

TRINITY VOICE

Week of January 31, 2010

From David's Desk:

SAVE THE DATE
March 27th!

Did you get that? Do I need to mention it again? March 27th. That is the date we will be going back to Murphy Harpst for a church-wide workday. If you went last year, you know what a blessing it was. We took well over 300 people and accomplished more in a day than the folks at Murphy Harpst thought possible. We took the biggest work team they had ever had. It was a great day in the life of our church. And we are going back.

If you are new to Trinity, Murphy-Harpst Children's home is a residential treatment home in Cedartown for severely abused and neglected children. They do amazing work. The people who review these kinds of facilities consistently say Murphy-Harpst is among the best in the nation. In this day and age of budget shortfalls, they are being called on to do more and more with less. Last year, we spent a Saturday lending a hand.

It began as we were looking for a way to bring our entire congregation together to be in service. We wanted a place where there would be jobs for all ages and all skill levels. We wanted a place where there was a need. We wanted a place big enough where we could all work side by side. The only place in our community that met all those desires was Murphy-Harpst.

Like last year, we will go as a part of our focus during the season of Lent. This year, we will be talking about "Holy Habits". What are those habits we can establish that will strengthen our faith? One of them is service. And we will live that out as a church family on March 27th.

If you are reading this asking, "Can our congregation really make that kind of difference?" Ask the people of Haiti. In the last two weeks, during a tight economy with high unemployment, we have sent over ten thousand dollars for earthquake relief. Ask the troops serving over seas to whom we have sent countless care packages. Ask the people of Douglas county where we have gone and helped during flood relief. Ask the people in the community who were fed during Jesus in the park. One thing I have learned about Trinity is that this is a place where we can dream big. God calls us to great things. And this congregation always responds.

So save the date. I will see you in Cedartown on March 27th!

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

"Changing Lives For Jesus Christ"

This Week At Trinity:

Sunday, January 31

8:30 Praise & Worship Service
9:45 & 11:00 5th Sunday Fellowship, Mobley Hall
9:45 Church School & Traditional Worship Service
11:00 Church School & Traditional Worship Service
4:00 Disciple Classes,
Trinity Building, Large Conference Room
4:00 Youth Choir
5:00 Youth Fellowship
6:15 Youth Snack Supper
6:00-7:00 Confirmation Class, Martha King Building

Monday, February 1

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, February 2

10:30 Martha King Circle
6:00-8:00 Women's Bible Study,
Trinity Building, Large Conference Room

Wednesday, February 3

6:45 Prayer Breakfast, Mobley Hall
9:00-1:00 PALS (Mother's Morning Out)
11:00 Staff Meeting, Parlor
5:30 Fellowship Supper
Menu: Pork Chops, Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Dessert

6:15 TNT
6:30 Finance Committee Meeting,
Trinity Building, Large Conference Room

Thursday, February 4

10:30 Intercessory Prayer Group, Parlor
6:30 Men's Fellowship, Mobley Hall

Friday, February 5

9:00-1:00 PALS (Mother's Morning Out)
Youth Ski Trip

Saturday, February 6

Stewardship

Operating Budget

*Received This Week	\$8,395.72
Received YTD	\$56,597.20
YTD Budget Needs:	\$64,325.69
Designated Gifts Given	
UMCOR, Flowers	
Total Designated	\$5,665.00

Attendance

Sunday School	9:45	188
	11:00	74
Sunday Morning	8:30	196
	9:45	83
	11:00	106
Children's Church	8:30	8
	9:45	0
	11:00	4
Total Attendance		385

Gifts Given

In Memory Of:

Carl Rhinehart

By Bill & Susan Babb

By Linda Traylor & Gladys Traylor

Mary Griffin

By Ezzie Holdbrooks

In Honor Of:

Carol Winkle

To Haiti By Earl & Betty Kelly

Missions

Pete the Pig Program

Save your pennies and cure a child from leprosy! The cost per child is \$300, but every penny helps!

Food Pantry in Need

Rome Action Ministries is in need of food for their pantry. Place your donations in the barrel by the elevator.

Third Street Ministries

If you have any devotional material, clothes, coats, shoes or other household items you would like to donate to Third Street for those in need, you may drop off items at Third Street on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2:00-4:00.

Prayer Concerns

Please help us keep the prayer list updated, if you know of someone who can be removed or needs adding, please call the church office.

Ray Curtis	Sam Evans
Jo Del Hill	Roy Goolsby
Keith Ingram	Bernice Snow
Alex Lloyd	Taylor Padgett
Haiti Victims	Alan Lloyd
Lynn Welchel	Frankie Clark
Family of Grady Shaw	Wendy Herndon
Betty Catanzano	Murray Robins
Joe Tarpley	Cindy Briggs
John Crabb	

Long Term Prayer List

Roy Lane	Dot Massey
Nell Candler	Betty Penn
The Dodds	Fred McDowell
Keith Masters	Ingrid McConkey
The Gittings	Linda Ratliff
Frances Hancock	Scott Raines
Valari Camp	Roma Griffen
Lillian Momon	The Bowens
Robert Hogan	Lily Hensiek
Frankie Clark	Charlie Henderson
Margaret Monahan	Mary McCord
Jim Formby	

Our Active Duty Servicemen

Rick Mathis, Army, Afghanistan
Josh Hearn, Army, Ft. Benning
Rick Clifton, Army, Hawaii
Shane Henderson, Baghdad, Iraq
Roy Burkhalter, Kansas
Ben Cordle, Navy, Hawaii
Eric Lowry, Army, Iraq
Aaron McDaniel, Army, Iraq
Aaron Kelly, Army, Augusta
Chris Schwendimann, Army, Kosovo
Chris Wright, Air Force, Colorado
Walter Arrington, Marines, Hawaii
Clay Gentry, Marines, Camp Lejune
Katie Gerhard, Navy, Jacksonville, FL
Will Davis, Baghdad, Iraq
Emily Cordle, Navy, Pensacola, FL
Darrell Sivals, Army, Iraq
John Sirmon, Marines, Okinawa



The Intercessory Prayer group meets every Thursday at 10:30 in the parlor. They would like to invite everyone who is able to come join them in lifting up all those on these prayer lists.

Good News

Do YOU know some Good News about someone at Trinity? Please help us pass the word. Email de-bilewis@aol.com with any good news items or call 706-346-6418.

CONGRATULATIONS to . . .

- **Lillian Shaw**, who is the editor of The Cluster, campus newspaper at Mercer University. In the Georgia College Press Association Better Newspaper Contest, The Cluster placed in the following categories: Best Campus Community Service—Sports, Layout and Design, Best Campus Community Service—Features, Improvement, and General Excellence.

- **Hannah Campbell**, who has been nominated for Governor's Honors in voice, and was selected for All State Reading Chorus, which is this week-end.

- **Timothy Oyler**, who had a 1st place science project in the St. Mary's 6th grade Science Fair, and also won the St. Mary's School Spelling Bee. He will be competing for St. Mary's on Feb. 2 with the Atlanta Archdiocese Schools in their spelling bee.

- **Lily Curry**, who had a 2nd place project in the St. Mary's 6th grade Science Fair.

- **Jonathan Lewis**, who has been selected to be a member of the Asbury College Olympic broadcast team for the Vancouver Olympics. Since 1984, Asbury College students have worked in paid broadcasting positions at almost every Olympic Games. He will leave next Saturday for a month in Vancouver.

New Members!

We would like to welcome Trinity's newest members:

Charles & Meredith Norris,
Julianna, Lydia, Jonah

Announcements

Wednesday Night Bible Study

The class that was to start back on February 3 has been postponed until Wednesday, April 14, at 6:15. The reason for the postponement is so everyone can take part in the Lenten Small Group classes that will begin the week of February 21.

Trinity Men

Make sure April 9-11 is on your calendar for our annual Men's Advance.

Lay Speaking Course

Trinity United Methodist Church will host The District Lay Speaking Course (both basic and advanced) this March. Courses will be on Saturdays; March 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th. Attendance is required at all classes. Trinity currently has thirteen Local Church Lay Speakers and one Certified Lay Speaker. Recertification is required only every three years, but this should not stop Local Lay Speakers from advancing to Certified Lay Speakers. Lay Speaking Ministries are described in the *Discipline*; paragraphs 267; 268; and 269. In short, who needs to be, or should be, a Lay Speaker? First: Who should be...anyone who feels they have a calling to proclaim the Gospel. Second: Who needs to be...Lay Leaders, Lay Readers, Sunday School Teachers, Church Council Members, Outreach – Visitation Workers, and anyone who feels called by God. More information including cost and hours will be published at a later date.

Thank You Trinity

The Youth Ministry would like to thank the Trinity congregation for your support of our Mission ISpossible bake sale this past Sunday. We were able to raise more than \$1200 for UMCOR in Haiti! WOW! Coupled with the original \$600 donation the youth made from our Pumpkin Patch profits, this brings our youth donations so far to Haiti to just under \$2000, and when added to the entire church giving so far, brings Trinity to more than \$12,000 in UMCOR donations to Haiti relief in less than two weeks! 100% of the donations made to Haiti through UMCOR go to relief efforts on the ground. God is Good!

Birthdays

January 31

Melvin Tolbert, Gene Kendrick

February 1

Brady Drummond, David Dickson

February 2

Merle Evans, Matt Maulding,

Ashley Noland

February 3

Marion Sender, Thomas Oyler

February 4

Jeff Goolsby, Kara Moore,

Cris Lowe

February 5

Carl Boley

February 6

Doug Frenya, Karen Burton,

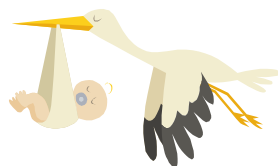
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Anniversaries

None this Week

You're Invited

You are invited to a baby shower for the Sara Payne Allen and Katie Payne Evans. Sara has a baby boy and Katie is expecting a baby girl. The shower will be February 7th in the Parlor from 2:00-4:00. The shower is hosted by Kara Moore, Cheryl Freeman, Susan Dickson, Debbie Jones, Wendy Williams and Freda Gipson.



Pecans, Anyone?

The Fellowship Class has some pecans left. They will be selling them at cost for \$5.50 per pound. See any member of the class and get yours before they are all gone! You may also call Hoke Kidney 706-346-4346 or Dennis Chumley 706-266-2608.

5th Sunday Fellowship

This Sunday, January 31st, is our 5th Sunday Fellowship! Make sure to come down to Mobley Hall during your Sunday school hour and visit with all of your Trinity family. This is a time where you can see those who may go to a different service than you and gives you time to catch up and meet and get to know members that are new to Trinity.



Lay Helpers for Sunday January 31

8:30 Service

Lay Reader Wendell Barnes

Acolytes Olivia Vardy

Greeters Darryl Elder

Ushers Darryl Elder

Children's Church Karen Burton

9:45 Service

Lay Reader Jason Oyler

Acolytes Timothy Oyler

Greeters Liz Trammell

Ushers Beau Gordon

Children's Church Chip & Kathy Rogers

11:00 Service

Lay Reader Jan Fergerson

Acolytes Cannon Rogers

Greeters Dawn Wynn

Ushers Bruce Hoffmann

Nursery Mary Ann Sailors

Youth Snack Storey

Sunday Morning Worship Services

8:30, 9:45, 11:00

Message: Romans 8:18-25

When the Going Gets Tough

Jim Turrentine

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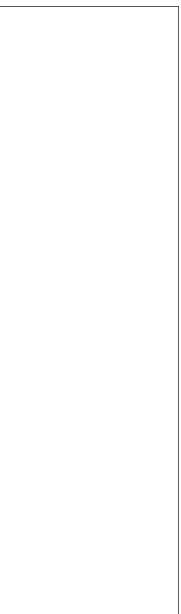
Staff Members:

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	Mary Ann Sailors
Minister of Congrega- tional Care, Emerita	Ruth Shaw
Custodians	Jerry Foster & Benji Smith

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