

### WOMEN'S GROUP

The Women's Group still meets for tacos on Tuesdays at 4:30 pm at the Veracruz Mexican Grill, 501 15th Street E, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401. 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.

Thanks to Dean, Lara, Aidan and Nathaniel Townsley; Ric Turner; Jackson Harris; Eric St. Clair, Mike O'Rear, George Strickland; guests Barry Padgett and his son Alexander; and BSA Troop 7.

### SUPPORTING FAMILIES IN THE COMMUNITY

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

A gift to the Guy Gilliland Fund  
and a gift to our Flower Ministry  
were given in loving memory of  
**Jack and Ruth Cabaniss**  
by Ron and Annette Sellers

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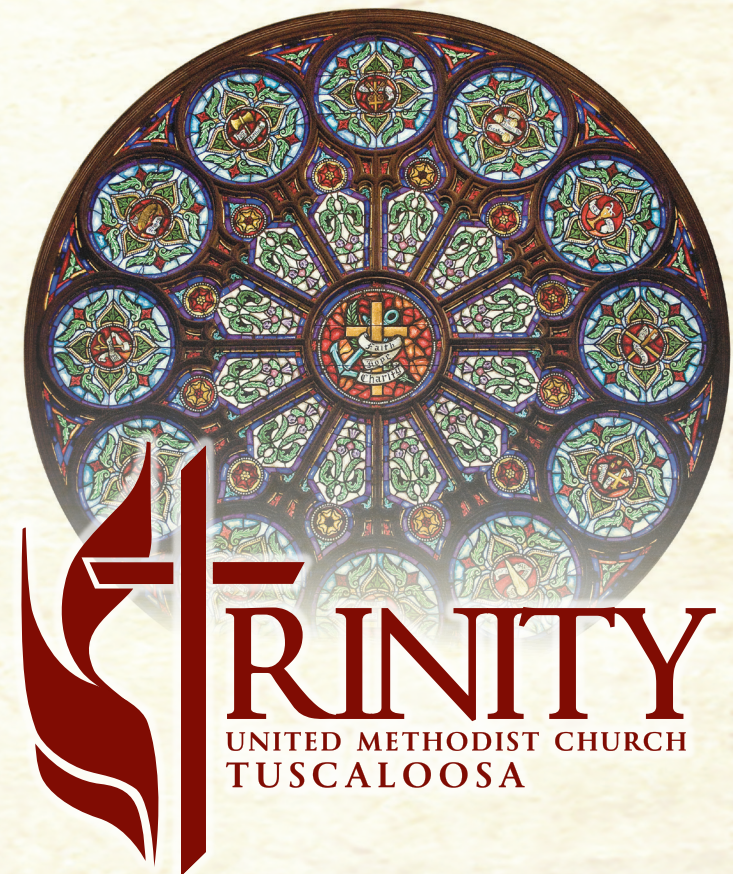
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*Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
September 25, 2022*

*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**  
**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST: SEPTEMBER 25, 2022**  
**TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**PRELUDE**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*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**      Covenant Prayer by John Wesley (1703–1791)

I am no longer my own, but yours.

**Put me to what you will, place me with whom you will.**

Put me to doing, put me to suffering.

**Let me be put to work for you or set aside for you,**

**Praised for you or criticized for you.**

Let me be full, let me be empty. Let me have all things, let me have nothing.

**I freely and fully surrender all things to your glory and service.**

And now, O wonderful and holy God, Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer,

**You are mine, and I am yours. So be it.**

And the covenant which I have made on earth,

**Let it also be made in heaven. Amen.**

**\*HYMN**      *Majesty, Worship His Majesty*      #176

**\*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 feel  
comfortable welcoming a hug or a handshake, and adjust as needed.*

**CALL TO PRAYER**      *Fill My Cup, Lord* (repeat)      #641

**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!)**

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

**OFFERTORY**

*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**      #94

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*

**ANTHEM**      *Refuge*      Keith Christopher

**SCRIPTURE**

**SERMON**      Rev. Penny Ford

**\*CLOSING HYMN**      *On Eagle's Wings*      #143

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

**TRINITY CHOIR HAS RESUMED REHEARSALS**

The Trinity Choir has resumed rehearsals on Wednesdays, 6:00-7:00 pm. We'd love to have some new members. All are welcome!

**YOUTH ACTIVITIES**

**Youth Cookout tonight (September 25) at Clay and Casandra's house,  
5:30 - 7 pm, 4036 Brookhill Road, Tuscaloosa, AL 35404.** Contact Clay for  
details: clayted12@gmail.com

**The Youth are also looking for volunteer opportunities.** If anybody has ideas,  
or if anyone needs help at home or has a friend who needs assistance because they  
can't do something themselves, let Clay know, and we can work something out.

**COLLEGE STUDENTS**

**Sunday, October 9: All college students are invited to meet for lunch at  
Jim and Nick's immediately following the service.** Contact Mason for  
information or for a ride: mbmckibben@crimson.ua.edu

**STEWARDSHIP SEASON! RESET, RENEW, REJOICE!**

**October 16:** Special guest preacher, Dr. Jackson Harris

**October 23:** Outdoor service and playground dedication

**October 30:** Celebration Sunday! Indoor service and outdoor fun. Catered lunch  
and Fall Festival outdoors immediately following the indoor service. Details to come.