

This week's liturgical color is green which symbolizes our time for growth in faith as we follow the teachings and ministry of Christ. This season which is known as "ordinary time" starts after Pentecost and ends at the Christmas season.

To help promote the happenings in our church, you can share our services and events to the community on your Facebook page.

Prelude: Lord, Lift Your Name on High by Rick Founds

Lighting of the Candles

Jesus said: "I am the light of the world" (John 8:12). The presence of the light reminds us of Jesus' coming into our world and into our lives. The light is carried into the worship service as a symbol of Jesus' coming into the presence of the worshipping community.

Chiming of the Hour

Call to Worship

Special Selection from Trinity UMC Choir

Announcements (*noted within the bulletin)

A Time for Prayer:

Scripture to encouragement: 1 Chronicles 16:11

¹¹Look to the Lord and his strength; seek his face always.

Laity Prayer: Lay Servant Kim Parsons

Opening Hymn: 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

No. 462

Scripture Reading: Psalm 118:1-4

¹Give thanks to the LORD because he is good,
because his faithful love lasts forever.

²Let Israel say it:

"God's faithful love lasts forever!"

³Let the house of Aaron say it:

"God's faithful love lasts forever!"

⁴Let those who honor the LORD say it:

"God's faithful love lasts forever!"

This is the word of God, for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father,
and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end.
Amen. Amen.

Children's Moment:

 Led by Diane B.

At this time, children can come forward or you can bring your child to the front pew to hear and participate in the children's reflection.

Scripture about God's love for children: Matthew 19:14

¹⁴"Allow the children to come to me," Jesus said. "Don't forbid them, because the kingdom of heaven belongs to people like these children."

The Presentation of Tithes and Offering

(Thank you for your generosity!)

"God loves a cheerful Giver!" 2 Corinthians 9:6-7

Ushers: Men's Team (John H., Rob M., Daniel W., and Ruben A.)

Offertory Prayer

Heavenly Father,
Thank you for all the good things you continue to provide for us.
Don't let us take your gifts for granted or abuse them. Instead, help us always to rely on you in faith. Use us and what you have given us for your good purposes. In Jesus' Name, AMEN.

Offertory Music: Never Let Go by David Crowder Band

Doxology:

No. 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above the Heavenly Host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

Anthem: Someday My Lord Will Come

Devotional: "Jesus' Prayer for Us" John 17:20-23 by Christy Smith

Response to Worship: The Apostles' Creed

No. 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;

the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,

and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. AMEN.

Closing Hymn: Precious Name

No. 536

Benediction

May the Lord watch between me and thee while we are absent one from another. AMEN!

Postlude: May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You by Meredith Wilson

Sending Forth/Extinguishing of the Candles: At the end of the service, the light is carried out into the world to show that Jesus Christ is for all people everywhere. The acolyte leaves the worship service at the pastor's direction, carrying our the lighted candle lighter. This symbolizes the light of Jesus Christ going out into the world where believers are to serve.

Psalm 118:1

Announcements

Adult Sunday School is on Sunday at 10 am.

Choir Practice is Wednesday at 7 pm.

New Member Class is canceled for November 20th.

Trinity Book Club is on Monday at 6 pm. The book discussion is based on the text “Enemies of the Heart” by Andy Stanley. The ISBN is 9781601421456 and you can find the book new for around \$10-15.

Laity Sunday—Thank you to Kim Parsons and Rob Moore for leading our Laity Sunday Service. Our next Laity Service is January 29, 2023.

Potluck Lunch—Thank you for making this meal fun, tasty, and memorable.

Church Christmas Float—Immediately after the service, there will be a Christmas float planning meeting in the Fellowship Hall. If you want to volunteer in any way, please talk to Beth Hagan.

United Methodist Men—Our next meeting is Monday, November 14th, at 6 pm. Our guest speaker is Adam Harvey who is a retired Assistant Warden of the Virginia Department of Corrections. Adam Toney will oversee preparing the meal. We will have meatballs, roasted potatoes, and a dessert. Please be prepared to pay \$10 per meal.

New Member and Baptism Classes—If you are interested in becoming a member of Trinity United Methodist Church or being baptized, Pastor Tim will be offering classes in the month of November. The new membership class is being held in the wicker room/library (room off of the Fellowship Hall). If you would like to be baptized, we can start a class for you, please contact either Rob or Tim to set this up.

Pop ‘n’ for Jesus—Our next mission date for MECC is Wednesday, November 16th, at 9 am. If you want to participate, please contact Betty Fleenor.

Trinity Security Team Meeting (Revised)—Our next meeting is Thursday December 1st at 6 pm. If you want to be on the Trinity security team or just interested in their progress, you are welcome to come.

Trinity Thanksgiving Meal (Canceled)—The Thanksgiving meal has been canceled. We hope that this is not an inconvenience for you. Also, we may have a Christmas meal instead.

Christmas with the Pottery Shop—Our 2nd annual painting with the local pottery shop is scheduled for Saturday, November 26th, at 11 am. The gathering will take place in our Fellowship Hall. If you plan to attend, please sign your name on the sign-up sheet on the chancel rail.

Administrative Board Meeting (revised)—Our next meeting is Sunday, November 20th, after the worship service.

Church Walkie Talkies—We are grateful to report that we discovered, with the help of Dana Barlow, a more cost-efficient walkie talkie brand that is compatible with the type that we initially planned to purchase. Instead of paying \$2,963.83, we paid \$653.91 for our new walkie talkies.

Youth Spotlight—Help me congratulate Union High School Conner Clendenon on being accepted to Radford University. Please be in prayer for Conner as he discerns his future.

Offering Stewards for November

20th—Cecilia R., Pat B., Amy G., Erin H.

27th—Chris S., Dennis A., Gary H., Phil R.

Children’s Moment

20th—Kim P.

27th—Cindy A.

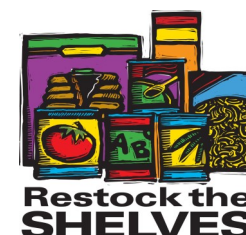
Communion Sunday Stewards for December 4

Diane B., Amy G., Patty R., and Angie T.

UPS Back Pack Program

Don’t forget that each month we are going to Restock the Shelves for the Union Primary School. During the month of November, the requested item is Breakfast Bars.

The requested flavors are Apple/Cinnamon or Strawberry.



The Trinity Companion

November 13, 2022

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JOHN 17:20-21, NIV

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