

Meetings and Events

May 21-27

Sunday	9:45 a.m. 11 a.m.	Sunday School Worship
Monday	6-7:30 p.m.	Brownie Troop (Social Rm)
Tuesday	7:15 p.m.	Immersion Bible Study: Job
Friday	6 p.m.	Crafts Night

May 28-June 3

Sunday	9:45 a.m. 11 a.m.	Sunday School Worship
Monday		<i>Office Closed</i>
Tuesday	7:15 p.m.	Immersion Bible Study: Job
Friday	6 p.m.	Crafts Night

Announcements

Your Anthem, Your Vote – Today is the final day to vote for the May 28 anthem. Cast your vote by placing a monetary donation for the anthem of your choice in the appropriate box (on rear windowsill in sanctuary). Money collected will go toward the church's campership fund.

Prayer Partners – The sign-up sheet is in the vestibule for June-July-August. Sign up by May 28.

Our Daily Bread – Copies of the June-July-August issue of this free devotional are available at the information center. Pick up your copy today!

Strawberry Festival – It's almost here! Our annual event takes place Friday, June 9 from 4:30 – 7 p.m. Purchase tickets from a member of Ad-Council or at the door. Jane Pogue will need volunteers to prep strawberries the day before and to serve food the day of the event. A sign-up sheet will be in the vestibule next Sunday.



Trinity United Methodist Church

407 Duquesne Avenue, Trafford PA 15085 ♦ tumctrafford.org

Sunday, May 21, 2017

Prayer Focus – The Dividers

Pastor – Justin Judy

Greeter – Matt Knopf

Liturgist – Beverly Piper

Nursery – Sandy Chiappetta and Christie Armao

Altar Flowers – The flowers on the altar are presented by the Mallik family in memory of Patty McBeth. The flowers on the keyboard are presented by Cliff and Evelyn Felmlee in honor of their 14th wedding anniversary.

Theme – One of the most challenging aspects of Christianity is that it is an active belief system. God is not content in just what we believe, but also in what we do with that belief. How we live it; how we share the story of Jesus.

Welcome/Announcements

Preparation for Worship
(Meditate; pray silently)

Prelude *My Savior's Love*

Call to Worship

L: Sing joyful songs to God!

P: **Alleluia! We are Easter people!**

L: God's love for us lasts forever.

P: **Jesus makes us into friends.**

All: **Praise the Lord!**

♦ Hymn #496 *Sweet Hour of Prayer*

♦ Prayer

Anthem *Have a Little Talk with Jesus*

Cleavant Derricks

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 *My Tribute*

♦ 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 #710 *Faith of Our Fathers*

Children's Sermon

Scripture 1 Peter 3:13-22

Message **Rubber Meet Road**

♦ Hymn #378 *Amazing Grace*

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 *My Wonderful Lord*

♦ *Rise in body or in spirit*

Announcements (cont'd)

Shoe Drive – All God's Children Ministries is partnering with The Erie United Methodist Alliance to collect shoes. Bring in new or gently used pairs of shoes and place them in the box in the vestibule. Pastor Justin will take them to Annual Conference this year. The deadline for dropping off shoes is Monday, June 5. Each 25-pair bag of shoes collected raises \$10 for outreach service for the disabled or homeless.

Summer Sermon Series – What topic or scripture would you like Pastor Justin to preach about this summer? The suggestion box is in the vestibule (under the stained glass window). Submit your suggestions today!

Gift Card Program – Today is an order day. Give your orders to Linda Yocum (forms available at the information center). Proceeds for March-May go toward Trinity's Connectional Apportionment payments.



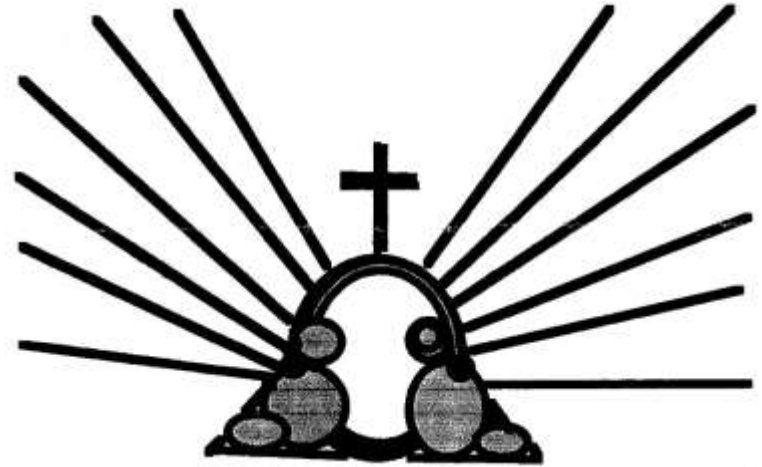
Feed the pig! – Donations go to the church roof fund.

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

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(Call in advance for pastor's availability)

A Slice of Church History (photo on front cover)



This addition to the sanctuary was designed by architect Bud Parkins. Its purpose was to conceal the speakers for the organ purchased in 1947. To paraphrase Mr. Parkins, the radiant arms represent the temple curtain split from top to bottom at the moment of Christ's death. The cross is the Light of the World—Jesus. The circle is the world. The two figures at the base represent the people of the world kneeling before Christ.

Remember in Prayer

Patty Aubele; Rev. Ken Bossart and Paula Bossart (students of Kris Peters); Sharren Breakey; Renee Cappetta; Beecher and Kay Dale; Beverly Frank (friend of Beverly Piper); Carol and David Grubb; Lena Jones (Angela Knopf's grandmother); Jan Keefer; Paul Madaras (Mary Ann Casper's brother); Kris Peters; Joyce Rogers and her sister Carol Jean; Blanch Seiple (Peggy Whitfield's aunt); Ken Simmons (Vicki Stokes' brother); Jay and Vicki Stokes; Bob and Patty Vaughn (friends of Donna Race); Laurie Weisberg (friend of Shirley Pogue Fisher); Peggy Whitfield