MISSIONS MOMENT

It's time! Please bring items for the Adult Protective Services program at DHR such as large and X-large pajamas, slippers and gripper socks for men and women; unscented hand lotion; hand soap; and toothpaste and toothbrushes.

And for the Tuscaloosa One Place Christmas for children program, bring toys for any age, and jackets and hoodies for adolescents and teenagers.

The APS items will be gift wrapped in bags, and the TOP items will be used to fill in bundles for families. Wrapping paper and tape are always welcome at TOP. All items must be new and will be needed the first week of December. Items can be left around the Christmas tree in the back corner of the sanctuary or in a bin by the Educational Wing doors.

MEMORIALS

Trinity received gifts in memory of

Martha Strickland

from

Eugenia Black

and in memory of

Charlotte Tucker

from

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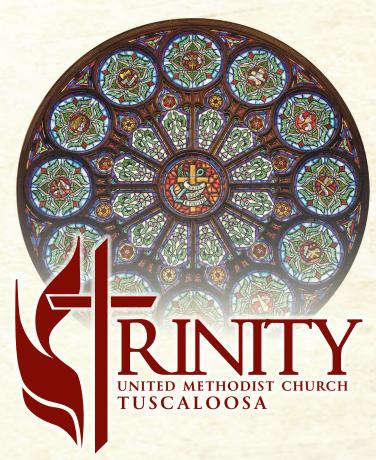
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Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost November 19, 2023

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.

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST NOVEMBER 19, 2023 TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

PRELUDE Anthony Zamora

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Savannah Gross

God has set this day before us,

A day set apart, a day of rest and praise.

God has set our lives before us,

A span of years in which we love, and learn, and serve.

God has set God's seal upon our hearts,

So that we might live fully in deep love.

Let us worship our God.

Let us praise God's Holy Name.

*HYMN

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

#103

*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

Take My Life, and Let It Be

#399

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.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (for children of all ages!) Rev. Savannah Gross Children ages 4-8 are welcome to go to Children's Church, 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,

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 10:38-42

SERMON A Human Doing Rev. Savannah Gross

*CLOSING HYMN Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross #301

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Anthony Zamora

TRINITY CALENDAR

November 26: Hanging of the Greens! Help us transform the sanctuary as we learn about the symbols and stories of Christmas.

December 15 (Friday): Little Elves Workshop/Parents' Night Out, 5:30-7 pm, for children ages 0-5th grade. Christmas crafts and movies, pizza and a visit from a very special guest! Kids will also try on their costumes and practice for the Children's Nativity the following Sunday. Registration is required. Email Jessica Wyatt at childrenscoordinatortumc@gmail.com.

December 17: *Messiah*, George Frideric Handel. Performed by the Prentice Concert Chorale and conducted by Music Director Leslie Poss. A \$20 donation per adult and \$5 per student is requested. Seating is not reserved.

WEEKLY EVENTS

Taco Tuesdays: Trinity women meet at 4:45 pm on Tuesdays for tacos and fellowship. Jalapeños Mexican Grill, 1845 New Watermelon Road.

Starbucks Sundays: The Starbucks Sunday School group meets Sundays at 9:30 am in the Funset/Sunset room (the small kitchen at Trinity) for coffee, muffins and fellowship. (Starbucks is way too crowded these days!) Young parents, singles, couples, students and guests are all welcome to drop in!