

## Meetings and Events

### October 23-29

Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11 a.m.	Worship
Monday	6-7:30 p.m.	Brownie Troop (Social Rm)
	7 p.m.	Planning Meeting Follow-up
Tuesday	10 a.m.	Crafts
	7:15 p.m.	Immersion Bible Study
Wednesday	7:15 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
Thursday	7:15 p.m.	Choir
Friday	6-10 p.m.	Crafts Night

### Oct 30-Nov 5

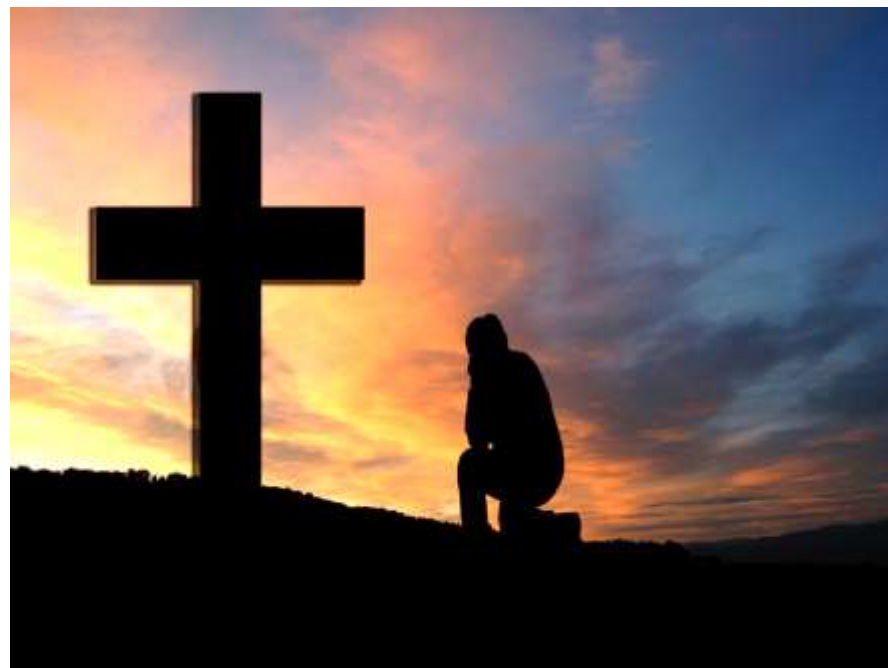
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11 a.m.	Worship
	12 p.m.	Fall Festival (Social Rm)
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Tuesday	10 a.m.	Crafts
	7:15 p.m.	Immersion Bible Study
Wednesday	7:15 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
Thursday	7:15 p.m.	Choir
Friday	9 a.m.	Wash Dishes
	6-10 p.m.	Crafts Night

## Announcements

**Sarris Candy Fundraiser** – Order forms for this annual program are available at the information center. Turn orders in to Jan Keefer or the church office by tomorrow.

**Altar Flower Calendar** – The 2017 month-by-month calendar is in the binder in the vestibule. Prices remain the same for 2017 (\$20 for the two altar vases and \$15 for the table arrangement).

**Fall Festival** – Stay after the service next Sunday for fun, food and fellowship. A covered dish sign-up sheet is in the vestibule.



## Trinity United Methodist Church

407 Duquesne Avenue, Trafford PA 15085 ♦ [tumctrafford.org](http://tumctrafford.org)

Sunday, October 23, 2016

Prayer Focus – 2016 Election

Pastor – Justin Judy

Greeters – John and Jeanne Ruccio

Liturgist – Jane Pogue

Nursery – Christie Armao and Renee Kociela

Altar Flowers – The flowers on the altar are presented by Bill and Love Ruffner in memory of Mary Ruffner.

Theme – In Luke, Jesus chastises those who build themselves up, even as he offers forgiveness to those who humble themselves before God. God never abandons us, especially in the worst of times. This is good news indeed.

## Welcome/Announcements

Preparation for Worship  
(Meditate; pray silently)

Prelude            *Go, Tell It on the Mountain*

## Call to Worship

L: Rejoice in the Lord and be glad.

**P: God is our hope and our salvation.**

♦ Hymn #140    *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

♦ Prayer

Anthem            *Just As I Am*                      arr. Arnold Sherman

## Joys, Concerns, and Prayers

#895 The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

## Giving God our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory            *Give of Your Best to the Master*

♦ Doxology/Offering God our Praise

#95 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

♦ Prayer of Dedication of our Offerings

♦ Ritual of Fellowship

(Offer one another signs of Christ's peace and God's love)

♦ Hymn #261    *Lord of the Dance*

## Children's Sermon

Scripture            Luke 18:9-14

Message            **Opening the Door**

♦ Hymn #57      *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

(You are invited to the altar for prayer, anointing, and/or to publicly surrender your life to Christ Jesus)

♦ Benediction

♦ Chorus #672    *God Be with You till We Meet Again*

God be with you till we meet again; by his counsels guide, uphold you, with his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude            *God Is Here Right Now*

♦ *Rise in body or in spirit*

## Announcements (cont'd)

**Canned Corn** – Trinity is once again collecting canned corn (no creamed corn) for the Community Thanksgiving Dinner to be held November 22 at the Harrison Room, Harrison City. Place your donations in the box located in the vestibule.

**Gift Baskets** – Trinity is collecting money to put together one or two gift baskets for the 2016 Crop Walk silent auction (a crafter's basket and a children's books basket). These baskets will be auctioned off Wednesday, November 9 at Community UMC (Route 130). Part of the proceeds benefit the Trafford/Level Green food bank and the St. Barbara's Food Pantry. Flyers are available for direct sales vendors who are interested in assembling and donating their own baskets for the event.

**Food Drive** – You donated 99 cans of soup for the Trafford/Level Green Christian food bank. Thank you!

**Election Day Dinner Prep** – We will be washing dishes for the dinner starting at 9 a.m. on Friday, November 4.

**Upcoming Event** – Election Day Dinner: Tues., November 8.



**Roof Fund** – Help build the church roof fund. Drop your pennies in the piggy bank(s) at the back of the sanctuary.

**Christmas Cantata** – Practice starts soon for the annual Christmas cantata. This year the choir will perform, *Joy* composed and arranged by Joel Raney. If you would like to participate in the cantata, see Linda Yocum.

**Gift Card Program** – Today is an order day for this ongoing fundraiser. Give your orders to Linda Yocum or Jane Pogue (forms available at the information center).

**Subway Cards** – Helping Hands still has coupon cards for Subway restaurants. The cost is \$10 for a card valued at \$50.

**Enjoy Books** – The Friendship Class is selling this coupon book for \$30. A sample book is available in the library.

## Remember in Prayer

Patty Aubele; Emma Chichilla; Fred and Roberta Cuttler; Beecher and Kay Dale; Betty Earl; Carol and David Grubb; Judy Huber (friend of Ruth Knopf); Jan Keefer; Mary Jean Kowalski; Paul Madaras (Mary Ann Casper's brother); Gary and Kris Peters; Blanch Seiple (Peggy Whitfield's aunt); Joyce Stude Rogers and her sister Carol Jean; Peggy Whitfield; Kayla (friend of Peggy Whitfield)

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(Call in advance for pastor's availability.)	