

Meetings and Events

Sept 25 - Oct 1

Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11 a.m.	Worship
Tuesday	10 a.m.	Crafts
	7:15 p.m.	Immersion Bible Study
Wednesday	7 p.m.	Planning Meeting Follow-up
Thursday	7:15 p.m.	Choir

October 2-8

Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11 a.m.	Worship/Communion
	6:30 p.m.	Blessing of the Pets
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

Announcements

Blessing of the Pets – Bring your pets and join Pastor Justin for a blessing service next Sunday evening in front of the church.

World Communion Sunday – Next Sunday, we commune with Christians around the world and consider how we may serve God in life-changing ministry. Your gifts next week provide scholarships for students around the world—students who will affect change tomorrow.

Food Drive – For the next few weeks we will be collecting cans of soup for the Trafford/Level Green food bank. A collection box is in the vestibule. Drop off donated items by October 16.

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 October 24.



Trinity United Methodist Church

407 Duquesne Avenue, Trafford PA 15085 ♦ tumctrafford.org

Sunday, September 25, 2016

Prayer Focus – Recent protests

Pastor – Justin Judy

Greeters – Roger and Marlene VanRyn

Liturgist – Beverly Piper

Nursery – Sandy Chiappetta and Lynn Antoon

Altar Flowers – The flowers on the altar are presented Ed Kerr in honor of his birthday. The flowers on the keyboard are presented by Jim and Thelma Johnson in memory of Sue Fanty.

Theme – God told Jeremiah to make a foolish investment that would be a sign of hope for tomorrow. Today's scripture calls us to trust in God rather than in wealth and our own efforts for God is the One who protects and sustains us, and who provides all that we need.

Welcome/Announcements

Preparation for Worship

(Meditate; pray silently)

Prelude *And Can It Be that I Should Gain*

Call to Worship

L: God is our refuge and stronghold.

P: We will place our trust in God.

L: God's faithful love protects us.

P: We will not be afraid.

L: When times are troubling,

P: God will be with us.

L: When we cry out,

P: God will answer us.

♦ Hymn #405 *Seek Ye First*

♦ Prayer

Anthem *Everlasting God* arr. Lloyd Larson

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 *Bless His Holy Name*

♦ 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 #99 *My Tribute*

Children's Sermon

Scripture Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15

Message **Hope Shared**

♦ Hymn #354 *I Surrender All*

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

♦ Benediction

♦ *Bind Us Together*

Bob Gillman

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Bind us together, Lord, Bind us together with cords that cannot be broken. Bind us together, Lord, Bind us together, bind us together with love.

Postlude *Blessed Redeemer*

♦ *Rise in body or in spirit*

Announcements (cont'd)

Our Daily Bread – The large-print issue of this devotional (October-November-December) is available at the information center. Pick up your copy today! Envelopes for free-will donations are also located at the information center.

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.

Greensburg District UMW Meeting – Saturday, October 8 at Derry First UMC. Topic—Resorting His Image: Healing Brokenness. See the flying in the vestibule for details.

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**; Diane Kerrigan; Mary Jean Kowalski; Margie Little; Paul Madaras (Mary Ann Casper's brother); Lloyd Myers; Gary and Kris Peters; Blanch Seiple (Peggy Whitfield's aunt); Joyce Stude Rogers and her sister Carol Jean; Helen Swick (Jean Swick's sister-in-law); Peggy Whitfield; Kayla (friend of Peggy Whitfield)

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