

## *What's Happening*

### November 23rd (Today)

9:45 am      Sunday School  
11:00 am      Worship  
4:00 pm      Tree Decorating

### November 24th (Monday)

6:00 pm      Girl Scouts

### November 25th (Tuesday)

1:00 pm      Piano Lessons in Chapel

### November 30th (First Sunday of Advent)

9:45 am      Sunday School  
11:00 am      Worship

### December 1st (Monday)

10:30 am      TMU Meeting

### 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.



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

**Tree Decorating:** Today at 4:00 pm we will decorate the Chrismon tree in the sanctuary. Next Sunday will be the First Sunday of Advent. Please join us as we prepare for the festive season!

**Choir Rehearsal:** The choir will not rehearse on Wednesday, November 26, owing to the Thanksgiving holiday. Choir rehearsal will resume on Wednesday, December 3rd, at 6:00 pm.

**Holiday Hours:** The church office will be closed Wednesday, November 26, through Friday, November 28, in observance of Thanksgiving. We hope you enjoy this time with your loved ones!

**Trinity Methodist Women (TMW):** On Monday, December 1, at 10:30 am in the Fellowship Hall our Trinity Methodist Women will join together to share and enjoy a Baby Shower for the mothers and their children at Susannah’s House, a residential program for expecting moms struggling with addiction. We will collect new, **unwrapped** items for newborns and toddlers. We have been asked to not bring diapers as they have a source already. All women are welcome and we hope you can join us for some good fellowship time together.

**Donations for Wesley House Food Pantry:** The UMW is collecting 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!



*Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. ‘Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.*

*Philippians 4:4-7*



*Welcome! Bienvenidos! Willkommen! Bienvenue!*

*Christ Jesus welcomes everyone, and so do we!*

**Rev. Barbara Clark, Pastor**  
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TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2025  
11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Ringling of the Chimes

Bringing in of the light of Christ

Prelude *Simple Gifts* *Joseph Brackett*

Welcome Online and In-House, Parish Notices, Invocation

Call to Worship *In Thanksgiving, Let Us Praise Him* *Haydn*

\*Hymn of Praise *We Gather Together* *#131*

\*Responsive Reading

\*Gloria Patri *#70*

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 Tithe and Our Offerings

Offertory *Wonderful Peace* *Cooper/Cornell*

\*Presentation of Offerings with Doxology *#95*

\*Offertory Prayer

Anthem *Give Thanks* *Henry Smith*

Scripture Lesson *Philippians 4:4-9*

Message *"Journey Towards Gratitude"*

\*Sending Forth Hymn *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come* *#694*

\*Carrying The Light of Christ to the World

\*Benediction

Choral Response *Alleluia* *R.V. Williams*

Postlude *Now Thank We All Our God* *Felix Mendelssohn, 1840*

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

IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS

*Including all men & women serving around the world.*

Church Members

Wayne Brock, Bob & Charlotte Brown, Charge Conference, Ann Chumley, Jan Edwards, Linda Garner, Sue Jane Hartsook, Earl & Caroline Lauderdale, Hazel Maples, Donald & Caroline Perkey, John Peterson, Larry Rollins, Judy Smith, Daniel Sproul, Sol Thomas, Peg Tinnel, Carolyn Tokarz, Kim Williams

Friends and Family

Chance Adams, Abidgia Aistrop, Bob Arr, Jessica Bailey, Beth Bishop, Ramona Bonnan, Laken Cluck, Marigold Fritz, Pat Grayson, Thelma Green, Bob & Connie Gunsch, Randy Harris, Budge Herrell, Miranda Hollifield, Kathy Holt, Evelyn Logan Johnson, Don Keel, Jeff Kiddey, Kenny Knox, Ken Kurtz, Steve Kurtz, Karin Ladd, Lynne MacConnell, Alice Mayes, Our Migrant Neighbors, Linda Nichols, Bill Owens, Denise Perino, Vickie Phillips, Jimmie Jane Ray, Tom & Martha Sinness, David Smith, Owen Spencer, Dale Standridge, Jake Stooksbury, Elsie Underwood, Bud Walker, Ken Walker, Felicia Walkup, Vanessa Wells, James Williams, Natalee, Claire, and Jack Witek **\*Newly Added.**

Altar Flowers

**Announcements:** Please give all announcements and prayer requests to Pastor Barbara prior to the service.

**Ushers:** Melanie Robinson, Dennis VanWormer, and Sarah Young

**Acolytes:** Trinity Usher Corps **Childcare workers:** Pamela Kirkpatrick and Simone Griffith

**Lenoir City Schools Santa's Helper Gifts:** Again this year Trinity will sponsor a family of five for our annual Santa's Helper outreach to our Lenoir City Schools children. This year we have Willy, 15, Dilan 11, Diego 7, Natalia 5, and rounding out our family is Samuel at 18 months. What a Joy! We receive a list of their three wishes along with their favorite color and the sizes for their shoes, socks, pants, shirts, hoodie or coat and then Outreach/Missions goes shopping and boy do we have Fun too!

If you would like to participate we will take an offering today and next Sunday, Nov. 30. Please write Santa's Helper on the memo line of your check or offering envelope. Thank you for always sharing the Spirit of the Season by continuing to make a difference in the lives of so many. We promise great delight as the children open their gifts on Christmas morning.

**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.

**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.

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