

JOURNALING IN COLOR

Bible Journaling is back this summer. We will meet in the classroom across from the Movie Theater in the Youth Wing. Everyone is welcome to come and learn about this meditative practice of journaling in color. It is lots of fun and no artistic ability is necessary. We will meet on Tuesdays beginning June 6 at 6:00pm.

Trip to Scotland – Space Available

At least one additional slot is available for the trip to Scotland being sponsored by Flint River Presbytery this fall. Mrs. Jane Shelton, Elder at First Presbyterian Church, Valdosta, is leading the trip. There are nineteen participants thus far and they are hoping to have at least 20. The dates for the trip are **September 4-13, 2017** and the estimated cost is around \$3,870 which includes all air and ground transportation. Please contact Pastor Hart for more information.



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Mission Statement

*As Believers, we will worship God by...
Praising, praying, responding to His Holy Word.*

*As Disciples, we will follow God by...
Studying, learning, living His Holy Word.*

*As Stewards, we will honor God by...
Caring, serving, sharing His Holy Word.*

NOT TOO LATE TO REGISTER FOR CAMP DOGWOOD ACRES, JUNE 25-30!

Day Camp June 6-8

Next week, Trinity will provide a day camp, Tuesday through Thursday, for children in upcoming grades 3-5. The camp, called Triple B Studio, will incorporate music, dance, rap, and technology. Our own Paul Guilbeau, Mark Micklon, John-Alan and Andrea Gourdine will lead the participants through the process of composing rhythms, converting a Bible verse into a rap, dancing, and using technology to pull it all together. The camp will be in session from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Please encourage all children in this age group to participate. The cost is \$30 per person and each student will receive a t-shirt and a flash drive for taking home the finished product.

Day Camp June 27-29

While several of our older children are at Camp Dogwood Acres at the end of the month, Trinity will offer a day camp for younger children, those in upcoming grades kindergarten through second. This camp will emphasize science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics (STEAM). Exciting experiments and opportunities to create will be paired with recognizing the many wonders that God provides us. The camp is June 27-29, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., and costs \$30. Please encourage your friends and family to bring children to enjoy this fantastic chance to have fun while learning. Children will receive a t-shirt and a take-home science experiment at the end of the camp.

Pentecost 2017 – Happy Birthday!

The Day of Pentecost is often referred to as the “birthday of the church.” According to The Acts of the Apostles, the followers of Jesus were empowered to speak the good news in the many languages of the international visitors in Jerusalem. Thus the Christian movement gained many converts and the church began to grow. Pentecost is a Jewish festival, the Feast of Weeks, 50 days (hence the name based on the Greek word for five) after Passover. Or in the case of the Christian Church, 50 days after Easter.

The Holy Spirit was the inspiring force on the Day of Pentecost and was described as “tongues of fire” resting on the disciples and enabling them to tell others of the Gospel. Thus, the color red, or other colors of fire are associated with Pentecost. Church members who will be encouraged to wear red or orange on Pentecost 2017, this Sunday, June 4, 2017. It will be a grand celebration of the anniversary of the Church of Jesus Christ.

Chick-fil-A Spirit Night for the Break Bread Together Ministry

June 6, 2017, 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Come and support Valdosta’s Meals on Wheels program during Spirit Night. Ten percent of the nightly sales will be donated to First Presbyterian’s Break Bread Together ministry. Offer Valid for dine in, carry-out, and drive thru at the 1100 N St. Augustine Road location.

Soup Kitchen Meal Preparation

On the first Sunday of each month Trinity prepares a meal for the Community Soup Kitchen. This Sunday, **June 4**, immediately following worship the meal will be prepared in the kitchen. Glennie Wicks will be heading up the effort this Sunday. If you are available to help, see her Sunday to offer your assistance.

June 2017 - Schedule of Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9:30a.m. Breakfast & Sunday School 10:15a.m. Choir Practice 11:00a.m. Worship	7p.m. Boy Scouts		NO WNS NO CHOIR	11:00a.m. Bible Study		
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				6 - 7p.m. Food Pantry		3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Communion Food Offering	10a.m. - 12p.m. Food Pantry	9a.m. - Noon Day Camp Grades 3-5		6 - 7p.m. Food Pantry		Flint River Presbytery Stated Meeting Albany, GA
11	12	13	14	15	16	
Noisy Offering	10a.m. - 12p.m. Food Pantry	Montreat Youth Conference				
4:30p.m. Session						
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	10a.m. - 12p.m. Food Pantry	Noon Dutch Lunch Bunch @ the Hart's home 6p.m. Bible Journaling		6 - 7p.m. Food Pantry		
25	26	27	28	29	30	
		9a.m. - Noon Day Camp Grades K-2				
	Camp Dogwood Acres Grades 3-12					
		6p.m. Bible Journaling				

Origami Cranes for Pentecost

The beautiful cranes are the work of Marcie Swank, Deb Radabaugh, Emma Micklon, Andrea Micklon, Don Thieme, Patsi Peacock, Bryan Wright, Catherine Loveday, Angharad Teague Dees and our teacher, Hanae Kanno. Hanae, thank you for your patient instruction. Each crane has the name of a member of Trinity and has been lovingly prayed for as they were folded and strung together.

Communion Sunday

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper will be celebrated **Pentecost Sunday, June 4, at 11:00 a.m.** Food offerings will be received and dedicated for the Trinity Food Pantry Ministry during worship. We ask for specific items which are not typically available at the Second Harvest Food Bank. The following food items are especially needed:

~Pasta

Please place your food donations in the baskets at the sanctuary door as you enter for worship.

Stated Session Meeting

The Stated Session meeting is scheduled for **Sunday, June 11, at 4:30 p.m.** Please contact Pastor Dees, or Pastor Hart, if you cannot attend.

Noisy Offering

The children will be collecting the “Noisy Offering” during the Children’s Message Sunday, **June 11**. Please remember to bring your spare change to help with our Food Pantry ministry.



Fathers’ Day Slide Show

Help make this year’s Fathers’ Day slideshow on **Sunday, June 18**, a memorable one. All are encouraged to send in by mail, e-mail, or CD disk, or drop off at the church office, a picture of themselves with their fathers or children to share with the congregation on Fathers’ Day. Please limit the number of pictures being submitted to five (5), and **please provide the names of those pictured and their relationship to others in the picture.** The deadline for submitting pictures is **Sunday, June 11**. If you have any questions, please contact Bryan Wright by email at office@trinitypresval.org or phone 229-242-3468.

FOR YOUR DAILY PRAYER

The pastor and elders meet at 10:45 each Sunday morning to pray for the morning service and to remember by name each person on our prayer list. Please lift the names of these persons to God in your prayers.



Members & Regular Participants

Mae Baker
Margaret Bruch
Marvin Bruch
Bob Culpepper
Marie Hill
Brody Johnson
Nellie Stoddard

Jackie Coxwell (Cindy Gallahan)
Debbie Cribbs (Mary Beckett)
Jolie Denmark (Nellie & Frank Stoddard)
Charles DeVane (Mary Beckett)
Larry Devane (Catherine Loveday)
Chet Dreschel (Anghaarad Teague Dees)
Cathy Fisher (Charlie Oliver)
Tom Fitzgibbons (Andrea Micklon)
Linda Fortenberry (Leta Cone)

Relatives

Reed Armond, *brother of David Armond*
Hoyt Blackstock, *uncle of Jan Hobson*
Micheal Boyd, *grandson of Roberta Boyd*
Bert Chancy, *son-in-law of Leta Cone*
Ben Chunn, *grandfather of Brooke Webb*
Juanita Devine, *sister of Bob & Debbie Radabaugh*
Scott Ferguson, *brother-in-law of Kathy Roe*
Marshall Guzman, *uncle of Beth Reid*
John Luketic, *cousin of Sherry Stranahan*
Bobby Miller, *nephew of Bob & Debbie Radabaugh*
Peggy Ann Myers
Jeremy Neeman, *brother of Edward Neeman*
Kathy Nichols, *aunt of Melissa Johnson*
Robert Earl Pennington, *relative of Beverly Peters*
Russell Popham, *uncle of Nita Cross*
Jenny Roe, *niece of Kathy Roe*
Donald Schreengost, *uncle of Sherry Stranahan*
David Shaw, *brother of Marilyn Reid*
Franna Taylor, *mother of Sonja Guilbeau*
Teri Testerman, *mother of Courtney Geidel*

Irene Gallagher (Jane Gore)
Tommy Hagy (Sonja Guilbeau)
Lacy Hall (Beverly Peters)
Marcia Hobbs (Nita Cross)
Tim Huff (Sonja Guilbeau)
Eunice Jenkins (Winnie Dooly)
Jack Justice (Jackie Wright)
Tondra Larson (Andrea Micklon)
Carol Levere (Bernie Preyna)
Amanda Leverett (Heather Wakefield)

Landon Lewis (Marcie Swank)
Jeff Newbern (Glennie Wicks)
Sharon O'Rourke (Lisa Pearce)
Haley Grace Peeples (Christal Dudley)
Bud Perry (Eddie Webb)
Jamie & Sarah Phelps (Melissa Johnson)
Carolyn Poe (Jackie Wright)
Diane Rodgers (Paul & Sonja Guilbeau)

Andrea Shover (Brooke Webb)
Judy Simpson (Richard Hart)
Harry & Sandi Skoropat (Jane Gore)
Janie Spooner (Jerri-Kay Radabaugh)
Sharon Stalvey (Jeff Bickers)
Lizbeth Stevens (Bill & Ruth Stonestreet)
Yolanda Surry (Nita Cross)
Mildred Thompson (Judy Bickers)
Maggie Tuten (Kathy Roe)
Robby Walker (David Armond)
Kirsty Yearsley (Sherry Stranahan)

Friends (contact person)

Ronnie Alligood (Jackie Wright)
Les Bass (Zane Dees)
Kathy Boone (Chris Roan)
Elizabeth Boyd (Charlie Oliver)
Ed Bynum (Eddie Webb)
Christine Chandler (Mili Collins)
Shirley Chandler (Richard Hart)
Katie Chappuis (Sonja Guilbeau)
Abraham Cotton (Mili Collins)

Lectionary Scripture for Sunday, 4 June 2017 Pentecost Sunday

New Testament: Acts 2:1-21 or
Old Testament: Numbers 11:24-30
Psalter: Psalm 104:24-34, 35b
New Testament:
1 Corinthians 12:3b-13
Gospel: John 20:19-23 or John 7:37-39

Lectionary Scripture for Sunday, June 11 2017 Trinity Sunday

Old Testament: Genesis 1:1-2:4a
Psalter: Psalm 8
New Testament:
2 Corinthians 13:11-13
Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20

Members Remembered in Prayer This Week

Jan Hobson
Chuk Holzworth

Members Remembered in Prayer Next Week

Cathy and Bill Hoover
David and Susan Johnson

Our Military Personnel
Missionaries
Drs. Les and Cindy Morgan
Refugees fleeing oppression and countries that are offering those refugees shelter and aid. Victims of terrorism within our borders, and around the world.

No Wednesday Night Activities - Summer Break

Wednesday Night Supper Program has been suspended for the summer months. We will resume in mid-August.

Memorial Day Observance

Our sincere thanks to the color guard who assisted us in honoring the memory of fallen soldiers during our wreath laying ceremony last Sunday:
~ Chief Master Sargent Brian Preyna, United States Air Force
~ Staff Sargent Errol Crossman, United States Air Force
~ Webelos Scout Eric Micklon, Cub Scout Pack 454
Also our thanks to Mr. Chris Simpson, Band Director at J.L. Newbern Middle School, who served as our trumpeter Sunday.

Flint River Presbytery Stated Meeting

Flint River Presbytery will hold its Stated Meeting on Saturday, June 10, 2017, at First Presbyterian Church, Albany, Georgia. Elder Kim Dudley will be serving as our commissioner for this meeting. In addition, Christal Dudley will be attending to represent and speak on behalf of Presbytery Youth Council, of which she is a member representing Trinity. Please pray for these ladies as they travel for this meeting and for our Flint River Presbytery in its mission for the Gospel of Christ.

Thursday Morning Bible Study

Thursday Morning Bible Study will meet on **June 8 and June 15, 2017**. We will meet at 11:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Classroom. We will begin a study of prayer based on a book by Ann Lamott entitled *Help, Thanks, Wow: The Three Essential Prayers*. Copies of the book are available for those who wish to begin reading. The meeting will last one hour, and coffee will be served. All are welcome to attend.



Dutch Lunch Bunch Gathering

The Dutch Lunch Bunch will meet for their luncheon on Tuesday, **June 20, 2017**, at 12:00 noon **at the home of Richard and Debbie Hart**. Reservations are requested. Please sign up at Trinity or call the Church Office to put your name on the list.

SMASH Report

Summer Time Fun! Here are some dates that are set for Summer Activities:
⇒ Ice Cream at Burton Farms, June 14 at 3:00pm
⇒ Bowling, June 21 at 6:00pm
⇒ In Town Mission Trip July 6-10
⇒ Ginnie Springs, August 5
Please check your email for the different options for baseball a game in Jacksonville and Water Park.
During worship this Sunday we will commission our youth going to Montreat: Tyler Cross, Christal Dudley and Annalee Bickers.

Save the Dates! Summer Mission Project "Heart for the City 2.0"

The Missions Committee will, again this summer, sponsor a "stay-at-home" mission project in our own community. Tentative dates are **July 6-10, 2017**.

Confirmed work-sites and dates at this time are listed below:

- ◆ **Thursday, July 6, 2017** Preparing 200 sack lunches & distributing them at the Soup Kitchen location
- ◆ **Friday, July 7, 2017** Gleaning local produce with the Society of St Andrew
- ◆ **Saturday, July 8, 2017** Building a house with Habitat for Humanity
- ◆ **Sunday, July 9, 2017** Packaging donated items Sunday morning for The Haven for victims of domestic abuse
Packaging vegetables from a "produce drop" at Trinity after worship

Here is a list of items most needed at the Haven:

- Baby Diapers (all sizes)
- Wipes
- Feminine Hygiene Products
- Baby Blankets
- Full Size Shampoo/Conditioner
- Wash Cloths
- Full Size Body Wash
- Disposable Razors

Bring your donations to Trinity and leave them in the bins marked for this purpose.

One additional work-site is being planned for Monday, July 10, 2017. Details to follow soon.