

TO OUR GUESTS: Welcome to Trinity!



We pray that you experience the love, joy, and peace of Christ this morning.

We invite you to check out the website to learn more about Trinity and to find out how to get involved. We suggest you begin with **The Hub** (trinityumc.net/hub) and **I'm New** (trinityumc.net/new-here) pages.

At Trinity, our mission is "to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world." Our staff will be happy to answer any questions you may have. We are here for you.

May God's love refresh and inspire you today and always.

Please Sign the Pad in the Guest Book located in each pew. Whether a visitor or member we would like to know that you worshipped with us this morning, and which of our services you attended.

Sermon Notes

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Left Something Behind?

Check the **Lost and Found** container located in the Mission Central closet (at the end of the hall past the Church offices).

This Week

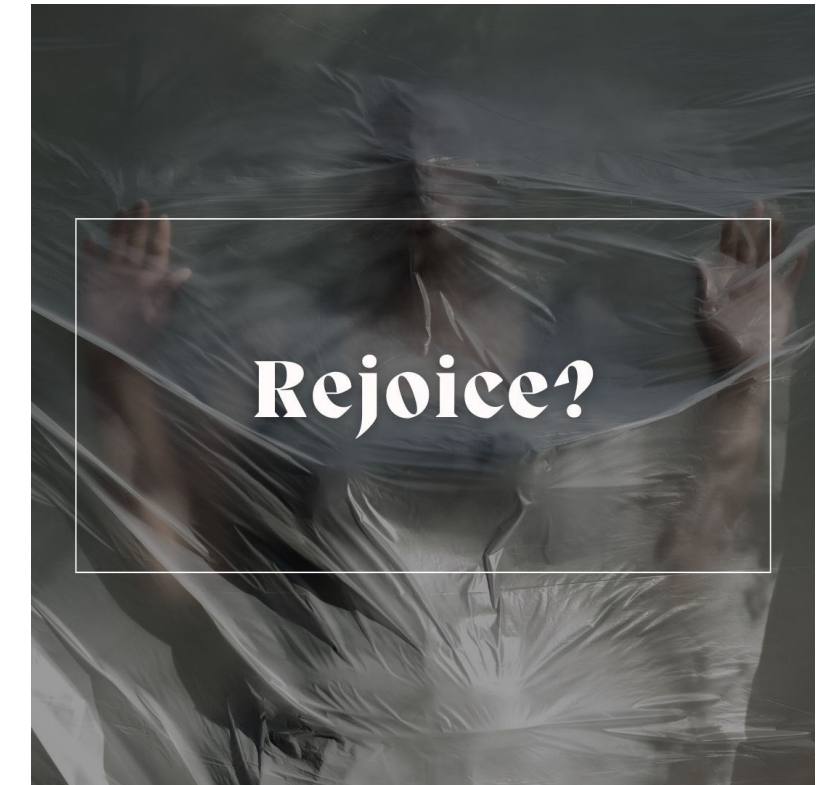
TODAY:	9 AM	Modern Worship Service
	10 AM	Capital Campaign Listening Session (Sanctuary)
	10 AM	Discipleship
	10 AM	Friends of Barnabas Presentation (Trinity Hall) <i>by Joseph Thompson</i>
	10-6:30 PM	Pumpkin Patch
	11 AM	Traditional Worship Service
	5 PM	Transit
	5 PM	Youth Group (Student Center)
Monday	9:30 AM	Monday Morning Bible Study (Room 323)
	11:45 AM	Monday Prayer Group (Chapel)
	12-7 PM	Pumpkin Patch
	6:30 PM	Praise Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
Tuesday	9:30 AM	Circle 1 (Student Center)
	12-7 PM	Pumpkin Patch
	5:30 PM	Board of Trustees Meeting (Room 323)
	6-8 PM	Pickleball (Trinity Hall)
Wednesday	12-7 PM	Pumpkin Patch
	1:30 PM	Pastor's Bible Study (Room 323)
	3 PM	Chair Yoga (Welcome Center)
	6 PM	3M Study Group (Room 317)
	7 PM	Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)
Thursday	9 AM	Trinity Stitches (Room 323)
	9:30-12 noon	Jill's Blankets (Trinity Hall)
	12-7 PM	Pumpkin Patch
	2-4 PM	Jill's Blankets (Trinity Hall)
	6-7 PM	Pastor Daniel's Bible Study (Room 323)
	6-8 PM	Jill's Blankets (Trinity Hall)
	7-8:30 PM	Circle 7 (Student Center)
Friday	9-2 PM	Food Collection (Trinity Hall)
	12-7 PM	Pumpkin Patch
Saturday	10 AM-7 PM	Pumpkin Patch

Upcoming Events

Next Sunday	1 Thessalonians 1:1-10	"Imitators"
10/22	2:30 PM	Blessing of the Animals
	3-5 PM	Fall Festival

Trinity United Methodist Church

- Rev. Brian D. Siegle**, *Pastor*
- Rev. Daniel W. Guenther**, *Associate Pastor*
- Rev. Judy C. Oguich**, *Minister of Congregational Care*
- Rev. Aaron Miller**, *Associate Pastor of Music*
- Pat Price Ruscus**, *Organist*
- Jen Williams**, *Director of Kids Ministries*
- Bill Pike**, *Director of Operations*
- Dr. Hyo Lee**, *District Superintendent, Three Notch'd District*
- Sue Hauptert-Johnson**, *Bishop*



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☀ **Modern Worship** 9:00 AM
 ✚ **Traditional Worship** 11:00 AM

ENTRANCE

✚ Chiming the Hour

Welcome

*Call to Worship

Rejoice in the Lord always, again I will say, Rejoice!
Today we choose to rejoice.
Today we choose to worship and give thanks.
Seek the peace of God
that will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.
Today we choose God's peace;
today we place our trust in God.
Turn your hearts away from the distractions
and disappointments of life
that will always flow in and flow out like the tide.
Set your affections on things above
and worship the Lord who loves you and cares for you.
We come to worship God
who alone is excellent and worthy of praise!

☀ *Song *Grateful*
 ✚ *Hymn *Rejoice, the Lord Is King* UMH 715
DARWALL'S 148TH

*Opening Prayer
Holiest God,
we come before you as people,
all in various stages of life,
all in our own spaces,
and facing our own challenges.
We come now to worship you.
And today, we rejoice.
From within the challenges, we rejoice.
From within the hardships, we rejoice.
From wherever we are today, we rejoice.
We are your people, and you are our God.
Help us now to worship you. Amen.

✚ *Gloria Patri UMH 70

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

*Passing the Peace

☀ *Song *Your Love Is Alive*
 ✚ *Hymn *My Life Flows On* TFWS 2212
HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING

Scripture Philippians 4:1-9 *CEB* Anne Beck (9:00)
Colleen Messick (11:00)

Kids Moment

Sermon *Rejoice?* Rev. Daniel Guenther

Response to the Word

God of creation, God of fun
God of life
God who delights
in diversity, joyful chaos, and randomness
We rejoice with you this day!
In our words and in our silence
In our prayers and in our meditation
In our joy and in our sorrow
In our despair and in our hope
May we know your glory
May we sing to you, to your glory
May we rejoice with you this day!
And may the peace that surpasses all understanding,
The peace that calms our troubled hearts
The peace that soothes our fears
The peace that you give
Be within us
In all things.
For the peace that you give,
May we rejoice with you this day!

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer UMH 895

THANKSGIVING

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory *Goodness of God* (9:00)
Nearer My God to Thee (11:00)

*Doxology UMH 95

SENDING FORTH

☀ *Song *Joy of the Lord*
 ✚ *Hymn *What a Friend We Have in Jesus* UMH 526
CONVERSE

*Benediction

✚ *Postlude ** Please stand as you are able*

Worship has ended -- now Service begins.

Kids in Worship

As a church, we value kids participating in worship!
 In the Welcome Center are Worship Bags and other materials to help your kids engage in the Worship service.
 Please return the Worship Bag to the Welcome Center at the end of the service.

Acolytes

Candlelighters: Charlie Duerson, Duncan Monroe
 Crucifer: Sydney Duerson

Prayer Chain Ministry... To submit your prayer request or to share a joy with our intercessory prayer chain, call Judy Oguich **(288-6056 ext. 206)**. We have over 30 persons who have committed themselves to praying for our community.

Prayer Concerns - Trinity members and staff pray for the concerns and joys of your heart. If you have a request, fill out a green Pastoral Care Card or the white Trinity Care Team Card (*located in the Guest Book*) and drop it in the offering plate.

"I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone,"
1 Timothy 2:1

Known Member Prayer Concerns

Carl Robinson	Nancy Johann	Jean Hanner
Joyce Tidey	Wayne Bullis	Jo Lewis
Robert Fricke	John Bartholomew	

The family of Kathy Boyer (sister of Gail Turner)

The family of Bessie Manz

The family of Shirley Hagerty (mother of Dave Clelland)

Community Prayer Concerns

Victims of extreme weather and natural disasters

Victims of war and violence