

TRINITY VOICE

Week of April 5, 2009

From David's Desk:

What a Weekend...

Have I mentioned that April 4th is our workday at Murphy Harpst...? Of course you've heard all about it. Over 250 of you have signed up to go and work. It is so exciting to see Trinity going out in such numbers to be the hands and feet of Jesus. There are so many reasons this is important. I have heard countless people say, "I'd love to be more involved in missions, but I'm not sure what I can do..." We have jobs for everyone. Others have said, "I'd love to be more involved... but I can't fly to another country...." This is right down the streets. Still others say, "I'd love to be more involved, but my kids are too small..." We have childcare for them or jobs for them! For everyone who has ever wanted to be more involved, this is your day. Another reason this is important comes from other things said. People comment, "With three services, I never get to see everybody in one place..." You can do that Saturday! But the most important reason for Saturday is simple: To be a disciple of Jesus means we help others. We can not claim to be His followers and not help those in need. Last Sunday I mentioned a passage from I John 3. It says, "¹⁷If anyone has material possessions and sees his brother in need but has no pity on him, how can the love of God be in him?" The love of God is in each of you, and that will be evident this Saturday.

But Sunday is an important day as well. It is Palm Sunday, the day we remember Jesus triumphal entry into Jerusalem. Remember the story...

Mark 11

¹As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage and Bethany at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of his disciples, ²saying to them, "Go to the village ahead of you, and just as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. ³If anyone asks you, 'Why are you doing this?' tell him, 'The Lord needs it and will send it back here shortly.' "

⁴They went and found a colt outside in the street, tied at a doorway. As they untied it, ⁵some people standing there asked, "What are you doing, untying that colt?" ⁶They answered as Jesus had told them to, and the people let them go. ⁷When they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks over it, he sat on it. ⁸Many people spread their cloaks on the road, while others spread branches they had cut in the fields. ⁹Those who went ahead and those who followed shouted,

"Hosanna!"

"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"

¹⁰"Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David!"

"Hosanna in the highest!"

¹¹Jesus entered Jerusalem and went to the temple. He looked around at everything, but since it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the Twelve.

If it's Sunday, you want to be at Trinity
David

This Week At Trinity:

Sunday, April 5

8:30 Praise and Worship Service
9:45 Church School & Traditional Worship Service
11:00 Church School & Traditional Worship Service
12:00-4:00 Route 67 Mission is Possible
12:00-2:00 Youth Choir
6:00 Evening Worship Service, Sanctuary

Monday, April 6

9:00-1:00 PALS (Mother's Morning Out)
2:00 LRE Visitation Team, Parlor
6:30 LRE Visitation Team,
Trinity Building, Large Conference Room

Tuesday, April 7

10:30 Martha King Circle
6:00-8:30 Women's Bible Study,
Trinity Building, New Horizon's Classroom

Wednesday, April 8

6:45 Prayer Breakfast, Mobley Hall
9:00-1:00 PALS (Mother's Morning Out)
5:30 Fellowship Supper, Mobley Hall
Menu: Baked Ham, Green Beans, Potato Salad, Rolls, Dessert
6:15 TNT - Trinity iN Training (Children's Ministry)
6:15 Lent Small Group, Room 206
6:15 Trustees,
Trinity Building, New Horizons Room
6:30-8:30 Last Supper Project
6:30-8:30 Son Rise Rehearsal, Martha King Building

Thursday, April 9

6:30 Lent Small Group, Chick Fil A
10:30 Intercessory Prayer Group, Parlor
12:00 Lent Small Group,
Trinity Building, Large Conference Room
6:30-8:30 Last Supper Project
7:00 Tennebrae Service, Sanctuary

Friday, April 10

Good Friday
Office Closed
No PALS

Saturday, April 11

"Changing Lives For Jesus Christ"

Stewardship

Operating Budget

*Received This Week \$11,832.92

Received YTD \$198,333.74

YTD Budget Needs: \$216,413.25

Designated Gifts

RAH-RAH's, Murphy Harpst,
Mother's Day

Total Designated \$863.15

Gifts Given

In Memory Of:

Freida Matthews

To the RAH-RAH's by Jo Del Hill

In Honor Of:

Joe and June Tarpley's

50th Anniversary

By Their Children and Grandchildren

Missions

Get Ready for

Murphy Harpst Workday

Thanks so much to everyone who has so generously offered their time and talents for our church wide mission project at Murphy Harpst Children's Home in Cedartown on April 4. Please plan to come prepared. We will need all types of gardening tools (gardening gloves, clippers, rakes, hoes, shovels, etc.); all types of painting supplies (paint brushes, rollers, extension poles, paint scrapers, putty knives, old rags, edger's, etc.); extension cords, hammers, rubber gloves, wheel barrows, tarps and anything else that you think might be useful to complete the many jobs we are planning to undertake. Please label your items so they can be returned to you at the end of the day. Please contact your team leader or Sherry Blackwell or David Moore if you have any questions. Directions to Murphy Harpst are in the announcement section of this week's Voice. **Thanks again for being the hands and feet of Christ.**



Attendance

Sunday School 9:45 152

11:00 81

Sunday Morning 8:30 149

9:45 123

11:00 150

Children's Church 8:30 8

9:45 5

11:00 7

Evening Worship 13

Total Attendance 435

Prayer Concerns

Peggy McGee	Jacob Robertson
Charlie Henderson	Stacy McDaniel
Frances Wagner	Jeff Garrett
Grant Keaton	Charmaine Yoest
Keith Ingram	James Dulaney
Matthew Weeks	

Long Term Prayer List

The Ritcheys	Dot Massey
The Dodds	Wayne Walker
Margaret Green	Betty Penn
The Gittings	Linda Ratliff
Marlene Ransom	Valerie Camp
Jackie Shepherd	Roma Griffin
Nell Candler	Peggy Dixon
Frances Hancock	Beaver Carver
Herman Trammell	Chub Clifton
Keith Masters	Scott Raines
Ingrid McConkey	Lillian Momon
Linda Head	Robert Hogan



Our Active Duty Servicemen

Rick Mathis, Army, Ft. Bragg, NC
 Josh Hearn, Army, Germany
 Rick Clifton, Army, Hawaii
 Shane Henderson, Ft. Stewart, GA
 Roy Burkhalter, Kansas
 Ben Cordle, Navy, Iraq
 Eric Lowry, Army, Springfield, VA
 Jason Kelly, Army, Okinawa
 Aaron Kelly, Army, Augusta
 Chris Schwendimann, Army, Spartanburg
 Chris Wright, Air Force, Colorado
 Walter Arrington, Marines, Afghanistan
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 Katie Gerhard, Navy, Jacksonville, FL
 Will Davis, Ft. Stewart, GA

Good News

Do YOU know some Good News about someone at Trinity? Please help us pass the word. Email debilewis@aol.com with any good news items or call 291-6723 or 291-2898.

CONGRATULATIONS to . . .

- Dr. James Payne**, who recently received his doctorate in audiology.
- **Johnny Malone, Ansley McDurmon,** and **Kyle Wagers**, who made the Headmaster's List at Darlington.
- **Anne Marie McDurmon** who made the Director's List.
- **Anna Kate Dulaney** who made Honor Roll.

NAMES IN THE NEWS:

- **Frank Curry** is pictured on page 2Y of Young Romans today, with a flag he made.
- Four of **Emily Threlkeld's** students attended the Statewide Elementary Honor Chorus. For more information, see the article on page 6Y of Young Romans today.
- **Mark Lamade**, board president of Coosa River Basin Initiative, is mentioned in an article on CRBI, on page 5A of the Rome News today.

GOOD NEWS NUMBERS . . .

Trinity currently has 254 people signed up to work at Murphy Harpst Children's Home on this coming Saturday, April 4. That is in addition to the 75 people from Murphy Harpst who will be helping us. The day will officially begin at 9am and end at 5pm. Anyone interested in carpooling can meet at Ga. Highlands at 8:30am, but many folks are driving straight to Murphy Harpst. People will be there to show us where to park when we arrive and we will go straight to the chapel for the orientation. Murphy Harpst will have one staff member for each work area, who will help us, and lead us to our work areas, following orientation. **Please remember to:**

- Bring paint brushes, trays, tape, rollers, paint clothes, rakes, shovels, wheelbarrows, gloves, etc. Whatever you have in your garage that we could use. Be sure to label them with your name.
- Be sure your name is on the list, if you plan to come, so we have enough food.

Announcements

Directions to Murphy Harpst

If you are not able to meet everyone at Georgia Highlands on Saturday morning the directions to Murphy Harpst are below. Signs will be posted along the route once you get close to downtown Cedartown. An example of what to look for: Travel to Cedartown via US-27. Veer to your left at the Waffle House. Turn left onto East Avenue. Turn right at the second road which is Park Street. Turn back to your left at Fletcher Street. Go over the train tracks and continue on into the Murphy Harpst grounds. We'll see you there!!

Mother's Day Recognition

If you wish to have your mother, grandmother or another special mother recognized on Mother's Day, pick up a form in the narthex, fill it out and return it to the office or collection plate with a check for \$5.00 per person recognized. Please print so we can be sure of the spelling. The deadline is Sunday, April 26th.

Men's Advance

All men of Trinity mark your calendars for this year's Men's Advance. The dates are April 17 - 19 and the destination is Pike County. The cost is \$70. and you can make checks payable to "Men's Fellowship".

UMW

The Rome Carrollton UMW Annual Banquet will be April 6, 2009, at 7:00 p.m. at Krannert Center, Berry College. The cost is \$15.00. Please make checks payable to Trinity United Methodist Women and give to Madelyn Collette by March 24th. Cathy Lee Phillips is the speaker. Her heartfelt and sometimes humorous words regarding her Christian beliefs and faith, peppered with a good dose of down-home southern humor, are evident as Cathy shares her life stories. Please bring towels, wash cloths, or dish towels to donate to Murphy Harpst .

Birthdays

April 5

Pam Mixon, Trent Belanger

April 6

Gayle Sloan, Katherine Corbin,
Edna Tolbert

April 7

Marie Green, Brenda Crider,
Emilie Shattuck

April 8

Jackie Eschbaugh, Todd Goolsby

April 9

Haley Patterson, Grayson Patty

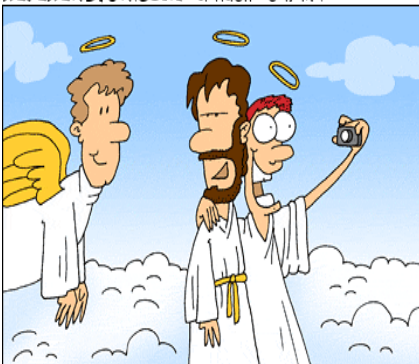
April 11

Sarah Choate, Richard Grant,
Dawn Tutterow

Thank You

A "Thank You" From Roy Goolsby:
A number of years ago, my sister, Jane, already a grandmother at the time, took to her sick bed with a relatively minor illness, or so she thought. She had the best of care from her family and her medical team, but she could not overcome it. Finally, in desperation, she said to her husband, "I want my Mama!" I know the feeling! During my recent illness, I had absolutely the most devoted and loving care from my wife, my family, my doctors, and my ministers. But still, it would have been good if I could have had my Mama there - SHE would have known what to do! Through it all though, we knew that we had our Trinity family with us, and that was a great blessing and comfort! Thanks be to God for Trinity!

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Thanks to Dad Hengeveld 02-16-2009
I'VE TRIED TO EXPLAIN THAT HE'S GOING TO BE WITH ME FOREVER, BUT HE JUST DOESN'T GET IT

Anniversaries

April 5

Phil & Jan Ferguson

April 6

Pete & Mary Ann Sailors

April 8

Matthew & Tatjana Stevens

Wesley & June Manis

April 11

David & Sherry Cescutti

Sunday Morning Worship Services

Message:

Mark 12:28-34, Getting Close...

David Campbell

Evening Worship Service

6:00 in the sanctuary— Roy Goolsby

Lay Helpers for Sunday April 5

8:30 Service

Lay Reader	Nolan Sanford
Acolytes	Brian Stahl
Greeters	John Crabb
Ushers	Darryl Elder
Children's Church	Shelly Reid

9:45 Service

Lay Reader	Evelyn Clifton
Acolytes	Lily Curry
Greeters	Linda Stone
Ushers	Chris Nelson
Children's Church	Mary Ann Sailors

11:00 Service

Lay Reader	Barbara Gale
Acolytes	Ian McFarland
Greeters	Hayley Carpenter
Ushers	Bruce Hoffman
Children's Church	Dennis & Nancy Abney
Nursery	Susan Johnston
Youth Snack Supper	Patterson

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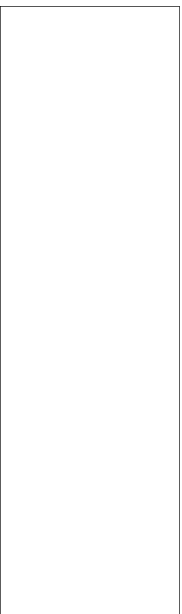
Staff Members:

Pastor	David Campbell
Associate Pastor	Jim Turrentine
Church Secretary	Terri Epperson
Director of Education/ Children's Ministries	Amy Cavin
Director of Music	Kam Malone
Church Accompanist	Debra Malone
Director of Youth	Grant Magness
Director of Youth Choir	Lee Shealy
Director of PALS	Debi Lewis
Nursery Director	Susan Johnston
Minister of Congrega- tional Care, Emerita	Ruth Shaw
Custodians	Jerry Foster & Benji Smith

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