



Trinity United Presbyterian Church

Primary Vision Goals

Worship Service Proclaim Discipleship Community

GATHERING

“GATHERING MUSIC”

“Were You There”

William P. Haller

“Salvation is Created”

Pavel Tschesnokoff; arr. Geoffrey Peterson

Festival Brass with Badyn Woodford as Conductor

MUSIC SETTING the TONE for WORSHIP

PRELUDE: “Panis Angelicus”

Cesar Franck

Shaylee Groves, alto flute

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP: “*Christ is Risen from the Dead*”

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL to WORSHIP

Worship Leader: Mark Fike

L: Good morning. This is truly God’s morning. There is no force that can conquer Him, no power that can hold Him.

P: He is risen from the dead, He has passed out of death into life.

L: Let us get caught up by joy on this Lord’s Day and hear this word from Jesus, “Once I was dead but now I am alive forever and ever.”

P: We are Easter people. Our faith has to do with life. We are concerned with the real and daily world. Life as it is and life as it can be.

L: May the light of Jesus enlighten our lives as we open ourselves to Him. Jesus Christ is the light of the world! Christ is risen!

P: Jesus Christ is risen today!

*HYMN – #123 – “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”

*THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION (*Unison*)

We praise You, O God, for your mighty love has broken the absolute power of death! Your risen body shows us that no tragedy, no loss, no betrayal is final. You have the last Word, and like the first, it is the Word of Life! Grant us the wisdom to measure all of our griefs and triumphs against your empty tomb, so that no earthly tragedy drives us to despair, no earthly achievement deludes us about its power. Grant us grace to live in the freedom of your resurrection, unhampered by fear of death or doubt about life. When our course on earth is done, welcome us to the joy of living eternally with You. Amen.

Please pause in silence, for a moment of personal reflection.....

*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 – “Easter Alleluia”

Mary McDonald

*HYMN – #122 – “Thine Is The Glory”

THE WORD

PRAYER for GOD’S WISDOM and UNDERSTANDING

L: It is Easter Sunday! Lift our hearts and minds, Lord, into your presence!

FIRST LESSON

Old Testament: Psalm 118:1-2 pg.564 in the pew Bible

SECOND LESSON

New Testament: Matthew 28: 1-10

pg. 909 in the pew Bible

L. The Word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE “Greetings!”

James Vlosich

THE SACREMENT OF BAPTISM

Brynna Eddy

Rev Patrick Ewing and James Vlosich

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE 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 – “O Magnum Mysterium”

Nicholas White

Soloist Leah Heater, mezzo-soprano

*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 - #104 – “Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna!”

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

“Christ is Risen from the Dead”

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

POSTLUDE: “Toccata”

Craig Phillips

Shaylee Groves, conductor

Badyn Woodford, organ

Festival Brass

Angelo Buffalini, *trumpet*

Jameson Loop, *trumpet*

Aiden Swan, *horn*

Olivia Smith, *trombone*

Carson Cheskawich, *tuba*

TODAY’S GREETERS ARE: John & Pam Barnhart



Highlights

- There will be **NO** Coffee Hour today!
- Please enjoy the time with your family



Kindred Souls

Kindred Souls meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month,
for a luncheon, & time of fellowship.
This is for single & widowed women. All women are welcome,
not just church members.

The next luncheon is Wednesday, April 9th 11:30 am at Nae Nae's
For more information call Carol @ 724-438-0709
Reservations are appreciated by the day before. Thanks!



Trinity Book Journey

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

Contact Susan Fox at 724-970-9066 or sefox55@gmail.com

OR

Cindy Jones at 724-437-7856 o cbjonz1@aol.com



If anyone has announcements, articles, etc.
for the May/June 2026 Touchstone Newsletter,
please turn into the church office manager Barb by
Wednesday, April 22, 2026, deadline. Thanks!



Interfaith Caregivers

Loaves N Fishes Ministries - St Vincent - 30 lunches -

A Few Feeding Many - Every Tuesday @ 10:00 am.

Trinity's Blue Bird House: The Bird House is filled on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Sundays.

Interfaith Office Hours: Mon - Thurs. 9:00 am -2:00 pm.

Supplies Needed: Small Water Bottles (8-10 oz)

Small bags of chips and/or Lance sandwich cookies or crackers



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



Upcoming Dates & Events

Sunday, April 12 Deacons Meeting at 9:00 am

Sunday, April 12 Youth Group - Mario Movie! Check w/James for more info.

Wednesday, April 22 Newsletter info due for May/June.

Monday, May 4th Uniontown Chorale Concert at 7:00 pm

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

Average Worship Attendance 2024: 36 (based on available numbers 34)

Average Worship attendance 2025: (YTD) : 45 (based on available numbers)

<u>Week of</u>	<u>Worship</u>	<u>Adult Sunday School</u>
SUNDAY, Mar 01	45	7
SUNDAY, Mar 08	42	7
SUNDAY, Mar 15	40	5
SUNDAY, Mar 22	57	7
SUNDAY, Mar 29	48	No Sunday School

This Week

TUESDAY:

04/07 – Loaves & Fishes at 10:00 am.

04/07 – Small Group at 5:00 pm.

THURSDAY:

04/09 - Darts & Devotions at 10:00 am.

04/09 – Youth Group at 5:30 pm.

SUNDAY:

Worship Leader: Mark Fike

03/22 - Adult Sunday Bible Discussion at 10:00 am.

03/22 - 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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