

What's Happening

March 12th (Today)

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

March 13th (Monday)

5:30 pm Administrative Council & Finance Committee Meeting

March 14th (Tuesday)

10:00 am Lenten Bible Study

March 15th (Wednesday)

6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

March 16th (Thursday)

10:15 am Yoga for Seniors

March 19th (Sunday)

9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship

Vienna Sausages for Wesley House: The UMW is collecting cans of Vienna sausages the first Sunday of each month. Please place donations in the baskets in the education hallway. Thank you!

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

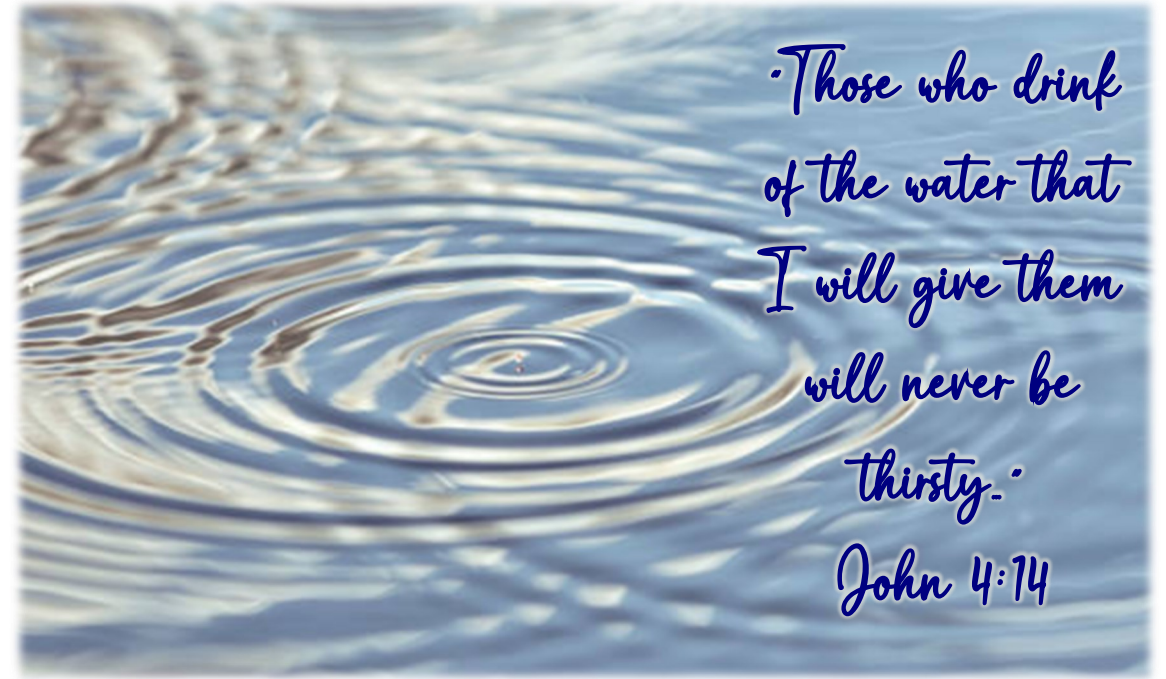
Meet & Greet: Our monthly Meet and Greet luncheon will take place on today in the Fellowship Hall following the worship service. Everyone is welcome!

Admin. Council & Finance Committee: The Administrative Council and Finance Committee will hold their monthly meeting on Monday, March 13th, at 5:30 pm.

Lenten Bible Study: Pastor Linda's Lenten Bible study will continue on Tuesday mornings at 10:00 am. The study follows the book *The Walk: Five Essential Practices of the Christian Life* by Adam Hamilton.

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

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



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Warren Clark, Choir Director
Walter Hines, Organist
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TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT, MARCH 12, 2023
11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

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, John Brookshire, Dimple Browder, Ann Chumley, Doug & Janet Edwards, Jim Ellison, Holly Hamilton, Patsy Guy Hammontree, Sue Jane Hartsook, Chris Hicks, Lynn Hicks, Caroline Lauderdale, Bob Maroney*, Pat Miller, Donald & Caroline Perkey, Wanda Queener, Cindy Rausin Judy Smith, Daniel Sproul, Sylvia Sproul, Carolyn Tokarz, Margaret Van Wormer

Friends and Family

Hugh Arr, Grace Babb, Brady Beane, Denim Beeler, Mark Bickers, Diane Booker, Marty Bruer, Laken Cluck, Bob Curry, Len Franklin, Forrest Hardy, Landon Hardy, Miranda Hollifield, Evelyn Logan Johnson, Mary Sue Kelley, Ruth Ann Kelley, Ken Kurtz, Randy Martin, Ciarra Morgan, Millie Munchenburg, Owen Radi, Jimmie Jane Ray, Katie Reed, Tom & Martha Sinness, Rev. & Mrs. Walter Waddey, Ken Walker, Aura Wright

***Newly Added.**

Altar Flowers

Today's altar flowers are in memory of Mozelle Renshaw Whitaker. They are given by Bill and Jane Whitaker.

Announcements: Please give all announcements to Pastor Linda.

Ushers: Ab Brookshire, Matt Brookshire, Rick Chester, Jack Hammontree, and Dennis Van Wormer

Acolytes: Trinity Usher Corps

Condolences: We offer our heartfelt condolences to Cindy Hatcher on the passing of her aunt, Claudine Diamond.

Service Music: The prelude, Since By Man Came Death from the oratorio Messiah, is based on 1 Corinthians 15:21 - "Since death came to humanity through a man, the resurrection of the dead comes also through a man." The offertory is a simple arrangement of the hymn, Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross page 301 in the Methodist Hymnal. The stanzas are a prayer that Christians would always remember the redemptive work of Christ on the cross, and live faithfully in that memory.

*The framed print in the chancel is of the **Pieta**, in English, the **Pity**. This work, by Italian Renaissance sculptor and painter Michelangelo, was carved in 1499 and for over two hundred years has been housed at Saint Peter's Basilica in Vatican City.*

*The **Pieta** depicts the crucified body of Jesus cradled on the lap of the Virgin Mary. The stone is Carrara marble from the mines in the Carrara region of Italy which is considered to be the finest marble in the world.*

*Michelangelo was commissioned to create "...the most beautiful work of marble in Rome, one that no living artist could better." The **Pieta** was surely inspired by his deep and abiding faith and was the only work he ever signed. Serene, infinitely sorrowful, exquisite. There is no end to the number of descriptions for the **Pieta**. For centuries this masterpiece has inspired emotion and faith throughout the Christian world.*

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.

Ringling of the Chimes

The Bringing in of The Light of Christ

Prelude *Since By Man Came Death From Handel's Messiah, 1741*

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

Call to Worship *Holy Is the Lord Schubert*

*Morning Hymn *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah #127*

*Litany *Litany of Humility See Insert*

*Gloria Patri *#70*

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 *Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross Franny Crosby, 1869*

*Presentation of Offerings with Doxology *#95*

*Offertory Prayer

Anthem *Till the Storm Passes By Mosie Lister*

New Testament Lesson *John 4:1 - 26*

Morning Message *"Thirsty?"*

*Sending Forth Hymn *Come, We That Love the Lord #732*

*Carrying The Light of Christ to the World

*Benediction

Choral Response *Praise the Lord Charles Wesley*

Postlude *Oh, Love Divine, What Hast Thou Done Charles Wesley, 1742*

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