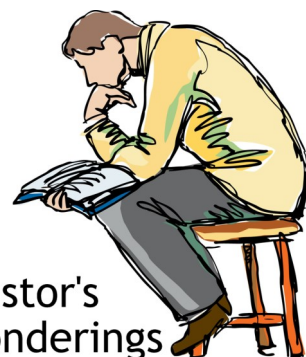


NOW Team will Meet on TUESDAY!!!

Due to the holiday coming on the first Monday in September, we will be moving the NOW Team meeting to TUESDAY night this month. There are several major items that we will be discussing: PVPS Back Pack Project, MECC Bottled Water Give Away, COPE Team-Stew, Soup, Chili and Dessert meal, and a Laundry Love ministry. EVERYONE is invited to come and be a part of this Team. Your input will help us with the ministry direction of our church. There are a LOT of things that we will be doing prior to year's end. Your involvement will make these ministry opportunities more impactful on our church and community.



Pastor's Ponderings

Staff Pastor Parish Relations Committee to Meet Sept 15th

The SPPRC will meet at 6:30 pm on Tuesday Sept 15th. Members of the Committee are: Skip Skinner, Chair, Martha Spurlock, Lay Leader, Alberta Mitchel, Lay Member of Annual Conference, Rob Moore, Dianne Botts, Jackie Mainous, Donnie Ratliff, Angie Clendenon, Chris Higgins, and Ann Whittaker.

Nominations Team is Working on Church Leadership List

The Nominations Team members are currently in prayer as to who God might want our new leaders for 2016 and beyond to be. Team members have been given a nominations slate and asked to prayerfully consider who might be the best person for the various positions of leadership that must be filled. Each member will turn their suggested slate of nominees into the pastor next Sunday. The pastor will combine all the names from the various slates into a master list of nominees. The Team will then meet on Sunday August 20th to make the initial round of nominations.

If you want to be considered for a leadership role or if you wish to have your name removed from consideration, then please contact the pastor and let him know your desires.

Also, please be in prayer for the members of the Nominations Team: Pastor Goodman, Chairperson: Alberta Mitchell, Dell Williams, Kim Parsons, Cindy Ashley, Don Shorter, Sandra Rich, Cathy Galyean and Lucy Robinson.

Administrative Board Meets Next Sunday

The Administrative Board will meet next Sunday, September 13th @ 7:00 pm. All members of the Board are asked to attend.

You can sponsor a bulletin. For \$15, we can put color on one side and for \$25 we can put color on both sides. Contact the office to see if the Sunday you want is available.

This Bulletin is sponsored by...

Help With PVPS Back Pack Project

Next weekend is the first of two weekends during which we will concentrate our efforts as a church on collecting food for the Powell Valley Primary School Back Pack Project and money for the Appalachian Elementary School Warm Hearts program. This will be our third year of participation in this important activity. The first two years, our efforts have been concentrated in late winter/early spring. This year, we chose to wait until the fall months for our collection efforts.

Here is how the process will work. On Saturday morning September 12th, we will gather at the church beginning at 9:00 a.m. From the church we will go to the homes in the neighborhood around our church and at each home we will leave a small door hanger with information about what we are doing. Hopefully, we will get a person to answer the door so that we can engage him or her in conversation. If not, then we can leave a hanger on the door. Basically, the hanger will ask them to leave a bag of groceries or a check on their door step the following Saturday and we will come by and pick them up and distribute them to the schools.

The second weekend is the more labor intensive weekend. We are going to collect the food bags. We will then bring them back to the church. We will count the items and then sort them and deliver them, at some point the following week, to the Powell Valley Primary School or to the Appalachia Elementary School.

The church needs for you to get involved in this process. There are things that need to be done on both weekends and also the mid-week delivery. Please take a moment to decide how you can get involved. Mark this item on your calendar. Pray for our efforts and then show up to help out. You will be blessed. I know I have been each of the two previous years.

Pastor and Family Going to Tennessee After Church Today

Since there is no school tomorrow, the pastor and his family are going for a quick visit to his mom's in Louisville. We will be leaving right after church and returning home tomorrow evening. Call him on his cell phone if there is an emergency: (304) 960-4438.

The Trinity Companion Sunday September 6, 2015



Jesus Removes Demons

Trinity United Methodist Church

203 E 1st St, South—POB 217
Big Stone Gap, VA 24219

Worship begins at 11:00 am

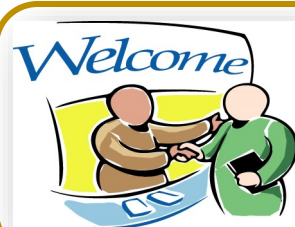
Pastor—Rev. Terry Goodman

Office: (276) 523-0789

Text Only : (760) 621-8264

Email: trinityumcpastor@gmail.com

www.trinityumc-bsg.net



Let me tell you how glad we are to have you at our worship service today. We hope that you will encounter the presence of the risen Christ. Please feel free to join in any of the activities or events that you see mentioned. Please come back and worship with us again!

Greeters: Kathleen Gillespie and Peggy Beverly

Prelude

Announcements, Welcome, and Introduction : Diane Botts

Call to Worship: "Majesty"

*** Opening Hymn:** "I Stand Amazed in the Presence" No. 371

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

(You will be given an opportunity to share joys and prayer concerns. Please raise your hand and wait until an usher comes to you with a microphone.)

Gloria Patri No. 70

Children's Message Patty Robbins

The Presentation of God's Tithe and Our Offerings

Ushers: Patty Robbins, Alberta Mitchell, Pat Bowden, Patty Lynn Cooper

*** The Doxology** No. 95

Musical Offering: "The Gift of Love"

The Presentation of God's Word

Scripture: Mark 7:24-37 Phil Robbins

Lector: The Word of the Lord for the people of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon : "Jesus KO's a Woman?"

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

(Please join in the ritual as it begins on page 12 in your hymnal.)

Communion Stewards: Lloyd and Cecilia Robinette, Martha and Kenny Spurlock

*** Closing Hymn:** "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" No. 381

*** Pastoral Benediction :** "Through It All"

Postlude:

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



The Trinity Tribune

A Publication of Trinity United Methodist Church
Volume 4 No. 36 Sunday September 6, 2015

Circle Meetings

Sunday, September 20th
5:00 pm—Asbury Circle

Church Office Closing

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, September 7th in observance of Labor Day.

Now Team Meeting

The NOW Team will be meeting o Tuesday, September 8th at 6:30 pm.

Kids In Christ

Kinds in Christ will be meeting on Sunday, September 13th right after the church service.

September Meetings and Activities

—Monday, September 7,2015

—Office Closed

—Tuesday, September 8, 2015

—630 pm—NOW Team Mtg.

—Wednesday, September 9, 2015

—6:00 pm—Prayer Circle

—7"00 pm—Choir Practice

Monday, September 14, 2015

—6:30 pm—UMM

UYMF Meeting

The UYMF will be meeting today at 5:00 pm.

Prayer Circle

The Prayer Circle will be meeting on Wednesday September 9th at 6:00 pm.



Financial Snapshot

The Administrative Board thinks that it is important that we give you a weekly Financial Snapshot. Here are some figures to ponder:

Funds need for HVAC Units.....\$ 5,800
Current Balance Forward Trinity Maintenance:\$ 5,802
Money Given to General Fund
Budgeted Need to Date\$106,446
Actual Amount Given to Date \$104,418



"I HAVE NOT STOPPED GIVING THANKS FOR YOU, REMEMBERING YOU IN MY PRAYERS."

EPHESIANS 1:16, NIV

For Those with Cancer:

James Horne; Robin (Rita Nash's Daughter); Barbara Polly; Debbie Cooper; Wilma Nein; Phyllis Gilley; Melody (Mellie) Gilley; Doris Berta; Sandra Rich; Dennis Qualls; Kathy Hirsch (Larry and Teddy Bland's daughter)

Facing or Recovering from Surgery or Hospital Stay

Beth Hagan; Becky Clark; Helen Cochran; Mary Warner; Liz Ashley; Don Whittaker; T. R Davidson; Janice Mohn

Non-Specific Prayers for:

Brownie Polly; Dagni Spurlock; Virginia Sigmon; Geneva Allen; Jim Gates; Fred Vanbever; Jennie Shupe; Hope Meade; Matt Carroll; Jim Cooper; Melvin Carter; Kenny Spurlock's mother; George Gose; Bill & Jean Hendrick; Peggy Bates; Marion Kocher; Bob Horne

- Pray for our Pastor and the Leaders of our church.
- Pray for the Leaders of the United Methodist Church.
- Pray for those in the Church in need.

If you know that someone on the prayer list has passed away, please contact the church office.

September 2015						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

UYMF meets Sunday nights at 5:00 pm for a meal and 5:30 pm for meeting. Choir meets each Wednesday at 7:00 pm