

# The Trinity Window

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 903 FOREST AVENUE, HENRICO, VA 23229

**April 2016** 



Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed! For twenty centuries the Easter proclamation has changed the world. It is both very personal, giving us courage and hope to face tomorrow (and whatever tomorrow may bring) unafraid. But it is not *just* personal; it is not *only* personal, for the great good news of the triumph of our Lord truly has changed the world. In our world today, each day seems to bring some new atrocity. Terror, hatred and war seem pervasive and powerful. In our own society, the divisions of race, class and politics all seem ascendant. It is easy to despair. It is tempting to grow cynical. But the full throated proclamation goes out unafraid: Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed!

Fear not. All is not lost. Indeed the ultimate victory has already been won. Hope! Triumph! Life and Love! Victory! Church, the world needs this news most desperately. The time is now. Shout it from the rooftops. Live your life with confidence. Let us stand resolved. And let us roll up our sleeves and get back in there to help heal the hurts of the world. Spread the word. The battle is already over; victory is ours! Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed!

Easter blessings,





The 2016 General Conference of the United Methodist Church will be held on May 10-20, 2016 at the Oregon Convention Center in Portland, Oregon. The General Conference is the top legislative body of The United Methodist Church and meets once every four years to review and revise the doctrines and policies of the denomination.

Due to the importance of General Conference, each annual conference around the world has been assigned a date to be in prayer. Our Virginia Annual Conference has been assigned Sunday, April 10. We at Trinity are offering a prayer vigil for our own members on April 10 for this most important task.

Prayer times are in 30 minute increments; feel free to pray wherever you are. Let us bathe the General Conference in prayer.

Here is the link to our prayer vigil: www.signupgenius.com/go/5080f49abac2fa64-prayers

### 7916 Rock Creek Road

After patient and persistent negotiations, the Trustees have a contract on the property located at 7916 Rock Creek Road. Securing this lot will give the church an assortment of options in developing future plans. We appreciate your prayers and support.



# **Trinity Adult Ministries**

### Trinity Moms and More April 5 and April 19 9:15 – 11:15 AM

Moms and More is a great way to connect to Trinity! Moms and More is a group that provides support and fellowship for mothers and caregivers in all stages of parenthood. We meet twice a month; in April we will meet on Tuesday, April 5 and Tuesday, April 19. We hope you will join us! We provide free childcare and there is no commitment or fee to join. Contact Krystal Hawke or Natalie Russell for more information (trinitymomsandmore@gmail.com).



### Journey Back to Joy

Journey Back to Joy is a new group for anyone experiencing a loss of a loved one. The group will gather together at 5:30 PM for WFN dinner before meeting in the Conference Room for a speaker at 6:15. Meeting for dinner is

optional and the speaker will speak about 45 minutes. The group will meet **April 6 & April 27**. If you are interested or would like more information contact Maria Butler (285 -8302) or Toni Halstead (512-5291).

Wayne Bullis and Keith Burton will be speaking at Trinity on **Wednesday**, **April 6 at 6:15** in the Conference Room. They will cover important topics such as Social Security, Medicare and the need to have a Living Will. The Journey Back to Joy Group is sponsoring the meeting. It is open to all members of the church along with their friends and family.

# **UMW Spring Service Day**

Join us for Busy Hands Spring Service Day **Tuesday**, **April 12** at **10 AM** in the **Mastin Room** for service projects inside/outside TUMC walls. See the UMW bulletin board for options. Contact Mary Hetzel at 282-5872 with any questions.

**Save the Date**: Tuesday May 3, 5:30 PM **May Banquet: A Taste of Hait!** Covered Dish Supper – Trinity Hall.



### **Pub Theology**

A special thanks to everyone who has been attending our Pub Theology sessions. Our next gathering will be held on **Tuesday, April 12** from 6:30-8:00 PM at Ardent Brewery in Scott's Addition (3200 W. Leigh St. Richmond, VA 23230). Pas-

tor Larry will hold forth and field questions. What a great opportunity to invite your unchurched friends!



# Want a fun dinner out while getting to know your spouse a little better?

Trinity's Connect Ministry is pleased to

Cook It Out: Cooking with Couples with Allison Carver, LPC

Friday, April 15 and/or

Friday, April 29 6 – 8 PM

Cost: \$25 per evening (two dinners plus free childcare!)

Register with Judy Oguich (joguich@trinityumc.net or 288 -6057 ext. 206) by Tuesday, April 12.



# Young at Heart – What do you love to do?

Tuesday, April 19-2-3:30 PM - We had so much fun in February that we are doing it again! Come join us in the Mas-

tin Room as we share WHAT we love – our interests, hobbies, etc. Feel free to bring your collections! Refreshments will be provided.

Come join Trinity's newest ministry! (and bring a friend or two!)

# **Gayton Terrace Celebration**

We will be going to Gayton Terrace on **Tuesday, April 26** at **3:30 PM** to visit with Trinity's members. Please join us in the Bistro at Gayton Terrace for fellowship, light refreshments, and worship. Our members as well as other residents are so appreciative of the visits. For more information or to volunteer contact Susie Hildebrand at 740-7490 or shildebrand@verizon.net.



# Help Support the 2016 **Confirmation Class in** Mission!



This year our Confirmation Class and their mentors will again be leading the church in missions by packaging

meals through Stop Hunger Now. On April 17 at 11 AM, Trinity Hall will be turned into a well-oiled machine as 20.000 meals are prepared, boxed and put on the SHN truck to be distributed world-wide to those in need. It is an amazing opportunity to be in hands-on mission work for all ages!!

How can you support the Confirmands? Through the next four weeks, confirmands will be seeking financial assistance to pay for the meals. Each meal costs just \$0.29 and provides a daily nutritional allowance in a dry sealed package. Financial support helps everyone achieve the goal.

We also need additional packagers. In order to pack all the meals in a timely manner, we need about 60 - 70 extra sets of hands!! This is an amazing opportunity for our church family to work side by side in mission. Stop Hunger Now is one of the few mission experiences where a 4 year old can stand along side our more mature members and everyone is doing an important and meaningful job that will literally change lives.

Come on out and help feed the world - For more information, or to sign up to help, contact Amy Lenow at avlenow@gmail.com or Kim Jordan at kmjordan23@yahoo.com.



# **Attention Trinity High School and College** Seniors

We want you to be part of our graduates' display case. There will be a basket in the Welcome Center labeled "Class of 2016." Please pick up a form that will provide us with information about your graduation. Return the completed form along with one of your senior pictures to the basket in the Welcome Center by Sunday, May 22. Your picture will be available for you to pick up in early July. If you have any question, call Cyndi Worsham at 741-0877 or 314-5906.



## **To Trinity Servants**

The Recruitment Team for the 2016-17 Sunday School year is very excited about the great response to the teaching/nursery needs! Thanks to all who

have signed up. We still have opportunities for more servants as listed:

#### At 8:15:

Nursery – 1 person for 1<sup>st</sup> Sundays

- Toddler 2 people each for 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays
- Nursery 3 2 people each for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter (Dec Feb) and 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter (Mar – May)

  Nursery 4 – 1 helper each for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays
- Kindergarten 2 people each for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter (Dec Feb) and 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter (Mar – May)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade 2 people for 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter (Sept Nov) 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade 1 person for 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter (Mar May)

### At 10:45:

- Crib & Toddler 1 person for 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays
- 3 4 Year Olds 2 people each for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays

If you have questions or wish to reserve a servant position, contact the Carrie Jared, Jenny Murphy or Ann Vaughan at trinityumceducation@gmail.com.

# **Trinity Youth Handbells Spring Concert**

Join us in Trinity Hall Wednesday, May 4 from 6:30 to 7:00 PM. The concert immediately follows WFN dinner. For questions contact Rick Axtell at 366-8438 or email at axtellalt@gmail.com



# **Youth At Trinity**

# **April Calendar**

April 3	<b>SYM Team Meeting</b> , 11 am, Room 308 <b>Youth Group</b> , 5-6:30 pm, Trinity/Eaton Hall
April 10 April 17	Youth Group, 5-6:30 pm, Trinity/Eaton Hall SYM Team Meeting, 11 am, Room 308
	Youth Group, 5-6:30 pm, Trinity/Eaton Hall
April 22-24	Spring Retreat @ Westview on the James!
April 24	No Youth Group

# Spring Retreat. April 22-24!

Open to all Middle School and High School Students!

Westview on the James!

We need adults!

Cost is \$100 (Free for adult leaders!)

Sign up online by visiting trinityumc.net/youth

Bonfire, Scavenger Hunt, Ropes Course, and More!

# TrinityUMC.net/youth

# Family Pizza Fellowship

Sundays After Youth Group!



Can't get enough of your favorite people at youth group? If you've got time, Youth and their families are invited to join us afterword at Christian's Pizza in the Village Shopping Center (Three Chopt & Patterson) for dinner and more fellowship! You have to arrange your own transportation, but there are plenty of people to carpool with!

# Miracle League Season Starting April 9

The mission of the Miracle League is to offer accessible recreational opportunities for children with special needs so that they can participate in a team sport as a member of an organized baseball league. The goal is to provide a safe, structured environment geared towards their unique talents and abilities. You can learn more about this incredible ministry as well as register to volunteer through Miracle League's website mlor.org. Sign up to participate by visiting trinityumc.net/youth.

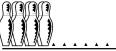
# Sustainable Youth Ministry Team

TYM is undertaking a months long project to create a healthier and more vibrant youth ministry. This year, TYM will be working through the book *Sustainable Youth Ministry*. Written by Mark DeVries, the head of Youth Ministry Architects, this book is a how-to manual for producing a healthy, safe, and thriving youth ministry that will be able to stand the test of time. It emphasizes using the right building blocks and creating the right culture to fulfill the vision of a particular youth ministry like ours. Over the next several months, you will see news about how this process is moving along under the heading SYM. If you have any questions about SYM or how the process is going, please email Brian Clayton (bclayton@trinityumc.net)

# **VA Home Bowling**

This is a great community service opportunity! We help some residents of the Virginia Home, who are in wheelchairs, bowl. It's really fun, and residents really enjoy it! Come join us! The next date is April 16.

Visit trinityumc.net/youth to sign up!





# **Children At Trinity**



### **Mission Kids**

Mission Kids are kids in 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grade who are interested in mission and service. We have been busy with lots of activities. Join us!

April 10 - Meeting at 5:00 PM in Room 300 April 24 - Field Trip to Shalom Farm noon, to 3:30 PM. May 8 - Host CARITAS dinner

For questions or concerns contact Leila Denton at 288-6057, ext. 208.



Taste the Bread Exploring the Sacrament of Communion with Children April 10 at 10:45 in room 300.

Imagine the smell of the bread baking

and the sweet taste of fresh grapes.

These are just a few of the things your children will experience as they learn more about the story of the Last Supper and begin to understand the symbolism of the communion bread and cup. Contact Leila Denton at 288-6057 ext 208 or <a href="mailto:learning.com/learning-up-your-child-chi



The Children's Ministry Team has had a great time greeting families of children and offering them the opportunity to have a few minutes to meet the other parents in their child's age group. This time of fellowship is usually in the child's classroom for 10 to 15 minutes following 9:30 AM Sunday School and we provide a special treat.

April 10 - N2 & N3 age in Room 201April 17 - Toddler age in Room 206May 15 - Crib Parents in the Parlor

We look forward to seeing you soon!



# Children's Worship Service & Creation Care Sunday April 24

This year the children are excited to focus on Creation as a part of the 8:15, 9:30 and

11:00 AM Children's Worship Services. Thanks so much to the Creation Care Committee for their great ideas and direction. There are many ways children can participate. Contact Leila Denton at <a href="mailto:ldenton@trinityumc.net">ldenton@trinityumc.net</a> immediately, if your child is interested. Readers are still needed.



# Mother Son Dance April 29 6:30 - 8:30 PM in Trinity Hall

Kindergarten - 5th Grade boys and Moms are invited to join us for an amazing night!

We will begin with pizza, ice cream, photo booth and games, then have an outrageous D.J. with dancing, prizes and a GoPro Video Camera grand prize. Cost is \$10 per couple (\$15 for Mom with two or more boys.) <a href="http://bit.ly/MotherSonDance2016"><u>Http://bit.ly/MotherSonDance2016</u></a>. Sign up now and look forward to the fun!

# Attention Kindergarten children and families!

The Children's Ministry Team is proud to host the annual Kindergarten Bible Ceremony and Reception on **Sunday**, **May 1**, at **9:30 AM** in **Trinity Hall**. An invitation with details and an RSVP card will be arriving in the mail soon. Our appreciation and thanks go to the McClure Bible Study class for the gift of these beautiful Bibles. Contact Ashley Love (282-0014 or <a href="mailto:ashleymlove@yahoo.com">ashleymlove@yahoo.com</a>) with any questions or if you do not receive your invitation. We look forward to celebrating with you!

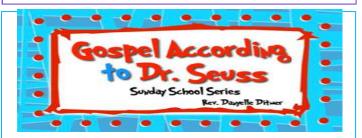


### 2016 Children's Summer Mission Trip June 25 - 28

Mission Kids (1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> graders) and their parents are planning a 4 day (3 night) Mis-

sion Trip this year from **Saturday**, **June 25 through Tuesday**, **June 28.** Feel free to contact Leila Denton <u>Ldenton@trinityumc.net</u> with questions or to sign up. Parent participation in the planning will be critical for the success of this summer's trip.

# **Children At Trinity**



### 9:30 Summer Sunday School for N4 – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

We have found an EXCITING brand new Summer Sunday School program for N4 –  $5^{th}$  grade. We wish to burst into summer with this fun, insightful and energizing program, which will take the place of PowerXpress 9:30 Summer Sunday School this summer. *The Gospel According to Dr. Seuss Sunday School Series* highlights the wonderful Dr. Seuss stories we all remember and love. It points out the inspirational messages hidden in the colorful illustrations and rhyming words that remind us of the teachings of the Bible. In the midst of fun and frolic with Dr. Seuss, the meaning and relevance of some Bible passages will come to life for our children.

We feel it will be amazingly successful with your input and support. Very soon, we will hold a brainstorming session (or two) to get your thoughts and ideas. We wish to have parents representing all the age groups of the children. Respond to Leila Denton at <a href="mailto:ldenton@trinityumc.net">ldenton@trinityumc.net</a> quickly.



### **Vacation Bible School 2016**

9 AM – Noon, July 11 – 15

Mark your calendar now!

Surf Shack – Catch the Wave of God's Amazing Love! <a href="http://2016.cokesburyvbs.com/">http://2016.cokesburyvbs.com/</a>

Our Directors for 2016 are **Erin Cundiff**, 301-7386 or thecundiff4@gmail.com, and **Sara Winterhoff**, baw120575@hotmail.com, or 357-4949. For more information contact **Leila Denton** at 288-6057, ext. 208, or ldenton@trinityumc.net.

# **Serve Opportunities**

## **Honduras Mission Trip**

Please be in prayer for Trinity's medical mission team who will be serving in Honduras April 23-30. This mission trip was rescheduled due to the snow storm that affected the East Coast back in January. The team will be providing much needed medical, vision, and dental care to the people of the mountain villages of Honduras. The team consists of:

Don Boyd Greta Christ

Bill Curry Heidi Gehman-Perez

Larry Girvin Linda Hart
Roger Hart Thomas Lott
Bert Norfleet Don Pierce

Virginia Rhines Joseph Thompson Jane Tucker Mary Margaret Watson

### **Box Tops for Education**

Please collect Box Tops for Education for United Methodist Family Services, Charterhouse School and OakGrove Bellemeade School. Trinity supports both schools with a strong volunteer presence. Both schools need IPads for autistic programs enabling the children to effectively communicate in class. A collection envelope can be found on left side of door at Mission Central ....It's Pink! Nancy Lott

UMFS Auxillary Member

# **Sherbourne Food Pantry News**

Thanks to all who provided food this winter to help feed the 60 to 85 families Sherbourne serves every week. Families are served only once a month and receive a grocery bag or two of nonperishable items to supplement their food needs.

A special thanks to Upward Basketball players who provided literally tons of food for Sherbourne. Each week players filled Mission Central with items requested by the Food Pantry - canned fruits, vegetables and beans, cereal, mac-n-cheese, peanut butter, canned tuna and chicken, canned meals, and pasta and sauce. Each week we delivered a truckload of food! Many thanks also to Circle 10 for their donation of both food and funds.

Please continue to remember those in our community in need of food assistance. Let's continue to send loaded trucks to Sherbourne.

### **Thank You Notes**

Thank you to all the children who write cards to me and other homebound members. They make me smile; they warm my heart; they make my day. It means a great deal to me to be remembered by Trinity's children with their beautiful art work and thoughtful messages.

Sincerely, *Vivian Campen* 

I would like to thank everyone in my Trinity family for the prayers, cards, gifts, and visits during my stay in Healthcare at Cedarfield.

Thanks again for all of your concerns.

Sincerely,

Stella Fritter

Thank you to all of the UMW circles who helped with the Lenten luncheons which followed our Tuesday Lenten services. Your participation in this program lends greatly to its success. (And the desserts you provided were delicious!)

Thank you, thank you! *Judy Oguich* 

Many thanks to everyone who volunteered or participated in the Bishop's Convocation on Prayer held at Trinity on March 5. Our volunteer help prior to the event and the day of the event was full of kind hospitality. We appreciate your willingness to make this event a success.

Dear Trinity Family,

We wanted to thank you for all of your support of Abby and Garrett's teams throughout their high school basketball season this year. Thank you for your phone calls, your texts, your emails, your hugs and your words of support. Thanks also to those of you who attended some of their games, and thanks to those of you who came to the games at the Siegel Center. And thank you, thank you, thank you for all of the newspaper clippings – our relatives far and wide have enjoyed receiving them.

We couldn't have scripted a better outcome for the Monacan Chiefs; how rare that a family would have a child on each state championship team. We are blessed beyond

Thanks for once again being our family – your love and support have meant the world to us.

Love, Eric, Judy, Garrett (#24) and Abby (#12)

# **Serve Opportunities**

# XX CARITAS

### **CARITAS**

CARITAS CARITAS is fast approaching.
Trinity will be hosting CARITAS
May 7-21, 2016. We are hosting

the Family Focus Program, which provides shelter to mothers and fathers along with their children.

Many of our Small Groups and Sunday School Classes will be providing dinner each night. Check with your Small Group or Class to find out how you can help with the meal they are providing.

If you have never helped with CARITAS before please consider helping in one of the following ways. We need people to wash laundry (personal or towels), people to help with the Saturday setup and cleanup days, and people to spend time with our guests after dinner. Families are invited to come and help any night to help serve a meal, help with homework, or be a friend to one of the CARITAS kids.

If you would like to help with this ministry, please visit the CARITAS table in the Connection Alley. Please sign up to help by Sunday, April 24 so final preparations can be made.

## All God's Children Camp



Now in its 19<sup>th</sup> year the All God's Children Camp is a Virginia Conference Camping ministry for children ages 7 – 11 whose mothers or fathers are incar-

cerated. The children typically live with extended family members or just one parent. AGCC 2016 will be held in two locations June 26-July 1, Camp Overlook (Keezletown, VA) & July 31- August 5, Occohannock on the Bay (Eastern Shore). Volunteer adults ages 17 and up spend the week at camp, not leading activities, but providing supervision, compassion, and companionship. Training begins at 9 AM Sunday and camp clean-up ends by 4 PM Friday. Mentors agree to keep in contact with their campers during the year and also are responsible for a \$20 background check. I have attended camp since 2002 and will serve at Camp Overlook this summer. Mary Hetzel 282-5872 or contact Lori Smith, Director, All God's Children Camp, The Virginia Conference of The United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 5606, Glen Allen, VA 23058, (571) 245-9591.



# Dr. Charles Staples in Concert!

On **April 6 at 7:30 PM**, our Director of Music, Charles Staples, will be the

featured soloist with the University of Richmond Symphony Orchestra, under the baton of Alexander Kordzaia, playing the monumental Piano Concerto of Edward Grieg. The concert, held at the Camp Concert Hall is free and open to the public. Come and support Charles and hear some great music!

### **Pinnacle**

Modern worship leader, Jay Johnson, is collaborating with local talent in the production of Pinnacle. Practice for this play (that Jay had a hand in writing) starts in April with a performance scheduled in June in Trinity Hall. More details are forthcoming.

## **Lenten Love Project**

"During the season of Lent, our church celebrates the love of God through the gift of his son, Jesus Christ. We, at Trinity, would like to share our love with you and thank you for supporting those in the community."

This was the message shared with several local organizations this year during the Lenten season. Several small groups, consisting of Covenant Groups, Circles and Bible Studies visited two fire stations, the Tuckahoe Rescue Squad, The Tuckahoe Library, Henrico Doctors ER and the Tuckahoe YMCA. These organizations received some type of meal, baked goods or treat. This project was part of Trinity's effort to reach new people, be visible outside the church walls and to share the joy of knowing Jesus Christ with others in our community. The gratitude of the people in these organizations was overwhelming. Look for information in the future about expanding this project!

# Health & Well-Being Ministry

# **Blood Pressure Screening**

Blood pressure screening is a good monitoring tool and is highly recommended, especially if you are taking high blood pressure medicine. Blood pressure screenings are held in the Parlor on the second Sunday of each month after each service. The hours on each Sunday are 9:00 – 9:30 AM, 10:30 - 11:00 AM and 12:00 – 12:30 PM. For questions contact Kathy Barksdale at 288-0239.

### **Trinity's Spring Blood Drive**

Your participation in **Virginia Blood Services** quarterly drives, helps save lives in our community. To make an appointment for **Sunday, April 10 from 8 AM – 12:30 PM in Trinity Hall**, contact Mary Hetzel 282-5872 or <a href="https://hetzelmary@comcast.net">hetzelmary@comcast.net</a> or visit www.vadonor.org. Consuming a protein-rich breakfast and plenty of fluids enhances your donor experience.

# 2016 Lenten Easter Mission Offering

Thank you for your generous support of Trinity's mission efforts by giving to this year's Lenten Easter Mission Offering! If you have not yet made a donation to the LEMO, it's not too late! Please make your check payable to "Trinity UMC" and write "LEMO" on the memo line. Serve-related ministry leaders from among the congregation who wish to apply for a LEMO mission grant should contact Thomas Lott, Associate Pastor (tlott@trinityumc.net, 804-288-6057 ext. 205), for an application. Applications are due Sunday, April 17.



# A Request for Landscaping Help

Over the last couple of years, we have made progress in maintaining two small empty plots along Stuart Hall Road.

Keeping this vegetation cut back and

maintained helps with sight lines for safety. If you are interested in helping to maintain these areas, contact Bill Pike via e-mail: <a href="mailto:bpike@trinityumc.net">bpike@trinityumc.net</a> Thanks for your time and consideration.



## **Joys and Concerns**

#### Births

Hudson Harris Connelly born on March 8 to Samantha and Patrick Connelly.

Alyce Elizabeth Burton born on February 10 to Michelle and David Burton. Her grandparents are Libby and Bob Burton.

#### Weddings

Congratulations to the following couples who were recently married:

Kate Halsey and Phil Edris who were married on March 4.

Holly Silber and Frederick Zirkel who were married on March 24.

### Our sympathies to...

The family of Reid Goodman who died March 21 Amy Barefoot whose father Dick Barefoot died March 8 The family of Carolyn Aldredge who died March 2 The family of Barbara Eicher who died March 1.

# The Upward Season

The success of the Upward cheerleading and basketball season is linked to all of the volun-

teers who give of their time so these young women and men can enjoy the full program. Upward involves a lot more than just showing up on Saturday mornings. Completing the child protection requirements, training for coaches and referees, scheduling practices and games, prepping the building for the games, coordinating the weekly concession stand, are among the details it takes to make the program a success for the children and their families. Over the last eight years, we have been blessed with great leadership in putting the program together, and sometimes, volunteers need a break. Looking ahead to our next season, we have some key leadership roles to fill. If you are interested in stepping forward to learn how you can help, contact Leila Denton, our Director of Children's Ministries at 288-6057 ext. 208.

## Ushers



A great way to help out our church is to be an usher for Sunday services or other events held USHERS at Trinity. We have a number of usher teams and a few of those teams are not fully staffed.

If you are interested in being an usher, contact Rob Taylor via e-mail: rhtaylor75@comcast.net



# Calendar Highlights April

### **Every Sunday**

8:15 AM - Traditional Worship Service 9:30 AM - Contemporary Worship Service

9:30 & 10:45 AM - Sunday School

11:00 AM - Traditional Worship Service

#### **Every Wednesday**

12:30 PM - Midweek Communion Service 5:30 PM - WFN Dinner

### Sunday, April 3

Communion Sunday/Sherbourne Collection 12:30 PM - Trinity In Richmond meeting

### Monday, April 4

5:30 PM - Trustees

### Wednesday, April 6

4:30 PM - Young at Heart Planning

6:00 PM - Journey back to Joy

6:30 PM - Leadership Development

### Sunday, April 10

Blood Drive

5:00 PM - Mission Kids

7:00 PM - Creation Care

#### Monday, April 11

5:30 PM - Trinity Foundation

#### Tuesday, April 12

9:00 AM - UMW Spring Service Day

6:30 PM - Pub Theology

### Sunday, April 17

8:00 AM - Stop Hunger Now

5:30 PM - Connect Team

7:00 PM - Church Council

### Monday, April 18

7:00 PM - Staff Parish

### Saturday, April 23

Honduras Mission team leaves

#### Sunday, April 24

Children's Worship Service

Creation Care Sunday

12:00 PM - Mission Kids Shalom Farms

#### Tuesday, April 26

3:30 PM - Gayton Terrace Celebration

#### Wednesday, April 27

6:30 PM - Children's Choir Concert

### Friday, April 29

6:00 PM - Cooking it Up

6:30 PM - Mother-Son Dance

#### Saturday, April 30

Honduras Mission Team Returns

#### TRINITY'S STAFF IS HERE TO SERVE YOU Please call us directly by dialing 288-6057. Larry Lenow, Pastor - 204 (e-mail address: llenow@trinityumc.net) Thomas Lott, Associate Pastor - 205 (e-mail address: tlott@trinityumc.net) Bill Pike, Director of Operations - 211 (e-mail address: bpike@trinityumc.net) Jody McWilliams, Minister of Visitation (email address: mcwilliams8@verizon.net) Judy Oguich, Minister of Adult Ministries - 206 (e-mail address: joguich@trinityumc.net) Brian Clayton, Director of Youth Ministries - 207 (e-mail address: bclayton@trinityumc.net) Leila Denton, Director of Children's Ministries - 208 (e-mail address: ldenton@trinityumc.net) Charles Staples, Director of Music Ministries - 209 (e-mail address: cstaples@trinityumc.net) Jay Johnson, Modern Worship Leader -214 (email address: jjohnson@trinityumc.net) Paula Cadden, Office Administrator - 201 (e-mail address: pcadden@trinityumc.net) Judy Niedermayer, Financial Secretary - 203 (e-mail address: jniedermayer@trinityumc.net) Kim Tingler, Membership/Publication Secretary - 202 (e-mail address: ktingler@trinityumc.net) The Kitchen - 215 Trinity Pre-School 288-6058 (email address: preschool@trinityumc.net)

## Our Stewardship

Office Fax #

"We will be loyal to the United Methodist Church and uphold it by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness."

282-3368

## **Our Presence**:

Day	3/6	3/13	3/20	3/27
Worship Service	526	450	642	1083
Sunday School	385	291	395	302

## Our Gifts as of February 29:

Projected income to date: \$1,126,980 Actual income year to date: \$1,125,261 Excess (-shortfall) -\$ 1,719



# **Gifts to Trinity**

Gifts were received at Trinity for:

In memory of *Mr. Christopher Hickman* to *Trinity UMC Preschool* 

In memory of Mrs. Catherine Crawford to Trinity Foundation Memorial Fund

In memory of *Mrs. Alice Warman* to *Trinity Foundation Memorial Fund* 

In memory of *Mrs. Polly Cocke* to *Trinity Foundation Memorial Fund* 

In memory of *Mr. John Ingram* to *Trinity UMC Property Fund* 

In memory of *Mrs. Lois C. Hill* to *Bereavement Committee* 

In memory of *Mrs. Evelyn Carlton* to *Trinity Foundation Memorial Fund* 

In memory of Mr. Harold & Mrs. Aileen Adams to Trinity UMC General Fund

In memory of *Mrs. Mancha White* to *Trinity UMC Mission Fund* 

In memory of *Mr. Richard Barefoot* to *Trinity UMC Music Ministry* 

In memory of Ms. Mary Elizabeth Brooks to Trinity Foundation Memorial Fund

In memory of *Mrs. Carolyn Aldredge* to *Trinity Foundation Memorial Fund* 

In memory of *Mrs. Barbara Eicher* to *Trinity Foundation McClure Scholarship Fund* 

In memory of *Mrs. Barbara Eicher* to *Trinity UMC Music Fund* 

In honor of *Mr. Bill Pike* to *Trinity UMC - Lenten Mission Offering* 



### NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

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