

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!

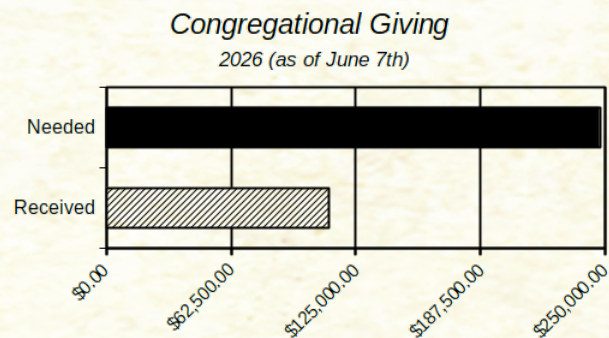
ACCESSIBILITY: The elevator in the Education wing accesses all levels of the building. Accessible parking is available in the alley behind the church. A family restroom is located in the hallway behind the Sanctuary.

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.

TRINITY APPRECIATES YOUR SUPPORT

Thank you for keeping up to date with your pledged giving.



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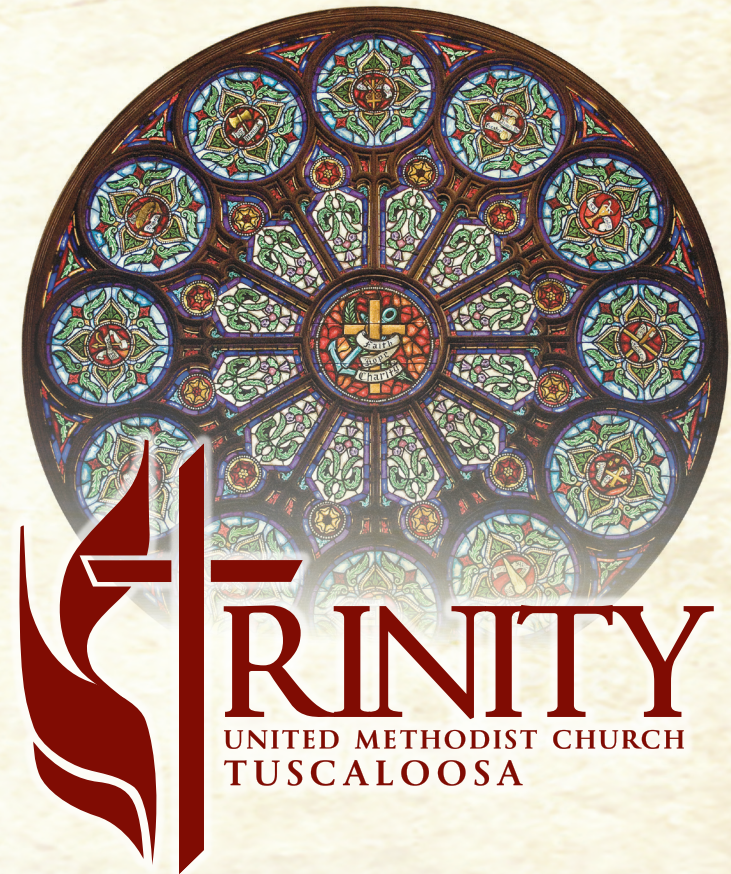
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*Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
June 21, 2026*

*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 AFTER PENTECOST
JUNE 21, 2026
TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

PRELUDE Dr. Kevin Chance

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Ric Turner

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Jesus calls us to be disciples. It is not always easy.

We hear God's voice and we say yes.

Christ calls us to be peacemakers in a world that prefers conflict.

We hear God's voice and we say yes.

Christ calls us to make good trouble in a world that prefers silent acquiescence.

We hear God's voice and we say yes.

Christ calls us to love and serve others, even when it's inconvenient.

We hear God's voice and we say yes.

Christ calls us to love boldly, serve joyfully and lead courageously.

We hear God's voice and we say yes.

Come! Let us worship Christ who calls us, empowers us and leads us.

***HYMN** *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* #140

GREETING ONE ANOTHER

You're invited to greet those around you and move about as you wish!

CALL TO PRAYER *Children of the Heavenly Father* #141

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE /THE 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 Bert McLelland

*At this time, children ages 4-2nd grade may follow Bert to
Children's Church, or they may stay in worship with a parent.
Nursery is available for newborns through age 3.*

OFFERTORY Dr. Kevin Chance

***DOXOLOGY** Praise God from whom all blessings flow; #94

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

SCRIPTURE Matthew 10:34-39

SERMON *Conflicted* Rev. Penny Ford

***HYMN** *Amazing Grace* #378

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE Dr. Kevin Chance

*Please stand as you are able.

TODAY

YOUTH: Our pool party was a blast last weekend, and we're excited for this weekend as well! Youth will meet this Sunday, 6/21, at Trinity UMC.

Trinity and Forest Lake Youth will have a hometown mission week July 13-17 with a kick-off dinner on the 13th, followed by mission work around the Tuscaloosa area and a fun day on the 17th! Please sign your students up asap. The cost of the week will be \$150, but DO NOT let money be the reason your child can't attend. Scholarships are available!

TUESDAY, JUNE 23: Taco Tuesday (Women's Group) meets this week at 5:00 PM at Jim 'N Nick's Bar-B-Q, 305 21st Avenue. All women are welcome!

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24: The Staff-Parish Relations Committee will meet at 5:15 PM in the Sunset-Funset Room.

I LOVE TRINITY BUILDING FUND

The AC unit for the Fellowship Hall and Sanctuary needs to be replaced. With your generosity, we are hoping to raise \$20,000+ to cover this and other costly expenses such as the Sanctuary window repair and fixing the tile flooring. An anonymous donor has offered to match all donations up to \$21,000. If you would like to contribute, please earmark your gift for the I Love Trinity Building Fund. Thank you.