

Feb. 08, 2026,

4th Sunday after Epiphany

11 am



Trinity United Presbyterian Church

Primary Vision Goals

Worship Service Proclaim Discipleship Community

GATHERING

“GATHERING MUSIC”

“Adoration”

Florence B Price

MUSIC SETTING the TONE for WORSHIP

PRELUDE: “Fountain Reverie”

Percy E. Fletcher

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL to WORSHIP

Worship Leader: Nancy Vernon

L: O God, who has the right to enter your tabernacle? Who may dwell on your holy mountain?

P: Whoever walks blamelessly, does what is right, speaks the truth, honors all, and who fears God shall never be moved.

L: Let us worship God.

*HYMN – #353 “Great God, Your Love has Called Us Here (Verses 1,3 &5)

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*Unison*)

O Lord, cleanse our hearts of any ill will we may hold against neighbors.

When they do not think as we do, we often judge them unenlightened. If they behave differently, we pin labels on them. We choose as our guests those we deem worthy of places of honor within our households. Yet through Christ you opened Heaven to all without regard to their status in society. Forgive our inability to do the same and save us from all pride and prejudice in our dealings with your children. Amen.

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

*ASSURANCE of GOD'S LOVE and FORGIVENESS

L: Sisters and brothers, recall the words of Scripture.

P: “Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.”

L: It is Christ who said, “I will never fail you nor forsake you.”

P: Come to Christ and find assurance that in confessing our sin, we are forgiven. Amen.

*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.

Tonye Sharp is teaching Children's Church this morning.

Anthem

“Lift Every Voice; Let All Rejoice”

Joseph Haydn

THE WORD

PRAYER for ILLUMINATION

God of mercy, you promises never to break your covenant with us. Amid all the changing words of our generation, speak your eternal Word that does not change. Then may we respond to your gracious promises with faithful and obedient lives, through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

FIRST LESSON

Old Testament: Psalm 15: 1-5 pg. 485

SECOND LESSON

New Testament: Matthew 5: 13-20 pg. 880

L: The Word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

“What does God Expect of Me?”

James Vlosich

Hymn – #392 “Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord”

THE LORDS 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 – “Peace”

Sigurd M. Øgaard

*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

Creator and giver of all good things, we bring our offering of thanksgiving and declare our intentions to turn from evil and do good, to seek peace and pursue it. Teach us how to revere your name more fully through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*HYMN - #492 – “Lord Speak to Me, That I May Speak”

CHORAL BENEDICTION

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*MUSIC SENDING US OUT to SERVE CHRIST

POSTLUDE : Grand Chorus” Théodore Dubois

TODAY'S GREETERS ARE: Ellie Walencheck and Bill Ulmer

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

Highlights



Coffee Fellowship following the service in the chapel.

Sign Up sheet for Feb & March is in the chapel.

Please consider volunteering.



Kindred Souls

Kindred Souls meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month, for a luncheon, & time of fellowship. This is for single & widowed women, but all women are welcome

The next luncheon is Wednesday, February 11, 2026, 11:30 am.

At Nae-Nae's Restaurant (across from Post Office)

For more information call Carol @ 724-438-0709

Reservations are appreciated by the day before. 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: 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: Small Water Bottles (8-10 oz)

Peanut butter and Jelly



Book Journey

Tuesday, February 17, 2026 at 11:30 a.m. at Rooster's Roost

"The Nightingale" by Krisan Hannah

All are welcome!

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

OR

Cindy Jones at 724-437-7856 or cblonz1@aol.com



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.

Cindy Jones



If anyone has announcements, articles, etc. for the March/April 2026 Touchstone Newsletter, please turn into the church office manager by Wednesday, March 04, 2026, deadline. Thanks!

Upcoming Dates & Events

February 15 Congregational Meeting after Church

February 5 – Youth Group Meet 5:30 pm.

February 13 – Kids Valentine Party 5:00 – 7:00 pm Date change due to weather

February 11 – Bible Discussions 8:00 am Mark C' Diner

February 18 – Ash Wednesday Service at 7:00 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, Jan 4	42	10
SUNDAY, Jan 11	38	10
SUNDAY, Jan 18	42	8
SUNDAY, Jan 25	CANCELLED	
SUNDAY, Feb 01	41	7

This Week

TUESDAY:

02/10 – Loaves & Fishes at 10:00 am
02/10 – Small Group at 5:00 pm
02/10 – Dart Ball – Trinity at Great Bethel - 7:30 pm

WEDNESDAY:

02/11 – Bible Discussions at Mark C Diner – 8am

THURSDAY:

02/12- Darts & Devotions at 10:00 am
02/12 – Youth Group @ Trinty @ 5:30 p.m.
02/12 - Bell Choir Practice at 6:00 pm
02/12 - Choir Practice at 7:00 pm

SUNDAY:

Worship Leader: Jim Williams
02/09 - Adult Sunday Bible Discussion - @ 10:00 a.m.
02/09 - Sunday - Worship at 11:00 a.m.

A Warm Welcome to Worship

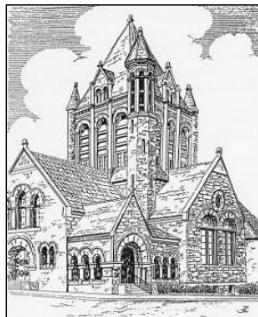
The church is never a place but always a people. Never a sacred building but always a believing assembly. The Lord calls us to a new Way of living under His wonderful grace in our Savior. We cordially welcome all who choose to worship with us here at Trinity UPC. Membership is open to all who believe 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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