



Welcome to Trinity

Welcome & Announcements**Prelude****Stephen Burnette****Opening Song****UMH #715***Rejoice, the Lord Is King***Call To Worship**

Leader: O Lord, in David's favor remember all the hardships he endured; how he swore to the Lord and vowed to the Mighty One of Jacob,

People: "I will not enter my house or get into my bed;

Leader: I will not give sleep to my eyes or slumber to my eyelids,

People: until I find a place for the Lord, a dwelling place for the Mighty One of Jacob."

Leader: The Lord swore to David a sure oath and from it will not turn back:

People: "One of the sons of your body I will set on your throne.

Leader: If your sons keep my covenant and my testimonies which I shall teach them,

People: their sons also for ever shall sit upon your throne."

Prayer Hymn**UMH #361***Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me***Silent Prayer, Pastoral Prayer, The Lord's Prayer****Affirmation/Proclamation****UMH #886**

We believe in God, creator of the world and of all people; and in Jesus Christ, incarnate among us, who died and rose again; and in the Holy Spirit, present with us to guide, strengthen, and comfort.

We believe; God, help our unbelief.

We rejoice in every sign of God's kingdom: in the upholding of human dignity and community; in every expression of love, justice, and reconciliation; in each act of self-giving on behalf of others; in the abundance of God's gifts entrusted to us that all may have enough; in all responsible use of the earth's resources.

Glory be to God on high; and on earth, peace.

We confess our sin, individual and collective, by silence or action: through the violation of human dignity based on race, class, age, sex, nation, or faith; through the exploitation of people because of greed and indifference; through the misuse of power in personal, communal, national, and international life; through the search for security by those military and economic forces that threaten human existence; through the abuse of technology which endangers the earth and all life upon it.

Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

We commit ourselves individually and as a community to the way of Christ: to take up the cross; to seek abundant life for all humanity; to struggle for peace with justice and freedom; to risk ourselves in faith, hope, and love, praying that God's kingdom may come.

Thy kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.

Joyous Giving**God's Tithes and our Gifts****Anthem***Let Us Give Thanks!***Children's Moment****Scripture***2 Samuel 23.1-7, John 18.33-37***Sermon***What is Truth?***Rev. Tom Pierce****Closing Hymn****UMH #718***Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending***Benediction & Response****TFWS #2145***I've Got Peace Like a River (verse 3)***Postlude****Stephen Burnette****PRAYER REQUESTS:**

Polly Lynch

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

Sadie Agnew, Jackie & Jo Jamison, Steve Kavanaugh – Kaye McClellan's brother-in-law, Shirley Kull, Powell McClellan, Steven Lowel

If you have any prayer requests, notices to be sent, or need a visit/phone call from the pastor, please contact the church office: trinityumc@comcast.net or 615-896-0413

Names will roll off the prayer list after 2 weeks unless the church is notified.

At Home/Assisted Living/Nursing Homes:

Jack Arbuckle-NHC

Lorene Collins-Park View Meadows

Bill Elmore-The Villages

Lorene Fourman-The Villages

Chuck and Marlene Massey-The Villages

Doug & Charlotte Mason- NHC Place Franklin, TN

Reba Miller-Adams Place

Clarice Stewart-Park View Meadows

Joy Elkins Tribke-Adams Place

Reva Wallis-Adams Place

Military Personnel:

Shane Aylesworth, Seth Bell, Chaplain Jen Bowden, Chance

Cooke, Tristin Corson, David Foster, Deserae Lacznia, Kelsey

Lane, Thomas Lane, Robert Tracey

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TFWS = The Faith We Sing

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For up-to-date listings of church events/opportunities you can visit [Trinity’s Website](#) and click on the “View Full Church Calendar” button. You may also subscribe to our mailing list through our website!



WEEKLY EVENTS

Sundays:
Early Service: 8:30am
Sunday School: 9:30am
Late Service: 10:45am

Mondays:
Shepherd’s Heart: 8:00am
TPRN: 6:00 pm (bi-weekly)

Tuesdays:
TNP: 8:00am
Troop 2019: 6:00pm
Packs 448 & 2019: 6:00pm
Online Women’s Bible Study: 7:00pm

Wednesdays:
Village Co-op: 8:00am
Wonderful Wednesday: 5:30pm
Children’s Ministry: 6:00pm
Choir Rehearsal: 7:30pm

Thursdays:
TNP: 8:00am
Prayer Shawl Group: 10:00am
Emmaus Group: 12:00pm
OA: 5:30pm

Church Events this Week:
Choir Rehearsal moved to Tuesday, November 23
Church Office Closed: Wednesday, November 24 - Friday November 26

Any church related announcements should be e-mailed to the church office by end of day Wednesday each week to be put in the church bulletin: trinityumc@comcast.net

Different groups at Trinity are taking part in the Reverse Advent Calendar this Christmas season and are encouraging everyone to participate! Food items can be dropped off at the church and will be used for our food bags and Blessing Box.

REVERSE
ADVENT CALENDAR

EACH DAY ADD AN ITEM TO A BOX.
ON CHRISTMAS EVE DONATE THE CONTENTS TO A
FOOD BANK.

- December 1 - box of cereal
- December 2 - peanut butter
- December 3 - stuffing mix
- December 4 - boxed potatoes
- December 5 - macaroni and cheese
- December 6 - canned fruit
- December 7 - canned tomatoes
- December 8 - canned tuna
- December 9 - dessert mix
- December 10 - jar of applesauce
- December 11 - canned sweet potatoes
- December 12 - cranberry sauce
- December 13 - canned beans
- December 14 - box of crackers
- December 15 - package of rice
- December 16 - package of oatmeal
- December 17 - package pasta
- December 18 - spaghetti sauce
- December 19 - chicken noodle soup
- December 20 - tomato soup
- December 21 - can corn
- December 22 - can mixed vegetables
- December 23 - can carrots
- December 24 - can green beans

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Wonderful
Wednesdays

No Meal Wednesday, November
24.

Happy
THANKS
GIVING

CHURCH
CONFERENCE

Trinity UMC is having a church Conference on Wednesday, December 1 regarding selling the property across the street. The meeting will be during the Wonderful Wednesday meal at 5:30pm.