

## Meetings and Events

### Jan. 28-Feb. 3

Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11 a.m.	Worship/Installation of Leaders
Wednesday	7:15 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
Thursday	7:15 p.m.	Choir
Friday	6 p.m.	Crafts Night

### February 4-10

Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11 a.m.	Worship/Holy Communion
Monday	5 p.m.	Men's Woodworking Group
Wednesday	7:15 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
	7:15 p.m.	Immersion Bible Study
Thursday	7:15 p.m.	Choir
Friday	6 p.m.	Crafts Night

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## Announcements

**Children's Bulletins** – The content and activities of this bulletin are geared toward children ages 3-6. Children of all ages are welcome to take one of the bulletins.

**Financial Statements** – 2017 year-end contribution statements are in the vestibule. See Jane Pogue if you have any questions about the information recorded.

**Audits** – Trinity will hold its annual finance and membership audits on Saturday, February 10 starting at 9 a.m. A sign-up sheet is in the vestibule for those willing to help. You don't need a financial background to help with the audit, just sharp eyes. We'll provide the sharp pencils!



## Trinity United Methodist Church

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

January 28, 2018

Pastor – Justin Judy

Greeters – Jerry and Sharren Breakey

Liturgist – Stephanie Judy

Nursery – Stephanie Judy and Cindy Graw

Altar Flowers – The flowers on the altar are presented by Susan Gibson and Sandy Yamamoto in memory of Chuck and Ouina Johnston.

Prayer Focus – Faith and knowledge of Jesus grows

**Theme** – In today’s reading, the mighty acts of God are interwoven with the promise to teach God’s people the ways of life. With awe and wonder, these texts proclaim that God is mighty and worthy to be praised.

### Welcome/Announcements

### Preparation for Worship

(Meditate; pray silently)

**Prelude**            *All the Way My Savior Leads*

### Call to Worship

L: Come and sit at the feet of our teacher.

**P: Christ reveals the ways of God.**

L: Come and see that God’s kingdom has drawn near.

**P: God sets the captives free.**

L: Come and praise our source of courage and strength.

**P: The spirit leads us in wisdom and truth.**

♦ Hymn #405      *Seek Ye First*

### ♦ Prayer

**Anthem**            *The Potter’s Hand*                      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**            *Alleluia*

### ♦ 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 #530      *Are Ye Able*

### Children’s Sermon

**Scripture**            1 Corinthians 8:1-13

**Message**            **Journeying**

### Installation of Leaders

♦ Hymn #593      *Here I Am Lord*

### ♦ 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**            *Almost Persuaded*

♦ *Rise in body or in spirit*

# Installation of Leaders

## **Pastor:**

We are reminded in the Scriptures that we are a people with various gifts and abilities who are called to a multitude of different tasks in God's Kingdom. This body has set forth and called out persons from our number to help guide us as leaders of this Church in this new year of 2018. We are trusting that God will guide each in the service to which she or he has been called, anointing each with the power of the Holy Spirit. Thus, empowered by God's Spirit, may each faithfully serve God and this Congregation with courage, humility, and with love for God and all God's people.

### To leaders...

You have been called forth to serve God and the people of this church. Will you do this to the best of your ability?

## **Leaders:**

We will, God being our helper.

## **Pastor:**

Jesus has said that leaders in the Kingdom of God are not to behave in the same manner as leaders in the secular world. Rather than lording it over others, Christian leaders are the servants of all (especially of God).

### To leaders...

Will you serve God and the people of this congregation in prayerful humility, ever listening for the voice of God and giving a kind ear to the suggestions of others?

## **Leaders:**

We will, God being our helper.

## **Pastor:**

Will this congregation both affirm these who have been elected to serve in positions of leadership in this

congregation and pledge to help them with your prayers, your time and your own gifts and abilities?

## **Congregation:**

We do hereby affirm these who have been called forth from our midst to serve in positions of leadership of our Church. As Aaron and Hur lifted the arms of Moses, so too do we pledge to lift these who serve us and our God.

## **Pastor:**

Will you, here in the sight of God and in the presence of other members of this Congregation pledge your continued support of this Church and all God's Kingdom?

## **All:**

We commit ourselves anew to the kingdom of God in general and the Trinity United Methodist Church of Trafford in particular. We reaffirm our commitment to uphold this Church and to thus serve God with our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness.

## **Pastor:**

Let us pray.

## **All:**

I am no longer my own, but Thine. Put me to what Thou wilt, rank me with whom Thou wilt; put me to doing, put me to suffering; let me be employed for Thee or laid aside for Thee, exalted for Thee or brought low for Thee; let me be full, let me be empty; let me have all things, let me have nothing; I freely yield all things to Thy pleasure and disposal. And now, O glorious and blessed God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Thou art mine and I am Thine. So be it. And the covenant which I have made on earth, let it be ratified in Heaven. Amen.

## Announcements (cont'd)

**Immersion Bible Study** – The group is taking a break this week. Study sessions will resume on Wednesday, February 7.

**Food Bank** – We will collect boxes of instant hot cocoa mix for the food bank. Drop off your donations in the box in the vestibule by Sunday, February 11.

**Sarris Candy** – Order forms for this Easter fundraiser are available at the information center. Orders are due by Monday, February 19.

**Hats, Gloves, Scarves and Mittens** – We're in the last week of this missions project. Place your donations on the giving tree located next to the library by next Sunday.

**Subway Cards** – Helping Hands still has these coupon cards available to purchase, \$10 per card. See Joan Vowler to make a purchase or for more details.

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

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

**Liturgists** – If you are a liturgist, provide the church office with your email address. Liturgists will receive an electronic copy of the bulletin the Friday afternoon before their scheduled Sunday. For those who do not have email, copies of the bulletin will be in the church vestibule on Friday afternoons after 5 p.m.

## Community Events

**Daffodil Days** – Level Green Presbyterian Church is participating in this American Cancer Society program. You may purchase daffodils for yourself, as a gift or as an anonymous donation to a nursing home or hospital patient. All orders must be placed by noon on Friday, February 2. See the flyer and order forms in the vestibule for details. Trinity will be taking orders for Easter flowers as usual later in February.

## Remember in Prayer

Patty Aubele; Ian Alvarez (Judy family's neighbor); JoAnn Booher; Donna Ruth Burkett (Bill and Joan Vowler's cousin); Renee Cappetta; Beecher and Kay Dale; Bryce Dulemba; Family of Betty Earl; Bill Ebner; Joan Hartley; Betty Henderson (Sandy Chiappetta's aunt); Ernie Keefer; Jan Keefer; Grace, daughter of Min and Yangmo Ku (friends of Julie Sippel-Silowash); Matt Lovre and family; Paul Madaras (Mary Ann Casper's brother); Dale McCune (Garlan McCune's brother); Kay Meadowcroft; Pangallo family; **Jane Pogue**, Tom Puckey; Blanch Seiple (Peggy Whitfield's aunt); Ken Simmons (Vicki Stokes' brother); Jay and Vicki Stokes; Mary Thornton; David Whitfield (Peggy Whitfield's brother); Peggy Whitfield; **Ralph Zyskowski**

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(Call in advance for pastor's availability)	

## Lay Leaders of Trinity UMC

Jim Bentley – Trustee  
Sandy Chiappetta – SPRC Chair  
Mary Ann Casper – Lay Leadership Committee  
Lori Dorko – Lay Leadership Committee, SPRC  
Evelyn Felmlee – Helping Hands for Trinity Acting President  
Joan Hartley – Helping Hands for Trinity President  
Jan Keefer – Council Member-at-Large, Lay Leadership Com  
Matt Knopf – SPRC  
Bob Lovre – Trustee  
Larry Mallik – Trustee  
Kris Peters – Trustees Chair  
Beverly Piper – Camping Coordinator, Lay Leader, Lay  
Member to Annual Conference, SPRC  
Donna Piper – Prayer Chain Coordinator  
Jane Pogue – Care Corp Chair, Financial Secretary, Nursery  
Coordinator, SPRC  
Donna Race – Nursery Coord, Purchasing Agent, Worship  
Chair  
Lester Race – Finance Committee Chair  
Jeanne Ruccio – Council Member-at-Large, SPRC  
George Silowash – Council Member-at-Large  
Noell Stultz – SPRC  
Roger VanRyn – Trustee  
Bill Vowler – Trustee  
Joan Vowler – Council Member-at-Large  
Linda Yocum – Church Treasurer, Missions Chair,  
Membership Secretary, Recording Secretary  
David Zimmerman – SPRC

SPRC = Staff/Parish Relations Committee