

Welcome to Trinity United Methodist Church. God loves you and so do we! Due to the increased number of cases of the COVID-19 Delta variant, we ask that both vaccinated and unvaccinated attendees wear a mask during worship services. If you do not have a mask, we have masks available for you in the narthex. The Church Council is monitoring this situation closely and will inform you of any changes in the future. We appreciate your willingness to provide a safe worship environment for all during this challenging season that we are living in.

Prelude: Here I Am to Worship by Tim Hughes

Lighting of the Candles

Welcome

Announcements

Prayer of Thanksgiving:

New every morning is your love, great God of light,
and all day long you are working for good in the
world.

Stir up in us desire to serve you,
to live peacefully with our neighbors,
and to devote each day to your Son,
our Savior, Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

Opening Hymn: O Spirit of the Living God **No. 539**

Special Music: Goodness of God by Bethel Music

Sermon: "Jesus is the Better Option" Hebrews 9:23-28

Holy Communion

Service of Word and Table: **No. 7-11**

Communion Music: Just as I am, Arranged by David Nevue

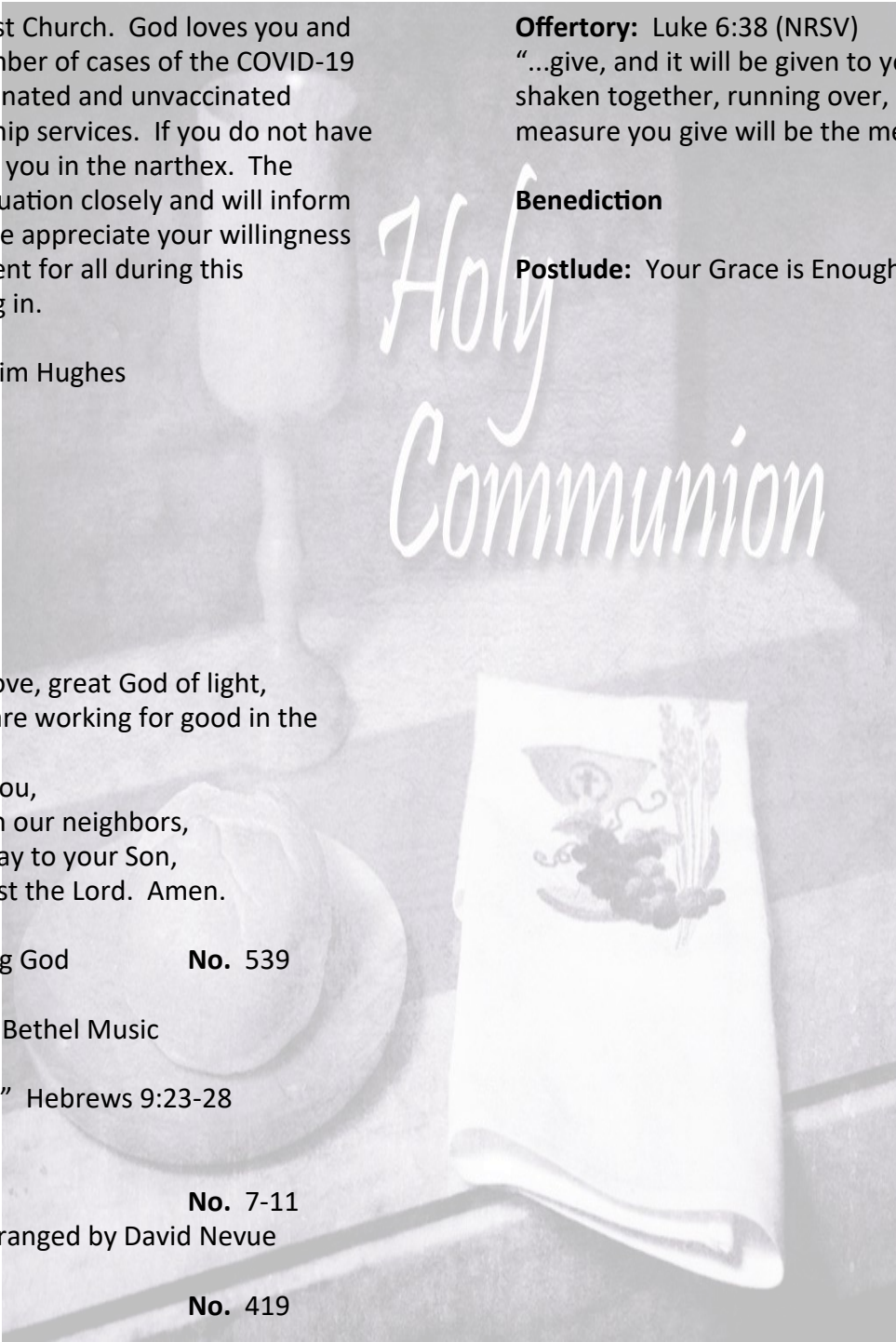
Closing Hymn: I Am Thine, O Lord **No. 419**

Offertory: Luke 6:38 (NRSV)

"...give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap; for the measure you give will be the measure you get back."

Benediction

Postlude: Your Grace is Enough by Matt Maher



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Sunday School is at 10 am.

Book Study will be in the Fellowship Hall on Monday at 6 pm. The book is "Live Like Jesus" by Putty Putnam.

Apprentice Book Study will be Tuesday at 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Bible Study will be in the Fellowship Hall on Wednesday at 1 pm.

Choir practice will be on Wednesday at 7 pm. **The Christmas Cantata** is Sunday, December 5th during the worship service.

Tim will be speaking at a **revival service** on Wednesday at 7 pm at Silver Leaf Baptist Church in Rose Hill, VA. All are welcome to attend and the service will be live streamed from the Silver Leaf Baptist Church Facebook page.

The Service for the Blessing of Animals was a success! We thank Donald Ratliff for taking photographs for us. These wonderful photographs can be viewed on our Facebook page.

The Rummage Sale was a success and thank you to all who participated.

Virtual Charge Conference is this afternoon at 3 pm. If you want to participate, you can join us in the church fellowship hall.

Our next **Youth Meeting** is this evening at 6 pm.

Evening of Praise: To kickoff and to celebrate the rebirth of our Youth group, we are planning an evening of praise and worship on Sunday, November 14th at 6 pm. We will have musicians and singers from our church and community to join us on this day. During the service, we will be receiving a love offering which will be going to our youth budget for further endeavors. All are welcome to attend.

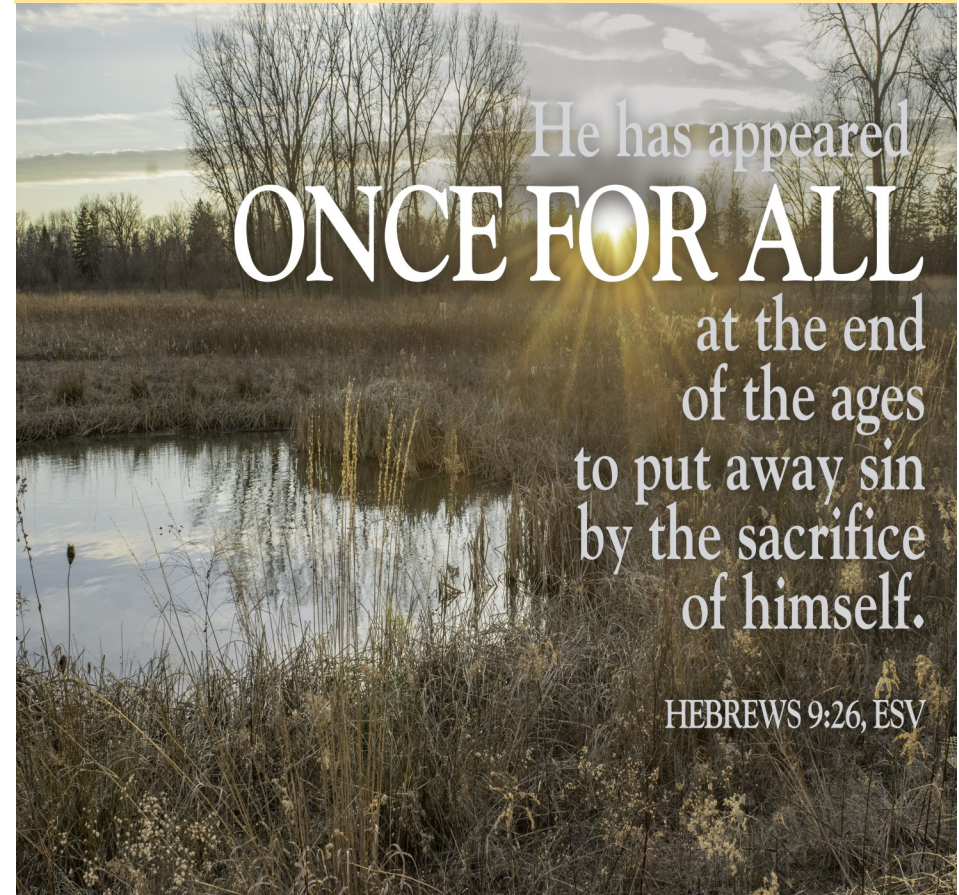
Christmas Painting with the Pottery Shop (new local business) will be in the Fellowship Hall Saturday, November 20th starting at 11 am. A sign-up sheet with the different art pieces available with prices is in the Fellowship Hall.

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 November is Breakfast Bars. The requested flavors are Apple/Cinnamon or Strawberry.



The Trinity Companion Sunday November 7, 2021



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Worship begins at 11:00 am

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