller Jenkins, Erik DeVriendt

First Responders and Active Service Men and Women

Victims of extreme weather and natural disasters

Victims of war and violence

All those dealing with extra anxiety from life situations

❖ **Modern Worship, 9:00 AM**

† **Traditional Worship, 11:00 AM**

Entrance

†Chiming the Hour

Welcome

Rev. Brian Siegle

†Prelude

I Will Arise and Go To Jesus

arr. Sorensen

*Call to Worship

adapted from Isaiah 55:1-3

*Come, let us walk in the light of the Lord,
all of you who are thirsty, come to the water!*

Whoever has no money, come, buy food and eat!

Without money, at no cost, buy wine and milk!

*Why spend money for what isn't food,
and your earnings for what doesn't satisfy?*

Eat what is good; enjoy the richest of feasts.

Listen and come to God; Listen, and you will live.

God will make an everlasting covenant with you,

as we worship today,

may God sustain us for the journey which begins today.

❖ *Song

Be Thou My Vision

†*Hymn

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

UMH 340

Opening Prayer

Rev. Judy Oguich

Holy God, we thank you for the gift of today.

**We thank you for your creating, redeeming, and sustaining love,
which gives us life, joy, hope, and peace.**

**Move in this place today, that we might feel your presence,
and know that no matter what,
we are your people, and you are our God. Amen.**

*Passing the Peace

May the Lord be with you.

And also with you.

❖ *Song

I Surrender All (verse 3)

†*Hymn

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

UMH 140

Dismiss to Kid's Church

Proclamation and Response

†Responsive Psalter

Psalm 63

UMH 788

Scripture

Isaiah 55:1-9

Ashley Marshall (9:00)
Mary Beth Utley (11:00)

†*Gloria Patri

UMH 70

Sermon

What Is Good

Rev. Daniel Guenther

Confirmation

William Warren Anderson

Nicole Eva Murphy

Caroline Elisabeth Beck

Owen Martin Murphy

Hannah Maher Huss

Hudson Dean Lankford Pierce

August Ocean Irvin

Elise Cary Vernon (*Baptism*)

Lucy Shepherd Jancristoforo

Laurel Jean Vernon

Eva Blair Larkum

Arden Greer Maxine Vickrey (*Baptism*)

Ailynn Nicole LeReche

Atticus Hollowell Vickrey (*Baptism*)

Presentation of Candidates

Renunciation of Sin and Profession of Faith

Baptism and Confirmation of Faith

Reception Into the Local Congregation

*Do you, as Christ's body, the Church,
reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ?*

We do.

*Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life
and include these persons now before you in your care?*

**With God's help we will proclaim the good news
and live according to the example of Christ.**

**We will surround these persons with a community
of love and forgiveness, that they may grow
in their trust of God, and be found faithful
in their service to others.**

**We will pray for them, that they may be true disciples
who walk in the way that leads to life.**

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Commendation and Welcome

*Members of the household of God,
I commend these persons to your love and care.
Do all in your power to increase their faith, confirm their hope,
and perfect them in love.*

**We give thanks for all that God has already given you
and we welcome you in Christian love.**

**As members together with you in the body of Christ
and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church,
we renew our covenant faithfully to participate
in the ministries of the Church by our prayers, our presence,
our gifts, our service, and our witness
that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.**

The Lord's Prayer

UMH 895

Thanksgiving

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

◊ Offertory

Jesus Walked That Lonesome Valley

† Offertory

Peace I Leave With You

Amy Beach

*Doxology

UMH 95

Sending Forth

◊ *Song

We Will Feast in the House of Zion

† *Hymn

We Walk By Faith (vs. 1-4)

TFWS 2196

*Benediction

† *Postlude

** Please stand as you are able*



Events and Meetings This Week

TODAY:	9 AM	Modern Worship Service
	10 AM	Discipleship / Sunday School Classes
	10 AM	Family Easter Event (Room 300)
	11 AM	Traditional Worship Service
	5-7 PM	Youth Group (Student Center)
Monday	9:30 AM	Monday Morning Bible Study (Room 323)
	11:45 AM	Monday Prayer Group (Chapel)
	7 PM	Dillard Bible Study Group (ZOOM)
Tuesday	6-8 PM	Pickleball (Trinity Hall)
Wednesday	1:30 PM	Pastor's Bible Study (Room 323)
	3 PM	Chair Yoga (Welcome Center)
	6-7:30 PM	3M Study Group (Room 317)
	6:30 PM	Praise Team Rehearsal
	7:30 PM	Trinity Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	9:50 AM	Ivy Whackers
 <p>Ivy Whackers Need Help Thursday, March 27 Starting at 9:50 AM Lunch provided at Noon!</p>		<p>Meet at 9:50 AM behind Trinity Hall off the Stuart Hall Road parking lot entrance, as we will prepare to attack the ivy which has overtaken trees and other areas.</p> <p>Bring work gloves, lopping shears, foldable saws or cutting tools, small crowbars, rakes and tarps (suitable for pulling debris). Weather appropriate work clothing... long sleeves a must. Lunch will be provided.</p>
<p><i>Contact the church office to sign up, and let us know if you will be staying for lunch as we need a head count. For more information contact Bruce Leaman at ricturfman@aol.com or Bill Pike at bpike@trinityumc.net</i></p>		
	6 PM	Pastor Daniel's Bible Study (Room 323)
Friday	9 AM – 2 PM	Friday Food Collection (Trinity Hall)



Upcoming Events

3/30



Trinity's Treasures

Consecration Sunday

During the worship services we will have a moment to consecrate the commitments received during this campaign.

We ask that you submit your estimates of giving on or before this date.

4/4

12 Noon

Scholarship Applications Due

Trinity Foundation Scholarship Applications are now available in the Welcome Center and online at www.trinityumc.net/students.

Complete the form and return it Paula at pcadden@trinityumc.net along with your essay and a letter of recommendation.

4/7

9:30 AM-12 PM Jill's Blankets

2 -4 PM Jill's Blankets

6-8 PM Jill's Blankets



The mission of Jill's Blankets is to love and care for those undergoing chemotherapy treatment by making and delivering fleece blankets to as many patients as we can.

Join us on Monday, April 7 for our annual Spring blanket making event at Trinity United Methodist Church. Sign up at jillsblankets.org

We have THREE blanket making sessions, so find the time that works best for you. No sewing experience needed.

4/10

10 AM

United Women in Faith Service Day (Trinity Hall)



Daily Lenten Devotionals are located in the Welcome Center and the Narthex.

Emailed Daily Devotions are also available.

Use the QR code to sign up!



Easter Flower Tribute Forms are located in the foyers and the Welcome Center.

Please fill one out and return (with your check in the amount of \$20) to the Church office (Paula Cadden), or place in the offering plate.

The deadline is Tuesday, April 8.