

### MISSIONS MOMENT

Thanks to all who contributed to Trinity's emergency food pack missions project. We'll be taking packs to Grace Presbyterian and Canterbury Episcopal churches. Grace, located at 113 Hargrove Road, hosts the Loaves and Fishes program, which provides food every second Tuesday of the month from 11-1:00. Canterbury, 812 5th Avenue, hosts the Deacon's Deli every Tuesday morning beginning at 7:00 am. Together, these programs help hundreds of families each month. Both churches have emergency food packs on hand for people who are in need when the food pantries aren't available. Providing food packs to these programs is a great way for Trinity to help our community.

### NEEDED: NEW OR GENTLY USED WASHING MACHINE

We need a washing machine in good working condition for our interns to use at the church. Please call or email the church office if you have one to donate: 205-759-4206 or [office@trinityumc.info](mailto:office@trinityumc.info).

### TRINITY GIFTS

You can support the ministries of the church by placing a check in the offering plate, putting it in the postage box by the glass doors or mailing it to 729 Bryant Drive, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401. You can also donate to Trinity through PayPal at

<http://paypal.me/TrinityMethodistTusc>

PayPal charges a small fee (2.9%), but it may be easier for some people than finding stamps and an envelope. To set up a direct deposit monthly to the church, please contact your own bank. Thank you for your generosity throughout the year!

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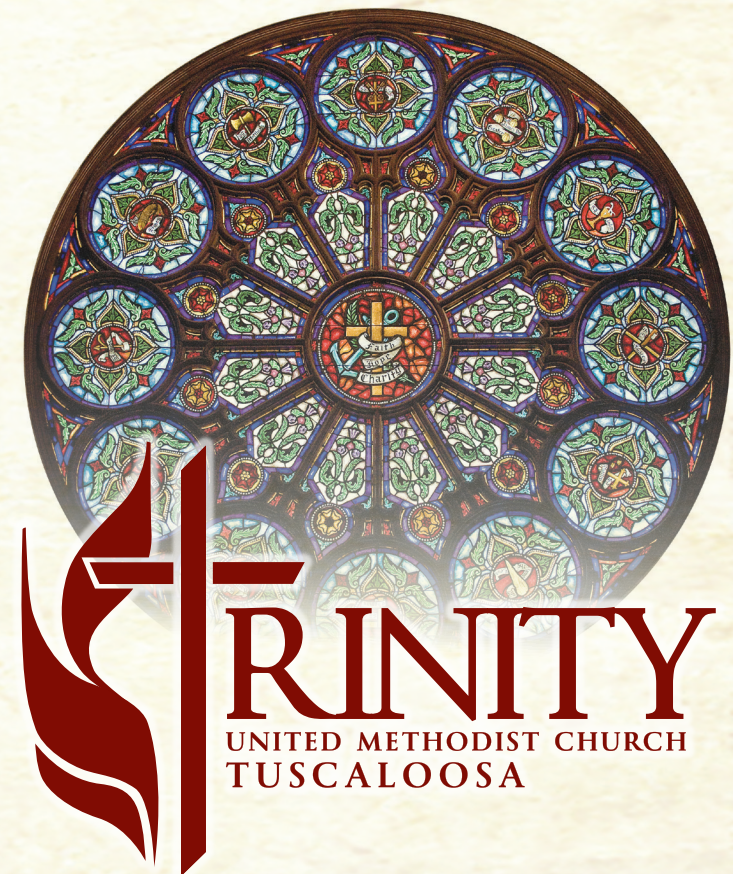
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*Third Sunday after Pentecost  
June 18, 2023*

***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.*



**THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
JUNE 18, 2023  
TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**PRELUDE** Myles Jordan

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** Scott Grimsley

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

We are lost sheep,

**so God seeks and saves the lost.**

We are a lost coin,

**so God searches and rejoices when we are found.**

We are the wayward son and daughter

**so God welcomes us, and lets the past be the past.**

We are the elder sibling, standing outside,

**but God welcomes us in and challenges us**

**to join in this unconditional love.**

Let us welcome one another, receive the grace of Jesus Christ and rejoice over new chances.

**Come, let us celebrate and praise the God of Love! Amen.**

**\*HYMN** *I Come with Joy* #617

**\*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** *Just as I Am* #357, v. 1

**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, and children ages 0-3 are welcome in our Nursery.*

*Children may also stay in the sanctuary with a parent.*

**OFFERTORY**

**\*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.

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**SCRIPTURE** Luke 15:11-32

**SERMON** *Messy Families* Rev. Penny Ford

**\*CLOSING HYMN** *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* #384

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** Myles Jordan

**Today: Rev. Savannah Gross** is guest preaching at St. Luke UMC, Tuscaloosa.

**Tomorrow, Monday, June 19:** Peggy Reed's service will be 1 pm at Trinity. The graveside service will follow at 3 pm. Visitation will be 6-7 pm today (Sunday) at Heritage Chapel on Highway 216 (Old Birmingham Highway).

**Next Sunday: Water Night for children and families, 4-6 pm.** Snack supper will be provided.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Taco Tuesdays:** Join the Trinity women on Tuesdays at 4:30 pm at Veracruz Mexican Grill, 501 15th St E, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401.

**Thursday Chair Yoga:** 5 pm at Grace Presbyterian Church, 113 Hargrove Road, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401. \$6 fee.

**Starbucks Sundays:** For young parents, couples and singles at 9:30 am at the Starbucks by Trinity.

**TRINITY CALENDAR**

**Saturday, July 15: Vacation Bible School, 9 am-12 pm.**

**Thursday, July 20, 10 am-2 pm:** Trinity will host a Red Cross drive in the Fellowship Hall. If you'd like to be a donor, please call the church office to register: 205-759-4206.