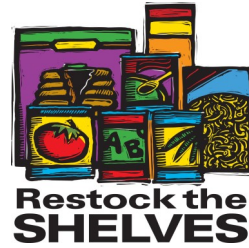


UPS Back Pack Program

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. The food item for September is Chef Boyardee Spaghetti O's or Ravioli.



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The Trinity Companion
Sunday September 8, 2019

Administrative Board

The Administrative Board will be meeting this evening at 7 pm.

Parsonage Group

Monday night's parsonage study group will begin the third book, *Good & Beautiful Community*, at 6:30 pm.

Methodist Men

Methodist Men will have their monthly meal and meeting Monday evening at 6:30 pm.

Weekly Study Group

The weekly study groups on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday will meet as scheduled.

Memorials

Trinity has received Memorial Gifts from The Allen Family, Dorothy Allen, Ruben & Nancy Allman, John & Rebecca Austin, Peggy Beverly, Karen Collier, Dr. Larry & Betty Fleenor, Mary Susan Miles, Jimmy & Nancy Kilgore, Kenny & Martha Spurlock, and Chris & Becky Stapleton.

The gifts were lovingly made in the names of following: Ben Allen, Jim Cooper, S. F. Crabtree, Debbie Gillespie, and Ernest & Mary Moore.

Here is the New Union Primary School Food List :

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| Jan —Breakfast Cereal | Feb —Single Serve Fruit | Mar —Mac n Cheese |
| Apr —Juice Boxes | May —Juice Boxes | June —Cash Donation |
| July —Cash Donation | August —Soup | Sept —Chef Boyardee |
| Oct —Ramen Noodles | Nov —Breakfast Bars | Dec —Juice Boxes |

Food Notes: *Soup (Chicken Noodle or Tomato) *Chef Boyardee (Spaghetti O's or Ravioli) *Ramen Noodles (Chicken or Beef) *Breakfast Bars (Apple/Cinnamon or Strawberry) *Cereal (Small bulk bag 7-9 servings) *Single Serve Fruit (Pears, Peaches, or Fruit Cocktail) *Mac n Cheese (Individual servings) *Juice Boxes (Apple or Grape)

Our Journey to God's Destination
Landmark 2: The Ten Commandments
(Life Applications)

"I need." Jesus teaches us to pray, "Give us our daily bread..." Daily bread speaks of the basic essentials that sustain and nurture the body. Take time this week to list these needs. Afterwards, give God thanks for having received "daily bread."

"I want." Power. Achievement. Community. These are like a double edged sword. These motivators drive us to be creators who reflect the image of the Creator. We work together to create what we want that comforts us. Togetherness requires giving and receiving. God is love. Love always gives and receives. Jesus teaches us to pray, "forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us." The prayer teaches us to receive forgiveness from God and give forgiveness to our neighbor and self. Mercy fulfills the Law of Moses.

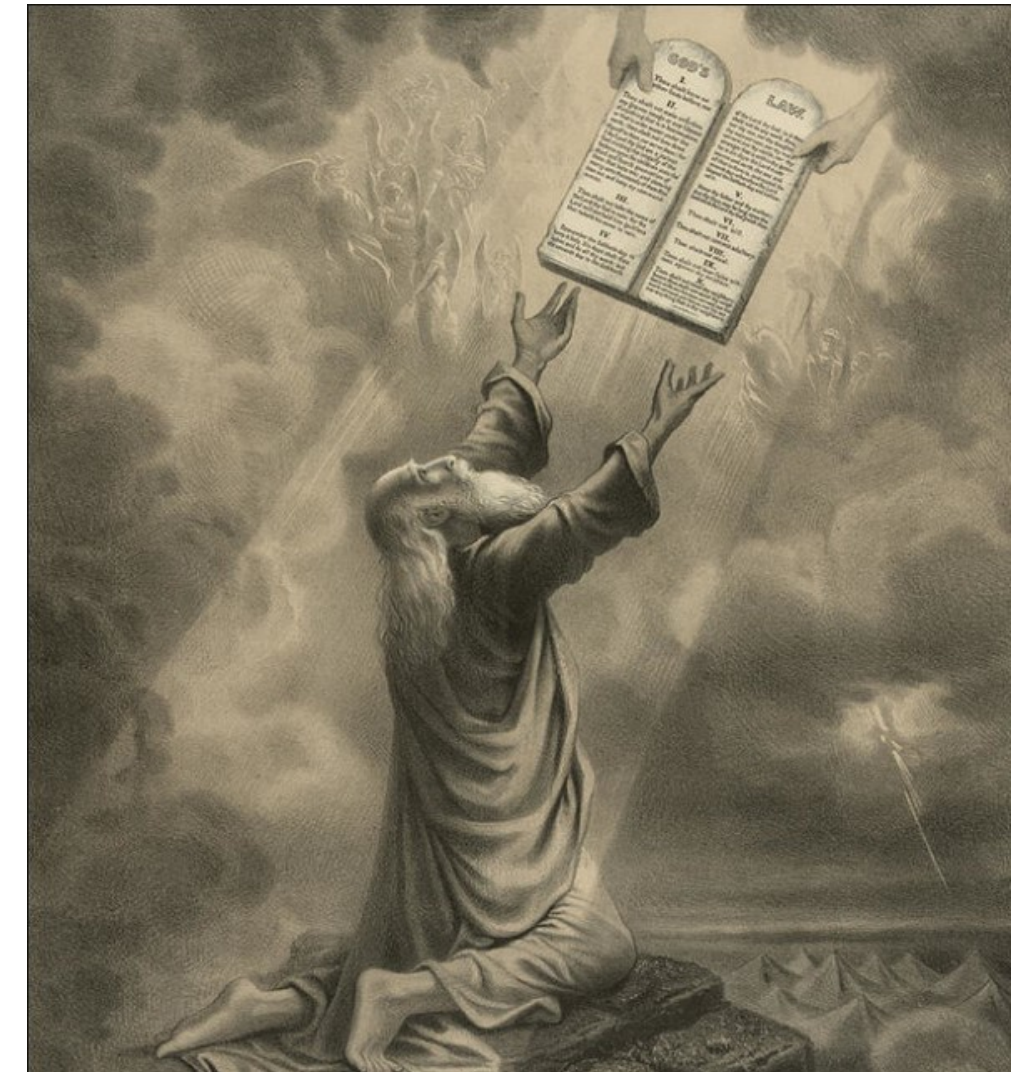
"I desire." Desire controls and possesses. Here we see the source of evil. We take God's name in vain when the motivators listed above tempt us to be in control and possess our neighbors. This week name your daily temptations. Jesus teaches us to pray, "Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil."

- How does the practice of love that gives and receives deliver you from temptation?
- Temptation says, "If you love me, you will do as I say."
- Temptation says, "If you love me, you will fix me, meet my needs, and make me happy."
- Temptation says, "If you love me, you will let me fix you. You do not know your needs, I do."

Love gives and receives. It moves in the way of patience, kindness, generosity, faith, and hope. It knows the Way, but never insist on its way.

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Trinity welcomes Tim McDonald and his harmonica.

Greeters: Patty Robbins and Joe Toney

Announcements: Christy Smith

Prelude: My Lord, What a Morning, Arranged by Glenda Austin

Lighting of the Candles: Maverick Webb and Jaxon Anderson

***Opening Hymn:** How Great Thou Art No. 77

Pastoral Welcome

***Statement of Faith** No. 881

Gloria Patri No. 70

Prayer of Preparation

Father, we believe You created the heavens and the earth and all things therein. We thank you for the abundance of Your creation which provides our needs. We believe You created us in your image. Meaning the things we want you gave us the ability to create. Reflecting Your Image motivates us to transform our wants into the power of achievement that binds us together as One.

Lord, we need! Lord, we want! Like Adam and Eve, we desire. We desire the fruit of the Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil! We desire to be self-right! We desire to be our neighbor's judge! We desire to be in control and possess our neighbor.

Through the reading and our Hearing of Your Ten Commandments lead us not to act upon our desires. Deliver us from our temptation to be in control and possess one another. In the name of Christ, raise us out of this tomb death that we may love one another.

Amen

Lord's Prayer

The Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Prayer of Blessing

Ushers: Lana Prater, Sandra Rich, Phil Robbins, and John Hagan

Offertory Music: "Great is Jehovah" from "Tannhauser Grand March" by Richard Wagner, German composer, AD 1813-1883

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

Children's Message: Kim Parsons

Special Music: Musical Guest Tim McDonald

***Scripture Reading:** Exodus 20: 1-17 Nancy Toney

Homily: Landmark 2: The Ten Commandments

Prayer of Invitation

Father, thank you for Your Word. We believe that Jesus fulfilled the Law of Moses and the Prophets. He was tempted in every way. He was insulted, beaten, and bruised. He was blamed, judged to be guilty of sin. The One who said "thou shall not kill," was killed on the Tree of Shame.

Our sin could not control Him. Our temptations could not possess him. The power of sin's death could not keep him. Holy spirit raise me up to walk in the ways of Jesus. Teach me to Love my enemies. Teach me to Love the enemy within my heart and mind who desires to control and possess my neighbor. Father, lead me in Your Way that I may Love my neighbor and reflect Your glory.

Amen

***Closing Hymn:** Where He Leads Me No. 338

Pastoral Benediction

Postlude: May the Road Rise to Meet You, Arranged by Carsten Gerlitz

*Indicates that you may stand, as you are able.
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We must obey God rather than any human authority.

Acts 5: 29

September



SERVANTS OF GOD

Van Drivers and Riders

1—Kenny & Martha Spurlock
8—Christy Smith & Cathy Galyean
15—Kenny & Martha Spurlock
22—Christy Smith & Diane Botts
29—Kenny & Martha Spurlock

Money Counters

1—Christy Smith, Diane Botts
8—Bill Cole, Tiffany Adams
15—Pat Bowden, Kim Parsons
22—Kenny & Martha Spurlock
29—Christy Smith, Diane Botts

Children's Message

1—Communion Sunday
8—Kim Parsons
15—Cindy Ashley
22—Diane Botts
29—Andrew Holyfield

Scripture Readers

1—Alberta Mitchell
8—Nancy Toney
15—Bill Cole
22—Paula Barton
29—Dana Barlow

Greeters

Patty Robbins and Joe Toney

Announcements

Christy Smith

Ushers

Lana Prater, Sandra Rich, Phil Robbins, and John Hagan

Communion Ushers

Andrea Burlingham, Pat Bowden, Ruben Allman, and Nancy Allman

Fellowship Dinner Hosts

Ashley Turner



"I HAVE NOT STOPPED GIVING THANKS FOR YOU, REMEMBERING YOU IN MY PRAYERS."
EPHESIANS 1:16, NIV

For Those with Cancer:

Denise Qualls; David Burke (Bubba Burke's Dad); Karrie Compton (Randy & Phyllis Compton's daughter); Zac Carter; Steve Clark; Kamyryn (Patsy Mutter's great granddaughter's sister); Wilma Mills

Facing/Recovering from Surgery/Hospital Stay

Jeff Wright, Jan Tate

Non-Specific Prayers for:

Marion Kocher; Matt Carroll; Bob Horne; Ida McCall; Judy Cole; Maurice & Patsy Lay; Andrew David Hartman; Jack Williams; Bill & Jean Hendrick, Larry Spears; Ann Nickles

- 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.

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