

WELCOME TO TRINITY!

If you are a visitor, please fill out a welcome card found in the pew in front of you. We'd love to get to know you better!

ACCESSIBILITY: The elevator in the Education wing accesses all levels of the building. Accessible parking is available in the alley behind the church. A family restroom is located in the hallway behind the sanctuary.

NURSERY: Our nursery for ages newborn-age 3 is on the Education level.

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.

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES:

Sundays at 9:30 am we have Sunday School classes for all ages!

Tuesdays at 5 pm: Trinity women meet for Taco Tuesday at Red Bowl (311 Merchants Walk).

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

Thursdays at 7 pm: Trinity's college Bible study meets in the Funset-Sunset Room. Email Madesyn at maddy8254@yahoo.com for more information.

PLEDGE CARDS

We're so grateful for everyone who's a part of our church family. Your pledge helps us keep our programs, worship, and community outreach going strong. If you haven't already, please take a moment to fill out your stewardship pledge card and drop it in the offering plate as it comes by. Thank you for helping us plan for the future!

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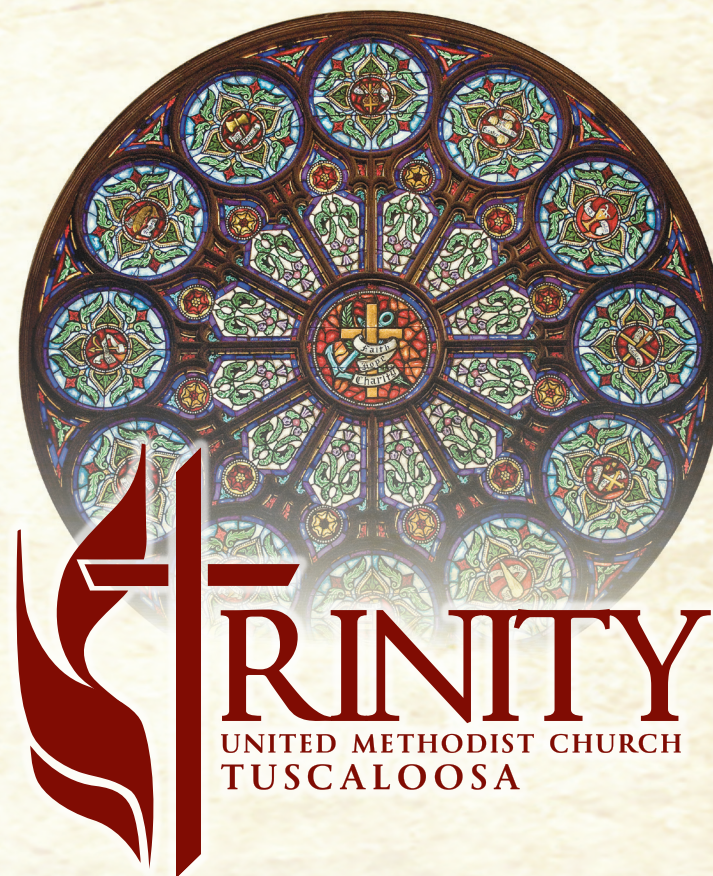
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*Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany
February 16, 2025*

*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.*

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
FEBRUARY 16, 2025
TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

PRELUDE Anthony Zamora

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Dr. Lane McLelland

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Blessed are those who trust God, whose trust is in the Lord.

They are like trees planted by water, sending out roots by the stream.

They have no fear of summer's heat, nor do they wither in the sun.

**In the year of drought they are not anxious,
for their lives bear the fruit of righteousness.**

Come to the waters of life all you who trust in the Lord.

We have come to worship and to drink the living waters!

***HYMN** *O How I Love Jesus* #170

***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.*

CALL TO PRAYER *Lord, I Want to be a Christian* #402

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 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

*As the offering plate is passed, you may put in contributions,
prayer cards or visitor cards as you wish.*

***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**

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 *The First Song of Isaiah* Jack Noble White

SCRIPTURE Jeremiah 17:5-10

SERMON *Never Ceasing* Rev. Penny Ford

***HYMN** *Marching to Zion* #733

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Anthony Zamora

*Please stand as you are able.

COLLEGE BIBLE STUDY meets on Thursdays at 7 pm in the Funset-Sunset Room. Email Madesyn at maddy8254@yahoo.com for more information.

FINANCE COMMITTEE /AD COUNCIL: A joint meeting of the **Finance Committee and Ad Council** is scheduled for Sunday, February 23, at 4 pm.

Our **COMMUNITY LENTEN LUNCHESES** will be held from Tuesday, March 11-April 15. Every Tuesday we gather with friends from other denominations to eat and hear an inspiring speaker. Location rotates from church to church (schedule being finalized). Free to the public. All are welcome. Trinity will host on April 15.

The next **TRINITY YOUNG PROFESSIONALS** meeting will be Thursday, April 3. Details to come!

POTLUCK AND EASTER EGG HUNT! Mark your calendars for a Trinity Potluck and Easter Egg Hunt on Palm Sunday, April 13!

SERVICE OPPORTUNITY: On **Wednesday, April 30**, Trinity will prepare and serve lunch to about 150-175 people at the **East Tuscaloosa Community Soup Bowl**, located at Druid Hills UMC, 4001 University Boulevard East, Tuscaloosa, AL 35404.

We'll cook from 9-11 am and serve from 11 am-1 pm. If you'd like to help, please contact Beth Sherrill (Beths824@aol.com) or call the church office at 205-759-4206.