



## **Trinity United Presbyterian Church**

### **Primary Vision Goals**

**Worship   Service   Proclaim   Discipleship   Community**

# GATHERING

“GATHERING MUSIC”

*“Chant Modale”*

*Gordon Young*

MUSIC SETTING the TONE for WORSHIP

PRELUDE: *“Peace”*

*Siggurd M. Øgaard*

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE for MISSION

\*CALL to WORSHIP

Worship Leader: Susan Fox

L: Let us worship God .... Have you heard of stones speaking?

**P: Yes, Jesus said that if His disciples remained silent about Him, the stones themselves would shout!**

L: We do not want to be guilty of silence. Let us rejoice with those who acknowledge Christ as King.

**P: Praise God! Praise Jesus the triumphant Son of God!**

\*HYMN – # 269 - “O God of Bethel”

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*Unison*)

**By grace, through Jesus, God calls us His children so that we might become more like Him, living as holy people who fear the Lord and serve one another in humility and love. When we honestly examine our hearts, we must confess before our Heavenly Father and one another that we have failed in this calling. Together as His children let us take refuge in His infinite mercy, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ.**

Please pause in silence as we think through what we all just said aloud...

\*ASSURANCE of PARDON

L: "By grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God."

**P: "Not by works, so that no one can boast."**

L: "In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven and set free to live a new life."

**P: "Thanks be to God!"**

## \*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

## \*MOMENT with CHILDREN



*Children are now dismissed to Junior Church.*

*Participating children exit the rear of the sanctuary with their instructors.*

## ANTHEM – “Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven and Voices Raise”

*Music: “Ode to Joy” Ludwig van Beethoven: Adapted by Edward Hodges*

## THE WORD

### PRAYER for ILLUMINATION

**L: Send your Spirit among us, O God. Prepare our minds to hear your Word. Move our hearts to accept what we hear. Purify our wills to obey in joy.**

### FIRST LESSON

Old Testament: Genesis 12: 1-5

pg. 9 in Pew Bible

### SECOND LESSON:

New Testament: Matthew 19: 16-26

pg. 897 in Pew Bible

L: The Word of the Lord.

**P: Thanks be to God**

### MESSAGE “*Grace Given, Response Required*” James Vlosich

### \*HYMN - #420 – “God of Grace and Glory of God”

### JOYS AND CONCERNS and 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

## RESPONDING and SENDING

### FELLOWSHIP of GIVING

Offertory: *"Plaint"*

Gordon Young

### \*Doxology

**Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

### \*Prayer of Dedication

### \*HYMN - #429 – "Lord, You Give the Great Commission"

### CLOSING PRAYER

**Dear God, you are the true judge and the true righteous one. You are known throughout the earth. Help me to recognize the injustice around me that I'm blind to. Help me to see my blind spots. Show me how I can help where I'm needed most. Be with those around the world who are suffering and being taken advantage of. Raise up someone to speak on their behalf. Thank you for being my advocate and allowing me to dwell in your presence. In the just and righteous name of Christ, I pray this, Amen.**

### \*BENEDICTION

### \*CHORAL BENEDICTION

### \*MUSIC SENDING US OUT to SERVE CHRIST

POSTLUDE: "Festive Trumpet Tune"

David German

*(\*All who are able, please stand.)*

TODAY'S GREETERS ARE: Susan Fox and Cindy Jones

## Highlights



Coffee Fellowship following Service in the Chapel.  
Please consider Signing up on the list in Chapel.  
Today's Coffee Hour is hosted today by: Linda & Bill King

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## Trinity Book Journey

Tuesday, April 21, 2026, at 11:30 am.  
at Nae Nae's Restaurant  
"Lula Dean's Little Library of Banned Books"  
by Kristan Miller  
All are welcome!

Contact Susan Fox at 724-970-9066 or [sefox55@gmail.com](mailto:sefox55@gmail.com)  
OR Cindy Jones at 724-437-7856 or [cbjonz1@aol.com](mailto:cbjonz1@aol.com)



## Interfaith Caregivers

Loaves N Fishes Ministries - Salvation Army - 30 lunches -  
A Few Feeding Many - Every Tuesday @ 10:00 am.  
Trinity's Blue Bird House: For those less fortunate than us.  
The Bird House is filled on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Sundays.  
Interfaith Office Hours: Mon - Thurs. 9:00 am -2:00 pm.  
If interested in volunteering at the Interfaith Office.  
Call Carol at 724-438-0709

**Supplies Needed: Lance Cookies/Crackers  
Small Water Bottles (8-10 oz)**

# Kindred Souls

Kindred Souls meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month, for a luncheon, & time of fellowship at 11:30am at Nae Nae's Restaurant. This is for single & widowed women, but all women are welcome.

For more information call Carol @ 724-438-0709 Reservations are appreciated by the day before. Thanks!

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There are many Sundays available to give flowers in memory or honor of loved ones or friends. The flowers are displayed on the Chancel table and are a nice addition to our beautiful sanctuary during the worship service.

If this is something you would be interested in, please contact me at: 412-582-4581.



Thank you!  
Cindy Jones

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**Volunteers  
needed**

## Interfaith Caregivers need volunteers!

"Our mission statement is maintaining older adults in their own home with dignity and independence by people of faith." Drivers needed for local medical appointments. Just once a month would help. "People love what we do for them. *But you'll love doing it even more.*" *It's a joyous feeling our volunteers can't get enough of... and we know you will too.*

***We would love and value your help!***

## Upcoming Dates & Events

Monday, May 4<sup>th</sup> Uniontown Chorale Concert at 7:00 pm

Sunday, May 10 Mother's Day

Sunday, May 17 Music Sunday

Sunday May 24 Pentecost Sunday don't forget to wear red!

Friday, May 29 Minta's Music Concert at 6:00 pm

Average Worship Attendance 2025: 36 (based on available numbers 34)

Average Worship attendance 2026: (YTD) : 45 (based on available numbers)

<u>Week of</u>	<u>Worship</u>	<u>Adult Sunday School</u>
SUNDAY, Mar 29	48	No Sunday School
(Maundy Thursday Apr 02	44	
SUNDAY, Apr 05 (Easter)	111	7
SUNDAY, Apr 12	64	9

## This Week

TUESDAY:

04/21 – Loaves 'N' Fishes at 10:00 am.

WEDNESDAY:

4/22 – Bible Study Week 2 at 5:00 pm.

THURSDAY:

04/23- Darts & Devotions at 10:00 am.

04/23 –Youth Group at Trinity at 5:30 pm.

04/23 – Maundy Thursday Service – Sanctuary 7:00 pm.

SUNDAY:

Worship Leader: Pam Barnhart

04/26 - Adult Sunday Bible Discussion - at 10:00 am.

04/26 – Sunday - Worship - at 11:00 am

# A Warm Welcome to Worship

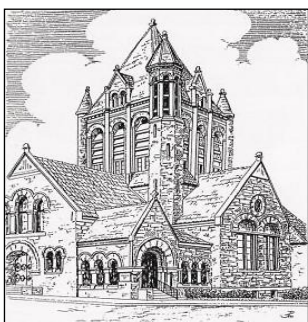
The church is never a place but always a people. Never a sacred building but always a believing assembly. The Lord calls us to a new Way of living under His wonderful grace in our Savior. We cordially welcome all who choose to worship with us here at Trinity UPC. Membership is open to all who believe in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, and who intend to live in fellowship with Him. Joyfully we share responsibility of loving, serving and giving to make Jesus Christ known and throughout our community and the world.

## Giving

Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion. For God loves a cheerful giver. II Corinthians 9:7. There are also opportunities to give on our website and on our Facebook page.

## Our Mission

To worship and serve Jesus Christ by proclaiming his Gospel to all persons. As servants of Christ, we will always be a community of love, hope, service and reconciliation



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## Our Staff

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Badyn Woodford, Organist

Barb Slavin, Office Manager

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