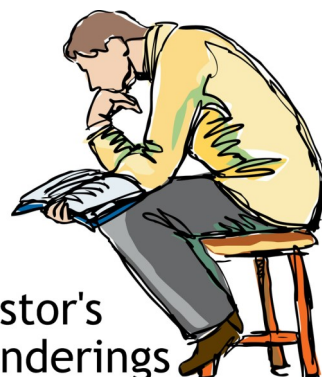


The Fall Festival is This Afternoon

Everyone is invited to join us this afternoon from 3:00-6:00 pm at the church for our annual Fall Festival. There will be games and music and activities and snacks. We will have a bouncy in the parking lot and we will serve a potluck meal at 6:00 pm. The church will be providing hamburgers and hot dogs. We ask you to bring items to accompany them.



Pastor's
Ponderings

Trunk Or Treat Is Scheduled for Halloween

On Halloween, the Youth are sponsoring a community event called Trunk or Treat. For those not familiar with Trunk or Treat, let me explain. Cars will come into the parking lot behind the church. They will open their trunks and decorate them with an appropriate theme. Kids will then go from car to car collecting treats.

If you would like to participate, then simply show up about an hour before the official town start time. I think that means you should be in the lot by 5:00 p.m. We do not want cars pulling into the lot while there are children in the lot. So, if you aren't in by 6:00 p.m., then we can't let you into the lot.

This is a wonderful time to meet some of the parents and children of our town, so come out and say hello and pass out some treats.

Church is Trying Out an App for Android and Apple Devices

We are currently trying out an app for use on Android and Apple devices. The app is free and all you need to do is go to the Google play store or the Apple Store. Search for an app called CHURCH LINK. Download it to your phone and then search for Trinity United Methodist Church or type in the 24219 zip code and select Trinity UMC. Once you do this, you will always be linked to Trinity UMC information. The app allows us to have an interactive prayer wall, links to parts of our web site, a calendar of events, photos, and so much more. I REALLY need for as many of you as possible to download this app and try it out. If enough are interested, then it may become a permanent addition to our church communication strategy. However, if no one is going to use it, then there is no need to invest the time and energy to keep it active beyond the trial period.

Youth To Attend District Festival of Talents

Tonight, youth from around the district will be coming to East Stone Gap UMC for the annual Festival of Talents. Groups and individuals will be sharing their music and other talents and those present will select a person or group to represent our district at Resurrection 2015. David won the right to do this at Resurrection 2014. Tonight, someone else will be selected. Please be in prayer for the youth as they come to share their many talents tonight.

November Activities

November Meetings To Note:

- ⇒ Sunday November 9th @ 6:00 pm -Administrative Board
- ⇒ Sunday November 9th @ 7:00 pm—Charge Conference
- ⇒ Tuesday Nov. 11th @ 6:30 pm—Finance Committee

Special Events/Activities to Note:

- ⇒ Monthly Fellowship Meal—Wednesday Nov 5th @ 6:30 pm –Meal given in honor of Larry Spears
- ⇒ Sunday Nov 9th—Noon –2:00 pm—Kids in Christ
- ⇒ Friday Nov 14th from 5:00-7:00 pm -Two Sisters Meal for Missions
- ⇒ Sunday Nov 16th @ noon-2:00 pm—United Methodist Women Soup and Sandwich lunch
- ⇒ Sunday Nov 23rd—Wesley Foundation will plan and lead worship service
- ⇒ Sunday Nov 30th—First Sunday of Advent

November Fellowship Meal to Honor Larry Spears

Our Wednesday November 5th Fellowship Meal will be in honor of Larry Spears and the 15+ years of service he has given to our church and the children of our community through the van ministry. I hope that everyone will make an effort to be present at this pot luck meal and thank Larry for all that he has done.

Two Sisters Catering to Sponsor Meal for Missions

Due to the efforts of Cathy Galyean, our church will be sponsoring a meal for local missions on Friday night November 14th, tentative times are from 5:00-7:00 pm. The meal will be supplied by Two Sisters Catering. All proceeds from the meal will be used by our church to assist in meeting needs in Wise County. More details will be given next week. The cost will be \$10 per person and, from what I have been told by numerous people, well worth the price.

Charge Conference Scheduled for November 9th

Our annual Charge Conference has been scheduled for Sunday night November 9th at 7:00 p.m. We will meet in the sanctuary. The Reverend Jeff Wright will preside. All members of the Administrative Board are voting members of the conference and should try to attend. Any other interested person is also invited to attend this meeting.

Pastor Goodman to Take Some Vacation Time

Pastor Goodman will be taking vacation time beginning on Saturday November 22nd through Saturday November 29th. This will be the week of Thanksgiving. In his absence on Sunday November 23rd, the UVA Wise Wesley Foundation will be in charge of planning and leading the morning worship service.

We'll Need to Decorate for Advent

Sometime after Sunday the 23rd, we will need to begin decorating the church for Advent, which begins on Sunday November 30th. A time has not yet been set for this activity. We will let everyone know as soon as we come up with an appropriate date.

The Trinity Companion Sunday October 26, 2014



*“You shall love
your neighbor
as yourself.”*

Matthew 22:39, NRSU

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With Love from Terry,
David, Jacob, Andrew and Daniel



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!

Announcements

Prelude:

Call to Worship: --Chris Rose

Opening Hymn: "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" No. 139

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

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

Lord's Prayer

Children's Message

The Presentation of God's Tithe and Our Offerings

* The Doxology No. 95

Musical Offering: Special Music provided by Chris Rose and the Wise

Guys of the UVA Wise Blue Grass Band

The Presentation of God's Word

Scripture: Matthew 22:34-46

Sermon : "The Word of God in Our Heart"

Closing Hymn: "Stand by Me" No. 512

Pastoral Benediction :

Postlude: "May the Road Rise Up to Meet You"

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

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The bulletin format you see today will be the format used on the last Sunday of each month. It contains a different set of columns. On this page, you will note that there is a column entitled "Our Lay Ministers". This is no longer included each week, but will be in the bulletin the last Sunday of each month spelling out who

is serving in the month ahead. Currently, Lay Ministers get a phone call each weekend reminding them of their service for the upcoming Sunday.

You will also note, that on the back center panel of this bulletin, the Romans 12 article has been replaced with a list of events for the

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Church Fall Festival

The Fall Festival is scheduled for Sunday October 26th from 3:00-6:00 pm with dinner at 6:00 pm. There will be fun, food and games for all.

Finance Committee Meeting

The Finance Committee will be meeting on Monday October 27th at 6:30 pm.

Trunk or Treat

The UMYF will be holding a Trunk or Treat Event on Friday October 31st in the Church Parking lot at 6:00 pm. Happy Halloween! Be safe!

Daylight Saving Time Begins

Daylight Saving Time begins on Sunday November 2nd. Don't forget to set you clocks back one hour.

Circle Meetings

Thursday November 6th

10:00 am-Susanna Wesley Circle

Noon-Wesleyan Circle

Fellowship Supper

The Fellowship Supper will be held on Wednesday November 5th at 6:30 pm in honor of Larry Spears for his dedication for his ministry to the Church. Please bring a covered dish.

Kids In Christ

Kids In Christ will be meeting on Sunday November 9th immediately after the Church Service.

United Methodist Men's Meeting

The UMM will be meeting on Monday November 10th at 6:30 pm.

Prayer Circle

The Prayer Circle will be meeting on Wednesday October 29th at 6:00 pm.

United Methodist Youth Meeting

The UMYF will not be meeting this Sunday October 19th. The next meeting will be on Sunday November 2nd.



Financial Snapshot

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

Total Received Maintenance:\$ 14,796

Maintenance Goal:\$ 18,000

Money Given to General Fund

Budgeted Need to Date\$ 136,008

Actual Amount Given to Date\$ 128,293



Announcements

Rob Moore

Ushers

Patty Robbins, Lana Prater, Pat Bowden, Patty Lynn Cooper

Greeters

Peggy Beverly, Alberta Mitchell

Scripture Reading

2-David Goodman

9-Kim Parsons

16-Evan Clark

23-Angie Clendenon

30-Rob Moore

Children's Message

2-Holy Communion

9-Bill Cole

16-Diane Botts

23-Kim Parsons

30-Angie Clendenon

Nursery Workers

2-Paula Barton

9-Donna Mahan

16-Kenny Spurlock

23-Pat Bowden

30-Cathy Galyean

Fellowship Supper

Pat Bowden, Angie Clendenon, Kim Parsons

Communion Stewards

Fred and Susan Herndon, Martha and Kenny Spurlock

Communion Bread

Dell Williams



For Those with Cancer:

James Horne, Mary L. Horne; Emma Large; Alex Hall; Marcia Quesenberry; Robin (Rita Nash's Daughter); Marilyn Gates; Earl Covey; Barbara Polly; Johnny Cubine; Debbie Cooper; Wilma Nein

Facing or Recovering from Surgery or Hospital Stay

Beth Hagan; Becky Clark; Helen Cochran; Kimberly Clifton; Sandy Wright; Bill & Juanita Maiuri; Dean Bieber; Jewel Carter; Ruth Perry; Sherry Egan

Non-Specific Prayers for:

Brownie Polly; Dagni Spurlock; Virginia Sigmon; Geneva Allen; Jim Gates; Fred Vanbever; Jennie Shupe; Hope Meade; Susan Curran; Matt Carroll, Jim Cooper; Judy Cole; Sandra Rich; Melvin Carter; Kenny Spurlock's mother

- 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. The names that appear on the Prayer List for more than two weeks will be deleted unless you request them to remain on the list

If you would like to send a card to Beth Hagan, you may send them in c/o Robin Hagan, 2 Early Ave, Round Hill, VA 20141. No flowers please.

upcoming month. This will happen on the last Sunday of each month as a way to highlight things happening in the month ahead. I would suggest that you keep the bulletin for the last Sunday of each month handy as a reference for the events of the upcoming month.

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