APRIL 28: GRADUATES DAY

During the worship service on Sunday, April 28, we will recognize all graduating seniors. If you will graduate from high school or college in spring or summer 2024, please contact the office so that we can honor your achievement on April 28.

FROM THE MISSIONS COMMITTEE

Thanks to your generosity, we were able to give out 60 bags of snacks to Trinity and UA Reach college students to enjoy during Success Week. The extra snacks will be donated to Reach and Stillman students. Thank you so much for contributing. We appreciate your faithful support of Trinity's Missions ministry.

MEMORIAL

Trinity received a gift in memory of

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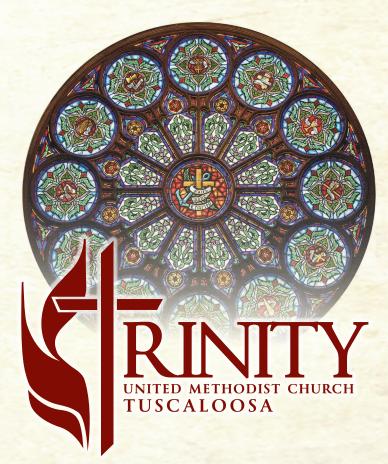
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Fourth Sunday of Easter April 21, 2024

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.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 21, 2024 TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

PRELUDE Anthony Zamora

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

In the times of trouble, when all seemed hopeless, I cried out to God.

And the Lord heard my pleas and answered me.

When I felt lost and alone, I looked for God.

And God found me and brought me home.

When my life was filled with joy and blessing, I danced and praised God.

And God danced and laughed with me.

God is with us in all times and situations.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

*HYMN O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing #57

*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 Savior, Like a Shepherd, Lead Us

#381

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

*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.

*living; **universal

ANTHEM

To Sing Once More

Craig Courtney

SCRIPTURE

Acts 4:5-12

SERMON

No Good Deed . . .

*CLOSING HYMN

The Gift of Love

#408

POSTLUDE

Anthony Zamora

NEW CHILDREN'S COORDINATOR

Please extend a warm welcome to our new Children's Coordinator, Mr. William Hackett. William is CEO of The Hackett Foundation, Inc., a male mentoring program. He is a third-generation Pentecostal Pastor and ordained Elder who moved to Tuscaloosa from New York to assist his uncle with his church in Northport. He has many years of experience as a pastor, mentor and educator of children from diverse faith backgrounds. Before moving to Tuscaloosa, he worked in the Oceanside School District in New York as a Special Education Teacher's Assistant and Varsity Football Coach. We are grateful that William brings his many gifts and experiences in children's ministry to Trinity!

THIS WEEK

Taco Tuesdays: Trinity women meet Tuesdays at 5:00 pm for tacos and fellowship. Jalapeños Mexican Grill, 1845 New Watermelon Road. Text Rev. Penny Ford for more information.

College Student Bible Study meets in Rev. Ford's office on Thursdays at 7:30 pm.