WELCOME TO TRINITY!

We're glad you are with us on this special day as we celebrate the 75th anniversary of the sanctuary. Here's some helpful information for our guests.

RESTROOMS: An accessible family restroom is located behind the choir loft. Men's and women's restrooms are on the lower level. Take the stairs by the main sanctuary doors in the back.

ACCESSIBILITY: The elevator in the Education wing accesses all levels of the building. Accessible parking is available in the alley behind the church.

NURSERY: Our nursery for ages newborn-age 3 is on the Education level. After the Children's Moment, Pre-K-2nd graders can join Children's Church or stay with you during worship.

WHY DO OUR PARKING PLACES SAY "RESERVED"? ALL parking is FREE and UNRESERVED during services and church activities. Reserved spaces are for weekday and football parking, with proceeds supporting our budget. Email the church office to join the waiting list for weekday or football parking:office@trinityumc.info

RECORDING YOUR MEMORIES: We would love to hear your Trinity stories! We have folks to record you as you share your favorite Trinty memory. Look for the people with a camera, or record yourself on your cell phone and email it to office@trinityumc.info

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES:

Sundays at 9:30 am we have Sunday School classes for all ages! **Tuesdays**: Trinity women meet for Taco Tuesday at Red Bowl (311 Merchants Walk), which has both Mexican and Asian menus. All women are welcome to meet at 5 pm for dinner and fellowship!

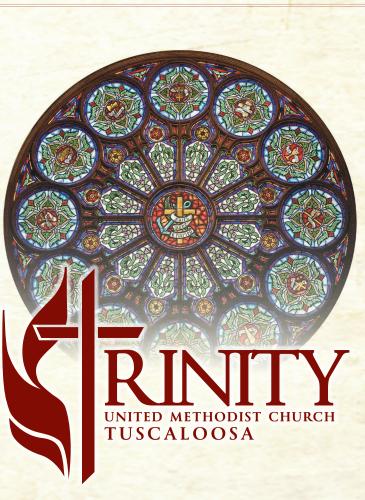
Wednesdays: Come join the choir on Wednesday at 6 pm. All are welcome! If you want more information, email k.t.chance@gmail.com.

Thursdays: Trinity's college Bible study meets 7-8 pm in the Funset-Sunset Room. Email Madesyn at maddy8254@yahoo.com for more information. This Thursday is dinner and s'mores at Penny's!

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Seventy-Fifth Anniversary of the Trinity Sanctuary November 10, 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.

SEVENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE TRINITY SANCTUARY **NOVEMBER 10, 2024 TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

PRELUDE

Anthony Zamora

Marc Roberts

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Children of God: welcome!

Welcome to this place of love and grace, Welcome to this place of hope and perseverance.

We thank you, O God, for the gift of this day.

For this beautiful space and the warm hearts that greet us. We thank you, O God, for the blessings of Trinity United Methodist Church

And for all the memories, songs, laughter and prayers through the generations.

Be with us as we worship together

May we lift our voices in thanks and praise! Amen.

*HYMN

***GREETING ONE ANOTHER**

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.

How Firm a Foundation

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Carolyn Yourick Rogers

CALL TO PRAYER Hymn of Promise #707

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Savannah Gross Associate Pastor, 2023-2024

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!)

William Hackett

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

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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. *Living; **universal

ANTHEM	How Great Thou Art and Majesty	Arr. Joel Raney
SCRIPTURE		Exodus 33:12-23
SERMON	The Backside of God	Rev. Penny Ford
LITANY OF THANKSGIVING		
*CLOSING HYMN	Standing on the Promises	#374
BLESSING OF THE FOOD		

POSTLUDE

Anthony Zamora

Everyone is welcome to join us for a potluck meal immediately following the service!

Special thanks to all who helped plan this weekend. We especially thank the Cork sisters, Sallie Colwick and Candice Williamson, Beth Sherrill and Carolyn Yourick Rogers, Debbie Lane, George Strickland, Marc and Kim Roberts, Carolyn Cox Durell, and the Trinity UMC Staff.

College students will meet at Penny's for dinner and s'mores at 7 pm on Thursday, November 14. Park in the driveway or on the street at 1401 Liberty Drive, Tuscaloosa. Let Penny know if you need a ride: revpennyford@gmail.com

CHRISTMAS MISSIONS

We will be collecting Christmas gifts for children and adults during the month of November. Some suggested items for adults are pajamas, pajama pants (L or XL), blankets or throws, Depends, unscented lotions, nonslip house shoes and gloves. Possible gifts for children are toys, sports equipment, jackets and coats. Please consider giving some items appropriate for older children and teens. Tables will be set up in the back of the sanctuary for you on which to place the items. Monetary donations are also welcomed. Please earmark them for Missions.

MEMORIAL

In loving memory of our grandparents **Dade and Bertice Bennett** from Bennett and Amy Bearden