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Happy Father's Day!

Trinity United Methodist Church 407 Duquesne Avenue Trafford, PA 15085

Summer hours begin June 1

Summer Worship Sunday Worship Service: 10:00 AM

Healing Service: second Sunday of the month following the worship service

"Our hearts, our minds and our doors are always open"

Gift Card Orders

Gift card (scrip) orders will be processed on June 8 and 22. Please use the order forms located in the church vestibule. Give completed forms and payment to Linda Yocum or Jane Pogue.

June Schedules

GREETERS

1st Les and Donna Race

8th Thelma and Jim Johnson

15th Roberta Cuttler

22nd Jan and Ernie Keefer

29th Joan Hartley

ALTAR FLOWERS

Please use the envelopes in the vestibule when paying for your flowers (\$20 for the two vase arrangements and \$15 for the table arrangement).

1st Jeanne and John Ruccio

8th Cliff and Evie Felmlee

15th Cindy and John Graw

22nd Joan Hartley and Ora Mae Lovre

29th Julie and George Silowash

NURSERY

Contact Danielle at 412-965-9936 if you cannot make it on your scheduled Sunday.

1st No nursery

8th Jane Pogue and Donna Race

15th Danielle Mallik and a volunteer

22nd Ruth Knopf and a volunteer

29th No nursery

Trinity Tempo

June 2014

www.tumctrafford.org tumc407@verizon.net 412.373.0835

SonTeasule Island

Don't miss it! SonTreasure Island VBS

creates a fun and exciting island atmosphere where children will have a great time singing, creating crafts and playing games. Through these activities they'll discover the most important treasure: God's amazing love.

This Vacation Bible School is a wonderful opportunity for children to spend one day discovering that God's love for them is kind, caring and forever. One day to hear the exciting and amazing Good News! One day being encouraged, laughing, singing, being creative and having fun. One day of following Jesus and planting the seeds of faith. It's a great way to spend one day!

Vacation Bible School is open to children ages 4-12 and will be held Saturday, June 28 from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. A registration form is included in this issue. Obtain additional forms through the church office (412.373.0835) or via the church website at www.tumctrafford.org. Registration deadline is Friday, June 13.

Father's Day Tomato Plants

It is tradition to give out tomato plants to all males in church on Father's Day, June 15. Please come and let us honor you, too, for all you give to your families. The plants are presented by Jane Pogue in memory of her father, Bob Pogue.

Parsonage Open House

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11 FROM 5-7 PM (by Kris Peters)

If you would like to see the parsonage "up close and personal," the trustees invite you to stop in for an informal tour, to see the improvements that have been made, and to answer any questions about the parsonage. We realize that many of you have not seen the inside of the building years, and we are extending this invitation.

you have not seen the inside of the building for many years, and we are extending this invitation to you prior to the new pastor and his family moving in. Please stop by so you can see the results of all your labor and generous donations.

Food Drive

(by Linda Yocum)

Summer's on its way and everybody enjoys a cool treat on a hot, sunny, summer day. We are providing just that for the Trafford-Level Green food

bank in the form of pudding.



Through June 15, we will be collecting boxes of instant pudding (your choice of flavors). Please place your donated items in the box located in the vestibule. Our goal is 90 boxes. As always the contribution of any non-perishable item is appreciated and will be delivered to the food bank.

Please pray for...

Jim Aubele • Natalie Aubele and Paeoni • Patty Aubele • Lois Brown (Denise Camp's mother) • Dorothy Caruso and • caregivers • Fred Cuttler • Beecher Dale • Pam Derby (daughter of Joan

and Bill Vowler) • Ruth Diffenderfer (friend of Jane Pogue) • Brandon Dulemba • Sue Fanty • Carol an d David Grubb • Joan Gruber (friend of Jane Pogue) • Margaret Kadylak (friend of Kay Meadowcroft) • Matt Knopf • Jo Ann Kubit (Danielle Mallik's mother) • Mark L (co-worker of Gary Peters) • Holly Marto (friend of Donna Race) • Dora Morgan (friend of Kay Dale) • Tiz Pioth • Donna Piper • Vicki Stokes • Nancy Swick • Cynthia VanRyn • David Walter (Peg Whitfield's older son) • Bud Weyant (brother-in-law of Lloyd and Marjorie Myers) • Peg Whitfield • Peggy Whitfield • Todd Williams (brother of Rev. Williams) • Florence Loretta Yobst (Danielle Mallik's grandmother)



Helping Hands

(by Roberta Cuttler)

Our May 13th meeting was held in the social room with our program presented by Joan Hartley.

Birthdays for April, May, June, July and August were celebrated.

Hostesses were Joan Vowler, Roberta Cuttler and Donna Piper. Many things were discussed and taken care of.

We will have no meetings during the summer months. We will resume on September 9th when we will be "Out to Lunch." See you then.

Peace with Justice Sunday

Too often we are reminded of how quickly our lives can be shaken by violence, and how easily feelings of anger or injustice turn into violence.

God calls us to witness for a just and secure world. He call us to seek peaceful solutions. Peace with Justice Sunday will be held on Sunday, June 15. Your gifts support ministries in the United States and around the world that encourage just and peaceful efforts.

Trustees News

(by Kris Peters)

A work party has been scheduled for the parsonage on Saturday, June 7 at 8:00 AM, rain or shine. We will be installing a new patio door and the rest of the ceiling fans and light fixtures. Painting and gathering fence information is happening now.

Thanks to Bob Lovre for grass cutting at the church. Thanks to Bob Casper and Larry Mallik for hanging lights at the parsonage. Thanks to Nicole Conrad Vinsek for drylocking the parsonage basement; for hauling and carrying lots of stuff; for removing drapes and hanging drapes and whatever else I asked her to do. And a special thank you to Reverends Jerry and Darlene for moving out so early so we have time to make these changes and for leaving the parsonage in such good condition.

Finally, the trustees will be placing a "things that need fixed" box in the vestibule soon. As always, bring emergencies to our attention immediately. We ask that you write down all other items and place the repair request in the box. This will allow the trustees to focus on worship on Sunday mornings and ensures you, the congregation, have a way to communicate issues that require attention.

To report a repair need or problem during the week, contact the church office at 412.373.0835. To report an emergency call Kris (724.493.8297) or Larry (412.979.4187 after 4:00 PM). Thank you for cooperating with the new process.

Subway Gift Cards

Helping Hands is selling Subway gift cards. On the back of each card are 12 peelaway coupons you use when



purchasing sandwiches at a local Subway shop (see front of card for locations).

Coupons

- \$2.99 12" footlong sub (2)
- \$1.99 6" regular sub (3)
- BOGO 12" footlong sub (3)
- BOGO 6" regular sub (3)
- \$10 off 6' giant party sub (1)

Dear Friends,

I write this last pastor's letter with mixed feelings. On the one hand, I look forward to retirement and whatever the future may hold ... since I, after all, am well aware of who holds yours and my tomorrows. But on the other hand, I know that I will miss you all like crazy! As such, I hope to hear that you are doing well and that you are in good health both personally and as the Body of Christ.

No one could have asked for a greater Church to serve! I have been blessed by you in far too many ways as to begin to number them! You have supported me through health crises and been there for me in every bit the way in which I hope I have been there for you! If not, I ask your forgiveness and understanding!

Soon I will ride into the proverbial sunset! My regrets are few, but my memories are numerous and great. I will not be far away, in Greenock. I will hear of how you do – even though I will technically be in a different district (Washington again), but know this: I will do nothing to interfere with your new pastor, Justin Judy. I have met the young man and am certain that I leave both you, and he, in good hands. I trust that you will show him and his family the same support and love that you have shown to me and to my family. I know that you will, and for that I am very grateful!

Justin will make mistakes, just as I did, since we are both merely human servants of our great and gracious Lord and Savior! Please don't be quick to point them out, for you may well discover it to be a "GOD THING!" Please reserve criticism for your prayers — not gossip! Speak honestly in tender kindness ... and God may teach YOU something really amazing! Support him with your prayers. Be there as one of his greatest supporters as a fellow-servant of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Variety is the spice of life! Justin brings different gifts and strengths than I did, but the same Holy Spirit bestows those gifts upon him, upon me and upon each of you! Use your gift-mix to supplement Justin's and Stephanie's gifts – and their sons. The Church will be the better for it! Thanks be to God! Things will be different. Amen! Bring it on, Lord! You rule! Rule and reign in each of us!

Once again, I wish you all God's best! Thanks for allowing me to be a part of your lives for this past 22 years. How time has flown. Like Paul I would add, "God forbid that I should sin by neglecting to pray for you." God bless you in this new adventure in Christ Jesus! Amen.

Your fellow-servant in Christ Jesus,

Jerry

Vendor Fair

(by Danielle Mallik)

Hello! I am excited to announce that TUMC is holding its first Annual Craft and Vendor Show! The show will be on Saturday, October 4 from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM in the social hall.

I would like to extend this opportunity to the Church family first. If you are a direct sales vendor or a crafter and want to participate, please contact me for an application. (I will be participating for Pink Zebra.) The tables are \$35 and I would need a response from you by June 30. After June 30 I will extend it to other local vendors and crafters.

We can only set up 17 tables so space is limited!

Closer to the event I will be asking for help in the kitchen and for baked goods so we can serve lunch and have a bake sale. Please keep this in mind if you would be interested in helping! I really need everyone's help to make this successful. In the upcoming months I will be passing out flyers and advertising, but our Church Family is what is really going to make this event work!

I hope that this fundraiser is successful so we can continue it for the church in the future.

Thank you,

Danielle Mallik zebramallik@gmail.com 412-965-9936

Reminders



STEWARDSHIP

Please remember to close all windows that you opened during

your meeting or event. Remember to turn off the lights and lock the doors as you leave.

TEMPO DEADLINE

Articles for the July issue are due on Friday, June 20. Please a) leave them in the Tempo bin in the vestibule, b) turn them in to the church office or c) email articles to tumc407@verizon.net.

Thank You

Thank you to each and every one who helped with our Strawberry Festival. As always, your dedication to Trafford Trinity is fantastic. — Jane Pogue

Many thanks to everyone who helped with the garage sale this year. We would not have been able to have such a successful sale without you.

— Greg and Ernie Keefer

June Birthdays

2nd Nick Mallik

3rd Josh Ruccio, Nate Ruccio 💿

4th Bruce Kociela, Jim Johnson, Sr.

Michael Cromer 7th JoAnn Booher

8th Kevin Beam

9th Ruth Knopf, James Johnston,

Tim Johnson

15th Fred Cuttler

16th Crystal Loutsenhizer

17th Jerry Breakey

19th John Scott, Jr.

20th Sandy Chiappetta, Pam Sethman, Amelia Scott

22nd Jerry Williams

24th Stephanie Jones, Heather Conlogue

27th Ed Aubele, Sue Fanty

30th Judy Mason

June Anniversaries

1st Renee & Bruce Kociela

17th Sandy & Bob Chiappetta

18th Lori & Steve Dorko

21st Vicki & Jay Stokes

24th Megan & Kevin Beam

27th Julie & George Silowash





June Calendar

| Sun | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thur | Fri | Sat |
|--|-----|---|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| 1 10:00 AM Worship/Communion | | 3 10:00 AM Crafts | 4 | 5 7:15 PM Choir (tentative) | 6 | 7 8:00 AM Parsonage Work Day |
| 8 10:00 AM Worship/Healing Service Pentecost | 9 | 10 10:00 AM Crafts | 5-7 PM Parsonage Open House | 7:15 PM Choir (tentative) | 13 12:30 PM Friendship Class Lunch | Sunday School/ Missions Shepherd Spring Trip |
| 15 10:00 AM Worship Sunday School/Missions Shepherd Spring Trip Father's Day Peace with Justice Sunday | 16 | 17 10:00 AM Crafts 7:30 PM Ad-Council Meeting | 18 | 7:15 PM Choir (tentative) | 20 Tempo Deadline | 21 |
| 10:00 AM Worship 12:15 PM Rev. Williams Retirement Luncheon (RSVP by June 13) | 23 | 24 10:00 AM Crafts | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM Vacation Bible School |
| 29 10:00 AM Worship | 30 | | | | | |