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# **Trinity Tidings**

May 2018

# A JOURNEY FOR A GREATER CAUSE celebrating the "why?" of who we are!

We are his workmanship, created for good works in Christ.... *Ephesians 2:10* .... Proclaim the year of the Lord's favor. *Lake 4:19* 

My dear Trinity family,

Here's wishing you a wonderful time this Spring!

As we witness the amazing takeover by Spring, we find our senses treated to an outburst of colors and beauty that is hard to miss! The word "snow" surely and certainly feels like it sounds best in the past tense!

Spring is a great reminder to me that as in nature's case, what lies within is what beautifies my spiritual life. Grass that seems to be overcome by cold, subzero temperatures and snow in Winter has been breaking forth with new life and decorating our surroundings with amazing green. "April showers bring May flowers" is not just a nice saying to comfort us when it rains. It is true! This is the season when those bulbs that lay within the soil burst brightly with their daffodils and lilies! The season truly reminds me that what lies in the inner reservoir of my soul is of critical importance.

*How is it with your soul?* 

Let me ask you a question. It is a question that John Wesley often contemplated upon and shared with those he mentored and met. **How is it with your soul?** As we think about the condition of our souls, it is important to know that the soul can only grow with what is invested in it. When we invest good , faith, love, and the virtues that God seeks for each of us, we move our souls in the direction of health. But when our souls are fed

From the Pastor's Desk

doubt, negativity, a spirit of complaining, and fear, we move our souls in the direction of disease. The word disease can be better understood when we read it as, "dis-ease". It is important for us to experience what Augustine of Hippo described in his understanding of peace. Augustine understood peace as the, "tranquility of order." What can we understand from this definition? In simple terms we can understand that when we live and order our lives in line with God's character and word, peace becomes a natural gift in the process. This is important to understand because while we are promised the gift of peace, we are also called to cultivate our souls in a manner that peace can reside therein peacefully. What do I mean by this? The Lord Jesus said in John 14: 27, "My peace I leave with you, my peace I give to you: not as the world gives, give I to you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid". We find in those words the beautiful assurance that peace is a divine gift given by God. But is it possible that we can restrict, reduce, or refuse a divine gift? The answer is yes. The Lord Jesus told us in Matthew 6: 27 to ponder the question, "Can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your life? "How often do you and I find ourselves in that very place! Now let me clarify that there is no harm and nothing wrong with us being authentic and transparent about our fears and worries. How can we make such a statement with certainty? We can because we find that the very Jesus who told us not to worry, opened his heart to his Father at Gethsemane. At that point, he was concerned about what he was about to face in the cross. Jesus appeals in Luke 22: 42, "Father, if you are willing take this cup from me; yet not my will, but yours be done". Luke 22: 44 declares, "And being in **anguish**, he prayed more earnestly, and his sweat was like drops of blood falling to the ground".

During his earthly ministry Jesus did not attempt to conceal or camouflage who he was and what he felt. He was never trying to "look good" for the camera or the media or even the paparazzi! In Jesus, you had what you saw and saw what he had had!

Over the last week the media has been abuzz with Mariah Carey's statement about living with bipolar II disorder. What has been of concern to some has been the revelation that she had been struggling with the condition for 17 years and had not been able to come open with it. The singer who has been admired and loved by millions globally states, "I didn't want to carry around the stigma of a lifelong disease that would define me and potentially end my career." She also noted that, "Until recently I lived in denial and in constant fear someone would expose me."

None of us can deny how hard it can be to be transparent about our struggles. By his example the Lord Jesus reveals that **at the heart of his credibility was a genuine embracing of vulnerability**.

So where is our middle ground or safe ground when it comes to understanding this tension between peace being a gift and us being stewards of it? This is where the gift of the great Holy Spirit is to be embraced with joy. **Trying to be peaceful in our own strength would be like trying to push a tractor trailer single handed.** Experiencing the gift of God's peace would be like sitting in the tractor trailer cabin with Christ in control!

Sadly, some of us refuse God's grace. That undermines health to our souls. It is like knowing that your brand-new car needs gas and ending up at the gas station only to discover that there is no inlet for the gas. We must be open to God's grace and gifts if we must find health in our souls.

As we journey into this new month that celebrates Spring, would you engage in spiritual disciplines that will continue to build the reservoir of your soul? Let me remind you that a well-tended soul will make for a well-presented witness for Christ. What do I mean by that? As I am writing this letter to you, I am still processing the information I have received about the health conditions of some of my members. This very morning, I have interacted with two of them who face very challenging circumstances. It is amazing that both have reflected serenity, security and a testimony of Christ's presence and peace. The thing about a soul that is well tended, is that it is not only a blessing to us, it makes us a blessing to others.

Is that not why we are still left on this planet?

Happy spring! May our Lord bless us abundantly during this season of Pentecost as we journey through our worship and preaching series about why we need the Great Holy Spirit.

# MAY 2018 THEME: WHY THE HOLY SPIRIT?

WHY WE NEED THE HOLY SPIRIT

### May 6

**Because He makes us one** Scripture 1: John 17: 20-26 Scripture 2: Acts 2: 42-47:

### May 13

**Because He empowers us to be witnesses** (Ascension Sunday) Scripture 1: Matthew 28: 16-20 Scripture 2: Acts 1: 1-11

### May 20

**Because He empowers us to be witnesses** (Pentecost) Scripture 1: Joel 2: 28-32 Scripture 2: Acts 2: 1-14

### May 27

**Because He makes us messengers of healing** Scripture 1: John 14: 5-13 Scripture 2: Acts 3: 1-10 Pentecost, the birthday of the church is May 20th. To add to the celebration we will have red geraniums adorning the sanctuary. Red is also associated with the fire of the Holy Spirit. *Might you also consider wearing red that day?* 

This year we would like to decorate the church with Red Geraniums for **Pentecost Sunday**, **May 20th**. It is the hope that the congregation will be happy to sponsor and purchase the plants and plant them at home. The congregation is also encouraged to wear red on Pentecost. Orders are due in church office, along with your cash or check made payable to Trinity United Methodist Church (showing "Pentecost Flowers" in the memo) by **May 6, 1918**. The cost is \$5.00 each. Please indicate number amount of plants you would like. The flowers you purchased should be taken home Pentecost Sunday, May 20th.

Your Name:		
Phone #:		
Number of Plants:		
Amount Enclosed:		
Check	Cash	

### **CELEBRATING** .....100 YEARS

On March 22<sup>nd</sup>, Pastor Arun, Nehara and I had the privilege of visiting with Miriam Weikel on her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday! She was delighted to be remembered by her Trinity Church Family's BIRTHDAY CARD SHOWER and expressed her gratitude. What a dear and Spirit-filled lady. She spoke of friends and family- past and present and was quite taken with Nehara. Miriam even shared with us her "3 Pearls of Wisdom" for a long and happy life. I share them now with you:

- 1. Eat healthy and live simply
- 2. Know the Lord and be content and
- 3. Appreciate one another and be thankful...... such GRACE!

At the close of our visit, Pastor Arun offered a prayer and began to sing "Great is Thy Faithfulness" - My eyes filled with tears as Miriam also lifted her sweet voice in praise.... Each word, every note perfect. (Dan would be proud.) If each day is indeed a 'gift' - <u>This</u> birthday was truly a celebration!!

With joy, Barbara Z.

### MILES FOR MISSIONS WALK/RUN-A-THON

You are encouraged to participate alongside Bishop Jeremiah Park in the local Walk/Run-a-Thon. You can benefit the Bishop's PARTNERS IN MISSION program, with proceeds going to Mission Central and Imagine No Malaria. The Harrisburg district event is **May 19th at Shank Park, 781 Bullfrog Valley Road, in Hummelstown**. See the bulletin board for the flyer and the table for sponsorship forms. We are asking for donations of grocery gift cards to purchase snacks and botted water to support the participants. Please give the donated gift cards to Carol Evertts or the church office by May 10th. Call Carol Evertts for more info. For more information and downloadable resources, including the sponsorship form, visit tinyurl.com/BishopsPIM.

### **GRADUATE RECOGNITION**

On Sunday, May 20th at the 10:45 am service, we will recognize our Trinity graduates - high school, college, graduate school. Please share the name and school of the graduates with the church office by May 6th.

# ΤΗΑΝΚ ΥΟΥ ~ ΤΗΑΝΚ ΥΟΥ ~ ΤΗΑΝΚ ΥΟΥ

To My Wonderful Trinity Church Family, Thank you for the Easter Flower. I am blessed to be remembered in your thoughts and prayers. Love, Gale Gruver

Thank you all so much for all of your prayers, thoughtfulness and all of your generosity. God Bless All of You, ~Alberta McQuait

### Thank You

Want to thank the wonderful Trinity family for your prayers and friendship as we all went on a journey before meeting daughter Brynn Zebrak on March 11, 2018. I now believe in miracles and 55 years of constant prayers answered. God is so good. ~Carol Brown

### Thank You Trinity Family,

For the cards, calls and prayers that I received to celebrate my 100th birthday. I also want to thank Pastor Andrews and Barbara Zimmerman for their visit. I and my family appreciate your kindness. I am truly blessed. ~Miriam Weikel

### Dear Trinity Church Members,

Thank you for making all the Boy Scouts from Troop 269 and their families feel so welcomed and at home. All the guys really love coming and doing their part for Boy Scout Sunday. God Bless You.

Love, Chris and Sharon Immel and Travis Trick.

### To My Trinity Family,

I would like to express my deepest thanks for your prayers, notes, cards, calls, flowers and visits during my recent recovery from back surgery. Your love and encouragement have been uplifting. I feel blessed to be a part of Trinity's fellowship. ~John Sharpe

### TUMC,

The family would like to thank you for providing a warm place to have Dad's funeral. Your church is beautiful.

Sincerely, the Simmons Family

Thank you to many who helped with preparing the sanctuary for services over Holy Week and Easter: Altar Guild- Sue Grubb, Daryl Potteiger, Millie Walters; Easter Flowers- Joyce Klinger, Sue Wertz, Bonnie Moyer, Miriam Andrews; Communion preparation- Jane Gable, Kathy Brosius, Millie Walters; Crosses, inside and outside- Daryl Potteiger and Carol Evertts; Ushers and Greeters who served on Maundy Thursday and Good Friday; The Chancel Choir members who helped strip the altar after the Maundy Thursday service and then reassemble it for the Easter service; Irv and Barb Kiehl who polished the chancel brass.

Thank you to those who helped and participated in the April Sunnier Side of Sixty service: Speaker, Elaine Ocamb, for her willingness to speak and share her insights on prayer; The Trinity Flute Ensemble directed by Sue Northey, for providing the special music; Those who set-up and clean-up, Ken Gable and Wilma Rockey, assisted by others; The Faithful Trinity Volunteers for the lovely fellowship time; Mary Herr for assisting with publicity and transportation; Ushers, Dr. Jim and Jody Blacksmith; The Trinity minister friends who assist Rev. Andrews in leading the services.

Thank you to the Homebound Committee for the Trinity is a loving and caring church, prayers. "Trinity, where memories are cherished, and friends found." Thank you to friends who send me cards regularly and for people who drove me to doctor's appointments when I was till living in New Cumberland. Barb, for her visits with me when I was hospitalized in the past and her inspiring letters of faith. When I was in New Cumberland, she visited me at home and brought me her delicious chicken soup. A special thanks to Arv and Bev for their cards on holidays and pictures from Florida, and keeping me posted on church happenings and for their Prayers. Pastor Andrew's inspiring messages of faith reminds me of the Bible passage, "With God, all things are possible," Matthew 19:25

*The Power of Prayer is knowing God is with you* ~ In Christian Love, Jim Luko

### **DEDICATION OF NEW CHALICES**

On May 6th new communion chalices will be dedicated in memory of Trinity member, Walter Ickler. The chalices are given to the church by his loving family.

### LIFE-SAVING UPDATE

On Holy Saturday, March 31st, 27 participants gathered together in Fellowship Hall for CPR / AED certification training. The timing choice of dates was most appropriate- the last day of Lent- a time of anticipation for our Lord's victory of life over death... Pastor Arun, with the Word of God, shepherds us to save souls – Now, following instructions in cardio-pulmonary resuscitation, we have the ability to perform this life-saving technique also. Our newly-certified are as follows:

Arun, Miriam and Nehara Andrews, Kendall and Scott Bankert, Carol Brown, Marjorie and Richard Creamer, Bill and Jady Conroy, Doug Eakin, Nicholas Emig, Ken Gable, Fred Jenkins, Kristin Jensen, Jackson Klingaman, Jocelyn MacMinn, Jennifer McClure, Larry Miller, Bill Northey, Wilma Rockey, Jim and Marsha Uber, Andrew and Jody Wickenheiser, Carol Wilson, and Barbara Zimmerman.



I am thankful for each of you – because we are all safer for your having taken part in this event. ~Your Parish Nurse, Barbara Z.

### THOUGHT TO PONDER...A SENIOR/HOMEBOUND OUTLOOK:

Have you ever noticed ——? Most people say they want to live a long time—but, no one wants to "grow old". As time goes by we learn—They are one and the same. It is with most things in life—time spent and choices made determine outcome. Your future is what you make it. For many, added years are a celebration—a badge of accomplishment—a blessing... But for some, added years become a time of loss, disappointment, with-drawal, and sadness.

It is for this reason—the Senior/Homebound Ministry began. We know our Lord came that we might have life in abundance throughout our life-time...because every day is a gift. Our little ministry honors each life bringing HOPE, COMFOT, ENCOURAGEMENT< and most of all, HIS PRESENCE. We do small things... With great love. We invite "you" to share with us in this ministry. ~ Barbara Z.

### A SPOTLIGHT MINISTRY FOR MAY - MEDARD'S HOUSE MISSION

Medard's House is a Christ-centered ministry house that serves to be the extension of the family for teenagers. It is a safe place to: socialize and bond with peers, connect with community leaders and role models, learn the value of service through provided teachings, realize talents and dreams, verbalize fears and vulnerability through the love of the community and the power of the Holy Spirit.

By this fall Medard's House will be available 5 nights a week for the youth to come after school. Medard's House will provide a homemade meal, adult mentors, opportunities to learn about God, academic help and much more. This is accomplished through our mission and partnering with other non-profits such as Center for Champions, 3 Star Foundation and The Underground Skate Park ministry. We need volunteers, prayers, and financial support. There is always a need for food, water, crafts, paper, pencils, crayons, games etc. Saundra Collelo, President; Staff and Board members would like to thank TUMC for all the help and support given to the children. Trinity supports Medard's House with food and prayer to help the children.

The location is as follows: Medard's House, 1120 Drexel Hills Blvd, New Cumberland, PA 17070

God Bless you all. ~Mission Coordinator, Carol Evertts



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May 6 6-8 PM Youth Group Creation Room and FH

May 13 6-8 PM Youth Group Creation Room and FH

May 20 6-8 PM Youth Group Creation Room and FH \*\*\*\*\*\*

May 27 6-8 PM Youth Group Creation Room and FH \*\*\*\*\*\*



### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

### VBS is for children entering Kindergarten through 12th grades.

Sunday, June  $3^{rd}$  through Thursday, June  $7^{th}$  from 5:30 - 8:15 pm every night. A FREE dinner will be served from 5:30 - 6:00 pm. Closing program which will include parents/guardians will be Friday, June  $8^{th}$  from 6:00 - 8:00 pm. Donna Ratulowski at 717-512-3365 is serving as coordinator.

Register online beginning May 1<sup>st</sup> at http://trinityumnc.com/ministries/kids/

### THE TRINITY BIKE EXTRAVAGANZA IS BACK!

THE TRINITY BIKE EXTRAVAGANZA IS BACK! This year will be bigger and busier than ever because it will happen on Community Day May 5. Trinity youth group will take the lead for the event but as always they can use some adult help. Given the potential for a lot of extra visitors, we will need people to help with setup and teardown of tables, canopies, bike selection, bike sizing, bike fixing, learning to ride with a balance bike, possibly doing crowd control, registering bikes to get contact information for later use, sizing helmets, etc. The youth will be giving the bikes a final cleaning with soap and water, maybe pumping tires and fixing the odd flat tire. We will have 50+ bikes of all sizes to manage so helping hands in the 8AM setup and 2PM teardown hours is especially needed, as well as people to show up in the middle of the day to give others a break.

A special thanks to John Mickle for offering his big truck to help transport bikes. Contact Jim Uber (717) 938-3108 if you can help.

### THANK YOU FROM THE CHILDREN AT TRINITY

Thank you for helping the children who attend Sunday school raise over \$2,000 for Heifer International. Through your generosity we will be able to purchase three heifers, two llamas, one pig, and two rabbits and give several families a hand up NOT a hand out. There is also the possibility that our dollars will be matched by three companies in Lancaster and Mt. Joy. Your generosity will change many lives.

When you help the poor you are lending to the Lord and he pays wonderful interest on your loan! Proverbs 19:17



### SUMMER IN THE SONSHINE

### "The BEST place for KIDS this SUMMER!"

Our 2018 Summer in the SONshine days will be June 27, July 11, and July 25 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm each day. Summer in the SONshine is a FREE program of songs, worship, crafts, games and entertainment. Lunch will be provided. The theme this year is **JOY - Jesus, Others & You**! The closing program will be Sunday, July 29th beginning at 9:30 a.m. with a FREE Family Breakfast for children and their families. Please contact the church office if you are interested in volunteering.



Sunday Dutíes for May 2018					
Duty	May 6	May 13	<b>May</b> 20	May 27	
Altar Guild	Ethel Brooks Jane Gable, communion	Ethel Brooks	Jean Ruth	Carol Evertts	
Liturgist: 8:15	Rev. Richard Creamer	Ron Winter	Doug Eakin	Daryl Potteiger	
10:45	Rev. Richard Creamer	Patricia Stacey	Tom Baum	Mel Eyer	
Children's Talk	Communion No Children's Talk	John Mickle	Faith Sylor	Mike Schofield	
Nursery: 8:15	Jane Rosenthal Scott Loomis	Jo Lower Lucille Wilt	Allyn Litzelman Dianne Schofield	Barb Kiehl Alexis Kiehl	
10:45	Milly Walters Sue Butler	Daryl Potteiger Barb Mickle	Jane Gable Kathy Karnes	Bev Krick Paula Taylor	
Ushers: 8:15	*Tom Bailey, Nick E	Emig, Jed Beshore , Su	Isan Beshore, Harry Ro	odriguez	
10:45	*Dave Leppo, Jocely	*Dave Leppo, Jocelyn MacMinn, Brian MacMinn, Norm Batcheler, Floss Batcheler			
Coffee Fellowship	Adult Sunday School Class	Tuesday Morning Group	Chancel Choir	Adult Sunday School Class	
Adult SS Teacher	Rodney Miller	Jed Beshore	Grover Herr	Ruth Miller	
Elective SS Teacher	Raymond Brooks	John Mickle	Jady Conroy	Bob Rosenthal	
Counting Team		Dianne Schofield	l and Randy Evertts		

### **ATTENTION GOLFERS**

CCU's Annual Golf Tournament for the benefit of their HELP ministries will be held Monday June 4 at Sunset Golf Course in Middletown. Shot Gun start is 8:30 am. Golfers wanting to participate and others wishing to contribute to CCU-Help can contact Bob Rosenthal for more information at 717-731-9058 or see him during the Fellowship hour. Just a reminder, we are the defending Champions of this event.

### **SECOND HAND SALE**

May 1 – 12 (noon) to 7 p.m., May 2 – 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. May 3 – 8 a.m. to 12 (noon)



All money collected from the sale will be donated to the church mission fund. Donna Ratulowski at 512-3365 is serving as coordinator.

"One person's junk is another person's treasure."

# MUSIC NOTES FROM DAN

How many organizations can you name with this kind of profile ?

- in existence for more than 100 years
- members attend weekly rehearsals where they sit forward, breathe fully paying close attention to the formation of vowel sounds and clear enunciation of consonants
- members span an age range of 75 years
- members includes singers with professional experience as well as those with previous experience singing in the shower !
- current membership have invested 800 years of service.
- willing to go to uncomfortable places in our community to proclaim the love of Christ.

Trinity's Chancel Choir is known by many as the choir which has sung for Annual Conference and for General Conference in Pittsburgh in 2004; this choir is known by Christ as the choir which radiates His love singing in a circle with men at Bethesda Mission and sharing joy in retirement communities.

On Hallelujah Sunday, Pastor Arun challenged us to be the people who face adversity with the power of praise as seen in II Chronicles. It is our prayer that we will be that kind of witness as we sing "eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ, the King" (from vs. 3 of the hymn, "He Lives").

This kind of commitment is the kind of commitment which is evident throughout the life of Trinity church. May we, as the body of Christ, find joy in sharing the gifts and talents needed in every area so that His love is seen in every word and deed

Below is a listing of the choir's current membership and years of service. Next month's Tidings will focus on several long term members.

Dawn Bailets	37	Kathy Karnes	17	Owen Rynex	1
Kendall Bankert	27	Lisa Leen	19	John Sharpe	2
Cathy Baum	22	Michelle Loomis	16	Cherice Swick	1
Tom Baum	22	Elmer Lower	15	Ben Sylor	1
Renee Cassimatis	3	Dilys Lyter	22	Debbie Sisk	17
Jady Conroy	16	Ardith McClure	14	Missi St. Cyr	30
Bob Druckenmiller	28	Kari McNelis	3	Elaine Steslow	3
Roger Estep	3	Roger Miller	2	Zach Sweger	5
Steve Frommell	2	Bill Northey	7	Deborah Tobias	3
Jane Gable	26	Sue Northey	30	Doug Tobias	34
Ken Gable	16	Jan Ocamb	46	Sandi Tobias	34
Sue Grubb	3	Sally Ray	23	Jodi Walters	27
Tanya Hollinger	37	Wilma Rockey	50	Joyce Warcholak	72
Rhoda Houser	17	Jeff Row	1	Ron Winter	42
Fred Jenkins	16	Amy Rynex	32		

## NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER 2018

### May 3, 2018 #PRAY4UNITY



Making every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. Ephesians 4:3

*Prayer Rally Kick-off* – Baughman UMC 6:30- 7:00 PM, Wednesday May 2<sup>nd</sup>

**24 Hour Prayer Vigil** – Please sign up to pray for  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour period using a furnished praying guide.

Prayer Rally Send-off – outside steps of Trinity UMC 6:30- 7:00 PM, Thursday May 3<sup>rd</sup>

### Praying on the Streets of New Cumberland 7:05- 7:30 PM, Thursday May 3<sup>rd</sup> We will be sent off to the streets to pray.

Please pick one area to meet and pray:

- 1. **Government and Military -** New Cumberland Borough Office and Police; Fire Department.
- 2. **Community** Borough Park; Corner of Bridge and Bailey Streets; Medard's House; Vickie's Angel Foundation; West Shore Senior Center
- 3. Education and Family Hillside Elementary; New Cumberland Middle School; Cedar Cliff High School
- 4. Churches in front of Trinity
- 5. Businesses of New Cumberland- meet at Lower's Appliances

### **BLOOD DRIVE UPDATE**

It is so rewarding to offer an invitation to do something good—then, have that offer not met with enthusiastic response... On Saturday, March 24th, Trinity held its annual LENTEN Blood Drive. It was very successful! 25 people responded to the call.

My thanks to each of you who encouraged, supported, and participated in this meaningful event. My grateful appreciation to Pastor Arun, Miriam, and Nehara for their support and for standing with me throughout. A special THANK-YOU to Doug Eakin who faithfully announced BLOOD DRIVE and CPR/AED information in my absence.

One dear member shared with me that Doug's message so inspired, she chose to become a "first-time" blood donor. The beauty in that courageous decision is that her commitment gave 3 people another chance at life. I learned something, too—a truth to share - **"It is never too late to begin a good thing."** 

I must acknowledge, our BLOOD DRIVE followed the last 2018 Lenten breakfast and time of worship. Thank You to Eric Rogers and all those who contributed to insure His sheep were fed... Food for both body and soul... and perhaps, a significant factor in the BLOOD DRIVE response.

Thank you! Your Parish Nurse, Barbara A.

### TEAM L TRIPLE H TO THE RESCUE "Loving Hearts & Helping Hands"



**Bringing practical help to your doorstep - for free!** This is a group of people from our faith community at Trinity who are willing to volunteer time, skill, and energy to help you with some of your practical needs. This is a gift to those of you who find such tasks challenging by virtue of your age or circumstance. That's right! From fixing a wall, painting, mowing your lawn, sorting out a practical household issue, to cleaning, vacuuming, etc. you can count on TEAM L TRIPLE H. Ready with love, enthusiasm, reasonable equipment , and a helpful spirit, this team of volunteers are here to help - for real!! All you need to do is provide the materials for the job(s) and whatever is within our reach to do shall be done - with a smile and for FREE. Contact Mike Schofield at 938-3548 or the church office at 774-7146 to get TEAM L TRIPLE H on your job!

May 2018		Choir & Bell Rehearsals:			June 2018	
May 2018 <u>Sundays</u> 8:15 AM Worship Service - S 9:30 AM Sunday School for All Ages 9:30 AM Coffee Fellowship - FH 10:45 AM Worship Service - S		WednesdaysThursdays6:30 PM6:30-7:30 PMSing & CelebrateUnited Bells6:30-7:15 PM7:30 PMSonshine SingersChancel Choir		Sume 2018   Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa   1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9   10 11 12 13 14 15 16   17 18 19 20 21 22 23   24 25 26 27 28 29 30		
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Apr 29	30	May 1 12:00pm 2nd Hand Sale (FH) 6:00pm Prayer Group (SJ) 7:00pm N C Town Band (MO)	2 7:00pm 24 Hour Pray 8:00am 2nd Hand Sale (FH) 9:30am Strong Women (MO) 6:30pm Prayer Rally Kick-Off (Baughman UMC)	3 er Vigil (Home7:00pm 8:00am 2nd Hand Sale (FH) 10:00am Sewing (YD) 6:30pm Prayer Rally Send-Off (Steps 7:00pm Praying on the Streets of	4 9:00am Prayer Breakfast (Ickler's)	5 9:00am Bike Extravaganza (Parking Lot) 9:00am Communion Prep (K) 10:30am Trinity Flute Ensemble Rehearsal (SJ)
6 9:30am Confirmation Class (Boy 10:45am Dedication (S) 6:00pm Youth Group (CR & FH) 6:30pm Prayer Shawl (Karnes)	7 9:30am Strong Women (MO)	8	9 9:30am Strong Women (MO)	10 6:30pm Beyond Suffering Class (OC)	11	12 9:00am Confirmation Retreat (FH)
13 9:30am Confirmation Class (Boy Scouts Rm) 6:00pm Youth Group (CR & FH)	14 9:30am Strong Women (MO) 10:45am Grandparents in Prayer (SJ) 6:00pm Lay Leader. & Nom. Comm. 7:00pm Safe Sanctuary Initial	15 Tidings' Deadline 7:00pm N C Town Band (FH)	16 9:30am Strong Women (MO)	17 10:00am Sewing (YD) 6:30pm Beyond Suffering Class (OC)	18	19 Miles for Mission Walk/Run-a-thon 10:30am Trinity Flute Ensemble Rehearsal (SJ)
20 9:30am Blood Pressures 9:30am Confirmation Class (Boy 6:00pm Youth Group (CR & FH) 6:30pm Prayer Shawl (Karnes)	21 9:30am Homebound <u>Mtg. (SJ)</u> 9:30am Strong <u>Women (MO)</u> 11:30am Grandparents in Prayer Lunch (John's Diner)	22 6:00pm Safe Sanctuary Review (SJ) 7:00pm N C Town Band (FH)	23 8:30am Assemble Tidings (OC) 9:30am Strong Women (MO)	24 10:00am Staff Meeting (OC) 6:30pm Beyond Suffering Class (OC)	25	26
27 6:00pm Youth Group (CR & FH)	28 Office Closed 6:30pm Leadership Team Meeting (SJ)	29 7:00pm N C Town Band (MO) 7:00pm Choir sings (the Woods)	30 9:30am Strong Women (MO)	31 Annual Conference (He 6:30pm Beyond Suffering Class (OC)	Jun 1 FH=Fellowship Hall MO=Mt. Olivet Room O=Otterbein Conf. Rm S=Sanctuary SJ=St. Johns Room	2 CR=Creation Room PS=Preschool Room YD=Young Disciple Rm WR=Wellness Room L&L=Lion & Lamb Rm



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"The mission of the United Methodist Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world"

# JOIN US FOR WORSHIP

Worship Services ~ Sundays at 8:15 AM and 10:45 AM Sunday School Classes for all ages ~ Sundays at 9:30 AM TAKE 5 TO PRAY DAILY @ 8:30 PM

Please submit articles for the JUNE 2018 TIDINGS by May 15

Church Office Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM Phone: (717) 774-7146 Fax: (717) 712-1200

Church website: www.trinityumnc.com



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