### April 6 2025 8:30 am

Praise Songs Friend of God

Gratitude Call to Worship

Life in Community

Time with Kids! Closing A Banana

Prayer for the People

Giving Our Gifts

Songs of Grace Better Is One Day

Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)

The New Testament Acts 2: 42-47 NRSV

The Message The Things They Do

Invitation to the Table

**Prayer of Confession** 

Assurance of Pardon

The Great Thanksgiving

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The Lord's Prayer Ecumenical

Receiving The Bread and the Cup

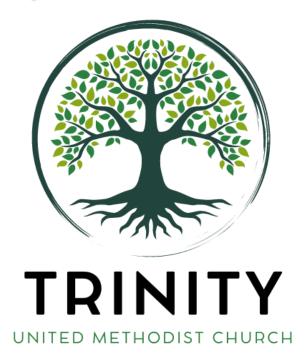
\*Sending Song Lord Reign in Me

\*Blessing

"Perhaps you were made for just such a time as this."

*Esther 4:14* 

# April 6th, 2025



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## April 6 2025 11:00 am

Prelude Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

\*Call to Worship

Come to this sanctuary, this house, this home, Holy Christ, And let us receive you with lavish welcome.

You are the Restorer of our fortunes, the Promise of new life –

We pour out our praise to you.

Fill this room with your Spirit:

The sound of wind, the warmth of flame, the scent of perfume; Fill our hearts with your compassion, not just in this time and place, But in all times and in all places, so that as we celebrate the great things you have done for us, we may also embody the love you give to all. Amen.

\*Hymns of Praise O, How I Love Jesus, 170

His Name is Wonderful, 174

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Offertory Let Us Break Bread Together

Praising God Doxology 95

\*Hymn of Grace Hymn of Promise, 707

The New Testament Acts 2: 42-47 NRSV

The Message The Things They Do

Choir Anthem Lenten Sanctus

Invitation to the Table

# **Prayer of Confession**

Like Judas, God of new things, we like to complain about your generous ways, rather than living in your grace. The poor are always with us, we believe, which justifies our ignoring them. In our memories, we focus on a perceived golden past, and so we ignore the new things you do in our midst. We are so enamored with our achievements that we are not willing to throw them away in order to follow Jesus. Forgive us, Restoring God, and help us to notice the kingdom springing forth in our midst. By your grace, may our fears turn to faith, our seeds of grief produce a bumper crop of joy, and our tears turn into torrents of tenderness as we journey with Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, to Jerusalem.

Assurance of Pardon

The Great Thanksgiving

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The Lord's Prayer Traditional

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 that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, The power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Breaking the Bread

Receiving the Bread and Cup

**Prayer After Communion** 

\*Sending Song I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me, 2153

\*Blessing

Postlude Marching to Zion

**The fruit today** is given to the Glory of God in Celebration of Kayla's 30<sup>th</sup> Birthday by her Grandmother, Lana Lefferts

This week at Trinity...

Acolyte

Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup> – Trinity Bells Practice 7:00 PM

Tuesday, April 8<sup>th</sup> – Praise Team Practice 7:00 PM

Wednesday, April 9<sup>th</sup> – Stretch Exercise group 10:00 AM

Wacky Wednesday 5:45-6:45 PM

Youth Bible Study 6:45-7:15 PM

Choir practice 7:00-8:15 PM

Saturday, April 12<sup>th</sup>- Spring Fling 2:00-5:00 PM

Servant Leaders this week, April 6th and 8th

Abigail (8:30), Flynn (11:00)

Counters Joan and Ted

Servant Leaders next week, April 13th and 15th

Acolyte Everly (8:30), Greyson (11:00)

Counters Tom and Barbara

#### **Precious Memories**

The Precious Memories group is going on a field trip to the Keystone Truck and Tractor Museum on April 17, 2025. We'll meet at TUMC at 10:00 am and carpool. All widows and widowers are welcome. Admission is \$15 for adults and \$14 for seniors. The museum showcases restored tractors, trucks, and vintage cars. After the tour, we'll have lunch at the Keystone Grill on site.

# HOLY WEEK & EASTER

### Palm Sunday - April 13

Services at 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

Holy Week begins with a joyful parade! Join us for singing, dancing, and shouting "Hosanna!" as we walk with Jesus into Jerusalem.

The King has come—but not all is as it seems.

### Maundy Thursday – April 17 at 7:00 PM

Location: Chester UMC, 12132 Percival Street, Chester

A special worship service presented by the United Methodist Churches of Chester. Worship will be in the round, with four stations of spiritual practice:

- Prayer & Anointing with Oil Erik Kleppinger (Bermuda Hundred UMC)
- Letting Go with Dissolving Paper Josh Wortham (Chester UMC)
- Eucharist Alan Layman (Trinity UMC)
- Handwashing Nathan Decker (Chester UMC)

Come ready to reflect, participate, and connect in a meaningful way.

### Good Friday - April 18 at 7:00 PM

Location: Trinity United Methodist Church

"The Witness" – A Powerful Lenten Musical

Experience the final hours of Jesus through the eyes of a witness. Written and directed by Rachel Allyn, with music from Dengler, Aspinall, Martin, Choplin, Stewart, and Hopson.

Presented by the Trinity UMC Music Department.

All are welcome for this moving night of worship and music.

### Easter Sunday — April 20

Sunrise Service – 7:00 AM on the lawn

Breakfast – Immediately following, hosted by the United Methodist Men

Easter Celebration — 11:00 AM in the sanctuary

Come celebrate the Risen Christ!