

TRINITY TIDINGS

MAY 2023

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The Laws of a Godly Mother

[The writer of Proverbs says, “Forsake not the law of your mother.”] I recall some of the unique “laws” of my mother...The first I call “the law of the warm kitchen.” It seemed when I got home from school on a cold winter’s day or when the holidays rolled around, the kitchen was always so warm from baking and cooking that the windows were steamed. It was also warm with a mother’s love. A second (law) was “the law of a mother’s perspective.” When I’d come to all upset over some childish matter, she’d often say, “Pay no ‘tention, Pay no ‘tention.” Or she’d say, “Ten years from now you’ll have forgotten all about it.” But above all was Mother’s “law of faith.” Like Lois and Eunice in 2 Timothy 1:5, she had an unswerving trust in God that kept her strong and gentle amid the fears, pressures, and sacrifices of the war years and of the 1950’s.

--David C. Egner



United Methodist Men

The UMM will have their breakfast meeting in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, May 13, 2023, at 8:30 p.m.

Kid's Klub

On Wednesdays 5-7 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8th grade.

Ladies Bible study with Sandra

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

Choir & Flame Practice

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

*Tuesday's at 6:00 pm.—Flame Practice

Altar Flowers for May

Holy Communion -May 7

Announcement

On Sunday, June 25, 2023, during the early part of the service there will be a short explanation of where Trinity UMC is regarding the lawsuit to disaffiliate from the United Methodist Church. We know that this has been a long process and we have not shared any information recently so this will be a time when that will happen. We do not intend to take up much time and will not have any questions and answer time. The remainder of the Sunday Morning Service will contain a message from Pastor John.

See you on Sunday, June 25 to review where we are in the process. In the meantime, please pray for Trinity and come to a Sunday Morning service if you do not normally come. We need each and every one of you and miss you when you are not in attendance.

God Bless You All
The Trinity Leadership Team

Thank You, from the Bread of Life

We are so thankful for your generous donation. With your kindness, we are able to carry on this wonderful mission to help our community.

We are grateful!!!! "Let them give thanks to the Lord for His unfailing love and His wonderful deeds for mankind." (Psalm 107:21)

Thank You
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Chancel choir presenting the cantata
"The Day He Wore My Crown" on Palm Sunday.



The beautiful Easter Cross.



Prayer of Concern: Addie Joy; Alayna; Art; Ashton; Austin; Autumn; Barbara; Belinda; Bill Wadding; Carolyn; Carol; Charlie Myers; Charlene Coles; Cheryl; Chris; Clint; Connie; Cody; Derrick; Donna; Dougie; Evie; Hayden Gill; Jayne; Joey & Micke; Jeremy; Jim; Johnny Brooks; Justin & Teresa; Karen & Herb; Kayla; Ken & Linda; Kevin; Kerrie; Kim; Lilly; Linda & Bill Gardner; Marianne; Michael; Page; Paul & Elizabeth; Ronnie; Rhonda & Randy; Samantha; Shane; Sharon & John; Tommy & Tammy; Vicki; Wadley Family; Those in the nursing homes and our shut-ins. We pray for our sister church in San Antonio de Rio Blanco in Cuba; 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 4/30/2022)

Total Budget	\$201,118.00
Estimated needed to date	\$69,617.77
Received to date. **	\$47,916.54
Amount of Received to date that came from E-giving	\$4,090.10
Percent of “needed to date” that has been collected	68.83%
Percent of Year that is complete	34.62%
Percent of Yearly contributions that have been received	23.83%
DESIGNATED CONTRIBUTIONS	
Children’s Home	\$1,066.86
United Methodist Men	\$800.00
Cuba Covenant	\$500.00
Kid’s Klub	\$650.00
Salary-Worship Leader	\$1,666.64
Memory of Don Kennard	\$200.00
Memory of Herb DuTour	\$75.00

Breakfast In Bed



Two children ordered their mother to stay in bed one Mother’s Day morning. As she lay there looking forward to being brought breakfast in bed, the smell of bacon floated up from the kitchen. Finally, the children called her to come downstairs. She found them both sitting at the table eating bacon and eggs. “As a surprise for Mother’s Day,” one explained, “we decided to cook our own breakfast.”

My Sweet Mom

I've tried so many times, dear Mom,
 To write my thanks to you
 For all your love and tender
 care,
 Your prayers and blessings, too;
 But seems the words would never come –
 The ones that had to be,
 To tell you just the way I feel
 And what you mean to me.

Your life has been a sacrifice
 In serving young and old;
 In sorrows, heartaches, and hardships
 You came forth pure as gold.
 The memories that I have today
 On this dear Mother’s Day,
 That your true love and faith in God,
 Though tested, did not sway.

I am so grateful to my God
 And I shall ever be,
 For favoring me so very much
 By giving you to me.
 I have one goal I hope to reach
 Before my time is through,
 And this, my precious darling Mom,
 is to be as sweet as you.

--Mary Rice Monroe

KIDS' KLUB CORNER

Here at Kids' Klub we want to share God's love with you. We will be meeting each Wednesday, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Trinity UMC. The month of May we will be learning about friends of Jesus, having new adventures, sharing supper, praising Jesus, and showing Jesus' love.

We at Kids' Klub are most grateful for all the prayers, generous donations, the sharing of food for snacks and dinner and your thoughtfulness. Thank you to all that have helped to make Kids' Klub special. We do appreciate you!!!

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



Coloring pictures for Kairos Outside upcoming retreat.



Big "C" the camel sharing about Holy Week.



The Easter Egg Hunt.



Doing activities to emphasize that Jesus changes us. Knowing that Jesus is the truth.





Learning about Saul/Paul and his road to Damascus experience.



Studying about Philip and the Ethiopian.





Wish a Happy Birthday To:
09—Charlotte Griffin
14—Megan Simpson



ANNIVERSARIES
24—Joey & Micke Schmidt
25—J.D. & Marlene Ogle

May 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Sunday Schedule Sunday School 9:15 Worship: 10:30	1	2 Trinity Flame practice 6:00 pm	3 Choir Practice- 7:15 p.m. *Kid's Klub 5-7, Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8 th grade. *Ladies Bible Study with Sandra at 10:00 am.	4 National Day of Prayer	5 May Friendship Day	6
7 Holy Communion	8	9 Trinity Flame practice 6:00 pm	10 Choir Practice- 7:15 p.m. *Kid's Klub 5-7, Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8 th grade. *Ladies Bible Study with Sandra at 10:00 am.	11	12	13 UMM breakfast meeting at 8:30 a.m.
14 Mother's Day 	15	16 Trinity Flame practice 6:00 pm	17 Choir Practice- 7:15 p.m. *Kid's Klub 5-7, Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8 th grade. *Ladies Bible Study with Sandra at 10:00 am.	18	19	20
21 Graduation Recognition '23 	22	23 Trinity Flame practice 6:00 pm	24 Choir Practice- 7:15 p.m. *Kid's Klub 5-7, Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8 th grade. *Ladies Bible Study with Sandra at 10:00 am.	25	26	27
28 Pentecost	29 Memorial Day	30 Trinity Flame practice 6:00 pm	31 Choir Practice- 7:15 p.m. *Kid's Klub 5-7, Fellowship Hall. Kids ages 3 thru 8 th grade. *Ladies Bible Study with Sandra at 10:00 am.			

If you have any information for next month's newsletter, the deadline to have it in the Church office is, Monday May 29, 2023. Please send an e-mail or drop something off in writing. Thank You!

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