

Advent & Christmas

Season @ Trinity

Wednesday, December 16
6:35 pm Longest Night Service
 (A hope-filled service of darkness to light for those struggling with grief and living with loss) *in the Chapel*

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES
Saturday, December 24
 (Communion & candlelight at all services except Children's)

3:00 pm Children's
4:30 pm Traditional*
6:30 pm Contemporary*
9:30 pm Blended
 (Sonlight Youth Choir & Band Concert @ 9:00 pm) *in the Worship Center*

11:00 pm Traditional
in the Chapel

CHRISTMAS DAY
Sunday, December 25
10:00 am One Service Only
in the Worship Center

*Childcare available (ages 0-Pre-K) for the 4:30 and 6:30 pm services.

Upcoming Sermons:

Saturday, December 24
 Title: "Yes...and"
 Scripture: Luke 2:1-20

Sunday, December 25
10:00 am ONE SERVICE ONLY
 Scripture: John 1:1-18

Sunday, January 1
 EPIPHANY SUNDAY

Sunday, January 8
 SERMON SERIES 1/8 TO 2/5:
 Vital Signs of a Healthy Marriage
 Title: "In the Beginning"

Sunday, January 15
 Title: "Can We Talk?"

Sunday, January 22
 Title: "It's Getting Hot in Here"

Sunday, January 29
 Title: "Not So Happily Ever After"

Sunday, February 5
 Title: "Reclaiming the Partnership"

Trinity UMC Connection Card

Welcome Home!

We invite everyone to fill out a Connection Card and place it in the offering plate.

SUNDAY 8:15 am 9:40 am 11:00 am
 9:40 am (Healing Service)
WEDNESDAY 6:35 pm

Mr./Mrs./Ms.

Please Print Name (s)

Children in Family:

Names & Ages

First Time Guest **Regular Attender** **How Did You Hear About Us?**
 Member **New/Updated Info**

Address

City/State/Zip

Phone

Email

Want More Information?

- Small Groups/Classes Youth Ministry Music Ministries
 Baptism Opportunities To Serve Missions
 Children's Ministries Care Ministries Other _____

Name Tags:

Yes, I would like a Name Tag. Please print how you would like your name to appear.

(Please pick up Name Tag at the Welcome Center)

8:15 am

Prelude

Greeting

Opening Hymn
Angels from the Realms of Glory #220

Lighting of the Advent Wreath - Love
 Family: Christina & James Bugos

Response
O Little Town of Bethlehem

Joys and Concerns

Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Do You Hear What I Hear?

Prayer of Dedication

Offertory
Ding Dong! Merrily on High

Sermon

Welcome New Members

Sacrament of Holy Communion
O Little Town of Bethlehem

Closing Hymn
Hark! the Herald Angels Sing #240

Benediction

9:40 am

Prelude

Greeting

Opening Hymn
O Come, All Ye Faithful #234

Lighting of the Advent Wreath - Love
 Family: Franny & Mark Long

Response
O Little Town of Bethlehem

Joys and Concerns

Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Carol of the Bells

Prayer of Dedication

Offertory
Ding Dong! Merrily on High

Sermon

Welcome New Members

Sacrament of Holy Communion
O Little Town of Bethlehem
Do You Hear What I Hear?

Closing Hymn
Angels We Have Heard on High #238

Benediction

Postlude

11:00 am

Prelude

Greeting

Opening Hymn
Angels from the Realms of Glory #220

Lighting of the Advent Wreath - Love
 Family: Erica & Ralph Jackson

Response
O Little Town of Bethlehem

Joys and Concerns

Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Do You Hear What I Hear?

Prayer of Dedication

Offertory
Ding Dong! Merrily on High

Sermon

Welcome New Members

Sacrament of Holy Communion
O Little Town of Bethlehem

Closing Hymn
Hark! the Herald Angels Sing #240

Benediction

Postlude

REGULAR WORSHIP SERVICES:

Sunday, Worship Center

8:15 am Early Service (Chalice Choir)
9:40 am Sonlight Service (Youth Choir & Band)
11:00 am Traditional Service (Chancel Choir)

Sunday School, Education Building
9:40 & 11:00 am For All Ages

Sunday, Chapel

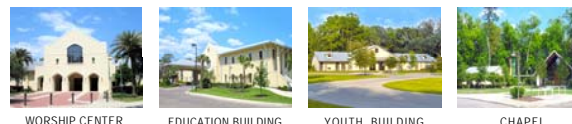
9:40 am Order of St. Luke Healing Service
 (Second Sunday of each month)

Wednesday, Chapel

6:35 pm Contemporary Service (Acoustic)

Regular Church Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8:30 am-4:00 pm / Friday, 8:30 am-1:00 pm.
Church Offices Closed: December 26 & January 2!

Stay connected, visit trinitygmv.org/maillinglist.



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Sunday, December 18, 2016

CO-PASTORS:
 Catherine Fluck Price & Steve Price

ASSOCIATE PASTORS:
 Aaron Rousseau & Lenora Rousseau

A PLACE TO BELONG. A PLACE TO BECOME. A PLACE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE.



Quiet Dismissal

Matthew 1:18-25

REV. CATHERINE FLUCK PRICE

Notes



To Give Online: Scan this QR Code from your mobile phone or visit trinitygmv.org/giving. Trinity has the ability to set-up an automatic withdrawal from your checking account or to accept debit card and Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) online and through smartphones. To set up an automatic withdrawal from your checking account, please contact Laura Richardson at 416-3012 or lrichardson@trinitygmv.org. Thank you for your support.

Missions

Ted Grueser, 352-416-3043 or (tgrueser@trinitygnv.org)

For more information, visit our webpage (trinitygnv.org/ministries/missions)

This morning's Mission Box supports Living Water International, a faith-based non-profit organization that helps communities in developing countries to create sustainable water, sanitation, and hygiene programs in response to the global water crisis. The cost of building a well is \$5,500 and the funds collected will go directly towards the well that a Trinity mission team will be building next month in El Salvador. If you would be interested in being a part of this project, please contact Ted Grueser ASAP.

Children

Elizabeth Jones, 352-416-3045 or (ejones@trinitygnv.org)

For more information, visit our webpage (trinitygnv.org/ministries/children)

CHEERS and Cherubs will resume on Wednesday, **January 11** for 3 year olds through 5th grade. Dawning Doves (children who turned 3 by September 1, 2016 and Pre-K children - register for Cherubs at our webpage listed above. If your child was registered for the fall, there is no need to register again. For more information, contact Elizabeth Jones.

Adult

Kim Lewerenz, 352-416-3074 or (klewerenz@trinitygnv.org)

For more information, visit our webpage (trinitygnv.org/ministries/adults)

Register now for the upcoming classes beginning in January. For more information or to register, visit (trinitygnv.org/upcomingevents) or contact Kim Lewerenz.

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

- **Bible Basics:** 1/11-2/15, 6:30-7:30 pm, room 211, led by Jean Evans
- **Invitation to the Book of John:** 1/11-5/3, 6:30-8:00 pm, room 226, led by Richard Neiberger
- **A Disciple's Path:** 1/18-2/22, 6:30-7:30 pm, room 203/204, led by Revs. Catherine & Steve

SUNDAY AFTERNOONS

- **Growing Wise with Proverbs:** 1/15-3/19, 3:00-4:30 pm, room 225, led by June Masters

TUESDAY EVENINGS

- **Financial Peace University:** 1/17-3/14, 6:30-8:30 pm, room 222 (Childcare not available)

SMALL GROUPS

Tuesday Morning Moms (9:30-11:30 am, room 203/204) will begin reading *Fervent: A Woman's Battle Plan to Serious, Specific and Strategic Prayer* by Priscilla Shirer on **January 10**. Books are \$10 and will be available on Sunday, January 8 or on the first day of class. Childcare is available. (Registration not required)

New Small Group called **Perspectives** begins Wednesday, **January 11**, 6:30-8:00 pm, O Dean Martin Prayer Room, led by Julie Crosby. Perspectives is a weekly discussion group that will explore current social justice issues in a supportive environment. All are welcome to join! Childcare is available. (Registration not required)

Women Growing in Faith (Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 pm, room 232) will begin a new study called *Breathe: Making Room for the Sabbath* by Priscilla Shirer on **January 17**. Study books are \$10 and will be available on January 8 at the Trinity Bookstore in the Atrium. (Registration not required)

Family

This morning's **Altar Flowers** are given in loving memory of Janet Garrett. Last week's altar flowers were given in honor of our granddaughters, Mariah and Anastasya Monroe, for their 19th birthdays, from Jim & Pam Ivey.

Christian love and sympathy is extended to Adam Ping and family on the passing on his father, Dan Ping on Tuesday, December 6; to Nancy Tosca Edwards and family on the passing of her father, Harold Baum Tosca on Tuesday, December 6.

General

Trinity United Methodist Women (TUMW) - **Sunshine Circle** invites you to help them honor Her Hope (Prison Transitional Ministry) residents and staff family at the traditional **Christmas Celebration TODAY** from **3:00-4:30 pm** in the **Trinity Atrium**. We are asking for functional household items and/or ladies' hygiene products decorated with a bow. Refreshments will be served and voices will rejoice in song! Please join us for a very Merry Christmas celebration!

TUMW - **Nursing Home Ministry: Donations are needed** of new underwear and socks, gently used robes, gowns, men's knit shirts with collars or other suitable clothing. Donations marked for Nursing Home Ministry can be brought to the Reception Desk in the Trinity Education Building. Contact: Dorothy Fillmore (fillmerdorothy@yahoo.com) or Jan Ordway (jgneord@gmail.com).

Please Note: Gluten-free bread is now available for communion (gluten-free and dairy-free but contains almonds).

Poinsettia

DEDICATIONS

Please take note of the beautiful poinsettias that adorn the church. Each one has been dedicated to the Glory of God in memory of or in honor of a loved one listed below.

In Memory of U.S. Army Specialist Chris Neiberger, from the Neiberger Family
In Honor of our son and daughter-in-law, Adam and Stacey Poppell, from Ed and Sharon Poppell
In Memory of Don Steiff, from Beverly and his loving family
In Memory of Gary Thornock, from Tara and his loving family
In Memory of Beverly and Lygia Forrester, my parents, from Joan Ricks
In celebration of our families past and present who taught us the true meaning of Christmas, from Jim and Linda Cook
In Memory of our parents, from Keith and Phyllis Baucom
In Memory of my sister, Dawn C. Brehm, from Pattii Yoder-Clark
In Memory of Emily Schanuth, always in our hearts and never to be forgotten, from Grandpa and Grandma Lundgren
In Memory of Roy and Eva Mae Chapman, from Roy and Dianne Chapman and family
In Memory of Richard and Ruth Ballard, from Roy and Dianne Chapman and family
In Honor of our grandchildren Abram, Austin, Bryan, Caitlin, Dylan and Livie, from Barbara and Carter Nute
In Memory of Rachel Emmel and Jerry and Gwen Doherty, from Chip and Phyllis Emmel
In Memory of Ed Freeman, a loving husband and father, from Gene Freeman
In Memory of Ken Hebson, from his loving family
In Memory of our beloved daughter Kimberly Hope Flaitz, from Mike and Beth Flaitz
In Memory of Ralph and Reba Edgemon, loving parents and grandparents, from Mary Ann and Chip Williams
In Memory of Chuck and Doris Williams, loving parents and grandparents, from Mary Ann and Chip Williams
In Honor of Taylor and Bailey, loving and beautiful daughters, from Mary Ann and Chip Williams
In Honor of Pepper and Kirk, loving and beautiful grandchildren, from Mary Ann and Chip Williams
In Honor of Catherine and Steve, beautiful daughter and son of God, and the wonderful example they are to us all, from Mary Ann and Chip Williams
In Honor of Jan and Dan Johnson, for all your past leadership and love, from Mary Ann and Chip Williams
In Honor of Mary Ann, my beautiful and loving wife, partner and best friend, love Chip
In Memory of Mary Mayer and Betty Lou Hummel, from Terry Baxter
In Honor of Marty and Lou Brown, from Bea Baker
To the Glory of God and for our family, friends, OSL, Fall Alpha, Summer Rebuilding courses and all the healing prayers met in 2016 and coming for 2017, from Sharon and Earl McDow
In Memory of Anthony, from Steven, Kris, Ashley, Kelly and Rachel
In Memory of C. Charles Cooper, from his loving wife Ethel, and family
To the Glory of God, From Rita and Carl Lipsius
To the Glory of God, from Maxine Toohey
In Memory of Barnett Allison, from his family with love
In Memory of our mothers, Ruth Kimbrough and Gertrude Cellon, from Jerry and Ralph Cellon
In Memory of my husband, Rus, from Theresa Gyllstrom
In Memory of David Baney, from Dad, Mom and Ellen
In Memory of Hope Peshek, from Francis and Rosemary Davis
In Memory of Marjorie and John Alexander, from Francis and Rosemary Davis
In Honor of all the staff of TUMC – thank you for your commitment, from James and Pam Ivey
In Honor of dear family and friends, from James and Pam Ivey
In Memory of Sharon Magill, who died from breast cancer, January 16, 2016, from Mary Neale Blake and all of her siblings

In Memory of Blake Gordon Thomas, from your loving parents

In Memory of Larry Cox, from Roger and Marion Cox

In Honor of the Eckenrode Family, from Roger and Marion Cox

In Memory of James S. Quincey, with love from Connie

In Honor of my mom, Inez Cobb

To the Glory of God and In memory of Jack Christian, from his family

In Memory of Hubert Mizell, from his loving wife and son, Marcy and Kevin Mizell

In Memory of Clarence Wilson Pearce, Jr., from Wayne and Alice Roark

In Memory of Robert Roark, from Wayne and Alice Roark

In Memory of Bunny Campbell – you are loved and missed every day, from Doug Campbell and Suzanne, Mark and Sam Lister

In Memory of Trish Campbell Merchant – your sweet spirit remains forever in our hearts, from Doug Campbell and Suzanne, Mark and Sam Lister

In Memory of our parents, Ralph and Elsie Best and Glenn and Twyla Stanley, from Jeff and Beverly Stanley

In Honor of my parents, Dale and Helen Lundgren, from Linda, Nicholas and Sean

In Memory of Bruce and Anne Wagner, from Daniel, Analiese, Barry and Abby

In Memory of our parents, from Fred and Carol Ramirez

In Memory of Chuck Shelamer, loving brother, son, father, friend – from The Taylor family and Barbara Shelamer

In Memory of Scott Warren Brown, from Camille Robinson

In Memory of Kimberly Hope Flaitz, from Camille Robinson

In Memory of Joseph Domenech, from Camille Robinson

In Memory of George Pridgen, from Camille Robinson

In Memory of Edward Ward, from the Ward and Baez families, who are missing your joy and happiness during the Christmas season!

In Honor of Annelle McIntyre for her love and support of so many, from Peggy Ward

Prayer Requests & Praises

Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. - Philippians 4:6-7 (NRSV)

How Can We Pray For You?

I Would Like This Prayer Request To Be Prayed For By:

- Our Intercessory Prayer Team, Staff & Pastors
- Our Pastors Only

Please Pray Specifically For:

- I Would Like A Pastor To Contact Me
- I Am Recommitting My Life To Christ
 - Please have a Pastor contact me
- I Would Like Information On How To Have A Relationship With Christ
- I Would Like To Receive Trinity's Tuesday Word Email Newsletter

Your Email Address _____

- Personal Assistance/Accommodations Needed During Sunday Services
