

OUR

T R I N I T Y PRESCHOOL



Enrollment: 23 Preschool Children
6 Before and After care children

Coming Activities: Halloween is here!!! Our party will be Friday October 30th at 3:15 p.m., followed by trunk or treat 5:30 – 7pm

Fundraising: We are asking for your support in our Fall Fundraisers! The Funds earned will be used to maintain and improve the playground and equipment. The first fundraiser is a Catalog Sale. We will have some catalogs in fellowship hall for you to browse if interested. Thank you for your support.

Enrollment: We currently have spots available. If you know anyone interested please have them call 727-446-0959.

Open Door Policy: As always, we have an open door policy. Please feel free to come by any time and take a look. If you have any questions about our program please contact the director, Jaime Kotter at 446-0959



Everybody loves Miss Lulu!
Happy Birthday,
Miss Lulu!

SongChimers



Our Student Ministry has the opportunity to lead in worship throughout the year, by playing songs with chimes. Practice is on Sunday from 9:30 - 10:00 a.m. in the Bell Choir room (208). Bobbie Hoopes will be leading this ministry, and all students will go with Jeff after practice before church begins at 10:30am. Contact Jeff Davis at jeff@trinityclearwater.com for more information.

education



Children K-5th grade are invited
Wednesday Nights 5:30-7:00pm
Begins Sept. 16th

Spark

Expect:
FUN atmosphere, PIZZA dinner \$3.00
Games, Activities, and Music, Friends
Relevant Lessons, FREE STUFF

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Spark

Students K-5th grade are invited to hang out with us every Wednesday night 5:30-7:00pm. We start the evening off with a pizza party dinner for \$3.00, then transition into games, crafts, and other activities followed by a lesson and small group time. We hope your child can plan on joining us soon.

FAMILY MINISTRY

Fuse

Students 6th-12th grade are invited to come and join us every Wednesday night 7:00-8:30pm. We hang out in the game room, where we have for sale snacks and drinks for a minimal price. Then we get together for a group game or activity followed by a lesson and small group time. We hope your student can come hang out with us soon.

fuse

Teenagers 6th-12th grade invited

Wednesday Nights 7:00-8:30pm
Meet in Game Room on Campus
Begins Sept. 16th

Expect:
laid back atmosphere to be yourself
games, activities, music,
relevant discussions, food, friends
FREE stuff

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Falltastic

Our children's ministry will be going to Cedarkirk on October 2-3rd for Falltastic. This is a weekend of camping, rock climbs, camp fires, crafts, bible lesson, great food, bugs, games, and more. We have 7 participating this year and Cedarkirk is full. We will be going in the spring as well.

Trunk or Treat

This Halloween we are going to introduce a trending outreach opportunity. On Friday night **October 30th from 5:30-7:00 p.m.**, we need you and your vehicle, with your trunk decorated for Halloween, lined up around the perimeter of our side parking lot. The creativity is in your hands, but Jeff can help with ideas! We'll have a bounce house, games, hot dogs, chips and drinks. Please email Jeff, jeff@trinityclearwater.com or call the office. More info to come.

Free Event

Trunk or Treat

Friday, October 30th
5:30-7:00pm



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Bounce House
Dinner
Games



Just for fun

Did you know . .
there is Line Dancing
in Fellowship Hall
every Thursday from
4:00-5:00 p.m.?



Everyone is welcome, even if you have "two left feet" or no rhythm! It is an hour of laughs, exercise and fun for all ages. No special shoes or clothes involved - come as you are. Drop in as often as possible.

DEAD THEOLOGIAN SOCIETY



Trinity's Dead Theologian Society just celebrated their fifth anniversary! No membership fees or dues; just show up at Beef O'Brady's at 6:00 p.m. on the 4th Sunday of the month. Located on Enterprise Rd., just west of McMullen Booth. Everyone is invited.

October 25th - 6:00 p.m.

Beef O'Bradys

2471 N. McMullen Booth Road.



OUTREACH-FELLOWSHIP PRESENTS:

3rd Sunday Meal
OCTOBER 18TH

ITALIAN CHICKEN

\$6 ADULT, \$15 FAMILY

Trinity Trippers

Trinity Trippers Trek to Weedon Island



Cultural and Natural History Center on Friday, October 23rd. No hiking, fishing or kayaking, just a visit to the center to reconnect with the archaeological history

of the preserve in order to demonstrate how the environment and people support and shape each other. Moderate walking, local flora, fauna, and ancient culture. A donation to the museum and lunch at Miller's (food for every taste). Bus leaves at 9:00 am. Sign up on the office bulletin board. Check out the Trippers' bulletin board by the drinking fountains outside FSH.

Stewardship Thoughts for October:

Do not forget to do good and to share, for with such sacrifices God is well pleased.

Hebrews 13:16

If everyone in your church followed your pattern of giving, would your church receive a token, a tip or a tithe?
- Brian Kluth, Pastor and Author

Do all the good YOU CAN.

BY *all the means* **you can.**

IN ALL THE WAYS YOU CAN.

IN ALL THE PLACES **YOU CAN.**

At all the times **YOU CAN.**

To ALL THE PEOPLE

AS LONG *as you ever can.*

john wesley

But he wants us to do more than that. To pray, "May Your kingdom come," is to say, "I enlist in Your cause. I adopt Your agenda. 'Here I am, send me' (Isaiah 6:8, KJV)."



Presbyterian Women

Come to the Waters with Presbyterian Women as we are sprinkled in Baptism this month. All women are encouraged to join a circle for Bible Study and attend the Tuesday October 27 Gathering. Fellowship begins at 9:30 am in FSH. Carol Caseber has devotions, followed by a talk about The Book of Anne from author Sandy Erickson. (Be sure to read the book!)

To round out the morning, Pastor Andy & Peg will introduce themselves to us and there will be some music, too.

Join the Deacons

**Tuesday, October 13th
7:00 p.m.
The Chapel**

Join us for pertinent information on care giving. Kelly Siegel, Community Outreach Specialist with Empath Health, will be the speaker. Empath Health encompasses hospice, home health palliative care and physician services, assistance for independent living, HIV services, and advanced care planning. This information is extremely useful for anyone in a caregiving role or who may envision this role in the future. The regular Deacons meeting will follow this presentation, at 7:30 p.m.

- 3rd Chelsea MacNeill
- 6th Jean Newton
- 7th James Lancashire
Jeffrey Vetter
- 8th Ethel Guther
Maisy Hull
- 9th Marian Major
- 17th Ruby Thornton
- 21st Walter Schoenig
- 23rd Cathy Arnold
Sierra Vick
- 24th Rob Vest
- 26th Bill Justice
Karla MacLaren
- 29th Bob Booth
Janis Priebe
- 30th Jimmy Martin

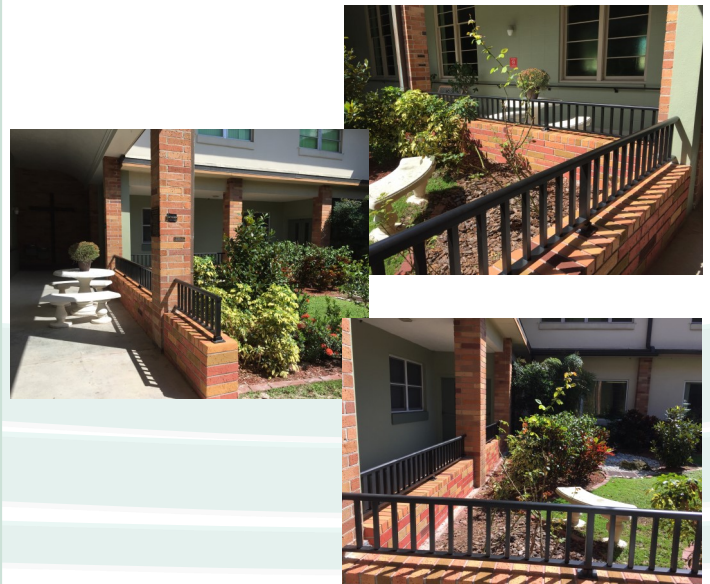


Memorial Garden Make-over

Do you remember this?



Take a look at the New Memorial Garden!



Designing Your Legacy

Have you thought of remembering Trinity

Presbyterian in your charitable giving legacy? There are many ways to donate a planned gift, including this: *Tithe your estate by putting a simple notation in your will that says you want to leave 10% of your estate to the Church. A properly prepared will is a very effective means to accomplish many goals, including charitable intentions.*

To learn about gifting options that enable you to design the legacy you wish to have, join us immediately after worship on Sunday, January 24, 2016 for a light lunch in Fellowship Hall and to hear from Robert Hay, Jr. of the Presbyterian Foundation. Join us for lunch and learning in January. Contact Patti Rogers, Dick Powell or Tina Harvey with any questions.

Around Trinity

Weekly in October

Sunday

Sunday School	9:00 am
Wired Word, Rm. 212	
The Lectionary, The Chapel	
SongChimers Practice	9:30 am
Searchers Fellowship, the Parlor	10:00 am
Worship (Communion Oct. 4)	10:30 am
SongChimers Play (Oct. 4)	10:30 am
Trinity Ringers Play (Oct. 11)	10:30 am
Clothes to Kids (Oct. 4 - Oct 25)	10:30 am
Stewardship Campaign (Oct. 11- 25)	10:30 am
Reception for Andy & Peg (Oct 4)	11:30 am
Young Adult/Family Group	12:00 pm
3rd Sunday Meal (Oct 18)	11:30 am
Dead Theologians (Oct 25)	6:00 pm
TIDINGS DEADLINE (OCT. 18)	

Monday

Lunch Bunch, Rm. 114	12:00 pm
Bible Study Fellowship	7:00 pm
Sparrow Circle-St. Mark (Oct. 19)	2:15 pm

Tuesday

PW Study Leaders (Oct. 6)	9:30 am
PW Coordinating Team (Oct. 6)	10:45 am
Ruth Circle (Oct. 13)	10:00 am
Naomi Circle (Oct. 13-Mbrs' Homes)	10:00 am
Preschool Chapel	11:30 am
Sewing Hope	1:00 pm
Esther Circle (Oct. 13)	1:00 pm
Staff Meeting	3:30 pm
Personnel Ministry (Oct. 6)	5:00 pm
Property Team (Oct.6)	6:00 pm
Ministry Meetings (Oct. 6)	7:00 pm
Mission Ministry (Oct. 13)	6:00 pm
Diaconate (Oct. 13)	7:00 pm
PW Gathering (Oct. 27)	9:30 am
Session (Oct. 27)	7:00 pm
Tampa Bay Symphony	6:00 pm
Trinity Trippers (Oct. 23)	9:00 am

Wednesday

COM West Reg. Mtg. (Oct. 7)	10:00 am
Lydia Circle (Oct. 21)	5:30 pm
Spark Children's Ministry Midweek	5:30 pm
Finance Team Meeting (Oct. 28)	5:30 pm
Fuze Student Ministry Midweek	7:00 pm

Thursday

Men's Group	8:00 am
Sewing Hope	1:00 pm
Line Dancing	4:00 pm
Preschool Ministry (Oct. 15)	4:00 pm
Trinity Ringers	6:00 pm
Tampa Bay Symphony (Oct. 15, 22)	7:00 pm
Choir Rehearsal	7:00 pm

Friday

Spark Falltastic Camping (Oct. 2-3)	4:00 pm
Trunk or Treat (Oct. 30)	6:00 pm

Saturday

Spark Falltastic Camping (Oct. 3)	All Day
Ice Cream Social for Waltons (Oct. 3)	7:00 pm
Trinity Friends of Hope (Oct. 10)	6:00 am
League of Women Voters (Oct. 10)	9:00 am
BSF Leaders Meeting	6:00 am

Adult Education

Classes - 9:00 a.m. You are invited to drop in anytime for:

⇒ The **Wired Word** is a current events-based Adult Sunday School class that connects the Bible with timely topics. Rotating facilitators lead a lively discussion each week at 9:00 a.m. in Room 212. Everyone is welcome to attend, join the discussion and keep abreast of contemporary Christian concerns. Be sure to get on the email list so you can read ahead
Leaders: Various class members.

Location: Room 212.

⇒ **New: Feasting on the Word**

The new series of classes in the Chapel will focus on the lectionary readings for each week. If you don't know what the lectionary readings are, the class will help you understand this concept.

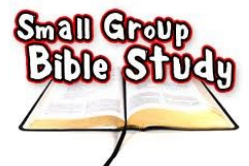
Each week the two lectionary texts that are NOT used in worship will receive a more in-depth study in this class. Class members will be encouraged to allow God's spirit to work as we worship and hear the message on the other two lectionary texts.

Leader: Sue Moore Location: The Chapel

Sunday Small Group

The Young Adult and Families Small Group is continuing to meet at Noon on Sundays after church.

They gather at the Brown Boxer for lunch and children are always welcome and **eat free. Leader: Jeff Davis**



Ice Cream Social



All members and friends of Trinity are invited to meet and greet our new pastor, Andy Walton and Peg, his wife, at an **Ice Cream Social** in FSH at 7:00 pm Saturday, October 3rd. Be sure to wear your name badge. The new era at Trinity begins with worship on Sunday, October 4th at 10:30 am.

Mission: Clothes to Kids



October Is Clothes to Kids Month! It's Time to Drop (Off) Your Drawers!

Trinity has a long tradition of great support for the Clothes To Kids Organization, especially the Drop Your Drawers campaign. CTK has been providing wardrobes for children in Pinellas County for 10 years! Each year the number of children served has grown, and the need for underwear (and gently used clothing and shoes) is greater than ever.

The blue CTK barrel will be in the Chancel area of the Sanctuary, and is our catalyst for supporting this program, each Sunday in October. Our target date is October 25, when we hope to have received a record number of contributions overflowing our CTK barrel. Unopened packages of underwear and/or monetary contributions are gratefully received.

Don't put it off! Contribute now! You can also take a flier to work, bridge club, and other volunteer groups and organizations to help spread the word. We want to continue to be a leader among the churches in Pinellas County! Thanks for all you do!



NEW UNDERWEAR SIZES & PREFERENCES GIRLS

Sizes 6 - 16

JUNIOR GIRLS

Size 5 & up (bikinis)

BOYS

Sizes 4 - 16 (briefs & boxers)

YOUNG MEN

Size 30-32 & up (boxers)

*Boxers are the most needed item
we provide!*



NEW Student Midweek Ministries

Spark 9-30-15



Fuze 9-30-15





October Sundays

- October 4th:** *World Communion Sunday*
 Andy & Peg's First Sunday
 Clothes to Kids (Oct. 4 - 25)
- October 11th:** *Stewardship Campaign*
- October 18th:** *3rd Sunday Meal, Tidings*
 Deadline
- October 25th:** *Dead Theologians*

WORSHIP with US

Sundays @ 10:30am

Prayer Concerns

THOSE IN NURSING HOMES

Ruth Baker
 Betty Cline

THOSE IN NEED OF HEALING

John Burton
 Marti Folwell
 Kit Harra
 Duncan Harvey
 Al Priebe
 Jim Starr

THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Julie Bowyer
 Jonathan Cary
 Chuck and Marley Cassels
 Steven Cortes
 Dan DeAngelo
 Scott and Jessica Hinves
 William Krompart
 Joshua Pillar
 Mike Sawall
 Tom Whissel



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Trinity tidings

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MINISTRY OF THE MONTH: DEACONS

Score Yourself on a Deacon Quiz!

Do you know who your Deacon is? Here they are, with their Parishes. (If you don't know which Parish you are in, you can call Jane or Bobbie to find out.)

Parish A - Betty Rolfe, Ruby Thornton

Parish B - Kay Forret, **Jane Love** (Co-Moderator)

Parish C - Kay McCormick, Carolyn Underwood

Parish D - Jan Wooldridge, LaMar MacNutt

Parish E - Mary Ellen Bader, Ted Maugel

Parish F - Carole and Jim Free

Parish G - Debbie Norman, **Bobbie Hoopes** (Co-Moderator)

Why does the church have Deacons?

Deacons and elders are mentioned in Philippians 1:1 and 1Timothy 3:8-12. Deacons were tasked with doing all the other things that mattered in the church, so that the Elders would be able to concentrate on prayer and the ministry of the Word (Acts 6:1-4).

What do Deacons do? They keep in touch with all their parish members, alerting them about activities and making special efforts to aid

those who are in distress, have lost loved ones, are ill or lonely, or reside in long-term care facilities. Deacons are the link to Trinity for many people, sharing God's love by caring.

Do you know how Deacons are chosen?

Trinity's Nominating Committee puts together a slate of members who exhibit traits of sympathy, compassion, and love, and if those people agree to serve, the congregation elects them for a 3-year term. They are set apart in a special service of prayer and the laying on of hands.

To whom are Deacons responsible? The Deacons are under the authority of the Session.

How do people in long term care facilities and others who are "homebound" receive Communion? Deacons and Elders take the communion elements to those people after the Communion Service at Trinity, as a way of including them in the congregation and in the circle of God's love, through Christ.

No matter what your score is, you are welcome to visit a Deacons meeting and learn first-hand what a wonderful group of servants we aspire to be.