

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!** We hope you find Trinity a friendly congregation and will return to worship with us again.

**THE FLOWERS TODAY ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD** and in honor and celebration of Glennice Carney's 81<sup>st</sup> birthday on May 24<sup>th</sup>; and in honor of Ted and Pam Soto's 31<sup>st</sup> wedding anniversary.

**NEWSLETTER DEADLINE TODAY** Today is the deadline for the June issue of The Rider. Share what your ministry is doing, has done or will soon be doing! Updates, calendar items, photos and more can be left in the Church Secretary mailbox or emailed to [trinity@trinity-umc.com](mailto:trinity@trinity-umc.com).

**OFFICE CLOSURE** The church office will be closed tomorrow for Memorial Day.

**CHILDREN'S SUNDAY** Next Sunday is Children's Sunday, with play at the 11 am service, followed by picnic on the grounds. The Children's Ministry is providing BBQ sandwiches (and chicken nuggets for the kids and kids at heart) and the UMW is providing coleslaw for all. A-M should bring sides and N-Z should bring desserts. Volunteers are needed for set up and lunch prep.

**ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE** There will be a meeting for all interested in endowment committee or endowment giving this Tuesday, May 27 at 7 pm in Sojourners/Faith room. Please contact John Morris or Maurice Linkous for more info.

**PRAYER SHAWL** The Prayer Shawl group will meet this Tuesday at 6:30 pm.

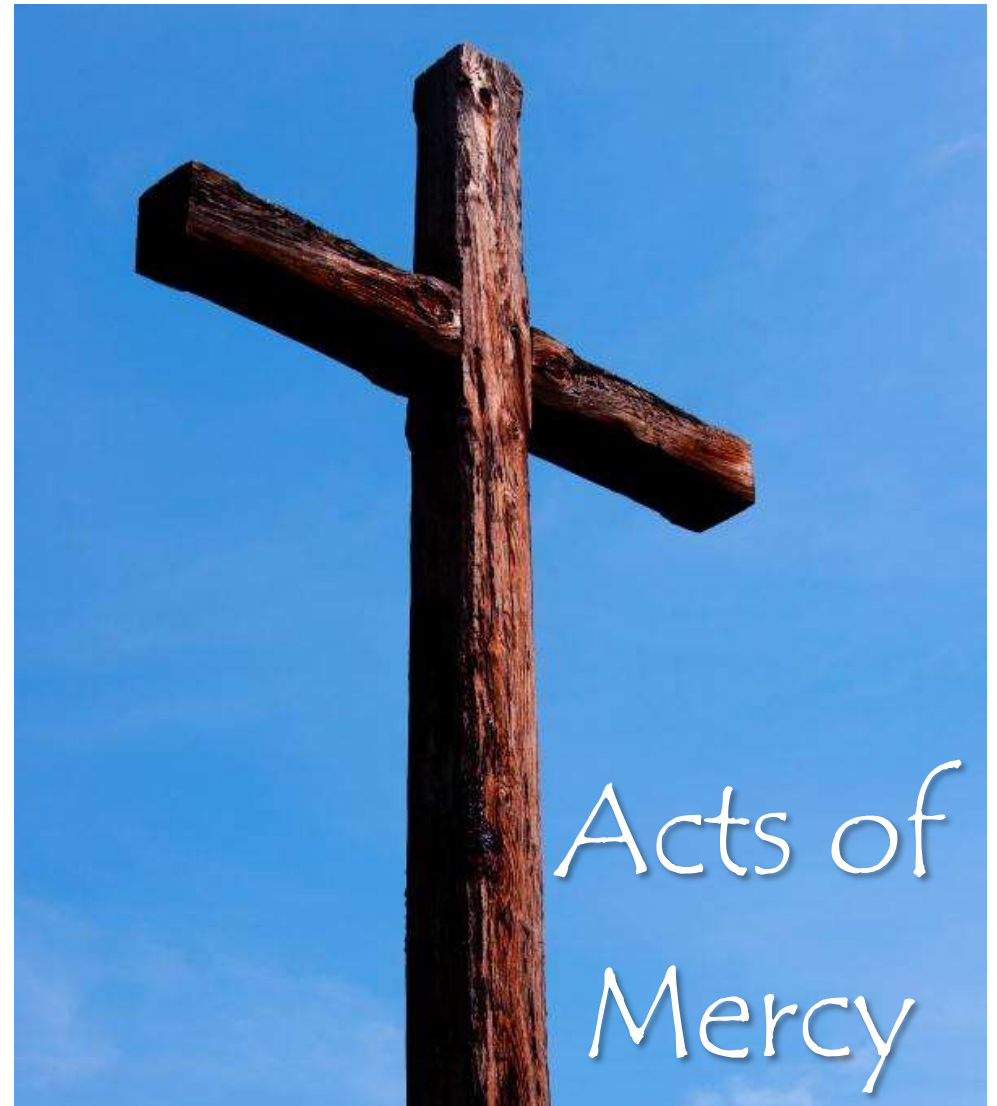
**MUSIC NOTES** Children's Choirs will have a special rehearsal from 5:45-7:30 pm Wednesday, and dress rehearsal Saturday at 9 am. There will be no handbell, Men's Chorus, or Chancel Choir rehearsals this week.

**SAFE HAVEN** Bertelle is seeking a partner for our mission at Safe Haven to plan and take the lead on alternating months. If you'd like to become more active with this mission, contact Bertelle Bunyard at [bertctrs@yahoo.com](mailto:bertctrs@yahoo.com).

**VBS** Vacation Bible School is right around the corner (June 22-27). Have you signed your children up yet? If not, the registration form is online ([Trinity-UMC.com/VBS](http://Trinity-UMC.com/VBS)) We're also still in need of some volunteers to help guide the children as well as help in the kitchen and someone who would like to do the Bible Story time.

**UMFS CLEAN UP FOR KIDS DAY JUNE 6<sup>TH</sup>** Contact Karen Poole at 677-6430 or [billandkaren@mindspring.com](mailto:billandkaren@mindspring.com) to join the group going to this annual volunteer event at the Richmond United Methodist Family Services.

**2014 DIRECTORY UPDATE** Please check your emails or the list coming around to update your family information for our 2014 Directory. If there is information you want to be included, we can add or change your directory listing.



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Church office hours: 9 am -12 pm, Monday through Friday

*We answer God's call to impact lives for eternity through ministry, mission, and worship*

# *Ascension of the Lord*

May 25, 2014

11:00 AM Traditional Worship

CHIMING OF THE HOUR / LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

PRELUDE "Battle Hymn of the Republic/Onward Christian Soldiers"  
arr. Mercer

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT "Rejoice, the Lord is King" arr. Wilson

HYMN "Pass It On" UMH 572

\*PASS THE PEACE Please greet your neighbor

JOYS

SCRIPTURE READING 1 Peter 2: 2-10

CHILDREN'S TIME

ANTHEM "Give Us a Song" Martin  
*Trinity Men's Chorus*

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY "America, the Beautiful/My Country 'Tis of Thee" arr. Mercer

\*DOXOLOGY

PRAYER CONCERNS

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

CALL TO PRAYER "Spirit of the Living God" Iverson

SILENT PRAYER/MORNING PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER Ecumenical

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever.  
Amen.**

HYMN "He Lives" UMH 310

SCRIPTURE READING John 14: 1-21

SERMON Rev. Keezel

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION "He Touched Me" UMH 367

\*BENEDICTION WITH CONGREGATION (Join hands as you are comfortable)

**May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever.  
Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor.  
Lift up your eyes and see his face, and his grace forever.  
May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever.**

\*POSTLUDE "God of Our Fathers"

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\* Please stand if you are able.

# Contemporary Service

Date • 8:30 am

Opening Song *I Love Your Grace*

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Passing the Peace

Praise Songs *Marvelous Light*  
*Your Grace is Enough*  
*Grace Flows Down*

Joys

Scripture Reading 1 Peter 2: 2-10

Children's Time

Prayer Concerns

Prayer of Confession

Prayer Song *More Precious*

Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever.  
Amen.**

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Sermon Rev. Keezel

Offertory *Take From Me My Life*

Benediction *Every Move I Make*

## THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

### Today

**SUNDAY**  
May 25

9:00 am Youth Sunday  
10:00 am Sunday School (all ages)  
4:00 pm Joint Worship Service  
4:00 pm Disciple III (Sojourners Room)  
4:00 pm Chimes

**MONDAY**  
May 26

7:00 pm **MEMORIAL DAY - OFFICE CLOSED**  
Boy Scouts (Scout/Faith Room)

**TUESDAY**  
May 27

6:30 pm Prayer Shawl  
7:00 pm Endowment Meeting (Sojourners & Faith rooms)  
7:00 pm Praise Team

**WEDNESDAY**  
May 28

10:00 am Ephesians Bible Study (3-5 room)  
5:45 pm Children's Choirs - Special Rehearsal  
7:00 pm Ephesians Bible Study (3-5 Grade room)

**THURSDAY**  
May 29

7:00 pm AA Meeting (Sojourners)  
7:00 pm Fun with Faith

**FRIDAY**  
May 30

**SATURDAY**  
May 31

9:00 am Children's Play Dress Rehearsal

## SERVANTS OF WORSHIP

### TODAY

Offering Tellers: Aubrey Tarkington & Dave Shaffer  
Nursery: *(volunteers needed)*

### NEXT WEEK

Offering Tellers: Flo Gray & Ted Soto  
Nursery: *(volunteers needed)*

### FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT:

|                       | <u>Last Week</u> | <u>Year to Date</u> |
|-----------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Budget                | 6,374            | 127,487             |
| Giving (General & SS) | <u>4,337</u>     | <u>129,324</u>      |
| Surplus (Deficit)     | (2,037)          | 1,837               |