

Meetings and Events

January 15-21

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

January 22-28

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Hats, Gloves & More – We are collecting new hats, gloves, scarves and mittens for the Clothing Closet in Pitcairn which provides clothing for local needy individuals and families. Place your items on the giving tree by the library.

Financial Statements – Statements for 2016 are available in the vestibule. Pick up your statement today. If you have any questions about the information contained in the document, contact Jane Pogue.

Human Relations Day – Today is the first of six Sundays when we take a special offering for the United Methodist Church. On Human Relations Day your gifts support community outreach programs and empower youth-at-risk.



Trinity United Methodist Church

407 Duquesne Avenue, Trafford PA 15085 ♦ tumctrafford.org

Sunday, January 15, 2017

Prayer Focus – For our new president

Pastor – Justin Judy

Greeters – SOS Class

Liturgist – Bob Lovre

Nursery – Jane Pogue and Christie Armao

Altar Flowers – The flowers on the altar are presented in honor and in memory of past leaders of Trinity UMC.

Theme – Life and faith are so often lived in between moments of waiting. God acts, Jesus is born, and the royal visit, and again (or still?) we wait, look forward, anticipate. Active, creative, communal—even mystical—waiting. And when the wait is finally over, they invite us to testify and act.

Welcome/Announcements

Preparation for Worship

(Meditate; pray silently)

Prelude *Abide with Me*

Call to Worship

L: Happy are those who trust God.

P: God's deeds are many and great.

L: Happy are those who wait patiently for God.

P: For God hears our pleas.

L: God is steadfast and faithful.

P: Let us worship the one for whom we wait.

♦ Hymn #89 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

♦ Prayer

Anthem *Lord, Listen to Your Children*

arr Jack Schrader

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 *Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed*

♦ 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 #154 *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Children's Sermon

Scripture Nehemiah 1:1-6; 2:1-5

Message **God, Nehemiah, Us, Prayer and Fasting**
(Beverly Piper, guest speaker)

♦ Hymn #206 *I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light*
(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
CCLI#1228, ©Kingsway's Thank You Music
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 *All Creatures of Our God and King*

♦ *Rise in body or in spirit*

Announcements

Benefit Auction – The Trafford Recreation Board is collecting items for the 27th annual benefit auction to be held Saturday, February 25 at the Trafford Middle School. Preview begins at 8 a.m. Call Nick Petrucci at 412.372.1680 for questions or pick up of donations.

Tempo Deadline – Articles for the February issue of the newsletter are due in the church office this Wednesday by 5 p.m.

Prayer Board – The board is set up in vestibule on the large bulletin board. If you have a prayer need, post it on the board using the slips of paper beneath it. If you want to prayer for a posting, unpin the slip of paper and take it with you.

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). Many dates are still available for 2017 (see list below). Take a moment and see if there is a loved one you would like to honor or remember with flowers on one of these Sundays.

January 15 and 29

February 12 and 26

March 5, 12 and 26

April 2 and 30

May 7

June 18 and 25

July 2, 9 and 23

September 3 and 10

October 29

November 12 and 26

December 3, 10, 24 and 31

Immersion Bible Study – The series resumes Tuesday, February 7 with *Ezra*, *Nehemiah*, *Esther*. A sign-up sheet is in the vestibule. Study books are available now through the church office.

Gift Card Program – Today is an order day. Give your orders to Linda Yocum (forms available at the information center).

Subway Cards – Helping Hands still have these coupon cards available to purchase, \$10 per card. See Joan Vowler for details.



Roof Fund – Don't forget to "feed the pig!"

Remember in Prayer

Patty Aubele; Emma Chichilla; Beecher and Kay Dale; Betty Earl; Carol and David Grubb; Judy Huber (friend of Matt Knopf); Jan Keefer; **William Keselich family (Rob Kalanja's grandfather)**; Paul Madaras (Mary Ann Casper's brother); Judy Mason; Lloyd Myers; Julie Pampenna (daughter of Jan Bodnar, coworker of Linda Yocum); Gary Peters; Kris Peters; Joyce Rogers and her sister Carol Jean; Blanch Seiple (Peggy Whitfield's aunt); Dian Setz (coworker of Linda Yocum); Peggy Whitfield; Kayla (friend of Peggy Whitfield)

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