

TRINITY TIDINGS

JUNE 2022

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Consider the Lilies

“Why are you anxious...?” asked our Lord. Then he said, “Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin; yet I tell you even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these” (Matthew 6:28-29). His point was that just as God sees to it that the lilies of the field always come forth in their wholeness and beauty, so God can be counted on to provide for us. People of faith come to understand that marvelous reality.

In the words that follow, a poet reminds us of the reliability of God as seen in the familiar flowers that now are bursting forth in their glorious beauty:

God does not send strange flowers every year,
When the Spring wind blow o’er the pleasant places,
The same dear things lift up the same fair faces,
The violet is here.

United Methodist Men

There will be no meetings until September. Have a great summer!

Kid’s Klub

Kid’s Klub is on Wednesdays from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. In the Fellowship Hall.
Kid’s ages 3 thru 8th grade.

Ladies Bible study with Sandra Collins

Every Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. in her home. (386) 937-6475

*Wednesday’s at 7:15 pm.—Chancel Choir Practice in choir room.

*Tuesday’s at 6:00 pm.—Flame Practice

Graduation Sunday 2022

On Sunday, May 22, Trinity UMC honored two young people who will graduate from Palatka High School on June 3, 2022. They are Brandon Lewis and Emily Simpson. Brandon is the son of Richie and Leslie Lewis, the brother of Dylan and Kyndal and the grandson of Johnny and Peggy Brooks, Raymond Lewis, Jack Torrey, and Sandra Torrey. Emily is the daughter of Matt & Megan Simpson, the sister of Evan Simpson and the granddaughter of Gary & Brenda Simpson and Teresa & the late Don Kennard.

They were presented with a gift from the church and honored at a reception that followed in the Fellowship Hall. Brandon will be attending Keiser University in the fall on a Wrestling Scholarship. Emily will attend St. Johns River State College to study Business Administration. Brenda Simpson spoke words about their years at Trinity in Kids' Klub and Youth. She also gave them words of encouragement and blessings from the congregation.



Preparing to enjoy cake and punch.



Listening to their accolades and words of encouragement during the Sunday Morning service.

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST JUNE 19TH

Everyone is invited to a Father's Day Breakfast on
June 19th beginning at 9 a.m.

We will be honoring all men, young and old.

Following our morning meal there will be a short devotion.

Put this on your calendar and please join us!

PASTOR JOHN'S WELCOME BACK PARTY

Please join us for a "picnic style" dinner on the grounds following the church service on Sunday, June 12th.

The United Methodist Men will grill hamburgers and hot dogs and we ask that
YOU BRING A COVERED DISH.

Following the meal we will have a program in Pastor John's honor.

Don't miss out on a fun afternoon!

Prayer of Concern: Abby; Alex; Ashton; Austin; Belinda; Bill Wadding; Bob; Brad & family; Carol; Carolyn; Chris; Cindy; Clint; Cody; Collins family; Derrick; Diane & Bill; Donna; Doug; Gail; Jacob; Jamie & Kerri; Karen & Herb; Ken; Kim; Larry & Jill; Linda & Bill Gardner; Lynn & Jill; Mary Ellen; Mickie & Joey; Ora & Crystal; Page; Peggy & Johnny; Samantha; Shane; Smith family; Tammy; Trish Murff; The family of Bob Thompson; We pray for the people of Haiti; Those in the nursing homes and our shut-ins; We pray for our sister church in San Antonio de Rio Blanco in Cuba; the Persecuted Church; Moseley Elementary School & teachers; Children at the Methodist Children's Home; our National leaders & military; The people of Ukraine; your Pastoral family & your Church.



STEWARDSHIP REPORT (Through 5/29/2022)

Total Budget	\$197,655.00
Estimated needed to date	\$83,623.27
Received to date. **	\$59,734.06
Amount of Received to date that came from E-giving	\$3,886.48
Percent of "needed to date" that has been collected	71.43%
Percent of Year that is complete	42.31%
Percent of Yearly contributions that have been received	30.22%
DESIGNATED CONTRIBUTIONS	
Kids' Klub	\$750.00
Cuba Covenant	\$540.00
Salary-Worship Leader	\$2,083.30
Children's Home	\$1,130.87
United Methodist Men	\$900.00
A Women's Resource Center	\$100.00
In memory of Don Kennard	\$1,365.00
In memory of Trey Curtis	\$100.00
In memory of Sara Dew	\$425.00
In memory of Phil Lednik	\$200.00
United Methodist Women	\$20.00
In memory of John Alexander	\$100.00
In memory of Bonnie Trauerman	\$425.00

KIDS' KLUB CORNER

Here at Kids' Klub we want to share God's love with you. We hope that you will come and share God's love with us. We will meet each Wednesday thru the end of June. We will then resume Kids' Klub the first week of August, where we will be learning about the Old Testament, having new adventures, and sharing prayers and supper.

We are looking forward to seeing you on Wednesdays. Come learn and enjoy all the things that God has blessed us with. God Bless!! The Kids' Klub Team

Mark your Calendar in the month of June for:

- June 1st Pentecost Celebration
- June 8th Pool Party at the Reed's/ Grab a bathing suit, towel and sunscreen and join us for some splashing fun.
- June 15th Daniel and the lion's den
- June 22nd Bowling and pizza in Palatka
- June 29th Summer celebration
- July NO KIDS' KLUB
- August Kids' Klub starts again (:



Activities to remind us of ways to follow Jesus.



Singing Hosanna



Remembering breakfast on the beach with Jesus.



Learning about doubting Thomas. Things are not always what they appear to be, our pudding looked like strawberry but was vanilla.

Cuba Covenant

Trinity United Methodist Church has been participating in a relationship with the San Antonio de Rio Blanco church in Cuba since around 2010. We have had experience with three pastors there and in the early years of our relationship we sent people to the church, and they sent a Pastor to Palatka to share and visit. The purpose of this article is to let you know that relationship still exists. Our major impact is providing financial resources for the sister church in Cuba to send missionaries to areas of Cuba that are not served by a church. We provide in the range of \$1200 - \$1500 per year from donations that are specific to the Cuba Covenant relationship. They have four groups of missionaries that participate in the program.

In a recent e-mail received from Pastor Yohandrys Sojo we were asked:

Hello.

We are fine, only some problems with the Cuba situation. Our church is well believing in our heavenly Father. We appreciate your help last year and we want to know if we can count on it this year, considering the serious situation in which our nation finds itself. The last aid covered until the month of June of this year, that is why I am now writing to you about this matter. We want all of you to be well and that God makes you grow and prosper even more.

In Jesus Christ,
Sojo Pastor and family.

Trinity answered that we would be able to provide support based upon the specific donations which have been given. Please pray for the Cuba Church and for our ability to continue to support them. We are blessed to be able to help the Christian brothers and sisters in Cuba.



A picture of some of the church members from the Covid restriction services.



Part of a group that is picked up on Sunday mornings and taken to church.



Reworking and painting the outside of the sanctuary.

Mr. Rogers on parenting

One of the most important gifts a parent can give a child is the gift of that child's uniqueness. Children's parents are the very best people to let them know that they are different, that there are no others in the whole world who are exactly like them, and that their differences are part of what makes them special and lovable. When parents value their child's uniqueness, that child can learn self-worth and the of others as well.

--Presbyterian minister,
Fred Rogers of *Mr. Rogers Neighborhood*

Drinking from the saucer

I've never made a fortune,
And I'll never make one now.
But it really doesn't matter,
'Cause I'm happy anyhow.
As I go along my journey,
I'm reaping better than I've sown.
I'm drinking from the saucer,
'Cause my cup has overflowed.
I don't have a lot of riches,
And sometimes the going's rough.
But while I've got friends to love me,
I think I'm rich enough.
I'll just thank God for blessings
That his mercy has bestowed.
I'm drinking from the saucer,
'Cause my cup has overflowed.
If God gives me strength and courage,
When the way grows steep and rough,
I'll not ask for other blessings,
I'm already blessed enough.
May I never be too busy to help
Bear another's load.
Then I'll be drinking from the saucer,
'Cause my cup has overflowed.



Wish a Happy Birthday To:

05—Alice Ryals
11—Bob Murff
27—D.J. Weller
28—Douglas Palmer



Anniversaries

05—Wayne & Vicki Hare
08—Lee & Alice Ryals
15—Gary & Brenda Simpson
18—Tracy & Wendy Underwood
27—Joe & Sydney Breton

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Sunday Schedule Sunday School 9:15 Worship: 10:30			1 Choir Practice 7:15 Kid's Klub 5-7, Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8th grade Pentecost Celebration <i>*Ladies Bible Study with Sandra Collins at 10:00 am.</i>	2	3	4
5 Holy Communion	6	7 Flame Practice 6:00 p.m.	8 Choir Practice 7:15 Kid's Klub 5-7, Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8th grade. Pool Party <i>*Ladies Bible Study with Sandra Collins at 10:00 am.</i>	9	10	11
12 Picnic Dinner after church in honor of Pastor John, bring cover dish.	13	14 Flame Practice 6:00 p.m.	15 Choir Practice 7:15 Kid's Klub 5-7, Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8th grade. Daniel in the Lion's Den <i>*Ladies Bible Study with Sandra Collins at 10:00 am.</i>	16	17	18
19 Father's Day Breakfast at 9:00 a.m.	20	21 Flame Practice 6:00 p.m.	22 Choir Practice 7:15 Kid's Klub 5-7, Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8th grade. Bowling & Pizza <i>*Ladies Bible Study with Sandra Collins at 10:00 am.</i>	23	24	25
26	27	28 Flame Practice 6:00 p.m. <i>John Wesley's Birthday (1703)</i>	29 Choir Practice 7:15 Kid's Klub 5-7, Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8th grade. Summer Celebration <i>*Ladies Bible Study with Sandra Collins at 10:00 am.</i>	30		

If you have any information for next month's newsletter, the deadline to have it in the Church office, Monday June 27, 2022. Please send an e-mail or drop something off in writing. Thank You!

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