

# The Trinity Times

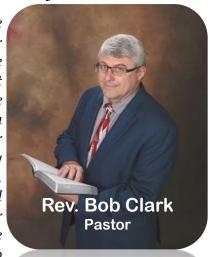
"The mission of Trinity UMC is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world."

# **WELCOME TO Trinity United Methodist Church**

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It is hard to believe that the year is already half spent! Yet, here it is the first of July. Summer is upon us and with it all the things that summer brings, vacation, travel, picnics, family reunions, and weekends at the lake or the beach. With all that is going on in the summer, it is small wonder that attendance at worship services drops off. What I urge you to remember, as you are enjoying your summer activities, is this, the mission and ministry of the church does not stop simply because you have gone on vacation. The need for your continued faithful support is not diminished by your absence. Children's Sunday school rooms still need to be air-conditioned, nursery workers still need to be paid, hungry people still need to be fed, and new people need to hear the word of God proclaimed. All of this comes at a price. Therefore, I urge you to continue in your faithful giving even on those Sundays when you are unable to attend worship. One way to do that is by taking advantage of our electronic giving option. Simply go to

Pastor's Corner



our website <u>www.tumcsa.net</u> click on the online giving button and follow the instructions. You can make a one-time gift or set up a schedule of regular giving.

Enjoy your summer. I am praying for each and every one of you. I ask that you pray for our church. Remember that should you desire a visit in your home or to drop by my office, I am always available. Just give a call or send me a text or email and I will be happy to respond.

May god bless and keep you always,

Pastor Bob

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# Trinity's Annual Independence Day Indoor Picnic

Our annual Independence Day Indoor Picnic will be <u>Sunday, July 3rd at noon</u> in the gym. All are welcome. No reservations needed and all food will be provided on Sunday, July 3, at noon in the church gym for annual Independence Day Indoor Picnic. The menu will be: Hot Dogs with all the trimmings. Hamburgers with all the trimmings. Ambrosia salad without coconut. Potato Salad. Beverages. Assorted Cookies.

We will enjoy our patriotic sing-a-long so you can wear red/white/blue or your service uniform. Let's come and enjoy the fellowship.

Sponsored by the Family Life Committee who will <u>set up the gym on Saturday, July 2nd, at</u>

<u>10:00 a.m.</u> Please let Connie Medrano know if you can help set up and/or cook or serve on Sunday at medrano4@att.net or 210-585-1494.



# YOUTH FORUM

We invite any 6th-12th grader to join us on Sunday mornings (9:45 a.m.) in the upstairs of the school building.

— Julie Vincent, youth ministry

Socials | Sharing time | Bible study

Prayer time | Fellowship | Learning

Thank you to all who helped make VBS a success! We had great kids and lots of fun!

Our terrific youth made VBS run smoothly. They worked with Snappy the Crab puppet, lead crafts and games, and entertained 20+ active kiddos. Thanks youth!

















WHEN WE GIVE FROM THE HEART,
WE RECEIVE
UNEXPECTED BLESSINGS—
ESPECIALLY THE JOY OF MAKING
A DIFFERENCE IN
SOMEONE'S LIFE.

### 2016 Missions Special/Fourth Sunday Offerings

- January Church World Service, Blanket Fund #982810
- **February** Jireh House
- March One Great Hour of Sharing
- April Children's Shelter
- May Camperships for Youth
- June Muziti Missions (Zimbabwe)
- July San Antonio U. M.
   Campus Ministry Foundation

- August The Holding Institute, First UMC Laredo
- September Christian Assistance Ministry (CAM)
- October Jireh House (Thanksgiving offering)
- November -Fairfield Children's Homes (Omaha, NE 68114) www.fosakids.org
- December Providence Place

# Intercessory Prayer

We at Trinity UMC take seriously our Ministry of Prayer. The Prayer Ministry team continues to pray for your loved ones (as you have requested) even if their names are no longer in the bulletin.

Prayer Intercessory Ministry meets every Tuesday at 1:30 p.m., in the Null building, for a prayer meeting. Please join us.

"You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our heart is restless until it rests in you." - Augustine of Hippo

When we joined the church, we pledged to uphold it with our prayers.

Please pray for our church every day at noon by simply saying

"JESUS I TRUST IN YOU"

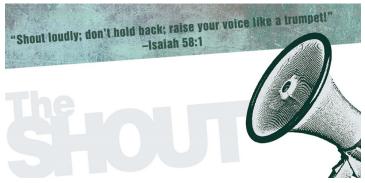
"You gave them roots, we give them wings"

Together may we give our children the roots to grow and
the wings to fly.

Trinity United Methodist School 210-684-5214

HAPPY BIRTHDAY	<b>TO:</b>
PATRICK ORMOND	2-Jul
JEREMY CADE	3-Jul
JAMES RYAN LANDERS	S 3-Jul
CLIFF KOCHHEISER	8-Jul
GENE SPRAGUE	13-Jul
FRED LYLE	20-Jul
SARAH ELIZABETH ORI	MOND 30-Jul
VELDA MALTAS	23-Jul
ROBIN LANDERS	24-Jul
MARY SHOEMAKER	24-Jul
MADELINE MAYSE	24-Jul
JOHN MOOSE	26-Jul
BRIAN PHILLIPS	29-Jul
DIXIE BURD	30-Jul
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO:	
LISA & DALE WHITE	3-Jul
TOM & HARRIET PHILL	IPS 5-Jul
EUGENE & TINA AZBIL	L 6-Jul
<b>ROY &amp; PAT PUTZ</b>	12-Jul
<b>BOB &amp; PATSY LEE</b>	17-Jul
ANDREW AND CRYSTA	AL KHAN 21-Jul
DAVID & TARA DYE	24-Jul
TRAVIS & ELIZABETH N	AcCOWN 31-Jul

If we have missed your special day, please notify Cynthia in the church office.)



### "The Shout" Bible study starts

July 6th through August 10th at 6:30pm, in the Null building.

The Shout – Finding the Prophetic Voice in unexpected Places. Isaiah 58:1 writes: "Shout loudly; don't hold back; raise your voice like a trumpet".



## CHAPEL HILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ANNUAL LABOR DAY RETREAT

### Greetings fellow believers!

We'd like to take the opportunity to invite your congregation to join ours for our annual Labor Day Retreat. We can host up to an additional 100 parishioners, in addition to our own, and we'd love to have you join us!

Chapel Hill UMC has been hosting an annual Labor Day Retreat at the HEB Foundation Echo Valley campsite in Leakey, TX for 52 years. This is a Christ-filled weekend, complete with praise and worship services, swimming in the Frio River (when life guards are on duty), and delicious meals. We have lots of opportunities for fun in the sun with outdoor games like softball, beach volleyball, basketball, horseshoes and yard Yahtzee, as well as daily bingo games. We typically fill the evenings with fireside devotionals and sing-alongs, as well as playing board/card games and enjoying good conversation.

This year's retreat will be held from Friday, Sept 2, 2016 through Monday, Sept 5, 2016. Attendees can arrive any time after 4pm on Friday and leave no later than 12pm Monday afternoon. The price includes 3 meals on Saturday and Sunday, a light breakfast on Monday morning and snacks throughout the weekend. We keep the costs to attend quite low by asking all attendees to help by either cooking or cleaning for one shift throughout the weekend. Accommodations are family style cabins with fully functioning bathrooms in each. While there is not air conditioning in most cabins, all of them have electricity so you are welcome to bring fans. There are a very limited number of cabins with air conditioning for those with special medical needs, but be assured, the valley stays a few degrees cooler than typical summer temperatures, with lovely breezes sweeping in off the river that runs right along the edge of the camp.

### Cost to attend:

\$30 for ages 13 and up \$20 for ages 6-12 \$15 per day per person, for ages 6 and up, if you are just coming for one day but not staying overnight Free for infants through 5 years of age

If you have parishioners who'd like to join us, they can mail their registration forms/payments to Tracy Knight, 9011 Laguna Rio, San Antonio, TX 78251 (make the check payable to CHUMC) or they can drop them off at our church office Mon – Fri, 9am – 3pm or on any Sunday during the month of August.

If anyone has any questions, please feel free to contact Cody Ogle at <a href="mailto:cogle58@gmail.com">cogle58@gmail.com</a> or Tracy Knight at <a href="mailto:tbenson717@yahoo.com">tbenson717@yahoo.com</a>.

With love in Christ, William and Tracy Knight, Bob and Cody Ogle CHUMC Retreat Directors

> OUR MISSION IS TO MAKE DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD.