



Trinity News



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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.

Trinity Annual "Stay-at-Home" Mission Project

The Missions Committee is organizing our "Stay-at-Home" Mission Project for this summer. The dates are **Thursday, June 28 through Monday, July 2**. Mark your calendar and plan now to participate in one or more of these five days of service work in our community. Our tentative schedule is planned for the following:

Thursday, June 28 – Salvation Army Men's Shelter meals and/or work in the Thrift Store.

Friday, June 29 – Choose one: Work at Second Harvest Food Bank or Gleaning Produce with Society of St Andrew.

Saturday, June 30 – Choose one: Habitat for Humanity House Build or Gleaning Produce with Society of St Andrew.

Sunday, July 1 – Packing hygiene and baby kits for the Haven during Sunday School and Produce Drop with Society of St Andrew after worship.

Monday, July 2 - Assisting St. Barnabas Episcopal Church in packing and serving sack lunches to be distributed at the Soup Kitchen site on N. Lee Street.

A donation will be requested from participants which will be used for several things - meals for participants after the work shift, supplies for projects, new t-shirts this year, and a small donation to all the service organizations with which we will be working. The donation requested is as follows:

Adults - All sessions - \$50.00

Single sessions - \$15.00 each

Youth - All sessions - \$30.00

Single sessions - \$8.00 each

Children under 12 - no donation requested

Please sign up for the session or sessions in which you wish to participate and give us your t-shirt size. You may sign up at Trinity or call the church office, 242-3468.

Thank You Note from Christal Dudley

Below is the text of a nice thank you note we received from Christal Dudley acknowledging the gift of a devotional guide from Trinity on the occasion of her high school graduation. The note is posted on the bulletin board at Trinity.

"Dear Trinity Members and Families,
Thank you so much for thinking of me on the occasion of my graduation. It uplifts me to know I have the support of all of you as I close this chapter of my life and continue on to a greater education. Please know that your prayers and well wishes are appreciated and are so very encouraging. I believe that the love you all have shown me in the past few years has truly shaped me into the person I am and helped me prepare for the years ahead, both with college and life beyond that. I feel blessed that you have taken the time to teach me, guide me, fellowship with me, laugh with me, and maybe even cry with me. For no matter the emotion, God is always there to shine his love on us in many ways and through many of you. Thanks for building me up and helping me through the journeys, both ahead of me and behind me."

With love, Christal Dudley '18

Dutch Lunch Bunch Luncheon

Our Dutch Lunch Bunch will have a special treat on **Tuesday, June 19, 2018**. The group will travel in the church bus to Quitman, Georgia to have lunch at and tour The Presbyterian Home there. **Meet at Trinity at 11:00 a.m.** The meal will be provided free of charge by our hosts. We do need reservations both for transportation and for lunch. Please sign up at Trinity or call the church office, 242-3468, to make your reservation. For more information please contact Pastor Hart.



The Sacrament of Baptism was administered Sunday, June 3, 2018, to members of the Alford family. Kati Alford was baptized on Profession of Faith. Jacob, Alivia, and Zoey Alford were presented for baptism by their parents, Alf and Kati Alford. It was a special day for them and for our Trinity family.



Trinity Observed Memorial Day

Sunday, May 27, 2018, Trinity honored United States servicemen and women, and remembered those fallen in combat with a Wreath Laying Ceremony. The Honor Guard consisted of Chief MSgt Brian Preyna, USAF; MSgt Alf Alford, USAF; and Scout Eric Micklon, Troop 454.

Stated Session Meeting June 17

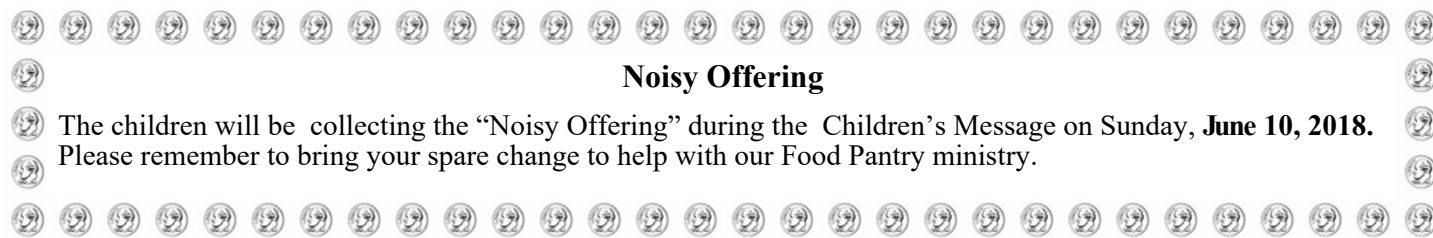
The Stated Session Meeting will be held on **Sunday, June 17, 2018, at 12:30 p.m.** **Note this is one week later than our usual meeting schedule.** Please contact one of the Pastors or the Clerk of Session if you cannot attend.

Flint River Presbytery Stated Meeting

Flint River Presbytery will hold its 123rd Stated Meeting on Saturday, **June 9, 2018**, at 10:00 a.m. at First Presbyterian Church, Donalsonville, Georgia. Elder Deb Radabaugh will serve as our elder commission and Elder Beth Reid will be an observer and our alternate commissioner.

The Capital Gifts Campaign for Campus Ministry will be presented for action at this meeting. Other important reports and actions will be addressed. Please pray for the work of our Presbytery in proclaiming the Gospel of Christ and supporting the work of all our member congregations.

Noisy Offering



The children will be collecting the "Noisy Offering" during the Children's Message on Sunday, **June 10, 2018**. Please remember to bring your spare change to help with our Food Pantry ministry.

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

Barbara Aiken
Libby Bickers
Lee Bradley
Melissa Johnson
 Bryan Singer
 Frank & Nellie Stoddard
 Marcie Swank
 Bob and Candy Wakefield
 Barnes Walker

Connie Kendrick (Marcie Swank)
 Travis Leggette (Eddie Webb)
 Holly Lustfeldt (Libby Bickers)
 Wanda Morgan (Ray Josey)
 Carla Pandohie (Sherry Stranahan)
 Patricia Parrish (Paulette Butts)
 Sarah Penn (Andrea Micklon)
 George Poirier (Debbie Antonoff)
 Ward Porch (Anghaarad Dees)
 Fred Quinn (Chris Roan)
 Mim Rice (Emma Micklon)
 Deborah Richardson (Bernie Preyna)
 Marcia Robbins (Chris Roan)
 Leo Santos (Jan Hobson)

Relatives

Virginia Beckham, *mother of Libby Bickers*
 Margie Brown, *aunt of Eddie Webb*
 Jansom Butts, *daughter of Paulette Butts*
 Hannah Capece, *granddaughter of Jane Gore*
 Barbara Chisham, *cousin of Marcie Swank*
 Dennis Dibble, *uncle of Leonard Mittelstadt*
 Billy Garrett, *cousin of Anna-Marie Schaer*
 Nancy Guilbeau, *mother of Paul Guilbeau*

Stewart Scott (Leta Cone)
 Ferrell & Penny Sellers (Judy Bickers)
 Desiree Shields (Jansom Butts)
 Jae Paul Smith (Beth Reid)
 Jean Snyder (Linda Brown)
 Kim Stokes (Winnie Dooly)
 Beth Suber (Libby Bickers)
 Dean Winters (Kathy Roe)
 Anita Woods (Jeff Bickers)

Long Term Prayer List Members

Mae Baker
 Mary Beckett
 Margaret Bruch
 Dorothy Parker
 Barbara Sanders

Relatives

Mary Brady, *mother of Kathy Roe*
 Sue Braswell, *aunt of Judy Bickers*
 James Dees, *father of Zane Dees*
 Greg Fox, *brother of Debbie Hart*
 Janice Gulik, *sister of Debbie Radabaugh*
 Diane Haines, *mother of Leonard Mittelstadt*

Friends (contact person)

Joe Boyles (Debbie Hart)
 Darryl Brown (Charlie Oliver)
 Sara Chang (Kathy Roe)
 Eric Clark (Grant Wright)
 Pat Coley (Marcie Swank)
 Niko Conley (Libby Bickers)
 Jill Crace (Eddie Webb)
 David Crenshaw (Jeff Bickers)
 Riley Davis & family (Annalee Bickers)
 Donna Delaney (Charlie Oliver)
Tanya Enloe (Ruth Stonestreet)
 Becky Flythe (Chris Roan)
 Erin German (Karen Whelihan)
 Helen Hastings (Mili Collins)
 Buddy House (Chris & John Roan)
 Brian Russell Johns (Bernie Preyna)
 Cole Johnson (Eric Micklon)
 Daryl Jones (Creation Divine)
 Riley Kendall (Leonard Mittelstadt)

James & Johnnie Kinchen, *parents of Jackie Wright*
 Delores Oorlog, *mother of Linda Reinhard*
 John Radabaugh, *brother of Bob Radabaugh*
 Herb Reinhard II, *father of Herb Reinhard III*
 Kim Roe, *mother of John Roe*
 John & Gwen Seanor, *grandparents of Paul Guilbeau*
 Richard Zulauf, *brother of Cathy Hoover*

Friends

Rachele Davis (Charlie Oliver)
 Mary Marshall (Margaret Bruch)
 Chet Dreschel (Anghaarad Teague Dees)

Lectionary Scripture for Sunday, 10 June 2018
Third Sunday after Pentecost
Old Testament:
 1 Samuel 8:4-11, 16-20
Psalter: Psalm 138
New Testament:
 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1
Gospel: Mark 3:20-35

Members Remembered in Prayer This Week
 Catherine Loveday
 Doug Maxwell
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 Our Military Personnel  
 Missionaries  
 Victims of, and all those affected by, recent school shootings - Parkland, Florida and Santa Fe, Texas.

**We Extend Our Christian Sympathy . . .**  
 to the family and friends of Kathy Boone, who died recently, requested by Chris Roan,  
 and to the family and friends of Mark Hopkins, a former Trinity participant, who died recently.  
 and to the family and friends of Pat Gilliland, who died recently, requested by Jane Gore.

| July Birthdays    |        |
|-------------------|--------|
| Anna-Marie Schaer | 1-Jul  |
| Herb Reinhard     | 3-Jul  |
| Kelly Wicks       | 5-Jul  |
| Emily Crossman    | 6-Jul  |
| Kim Culpepper     | 6-Jul  |
| John Chick        | 7-Jul  |
| Rachele Frey      | 9-Jul  |
| Jackie Wright     | 9-Jul  |
| Jansom Butts      | 11-Jul |
| Lorrie Wicks      | 12-Jul |
| Catherine Loveday | 13-Jul |
| Melissa Johnson   | 17-Jul |
| Andrea Gourdine   | 17-Jul |
| Marie Hill        | 19-Jul |
| Mary Brady        | 19-Jul |
| Lee Bradley       | 23-Jul |
| Mary Beckett      | 26-Jul |
| Sean Johnson      | 27-Jul |
| Frank Kilgard     | 29-Jul |
| Austin Gittins    | 31-Jul |

**Prayer Partners for Trinity Youth!**  
 Prayer partners who are currently partnered with our youth and children traveling this summer please take note to pray for them while on their summer trip. If you would like to mail them a note of encouragement while away at camp this summer I've provided the addresses. Also, if you'd like to prepare a small goodie bag for them to take on the road, that would be welcome as well!  
 The following youth will be traveling to Montreat (June 10-16): Annalee Bickers and Faith Cockren.  
 Montreat Conference Center - Reynolds Lodge, 401 Assembly Dr., Montreat, NC 28757  
 Headed to Camp Dogwood Acres (June 24-29) are Woodson Bickers, Mickeala Mittelstadt and Eric Micklon.  
 The address to Camp Dogwood is Dogwood Acres, 3320 Harmony Rd., Chipley, FL 32428.  
 Our youth headed on the Memphis Mission Trip (July 8-13) are: Shyra Arzola, Angel Arzola, Audrey Rhoads, Annalee Bickers, Connor Bickers, David Preyna, and Emma Micklon.  
 We are currently in need of 6 more prayer partners. If you'd like to serve as a prayer partner please let Pastor Anghaarad know ASAP!

**Thursday Morning Bible Study**  
 Join us for Bible Study on Thursday morning, **June 14, 2018**. We will meet in the Emmaus Room at 11:00 a.m. The coffee pot will be on!

**Bible Journaling**  
 June 7th...This is a change to Thursday and we will meet at 5:30pm in the Emmaus Room. If you are looking for a relaxing time reading scripture, sharing great conversation and putting your creative spirit to work, please join us. There will be more opportunities this summer to draw and paint and reflect on God's Holy Word.

**Women's Summer Bible Study**  
 Ladies of Trinity continue summer Bible Study. Judy Bickers is teaching the class that will meet six more times in the evenings this summer. They are using Jen Hatmaker's book, *Seven: An Experimental Mutiny Against Excess*. Addressing seven areas of excess in a typical American family's life the study helps make simpler choices that fight back against the modern-day disease of greed, materialism and overindulgence. The book and workbook are available at Amazon as well as on her website, [www.jenhatmaker.com](http://www.jenhatmaker.com). The second meeting will be Wednesday, **June 13th** at 6:00 p.m. in the Emmaus Room.

**HEART & SOUL** Kids of Trinity, tell your parents to register you today for one of our awesome Day Camps! Early Bird registration is only \$15.00.  
 Go to this link to register:  
<https://fs29.formsite.com/y6Csky/Form1/index.html>

**Volunteers needed for our STEAM and Heart & Soul Camp this summer...we need adult and youth volunteers to help out this summer for our two day camps. Please contact Renae Preyna if you are willing to help.**

**Montreat Prayer Bags**  
 Our presbytery is collecting items for Prayer Bags to send with all of the youth and adults traveling to Montreat Youth Conference from Flint River Presbytery. Items need to be turned in by June 8th to the Church Office so that our Presbytery Commissioners can take them to the June 9th Presbytery Meeting. Possible items: granola bars, hard candy, gum, pens, pencils, small notebooks, or markers. For more information please contact Pastor Dees.