

**The Women's Group** meets Tuesdays at 4:30 pm for tacos at Jalapeños Mexican Grill, 1845 New Watermelon Rd, Tuscaloosa, AL 35406 (near the Shops of Lake Tuscaloosa). Drop-ins are welcome!

### **MEN'S NIGHT OUT**

Several of the men have expressed an interest in throwing axes (which seems like an AXcellent idea!). Email Clay if you're interested: clayted12@gmail.com ALL men are welcome!

### **TRUSTEES**

**AIR CONDITIONERS:** An air conditioner for the sanctuary has been ordered and should arrive in a couple of weeks (fingers crossed!) In the meantime, please dress for comfort in worship. Wear your shorts, bring a cool drink and join us on Sunday at 10:30 am.

### **PLAYGROUND**

Our playground is being renovated and new equipment is here! Thanks to all who are working on installing it!

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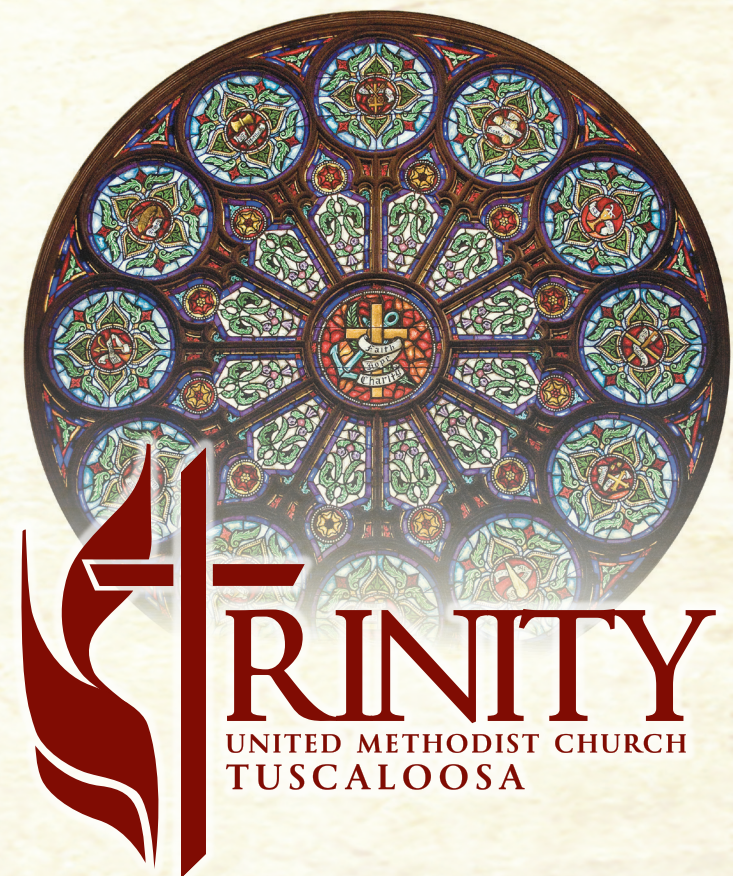
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*Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost  
August 21, 2022*

*Trinity United Methodist Church  
is a congregation united by the love of Christ.*

*Because we are rooted in and guided by the grace of God,  
we share the love of Christ in our community and in our world.*

*Because we embrace our ever-changing community,  
we are open and respectful of what makes you who you are,  
and glad you are part of our church family.*

*Because we cherish our multigenerational congregation,  
we are caring and nurturing of all ages.*

*Because we value traditional worship,  
we feel familiar and welcoming.*



**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST: AUGUST 21, 2022**  
**TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**PRELUDE**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Debbie Lane

*If you are a visitor, please fill out a Visitor Card  
found in the pew in front of you and place it in the offering plate.*

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Jesus said, Let the little children come to me.

**We come, each of us a child of God.**

Welcome to this place of love and grace.

**Welcome to this time to celebrate Jesus Christ.**

All are welcome in this beloved community.

**Let us worship together!**

**\*HYMN**

*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*

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**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

*You're invited to greet those around you and move about as you wish!  
Please be sensitive to the fact that some in worship may not be ready  
to welcome a hug or a handshake and adjust as needed.*

**CALL TO PRAYER**

*Jesus Loves Me*

*1. Jesus loves me, this I know,  
for the Bible tells me so.*

*Little ones to him belong;*

*they are weak, but he is strong. [Refrain]*

*2. Jesus loves me, this I know,  
as he loved so long ago,  
taking children on his knee,*

*saying, "Let them come to me" [Refrain]*

**Refrain:**

*Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!*

*Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.*

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / 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, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

**A TIME FOR CHILDREN (of all ages!)**

Lane McLelland

**PRESENTATION OF THE BIBLES**

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**PRAYER FOR CHILDREN (UNISON)**

O Lord our God, thank you for the gift of these children.

We thank you for creating them in your image.

Help us nurture them in the Christian faith

and show them your love and grace. Amen.

*Children ages 4-8 are welcome to go to Children's Church after the  
Children's Prayer, or they may stay in the sanctuary with a parent.*

**OFFERTORY**

Dr. Kevin Chance, piano

*The offering plate will be passed in the open seating areas of the sanctuary only.  
Baskets for offerings will remain available at entrances into the sanctuary.*

**\*DOXOLOGY**

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**\*SAYING WHAT WE BELIEVE**

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead;

he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\*\* church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*\*\*universal*

**SCRIPTURE**

Luke 13:10-17

**SERMON**

*Worthy*

Rev. Penny Ford

**\*CLOSING HYMN**

*Here I Am, Lord*

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**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

**SUPPORTING FAMILIES IN THE COMMUNITY**

We are collecting canned food (family size) this month. Please bring canned food and staples and leave them in the bins at the parking lot or sanctuary doors.

**WOMEN'S NIGHT OUT**

*A night of painting at Canvas and Crafts*

*Friday, August 26 at 6 pm*

*2008 Paul W. Bryant Drive, Suite A, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401*

Cost is \$25/person. Trinity will provide snacks. **Reservations are required.**

Email revpennyford@gmail.com to sign up. ALL women are welcome!

**YOUTH EPIC WATER GAMES**

Sunday, August 28, 4-7 pm. Wear your bathing suit or shorts and teeshirt for epic water games on the Trinity lawn. Don't forget your towel! Open to Youth in grades 6-12. Let Clay know if you're coming and how many friends you're bringing: clayted12@gmail.com

**The Trinity Choir** will resume rehearsals on Wednesday, Sept 7, 6:00-7:00 pm. We would love to have some new members. All are welcome!