

TRINITY VOICE

Week of October 3, 2010

“Changing Lives For Jesus Christ”

From Our Associate Pastor

Thanks for the Memories

I write this article with mixed emotions. I am sad about leaving the position of associate pastor at Trinity. It has been a pleasure to work alongside this dedicated church staff. Each Trinity staff member is hard-working and passionate about the ministry of our church. Few full-time United Methodist pastors have the privilege of experiencing another fulfilling ministry in a dynamic church after retirement. I am blessed to be one of those pastors,

Joan and I have been interested in Trinity since we were married in this sanctuary on June 7, 1963. Since then Trinity has grown large, but she still has the feel of a small country church. Trinity Christians know each other, care about each other, seize opportunities to help others, and work to spread the Gospel whenever and wherever they can. We are blessed to have so many lay persons who listen and respond to God's call on their lives. God's light is being dispersed throughout Rome, Floyd County, and the world through the lives and work of dedicated Trinity Christians. It has been my privilege to be an active part of this ministry for the last four years, and it has been a blessing. I thank you for the opportunity. Joan and I are glad to remain a part of this family after I retire at the end of this month.

I am particularly grateful to David and the Staff-Parish Relations committee for giving me the opportunity to work for God at Trinity. David's outstanding pastoral leadership, inspiring sermons, and consistent life and work will continue to guide and encourage us along with you.

But I am glad to be able to carve out more free time. At this point in my life, having less energy to expend, I need to spend more of it in family involvement – to chauffeur my grandchildren and support their various activities – to travel and visit distant family as Joan and I have always wanted to do – to do some home repair and upkeep that has been neglected.

Ephesians 3:14-20

... I kneel before the Father, from whom his whole family in heaven and on earth derives its name. I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the believers, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge--that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God. Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.

May God continue to bless us as we serve Him in the coming days.

Rejoice in the Lord,
Jim

This Week At Trinity:

Sunday, October 3

8:30 Praise & Worship Service

9:45 Church School & Traditional Worship Service

11:00 Church School & Traditional Worship Service

12:00 Pumpkin Unloading on Front Lawn

Monday, October 4

2:00 LRE Visitation Team, Parlor

6:00 LRE Visitation Team
Trinity Building, Large Conference Room

Tuesday, October 5

10:30 Martha King Circle

5:30 Evening Intercessory Prayer,
Trinity Building, Large Conference Room

6:00 Women's Bible Study,
Trinity Building, Large Conference Room

Wednesday, October 6

7:30 Prayer Breakfast, Mobley Hall

5:30 Fellowship Supper, Mobley Hall

Menu: Taco Salad, Spanish Rice, Bread Sticks, Dessert

6:00 Praise & Worship Choir Practice

6:45 Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, October 7

10:30 Intercessory Prayer, Parlor

Friday, October 8

Saturday, October 9

Birthdays

October 3

Delmas Franklin

October 4

Frankie Langham, Maureen White,
Evan Stanfield

October 5

Bob Eschbaugh

October 7

Elijah Middleton

October 8

Calvin Parrish, Craig Tutterow

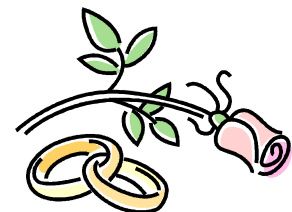
October 9

Pat Gilchrist



Anniversaries

No Anniversaries
This week



Another Prayer Opportunity:

Evening Intercessory prayer group is starting on Tuesday evenings from 5:30-6:00 p.m. in the large conference room in the Trinity Bldg beginning October 5. Please contact Linda Blackwell for details at 706-346-8465.



Stewardship

Operating Budget

*Received This Week	\$10,440.16
Received YTD	\$582,605.63
YTD Budget Needs:	\$627,175.50

Designated Gifts Given

RAM, Murphy Harpst, Guatemala Trip

Total Designated \$391.17

Attendance

Sunday School	9:45	
	11:00	
Sunday Morning	8:30	132
	9:45	69
	11:00	99
Children's Church	8:30	7
	11:00	11
Total Attendance		300

Gifts Given

In Memory Of:

Doug McArthur

By Bob & Liz Trammell

John Maddox

By Bob & Liz Trammell

In Honor Of:

Jim Turrentine

To Murphy Harpst By Jerry & Carol Winkle

Missions

Thank you Trinity for supporting your mission team to Guatemala. You helped to start a new school in the village of Cajizay and to teach approximately 200 children in Bible school. Thank you for allowing us to show others what it means to step out in faith with the support and love of our church family. While there, we found an urgent need for clean, pure, safe drinking water. After our return home, we investigated the various possibilities for water filtration systems and with the expertise and support of Food for the Hungry and David Evans, we found one we could afford. Three of us are returning to Cajixay on October 31 to begin the installation of these filters. Thank you Trinity for allowing us to continue "Changing Lives for Jesus Christ".

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.

Frances Pulliam	Bobbie Anderson
Bernice Snow	Keith Ingram
Mary Ann Grace	Donald Bell
Sid Evans	Leslie LeRoy
Chris Nelson	Clay Lambert
Umberhandt Family	Alon Lloyd
	Wanda Knowles

This Sunday

Lay Helpers for Sunday October 3

8:30 Service

Lay Reader	Jan Sidwell
Acolytes	Olivia Vardy
Greeters	Nolan Sanford
Ushers	Darryl Elder
Children's Church	Shelley Reid

9:45 Service

Lay Reader	Joe Tarpley
Greeters	Jeanne Gorman
Ushers	Chris Nelson

11:00 Service

Lay Reader	Mike Howell
Acolytes	Ruthann Freeman *Julianna Norris
Greeters	Linda Hoffman
Ushers	Bruce Hoffman
Children's Church	Jason & Amy Oyler
Youth Snack	Jonathon Dunn

Sunday Morning Worship Services

8:30, 9:45, 11:00

Message:

God's Covenants: Jesus

Scripture: Luke 22:17-20

David Campbell

Announcements

Mission Trip to Guatemala

There will be a spaghetti luncheon in Mobley Hall on Sunday, October 10 to support the expenses of your mission team to Guatemala. They are returning on October 31 to install water filtration systems in the village of Cajixay. There will be no charge for lunch, but donations will be accepted. We will serve spaghetti, salad, dessert and drinks from 10:30 until 2:00 or when we run out of food. If you can't attend and would like to give a donation, you may do so in the offering plate on Sunday, or send your donation to the church office. Thank you, your Mission Team

Women's Bible Study

Beginning October 12, we will begin a new Bible study on Tuesday nights at 6:00 in the Trinity Building, large conference room. We will be doing a study of Psalm called "Stepping Up". Call Linda Blackwell at 706-295-0448 for more information.

Story Time in the Patch

We will have free story time during the week of October 4-8 at 10:45 am. This is during fall break for the city and county schools. Bring your children or grandchildren and enjoy the story and browsing the patch together.

Elijah Partners

If you are new to Trinity, or have never participated in this ministry, it is a way for our church members to let our youth know that we are praying for and thinking about them. I will assign you a youth and you will simply be asked to pray for that youth throughout the school year. You can also send your youth cards or letters along the way. In the spring, we have a Sunday afternoon or evening dinner where your identity is revealed. It is a great way to get to know our youth, and can be a very spiritually rewarding experience. If you are interested in this awesome opportunity, please contact me, Emily Threlkeld by email emlymoor@aol.com

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