

What's Happening

August 16 (Today)

9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship
3:00 pm Historical Society

August 17 (Monday)

10:00 am **Rummage Sale Setup Day**
5:30 pm Church Council Meeting
6:00 pm Girl Scouts

August 18 (Tuesday)

1:00 pm Piano Lessons in Chapel

August 19 (Wednesday)

10:00 am **Rummage Sale Workday**
6:00 pm Bible Study
6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

August 21 (Friday)

10:00 am **Rummage Sale Workday**

August 22 (Thursday)

9:00 am Piano Lessons in Chapel
10:15 am Yoga for Seniors (advanced level)
10:30 am Yoga for Seniors (beginner level)
5:30 pm Walking Group

August 23 (Sunday)

9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship
3:00 pm District Conference @Seymour UMC

Online Giving at Trinity

To make a donation online, scan the QR code. Credit card, debit card, or PayPal are accepted. Please include a note if you want to direct your donation to a specific fund. If you experience any issues, please see Trinity treasurer, Mike Pearce.



Historical Society: The Historical Society of Loudon County will meet today at 3:00 pm in the Sanctuary. Nolen Rollins, local author, will give a presentation on writing family history books.

Rummage Sale: Volunteers are needed for the rummage sale setup day on Monday, August 17, from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. The TMW will need assistance emptying out the Fellowship Hall and setting up tables and clothing racks.

Church Council: The Church Council will meet on Monday, August 17, at 5:30 pm in the New Vision classroom.

Updates for Yoga for Seniors: Meetings are every Thursday. The Level 1 class takes place from 10:30 am to 11:00 am. The Level 3 class takes place from 10:15 am to 11:15 am. Please consult your physician if you have a problem. There is no charge, and everyone is welcome!

Assistance Available: If you need assistance getting into or out of the church, please let one of our ushers know. We have ramp access to the front of the building, wheelchairs, and ushers available to assist. We also have large print hymnals and listening assistance units available.



Welcome! Bienvenidos! Hwan Yong Hom Ne Da! Willkommen! Bienvenue!
Christ Jesus welcomes everyone, and so do we!

Rev. Barbara Clark, Pastor
Warren Clark, Choir Director
Walter Hines, Organist
Marilyn Peterson, Pianist
Joel Bonnan, Liturgist
Catherine Marvin, Mike Pearce, Ed Tinnel,
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TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, AUGUST 16, 2026
11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Ringling of the Chimes		
Bringing in the Light of Christ		
Prelude	<i>People Need the Lord</i>	<i>McHugh/Nelson</i>
Welcome Online and In-House, Parish Notices, Invocation		
Call to Worship	<i>Glorify Thy Name</i>	<i>Donna Adkins</i>
*Hymn of Praise	<i>To God Be the Glory v. 1, 3</i>	<i>#98</i>
*Affirmation of Faith	<i>A Statement of Faith of the Korean Methodist Church</i>	<i>#884</i>
*Gloria Patri		<i>#70</i>
Pastoral Prayer		
The Lord’s Prayer	<i>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.</i>	
Giving of God’s Tithe and Our Offerings		
Offertory	<i>He Looked Beyond My Fault and Saw My Need (Londonderry Air, 1855)</i>	<i>Dottie Rambo, 1967</i>
*Presentation of Offerings with Doxology		<i>#95</i>
*Offertory Prayer		
Anthem	<i>Just Two Words</i>	<i>H. Frombach</i>
Scripture Lesson	<i>Genesis 45:1-15</i>	
Message	<i>“The Future of Forgiveness”</i>	
*Sending Forth Hymn	<i>For the Healing of the Nations v. 1, 2, 4</i>	<i>#428</i>
*Carrying the Light of Christ to the World		
*Benediction		
Choral Response	<i>Praise the Lord</i>	<i>Charles Wesley</i>
Postlude	<i>O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing</i>	<i>Tune: Azmon</i>
<i>*Please stand as you are able in body and/or spirit</i>		

IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS

Church Members
Kathy & Wayne Brock, Bob & Charlotte Brown, Ann Chumley, Olivia Clark, Bob & Connie Gunsch, Sue Jane Hartsook, Marilyn Hastings, Caroline Lauderdale, Ann Maroney, *Mike Pearce, Caroline Perkey, John Peterson, *Joe Spence, Judy Smith, Peg Tinnel, Carolyn Tokarz, Anne Williams

Friends and Family
Caroline Bain, Mark Bickers, Beth Bishop, Jerry Bledsoe, Leslie Bornhoeft, Roy Carter, Cathy Cortez, Joel Counce & Augusta Oguah, Gerald Edgell, Jonathan and Kathy Gaines, Thelma Green, Kristen Gunsch, Paula Harger, Randy Harris, Harry Hartsook, Audie Holloway, Lynn Johnson, Kenny & Launa Knox, Ken Kurtz, Marie Lancaster, Karin Ladd, Reagan Lively, Jimmy Luke, Mason, Everette McCurry, Our Migrant Neighbors, *the new school year, Linda Nichols, *Billy Owens, the People of Gaza, Denise Perino, Bob Phildius, Keith Phildius, Vickie Phillips, Lisa Rhoten, Myles & *Libby Rodgers, Mariana Rodriguez, Tom & Martha Sinness, *Joy Stafford, Spokane wildfires, earthquake victims in Venezuela & *Columbia, Lori Wade, Ken Walker, Vanessa Wells, Doug Williams, Our Military Personnel around the World.
***newly added**

Altar Flowers
The altar flowers are presented to the glory of God and are given in loving memory of Zachary Robinson for his birth anniversary, August 19, by Melanie Robinson.

Ushers: Jim Campbell, Amanda Smith, Flo Valentino, and Sarah Young

Acolytes: Trinity Usher Corps **Childcare workers:** Pamela Kirkpatrick and volunteers

Add-A-Dollar: The Add-A-Dollars collected today will go toward our “Urgent Maintenance and Supplies” fund. Your gifts are making a difference! Thank you!

Donations for Wesley House Food Pantry: The TMW sponsors an ongoing collection of cans of Vienna sausages, peanut butter, and canned tuna (dolphin safe) for the Wesley House. Please place donations in the baskets in the education hallway. Thank you! We partner with other UMCs in the region to feed approximately eight thousand neighbors per month in Knoxville. You can learn more about this vital ministry at wesleyhouseknox.org.

A Note of Hospitality: Our restrooms (unisex) are located on the same floor as the sanctuary. The closer restroom is to the right, parallel to the stairway. The other restroom is the first left down the hallway from the sanctuary; then turn right, and the restroom is at the end of hallway. The **Nursery** is located on that hallway, near the restroom and the parlor. We have a dedicated team ready to care for your children.

District Conference: You are invited to attend the Smoky Mountain District Conference next Sunday/August 23, 3:00 pm, hosted by Seymour UMC. All Church Council members are encouraged to attend and vote, and every church member is welcome to attend.

Thank you for worshiping with us! Have a blessed week!