



TRINITY
United Methodist Church



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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), speak with one of the pastors, or note 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: J. C. Brooks, Paul Larkum

11 AM: Sasha and Polina Runyan

Acolytes

Candlelighters: Clara Vernon, Adeline Vernon

Crucifer: Laurel Vernon

Liturgical or Special Day / Color

Baptism of the Lord 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

Pat Tribble

Michael Morris

Juanita Woodson

The family and friends of Nancy Knight

The family and friends of Jesse Benton (father of Colby Benton)

The family and friends of Thomas Sanne (father of Jay Sanne)

The family and friends of Anne McWilliams

The family and friends of Jimmy Maxwell (brother-in-law of Anne Burch and Nancy Miller)

The family and friends of Vickie Argabright

Community Prayer Concern

Members' loved ones: Miller Jenkins, Erik DeVriendt, Bobby Price, Matt Dunkle, 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 Anne McWilliams, given by her family.

Modern Worship

@ 9:00 AM

Entrance

Welcome

Rev. Daniel Guenther

Dismiss to Kids Church

*Song *Days of Elijah*

*Song *Down to the River to Pray*

*Opening Prayer

*Passing the Peace

Proclamation and Response

*Scripture Matthew 3:13-17

The Brock Family

The Message *To the River*

Rev. Brian Siegle

The Nicene Creed

Rev. Judy Oguich

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Thanksgiving

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory *Take Me to the Water*

Doxology *Bless His Holy Name*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sending Forth

*Song *Build My Life*

*Benediction

**** Please stand as you are able***

Traditional Worship

@ 11 AM

Entrance

Chiming the Hour

Welcome

Rev. Daniel Guenther

Prelude

***Call to Worship**

Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings,

ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

Ascribe to the Lord the glory of God's name,

worship the Lord in holy array.

The voice of the Lord is upon the water.

The God of glory thunders, the Lord upon many waters.

The voice of the Lord is powerful.

The voice of God is full of majesty.

Let us praise the name of the Lord!

***Processional Hymn**

UMH 158

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

***Opening Prayer**

Nathan Decker, 2011

Great God of waves and flames,

are we wet enough to burn brightly?

As we gather today to celebrate the baptism of our Lord

set your seal upon our hearts,

wash our sin-stained robes righteous,

and cool our tempers and angers

while fueling our desire for justice.

Make us be living water and living flames

to give relief to those who thirst

and to bring light to those who sit in darkness.

As you did in Elijah's day,

rain down flames upon us, O God,

so that we may we wet enough to burn brightly.

Amen.

***Hymn**

When Jesus Came to Jordan

UMH 252

***Passing the Peace:**

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

Proclamation and Response

Anthem	<i>Down to the River to Pray</i>	<i>Traditional American Song</i>
*Scripture	Matthew 3:13-17	Carol Wampler
*Gloria Patri		UMH 71 <i>GREATOREX</i>
The Message	<i>To the River</i>	Rev. Brian Siegle
The Nicene Creed		Rev. Judy Oguich
Commissioning of the Medical Mission Team to Honduras		
Prayers of the People		
The Lord's Prayer		UMH 895

Thanksgiving

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology	UMH 94 <i>LASST UNS ERFREUEN</i>
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The Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sending Forth

*Hymn	<i>On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand</i>	UMH 724
*Benediction		
*Postlude		

Mail Call for Honduras!

Our Medical Mission Team trip to Honduras takes place January 17 - 25.

One of the highlights of our mission team's day is receiving mail.

We invite you to consider writing a note of support to each of our team members – whether you know them or not. **A note of encouragement goes a long way!**

Please have notes to Judy Oguich by Tuesday, January 13.

Names of those serving:

Nicole Myers
Virginia Rhines
Kristen Powell
Joseph Thompson

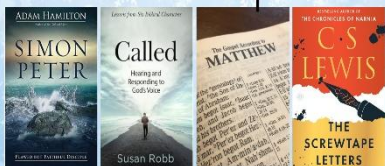
McKenzie Myers
Mark Shreve
Daniel Guenther

Karson Girvin
Linda Hart
Chris Morris

Wendy Mallory
Roger Hart, Sr.
Keith Gargiulo

Thank you in advance for supporting our Medical Team to Honduras!

Winter Studies - Open to All!



Monday Morning - Hamilton's *Simon Peter* - Mondays at 9:30am beginning Jan 12
Dillard Study (Zoom) - Robb's *Called* - Mondays at 7:00pm beginning Jan 12
Pastor Brian - Gospel of Matthew - Wednesdays at 1:30pm beginning Jan 14
Pastor Daniel - The Screwtape Letters - Thursdays at 6:30pm beginning Jan 8

Young at Heart

Welcomes Bill Pike

Tuesday, January 20
2-3:30pm | Trinity Hall
Refreshments Provided



TRINITY TRIP TO: U OF R / DAVIDSON BASKETBALL GAME

Saturday, January 31
Transport from Trinity available
Scan for more info & ticket link:



2026 Confirmation

Orientation: Sunday, February 1

E-mail Pastor Daniel at students@trinityumc.net
by January 18 to learn more or sign up



This Week

TODAY 1/11	9 AM	Modern Worship
	10 AM	Discipleship/Sunday School
	11 AM	Traditional Worship
	5 PM	Transit – <i>Welcome Center</i>
	5 PM	Youth Group – <i>Student Center</i>
	7 PM	Finance Committee – <i>Room 323</i>
Monday: 1/12	11:45 AM	Monday Prayer Group - <i>Chapel</i>
	2 PM	Anne McWilliams Service and Reception
	5 PM	Connect Team Meeting - <i>Parlor</i>
	7 PM	Dillard Bible Study Group - <i>Online</i>
Tuesday: 1/13	5:45 PM	Pub Theology @ WayGone Brewery
	6 PM	Pickleball – <i>Trinity Hall</i>
Wednesday: 1/14	1:30 PM	Pastor's Bible Study – <i>Room 323</i>
	6 PM	3M Bible Study – <i>Room 317</i>
	6:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal – <i>Choir Room</i>
	7:30 PM	Praise Team Rehearsal - <i>Sanctuary</i>
Thursday: 1/15	9 AM - 4 PM	Trinity Stitchers – <i>Room 323</i>
	6 PM	Pastor Daniel's Bible Study – <i>Room 323</i>
	6:30 PM	United Women in Faith Circle 7 meet at The Greek Tarvena
Friday: 1/16	9 AM - 2 PM	Food Collection – <i>Trinity Hall</i>
Saturday: 1/17		Honduras Medical Mission Team Departs
	8 AM-5 PM	Upward Basketball Games – <i>Trinity Hall</i>

January 19

Office Closed for MLKJr Holiday

January 20 (2 PM)

Young at Heart Gathering
with Bill Pike

**COMING
SOON!**

January 31 (4:30 PM) Trinity Goes to UR/Davidson Basketball Game

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