

## JOURNEYS



Our Sanctuary's roof is still the original one that it was built with in the 1950s. We feel fortunate to have enjoyed a 70-year life with it, but our luck has now drawn to a close. Replacing the roof is one of our obligations we must deal with to improve our Church property so it can serve the mission and witness of TUMC well into the future. As Vaughn Minton expressed in Church, we are initiating a capital campaign to cover the cost of replacing it.

This is your invitation to prayerfully consider participating. Participation can be a one-time contribution or a pledge with payments over time.

Some key information:

- Time is of the essence to capture the least cost
- Only the Sanctuary roof needs attention; all other roofing surfaces on our buildings are fine
- There is asbestos in the current roofing material that needs abatement in the process

The Trustees have secured a bid of about \$320,000 to replace the entire Sanctuary roof area. It includes handling the removal of asbestos material.

To avoid cost increases and delays that could damage interior Sanctuary components from rainwater, we have discussed a plan to "borrow" from our endowment funds and repay those funds with receipts from this campaign. We have secured a local attorney's opinion that we can do that, and the documents are currently being drafted.

We are borrowing \$350,000 to cover the additional cost of interest, attorney fees and perhaps some cost for gutters. We will pay our loaned funds back as we collect on campaign responses.

As we said, we have suggested two ways to pledge: (1) a one-time gift or (2) a pledge to be paid over time and we are suggesting within the next three years. You can pick up a printed copy of the letter with donation slip in the church office.

If you would like to make your donation online, you may do so by choosing the roof project on Trinity's giving page. You may reach this by going to trinityumcgi.org and choosing the "Give" button on the top right of the page or pressing "Menu" on the top right and pressing "Give" on the left. If you need any assistance, please contact the Church office.

Thank you for considering and committing to this valuable project to support our Church. If you have questions, just contact the Church office, and they will direct you to the best person to provide your information.

Trinity Roof Campaign Committee, Bruce Schreiner

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP . . . .

L: God of grace, we are a people gathered together in your name.

**P: In your name we pray, we sing, in your company we find peace.**

L: Bless each person who has come today with the knowledge that they are heard.

**P: Help us to hear your call to freedom ringing out over all the earth. Amen.**

OPENING HYMN . . . .

#384 "LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING"

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY . . . . . #94

PRAYER OF DEDICATION . . . . . (UNISON)

**Loving God, who calls us to true freedom, we offer these gifts as signs of our commitment to live by the Spirit's leading. Through your grace, may we nurture the fruit of the Spirit in our lives and the world. Guide us to use our freedom not for ourselves but for service, so that we may build communities of faith and hope. With thankful hearts, we dedicate ourselves to your transforming work. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.**

CALL TO PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER . . . . . #895

HYMN OF PREPARATION . . . .

#121 "THERE'S A WIDENESS IN GOD'S MERCY"

SCRIPTURE . . . . . GALATIANS 5:1, 13-25 (NIV)

SERMON . . . . . "EMBRACING FREEDOM"

CLOSING HYMN . . . .

#671 "LORD DISMISS US WITH THY BLESSING"

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*Assistive listening devices are available to anyone that needs it to experience our worship services to the fullest.*



*3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday After Pentecost  
6 PM Traditional Worship  
June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025*

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SATURDAY WORSHIP IN GOLLAHER CHAPEL  
Traditional . . . . . 6 p.m.

SUNDAY WORSHIP IN SANCTUARY  
Traditional or CrossPoint . . . . . 9:30 a.m.

We speak to God before the service,  
God speaks to us during the service,  
We Speak to each other after the service.

WELCOME ☆ CONNECT ☆ DISCOVER

## Announcements



### Volunteers For Service

Greeters	Usher	Reader
Linda Clark, Pam Balderston	Linda Harris	Joyce Meinecke



Announcements



Bring a salad or side to share!

Our Sympathies to the Families of . . .  
Velma R. Primrose, and Brett A. Peters



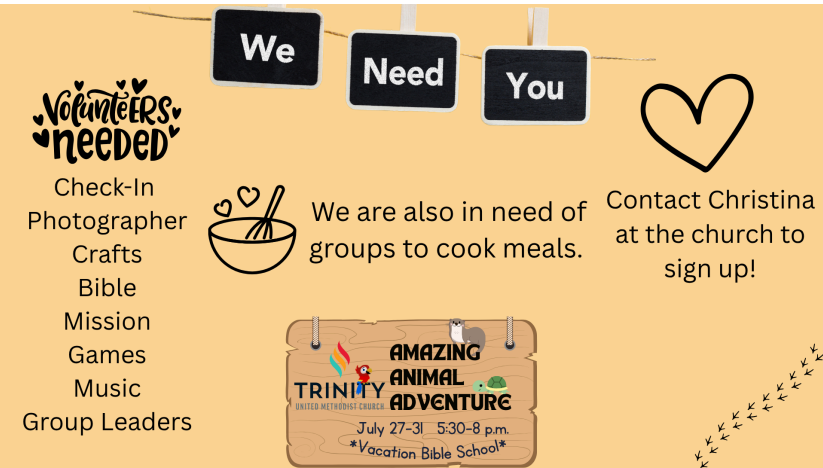
**SUMMER of KINDNESS** We are participating in the Summer of Kindness initiative, created by the Rio Texas, Great Plains, and Michigan Conferences of The United Methodist Church. Summer is upon us! Though we enter into what the Church calls "Ordinary Time," we are aware that we live in extraordinary times that require flexibility, playfulness, and kindness. We hope to ignite a playful spirit as we practice kindness. There are six sections that help us understand kindness better. Each section contains five parts: Hear, Wonder, Pray, Play, Act. You can hear the Bible story online or read it yourself, wonder together about the story, offer a short prayer, play a fun game or activity, and then choose an act of kindness (or a few) from the Bingo Sheet! Who can get BINGO first?! How about a blackout BINGO? Choose which parts bring you and your loved ones joy; if that's just the Bible stories, that's great! If it's the Bingo Sheet, go for it! Hear us - whatever you do, during these extraordinary times, it is good and enough. Turn in a winning Bingo card (5 in a row) by Sunday, July 13 to receive a special prize!

We Cordially Invite Everyone . . . in this congregation to become a member of this church, a working member. Call the Church if you would like to talk it over with someone.

Announcements...

**Loaves & Fishes Food Distribution . . .**  
July 12th, 2025, at College Park 3180 W Highway 34. Enter Tech Boulevard. Distribution is at 9:30 a.m. until Food is gone. It is best to arrive between 9 am and 11 am. Do not arrive before 7:30 a.m. *This institution is an equal opportunity provider.*

**Hospital Visits & Prayer Chain . . .**  
If you or a loved one is in the hospital and would like to be visited or put on the prayer chain for prayer, please get in touch with the office. *Due to HIPAA security rules, Regional Medical Center cannot release the names of patients to the church.*



CALENDAR

June 29<sup>th</sup> - July 6<sup>th</sup>

**Sunday Patriotic Sunday**  
9:30 AM Together Worship, Sanctuary, Nursery  
10:30 AM Fellowship Time, The Gathering Place  
Sharing Our Life Stories, Youth Room  
Preschool - Elementary Sunday School, Nursery  
11:00 AM Summer Sunday Meals, The Gathering Place,

**Monday**  
4:30 PM Senior Wii Bowling, Youth Room  
5:00 PM Peters Visitation, Sanctuary

**Tuesday**  
11:00 AM Peters Funeral & Luncheon, Sanctuary, Miller Hall  
1:00 PM Mathetes Study Group, Youth Room

**Wednesday**  
3:00 PM Weaving Wednesdays, Miller Hall

**Thursday**  
6:45 AM Bible Study, Tommy's Restaurant  
11:00 AM Lectio Divina, Zoom  
1:00 PM Bulletin Folding, Parlor  
Prayer Shawl Group, The Gathering Place or Parlor  
1:30 PM Rummage Sale Committee, Parlor  
2:00 PM Coloring at the Chocolate Bar

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> of July**  
OFFICE CLOSED

**Saturday Communion**  
5:00 PM Scripture Discussion, Parlor  
6:00 PM Worship, Gollaher Chapel  
7:00 PM Fellowship Time, The Gathering Place

**Sunday Communion**  
9:30 AM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary, Nursery  
10:30 AM Fellowship Time, The Gathering Place  
Sharing Our Life Stories, Youth Room  
Preschool - Elementary Sunday School, Nursery  
11:00 AM Summer Sunday Meals

We encourage everyone to check the online calendar for future planning and updated information during the week.

trinityumcgi.org/church-calendar

