

TRINITY VOICE

Week of September 6, 2009

From David's Desk:

Labor Day Beach Bash

When our family arrived at Trinity, one of the first things we heard about was Labor Day Beach Bash. We heard about the long-standing relationship between Trinity and the First UMC of Gautier, Mississippi. I signed up to go on the trip, looking forward to meeting all the people I had heard about. (I also looked forward to eating all the food I had heard about!)

But when the time came, we did not go to Gautier. That was the weekend hurricane Katrina struck. We wound up going to Wilmington, North Carolina instead. We had a good trip and I enjoyed getting to know the youth group. Two weeks later, I made my first trip to Gautier. We were already well on the way to a long recovery effort.

Labor Day weekend of 2006, we went to Gautier for Beach Bash. (Although we did some work as well.) We returned in 2007. Last year, they were facing another hurricane. We wound up in Jacksonville, Florida.

As I write this, the weather looks good. The youth are planning to return to Gautier, and are kind enough to let me tag along. They will present "Help", their 2009 musical. We will again go to the beach, eat, fellowship with the people of Gautier, eat, worship with our sisters and brothers in Christ, eat and... well, you get the idea.

It is always a great trip for our youth. It is an important time for them to be together. I look forward to time to be with our youth, as well as be with our friends from the Gulf Coast.

Keep us in your prayers as we travel. And we will pray for you while we are gone. Jim will be preaching here, so you know you will be blessed.

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

This Week At Trinity:

Sunday, September 6

8:30 Praise & Worship Service

9:45 Church School & Traditional Worship Service

11:00 Church School & Traditional Worship Service

Monday, September 7 Labor Day, Office closed

Tuesday, September 8

10:00 Circle of Friends, Parlor

6:00 Stewardship Committee Meeting,
Trinity Building, Large Conference Room

6:00 - 8:30 Women's Bible Study,
Trinity Building, New Horizons Room

Wednesday, September 9

6:45 Prayer Breakfast, Mobley Hall

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

5:30 Fellowship Supper

Menu: Baked Ham, Macaroni Salad, Baked Beans, Rolls, Dessert

6:15 TNT

6:15 Bible Study, Trinity Building, Room 203

6:15 Trustees Committee Meeting,
Trinity Building, New Horizons Class

Thursday, September 10

10:30 Intercessory Prayer Group, Parlor

12:00 Women's Bible Study,
Trinity Building, Large Conference Room

Friday, September 11

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

Saturday, September 12

"Changing Lives For Jesus Christ"

Stewardship

Operating Budget

*Received This Week \$10,420.29

Received YTD \$533,455.88

YTD Budget Needs: \$582,651.06

Designated Gifts Given

Endowment Fund, Homecoming

Total Designated \$1,600.00

Attendance

We had 425 people at the Forum on Sunday for homecoming! It was a wonderful day of fellowship, food, fun and worship as the entire Trinity family came together in one service. We look forward to the next time the whole family can be together on our 5th Sunday in November! More information about that soon.

NEW THIS YEAR!!!!

Many of you are familiar with Jesus in the Park, our annual celebration that takes place at Ridgeferry Park. On September 27th we will be celebrating 11 years. This year we wanted to add one more dimension to what is already an incredible day. We will be hosting a Community Resource Fair for our church members and others in the community to learn of services that are available for those in need and for volunteer opportunities for those who want to serve. We are envisioning separate gazebo-type tents set up for pamphlets, give-a ways, and services (hopefully, blood pressure checks, blood sugar checks, hair care, dental care... the sky's the limit). A big part of this will be the folks manning the booths to have listening ears for those who are hungry for help or looking for ways to help. We need feedback from our own church members of services that they could provide or even ideas of community workers that could be contacted. Contact Mary Ann Sailors MSailors5@wmconnect.com or Wendy Williams Hamilton80@aol.com with suggestions.

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.

Weekly Prayer List

Susan Cochran	Bernice Snow
John & Joy Corbin	Ben Coleman
Dottie Hefferon	Keith Gilmer
Jean Evans	Ken Wagers
Charles Price	Vivian Haggard
Maria Soto	Patricia Dodd
Will Davis	Lee Upshaw
Janice Crouse	



Long Term Prayer List

Lily Hensiek	Dot Massey
The Dodds	Robert Hogan
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
Eulyse Townsend	The Bowns
Charlie Henderson	Frankie Clark

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, Hawaii
Eric Lowry, Army, Springfield, VA
Aaron McDaniel, Army, Iraq
Aaron Kelly, Army, Augusta
Chris Schwendimann, Army, Ft. Rucker, AL
Chris Wright, Air Force, Colorado
Walter Arrington, Marines, Hawaii
Clay Gentry, Marines, Camp Lejeune
Katie Gerhard, Navy, Jacksonville, FL
Will Davis, Ft. Stewart, GA
Emily Cordle, Navy, Pensacola, FL

Food Pantry in Need

Rome Action Ministries is in need of food for their pantry. Please drop your donations in the barrel by the elevator and we will make sure the donations are delivered. Thanks

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 . . .

- **Wint Barton**, who will be 97 on September 4th. On Saturday, September 5, he would love for you to stop by Riverwood's backyard between 2:00-5:00 for a piece of birthday cake and a hug! No gifts please! That's a big milestone!

NAMES IN THE NEWS:

- **Nick Gipson** plays football for Rome High and was listed on page 3 of last Tuesday's RNT Pigskin Preview.

- You can see **Jan Ferguson**, **Joe Gittings**, **Alice Gittings Herring** and **Jimmy Madden** in photos at the bottom of page 6, in the 175th Anniversary section of the Rome News Tribune today.

- **Ed Waters** was featured in the Roman Record, last week, on page 5 in the Who's Who in Business section.

STARS IN OUR MIDST . . .

- This coming weekend will be the last weekend you may see **Cannon Rogers** as an Oompa Loompa in Charlie and the Chocolate Factory at Rome Little Theatre. The shows are at the DeSoto, 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday; 2:30 p.m. Sunday.

PRAYER REQUESTS . . .

- Please pray for Will Davis as he goes before the Promotion Board Wednesday, Sept. 2 for E-6 (Staff Sergeant)

- Lee Upshaw, a friend of Steve and Gus Davis and a member of Second Avenue UMC, fell off his back step last Wednesday and severely broke his ankle. He has 6 screws, a plate and a lot of wire. He will non-load bearing on that foot for 2 and 1/2 months. Lee works at Bekaert. Please keep Lee in your prayers.

- Scott Raines is back at Floyd Medical. Another surgery is being considered as a possibility. Please keep Scott, Amy, Reese, Evan and Charlie in your prayers.

- Dr. Janice Crouse, daughter of Ruth Shaw, had knee replacement surgery yesterday. Please keep Janice and her recovery in your prayers.

Announcements

Elijah Partner

The Elijah Partner project is about to start up again for this school year. Adults --if you are interested in having a youth partner, please see Toni Rhinehart before or after church or feel free to contact her by e-mail or phone at trhinehart@romea.us 706-346-9144. This is a very good way to support the youth of our church and you will truly be blessed! Thank you!!

UMW

The Rome Carrollton United Methodist Women will observe 'day apart' Saturday, September 12, 2009, at the picturesque Shiloh United Methodist campground in Carroll county. A continental breakfast will be served from 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. at 10:00 a.m. everyone will gather for worship and communion in the arbor, which will be led by Teresa Vick and Terri Henkel. Anyone wishing to attend, please contact Carol Winkle for further information and transportation.

LRE

LRE needs "bud" vases. If you have some to donate, please call Jane Chumley at 706-802-8319 or bring them to the church office with Jane's name on them. Thank you!

Can You Help?

Sara Ritchey needs a ride to the 11:00 worship service. She is at Winthrop West. Please call Jane Chumley at 706-802-8319 if you can help, even on a limited basis. Thank you

Commitment Cards

During Lent season as we studied the great commandment, we all made commitments on how to live that out. We promised to return those cards to you as a reminder. Now is the time to pick them up. As an effort to save postage, we will place them in a box in the narthex this Sunday. The envelopes are in alphabetical order, so it should be easy to find yours.

Anniversaries

September 7

Lew & Pam Peters

September 8

Beau & Marion Gordon

Ed & Claudette Poe

September 9

Paul & Eulaine Camp

Wynn & Debbie Jones

Bill & Cindy Langham

September 10

Sam & Susan Johnston

September 12

John & Joy Corbin

Birthdays

September 6

Pete Sailors, Grant Ferguson

September 7

Ann McGrath

September 8

Mary Griffin, Mary Ann Sailors

September 9

Laurie Critchlow, Evan Babb

September 11

Adam Grant, Elizabeth Buice,

Hank Catron, Jamie Rhinehart

September 12

Tena Holler

Sunday Morning Worship Services

8:30, 9:45, 11:00

Message: Connected

John 15:1-8

Jim Turrentine

You're Invited!

A church wide wedding shower honoring Lauren Dickson and Jason Shank on Sept. 13th from 2 until 4 pm in the Parlor. If there are any questions people may contact Kara Moore, Sheila Jones, Nita Cordle or Augusta Davis.

Please join the ladies of the Koinonia class in honoring Cherilyn Humphrey, bride-elect of Tim Selman with a miscellaneous bridal shower and luncheon on Saturday, September 12, 2009 beginning at 11:30 am in Mobley Hall. Cherilyn is registered at Belk and WalMart.

Thank You

To everyone who had a part in making this a special Homecoming! It was a time of Fellowship and Worship with all three services together. The food the music and the Sermon "Full Circle" were just what Trinity UM Church is all about. We are Blessed to be a part of such a wonderful Church. Praise God!

Your Homecoming Committee

LAST CAPP TRAINING!

On Sunday, September 20, 2009, at 4 PM in Mobley Hall we shall be offering the last CAPP (Child Abuse Protection Policy) training for this year. If you plan to attend please contact Amy Cavin at amy@trinityumcrome.org.

Lay Helpers for Sunday September 6

8:30 Service

Lay Reader Wendell Barnes

Acolytes Hailey Critchlow

Greeters John Camp

Ushers Wade Williams

Children's Church Shelley Reid

9:45 Service

Lay Reader Evelyn Clifton

Acolytes Laura McFry

Greeters Jean Kidney

Ushers Amy Nelson

Children's Church Chip & Kathy Rogers

11:00 Service

Lay Reader Glenn White

Acolytes Jerrod Cavin

Greeters Cathy Grant

Ushers Thom Holt

Children's Church Bryan & Gina Freeman

Nursery Mary Ann Sailors

Youth Snack No Youth

Supper

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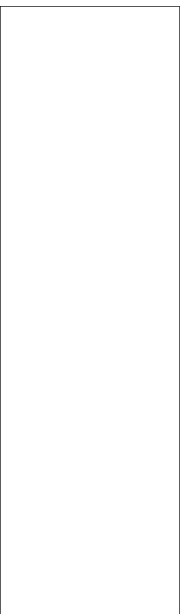
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Director of Music	Kam Malone
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Director of Youth	Grant Magness
Director of Youth Choir	Lee Shealy
Director of PALS	Debi Lewis
Nursery Director	Mary Ann Sailors
Minister of Congrega- tional Care, Emerita	Ruth Shaw
Custodians	Jerry Foster & Benji Smith

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