

## *What's Happening*

### May 12th (Today)

9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship  
12:00 pm Meet & Greet Luncheon

### May 13th (Monday)

5:30 pm Admin. Council & Finance Committee Meeting

### May 14th (Tuesday)

6:00 pm Board of Trustees Meeting

### May 15th (Wednesday)

6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

### May 16th (Thursday)

10:15 am Yoga for Seniors  
5:30 pm Trinity Scholarship Committee Meeting

### May 19th (Sunday)

9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship

**Add-A-Dollar:** The Add-A-Dollars collected today will go toward our “Urgent Maintenance and Supplies” fund. Thank you!

**Mother’s Day Meet & Greet:** Our monthly Meet and Greet luncheon will take place today in the Fellowship Hall following worship. The meal will be catered. The menu will feature ham, peas, corn pudding, slaw, pineapple casserole, hot rolls, and German chocolate cake. Everyone is welcome!

**Admin. Council & Finance Committee:** The Administrative Council and Finance Committee will meet on Monday, May 13th, at 5:30 pm in the New Visions classroom.

**Trinity Scholarships:** Scholarship applications are now available in the church office. There are three different applications: High School Seniors, Current College Students, and Re-Entry Students. Applicants can call or come by the office for an application. The deadline for completed applications is Tuesday, May 14th.

**Board of Trustees:** The Trinity UMC Board of Trustees will meet on Tuesday, May 14th, at 6:00 pm in the New Visions classroom.

**Yoga:** Trinity is offering a Yoga for Seniors class on Thursdays at 10:15 am in the Fellowship Hall. There is no charge to participate, and everyone is welcome! If you have a medical condition, please consult your physician before taking the class.

**Scholarship Committee:** The Trinity Scholarship Committee will meet on Thursday, May 16th, at 5:30 pm in the New Visions classroom.



*Happy Mother's Day!*

*“Honor her for all that her hands  
have done, and let her works bring  
her praise at the city gate.”*

*Proverbs 31:31*

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TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MAY 12, 2024  
11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Ringling of the Chimes

The Bringing in of The Light of Christ

Prelude *Rock of Ages* *Thomas Hastings, 1830*

Welcome On-Line and In-House, Parish Notices, Invocation

Call to Worship *Gloria* *Taize*

\*Morning Hymn *For the Beauty of the Earth v.1-4* *#92*

\*Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* *#881*

\*Hymn *Alleluia* *#186*

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

Giving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory *Sweet Hour of Prayer* *W. Bradbury*

\*Presentation of Offerings with Doxology *#95*

\*Offertory Prayer

Hymn *Fairest Lord Jesus* *#189*

New Testament Lesson *Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:15-22*

Morning Message "Shift Your Gaze"

\*Sending Forth Hymn *Blessed Assurance v. 1,3* *#369*

\*Carrying The Light of Christ to the World

\*Benediction

Choral Response *Love, Grace, and Peace* *Brown/Sims*

Postlude *Up From the Grave He Arose* *Robert Lowry, 1874*

\*Please stand as you are able in body and/or spirit

IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS

*All men & women serving around the world—including those in our extended church family:  
Matthew Browder, Gary Shubert, Steve Pippin, and Jacob Shubert.*

Church Members

Jim Anderson, Wayne Brock, Ann Chumley, Olivia Clark, Elaine Finn, Linda Garner, Holly Hamilton, Sue Jane Hartsook, Earl & Caroline Lauderdale, Pat Miller, Donald & Caroline Perkey, Larry & Susan Rollins, Sylvia Sproul, Carolyn Tokarz, Maxine Whistler

Friends and Family

Hugh Arr, Mark Bickers, Marti Bruer, Laken Cluck, Len Franklin, Thelma Green, Randy Harris, Miranda Hollifield, Evelyn Logan Johnson, Mary Sue Kelley, Ken Kurtz, Lynne MacConnell, Gabe Manning, Gary Martin, Randy Martin, Bettye Matthews, Jimmie Openshaw, Bill Owens, Vickie Phillips, Owen Radi, Jimmie Jane Ray, Paisley Reece Carroll, Jimmy Rogers, Tom & Martha Sinness, Sara Sherrill, David Smith, Ginger Thrower, Shannon Tufts, Rev. & Mrs. Walter Waddey, Ken Walker, Lucas Whitworth, Aura Wright

\*Newly Added.

Altar Flowers

Today's altar flowers are in honor and memory of all the women who have mothered us and taught us about God's love and grace.

**Announcements:** Please give all announcements to Pastor Linda.

**Ushers:** Matt Brookshire, Bob Brown, Rick Chester, Hazel Maples, Dennis VanWormer, and Jane Whitaker

**Acolytes:** Trinity Usher Corps

**Condolences:** We offer our heartfelt condolences and prayers to Carla Wiggins Sproul and her family on the passing of her sister Mary Seay.

**Donations for Wesley House Food Pantry:** The UMW will continue collecting cans of Vienna sausages for the Wesley House the first Sunday of each month. They are also currently in need of jars of peanut butter and canned tuna (dolphin safe). Please place donations in the baskets in the education hallway. Thank you!

**Additional Needs for Wesley House:** The Afterschool Program has an ongoing need for kids snacks. We will be collecting individually packaged snack items including applesauce, cereal, fruit snacks, Rice Krispie Treats, and Nutri-grain Bars. Thank you for your generosity!

**A Note of Hospitality:** Our restrooms are located in the hallway at the side entrance to the Sanctuary on the same floor. The women's restroom is to the right parallel to the stairway and the men's restroom is the first left down the hallway from the Sanctuary, then turn right and the restroom is end of hallway on the right. The nursery is located near the men's restroom.

*Thank you for worshipping with us! Have a blessed week!*