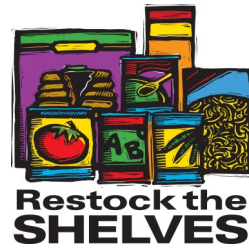


UPS Back Pack Program

Don't forget that each month we are going to Restock the Shelves for the Union Primary School Back Pack Program with a specific kind of food. There are two food items for the Month of May. They are Chef Boyardee canned pop top meals and Peanut Butter.



During the month of June, Granola Bars and Raisins will be collected.

2019 High School and College Graduates

We will be celebrating our graduates on Sunday June 2nd (2 weeks) at our Fellowship Dinner. Please let the church office know the Names of our Church Family's 2019 High School and College Graduates. We want to be able to honor and celebrate their accomplishments at this gathering. Feel free to contact Robert or leave a message on the answering machine.

Memorial Gifts

The following have made donations in honor of James Douglas Cooper, Sr.:
Kyle and Bobbie Cooper of Kingsport, TN
Fred and Margaret Van Bever of Melbourne, FL
Robert and Dorothy Isaac of Norton, VA
M. S. and T. B. Barge of Melbourne, FL
Peggy Beverly
Lloyd and Cecilia Robinette

Thank You

The fundraising efforts during the spaghetti dinner were a great success! A total of \$1,278 was collected for Jacob and Andrew Goodman. The Costa Rica trip costs \$1,300 per person. A special thank you to each of you that brought food, helped serve, set up, stayed to fellowship, gave what they could, and helped clean. The donation of your time, your funds, your love, and your prayers are so very precious and greatly appreciated.

Special Offering

This Sunday and next, a special conference offering will be collected to award Grants to fund local church ministries dealing with Recovery from Opioid Addiction. (please see insert)

Here is the Union Primary School Food List for 2019:

Jan —Pop Tarts	Feb —Nabs/Chips	Mar —Microwave Popcorn
Apr --Ramen Noodles	May -Chef Boyardee	Jun —Granola Bars/Raisins
Jul —Single Serve Fruit	Aug -Breakfast Cereal	Sep —Macaroni and Cheese
Oct —Canned Soup	Nov —Juice Boxes	Dec —Canned Meat

Peanut Butter — May & November

Please keep this list in a handy place and buy these items for the months they are listed. If an item is coming up soon and its on sale, that is a good time to buy some. Then just hang on to them and bring them to the church during the correct month.



In Honor

of

JESSEE HAGAN

&

MORGAN PIENKA

Please

Join us

June 1, 2019

11:00 am to 1:00 pm

At

Trinity United Methodist Church

R.S.V.P.

Nancy Toney

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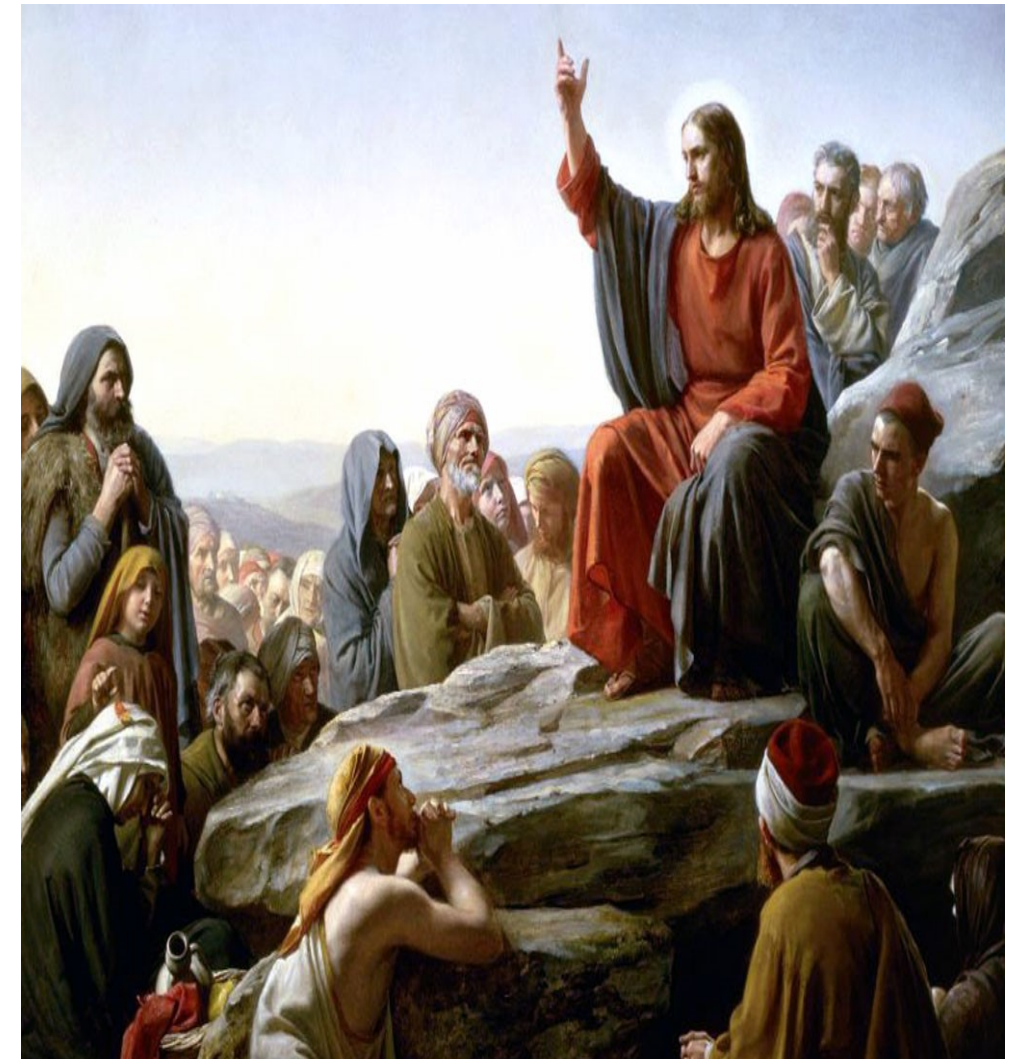
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The Trinity Companion

Sunday May 26, 2019



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203 E 1st St, South

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Worship begins at 11:00 am

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Greeters—Lana Prater & John Hagan

Announcements—Diane Botts

Prelude: Memorial Day Hymn by Rick Graham

Lighting of the Altar Candles: Jaxon Anderson & Maverick Webb

***Opening Hymn:** God of the Ages No. 698

Pastoral Welcome

***Statement of Faith:** As found on No. 881

A Time for Morning Prayer

Mission Moment: Support Holston Annual Conference

Prayer of Confession and Pardon

Lord, we *confess* that we suffer from being “poor in Spirit”

We have eyes to see “the poor in Spirit” suffering addiction, neglect, hunger, and homelessness.

Open the eyes of our soul to see that you also promise the Kingdom of Heaven to the least of these!

Lord, we confess that what we see causes us to grieve and mourn. To be honest, it fills us with fear and often angers us!

We feed hungry children. We help with utility bills. We clothe the naked. We pay their rent.

Open the ears of our souls to hear the least of these crying for “righteousness.”

Lord, we confess that we seek Justice, but too often choose to follow the way of the World.

Lord, you told us what you require: Seek Justice; Love Mercy; Walk Humbly with your God.

Open our hearts and minds to comprehend that The Merciful always sees a bit of self in their neighbor.

Lord’s Prayer No. 895



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The Presentation of God’s Tithes and Our Offering

Prayer of Blessing

Ushers: Sandra Rich, Dana Barlow, Kathleen Gillespie, & Phil Robbins

Offertory Music: I Vow to Thee My Country by Gustav Holst from “The Planets”

***Doxology** As found at No. 95



Children’s Message: Christy Smith

Anthem: The Holy City

***Scripture Reading:** Matthew 5: 7 Rob Moore

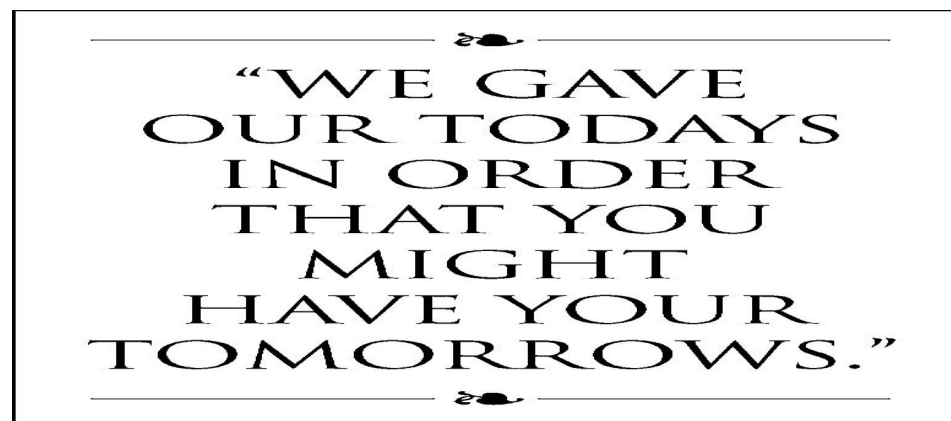
Homily: Be Merciful Like Jesus

***Closing Hymn:** America the Beautiful No. 696

Pastoral Benediction

Postlude: Kneel Where Our Loves Are Sleeping (A Civil War Era Hymn of Remembrance) by Nella Sweet

*Indicates that you may stand, as you are able.
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Be merciful,
JUST AS YOUR FATHER
is merciful.
LUKE 6:36

Important dates to keep on your calendar.....

- May 26— 5:00 pm UMYF canceled
- May 27— 6:30 pm The Good and Beautiful Life Study Group
- May 28—11:00 am Ugly Mug Study Group
- May 29— 6:00 pm Bible Study
7:00 pm Choir Practice
- June 1—11:00 am Wedding Shower for Jessee Hagan & Morgan Pientka
- June 2—12:30 pm Graduate Fellowship Meal
5:00 pm UMYF
- June 3— 6:30 pm The Good and Beautiful Life Study Group
- June 4—11:00 am Ugly Mug Study Group
7:00 pm NOW Team Meeting
- June 5— 6:00 pm Bible Study
7:00 pm Choir Practice
- June 6—11:00 am Susanna Wesley/Wesleyan Circle
- June 9— 5:00 pm UMYF
7:00 pm Administrative Board Meeting
- June 10— 6:30 pm The Good and Beautiful Life Study Group
6:30 pm UMM Meeting