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To reach people for Christ where they are, with God's guidance and love, in the heart of the city.

A message from Pastor Shalimar Holderly

The night of Jesus' arrest, Jesus gave his disciples a new commandment. The commandment was both simple and profound: "I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another (John 13:34-35). Over and over again throughout his ministry, Jesus had emphasized love. Love God. Love your neighbor. Love your enemy. This is what marks us as true disciples of Jesus Christ—not church attendance, not moral superiority, not what we proclaim to believe with our lips or a particular ethical code we follow or a lifetime of good deeds or a specific interpretation of Biblical text, but our love for one another.

We're all familiar with Holy Communion—the symbolism of the bread and juice and the grace we receive through this sacred Sacrament as we recall Christ's life, death, resurrection, and promise to come again. This Sacrament was instituted by Christ at his last supper with the disciples when he lifted the bread and the cup and infused them with new meaning: "This is my body, broken for you." "This is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you." But as you read scripture you will notice that the Last Supper is not the only meal Jesus shared with his disciples. There are many instances in which Jesus eats with his disciples, both before and after his resurrection.

In 1727, Count Zinzendorf and the Moravians in Germany introduced a service that involved sharing food, prayer, religious conversation, and hymns. These services recalled the meals Jesus shared with his disciples during his ministry and expressed the sense of community and fellowship enjoyed by the family of Christ. John Wesley experienced this "Love Feast," as it was called, when he was ministering in Georgia and was very moved by the experience. He introduced the Love Feast to the Methodist societies upon his return to England. The practice took off and was carried back across the ocean where it became an important part of early American Methodism. Love Feasts were particularly popular on the American frontier because ordained clergy were few and far between. Anyone could host and lead a congregation in a Love Feast, but only ordained clergy could preside over a service of Holy Communion.

The central focus of a Love Feast is not the "feast" itself, but the sense of community that is built around the sharing of our lives as members of the body of Christ. Love Feasts are not full meals, but services that incorporate the sharing of

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simple food (usually bread and water) while preserving an atmosphere of worship that generally includes scripture readings, prayers, and personal testimonies.

On Sunday, April 19th, during the second half of our regular Sunday morning worship, I am going to lead us in a Love Feast. For this service I need volunteers to bake bread. I would love to use a wide variety of fresh baked bread for this service—and it can be any kind of bread: cinnamon rolls, banana bread, scones, biscuits, sourdough, dinner rolls, sweetbread, soft pretzels, naan—you get the idea. Please sign up on the information



table to let us know what kind of bread you will be making and bring the loaves to the church by noon on Saturday, April 18th so they can be cut into pieces and placed into baskets. During the second half of the service on April 19th, we will pass the baskets of bread around and enjoy this “Love Feast.” As we eat together, we will be invited to share with the congregation brief testimonies about how we have seen God at work in our lives: answered prayers, miracles, moments of grace, transformations of the heart, times when we have been held up and encouraged by our brothers and sisters in the faith, holy encounters with other people, etc.

It’s been more than 20 years since I last participated in a Love Feast and I’m excited to share this special time of fellowship with all of you as we break bread together and celebrate the many different ways God has been moving in our lives! Whether you choose to share it in worship or not, be thinking about your own testimony of how you’ve experienced God’s love and grace in your life, and consider whether God is calling you to contribute a loaf of bread to our Love Feast!

In Christ’s Service,
Pastor Shalimar

MISSION TRIP TO MIDWEST MISSION DISTRIBUTION CENTER

Sunday, July 19 – Wednesday, July 22

We’ve reserved space for 12 people to join us on a mission trip to Midwest Mission Distribution Center in Pawnee, Illinois in July! We will depart on Sunday afternoon, work 5 shifts Monday-Wednesday, and head home after lunch on Wednesday afternoon. We will be staying in the Volunteer Lodge. (You are welcome to take your own RV, but you are responsible for coordinating with Midwest Mission to reserve and pay for your RV spot.) Spots are first come, first serve, so sign up now! A sign-up sheet will be placed on the information table after Easter. Midwest Mission offers a variety of opportunities for volunteers, ranging from helping to check, organize and pack health kits and school kits to sewing, repairing sewing machines, building desks, and sawing wooden bleachers into sections. There’s something for everyone!

The team cost for this trip is \$1080—which includes all housing and material costs for 12 people. If you’d like to assist with these team costs and other mission efforts beyond our 2nd Mile Giving, we encourage you to give to our Missions fund by making your check out to the church and marking it “Missions.”

Open Holy Communion

Huntington Trinity United Methodist Church practices Open Holy Communion. All are welcome to attend our worship services and participate in Holy Communion.

The following are upcoming worship service dates and times with Holy Communion:

- Sunday, April 5, 2026 10:00 a.m.
- Sunday, May 3, 2026 10:00 a.m.
- Sunday, June 7, 2026 10:00 a.m.



Prayer & Praises

PRAYER LIST

- Trinity UMC Congregation.
- Trinity UMC Governing Board.
- Pastor Shalimar & Trinity UMC Staff.
- Trinity UMC Preschool.
- Bishop Tracy Smith Malone, our bishop, and the Indiana Conference of The United Methodist Church.
- Rev. Russ Abel, our District Superintendent and the Eastern Rivers District.
- Harmony Home, Place of Grace, and the entire Recovery Community.
- The GPS Children's Program.
- Those in our congregation who are homebound and in residential facilities.
- Those undergoing treatment for cancer.
- Those who struggle with mental and/or physical illness.
- Caregivers.
- Those who are grieving and/or struggling.
- Those who do not know Jesus.
- Our local, state and national governments and those who serve in leadership.
- The witness of the church around the world.

*Blessings to you all!
Katie*

Thank you for everything you guys do. Adriaan and thank you for all the support you give to the Huntington recovery community!

*Thank you!
Jessica Brooks*

Thank you Carmel D.

It's the thoughtfulness of people like you that makes the world so bright.

*Thank you for everything you save us.
Mikela Bailey*

Thank You so much for the donations! We appreciate every single item! God bless you!

-The Remnant Ministries

Helen B's

-Abby

*Thanks so much
Christine*



We're sending out a great big thank you to **Josh B.** for reorganizing the clothing closet for the Harmony Home ministry! He offered to do the job as a thank-you to TUMC for helping him out. He did an amazing job of sorting out a lot of clothing in the "closet!" And he walked all the way from Warren on a cold day to offer his services! God bless you something special, Josh!

Thank You So Much

Dear Trinity,
Thank you so much for the lovely notes you all gave me! It reminded me of why I loved my time with you so much!! Wishing you the best and hoping to see you all soon!!!
God bless,
Nathan (Davis)

Trinity UMC's Breakthrough Prayer

God of miraculous growth,
You are able to do far more than anything we could ever ask or imagine.
Break into our lives with the power of your Holy Spirit.
Move within us, among us, and through us.
Open doors before us and make us bold to walk through them, that your Kingdom would come and your will be done in our church, our community and the world.
To you be the glory in every generation through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



Happenings and Notes

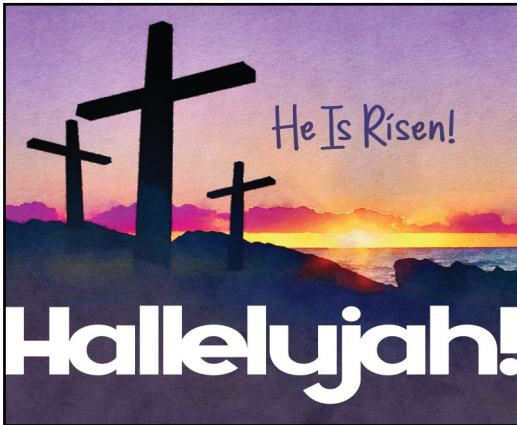
THANK YOU

Dear Pastor & Congregation,

We believe in the power of prayer, and we know you do too! Just a note to let you know that a special prayer was said for you today during our staff meeting. May you feel God's love today and every day!

The Staff of Ligonier United Methodist Church

Debbie Angie Matt Jean



From United with Love of Huntington County:

Thank you for your support of the Huntington Community Food Pantry, an outreach ministry of United with Love. In months of year, we were able to help with food and household supplies for over 3,094 households in Huntington County. This included 3,619 children, seniors 1,620 and 4,904 adults from May 1, 2025 to Oct. 31, 2025.

... Thank you for your donation of 1,065 assorted food items.

Here is a snapshot of some of the items we were able to share with neighbors over the months of May 1st through Oct. 31st, 2025 with help from friends like you:

- ♦ Fruits and vegetables: 8,331
- ♦ Rice, grains and cereal: 7, 526
- ♦ Soup and boxed meals: 99,841
- ♦ Beans, meat and peanut butter: 9,422
- ♦ Eggs: 2,868
- ♦ Milk, cheese, and other dairy products: 2,122

... We truly appreciate the donations you give to our pantry, and we want you to know that you are making a tangible difference in the lives of our neighbors. Thank you for caring and thank you for your support.



You're Invited to a Stephen Ministries 50th Anniversary Celebration & Learning Event

Saturday, April 11, 2026, beginning at 8 a.m. at Avon United Methodist Church
6850 E. US Highway 36, Avon, Ind.

We're inviting all those whose lives have been touched by Stephen Ministries.

This includes:

- Past and present Stephen Leaders and Stephen Ministers
- Stephen Ministry care receivers
- Pastors and church staff
- Givers and recipients of *Journeying through Grief*
- Givers and recipients of *Cancer—Now What?*
- Participants in *The Gift of Empathy* and *Caring Assertiveness* discussion groups
- Family members and friends of any of the above

We're also welcoming guests and anyone else passionate about making the world a more caring place, so feel free to invite others to attend with you.

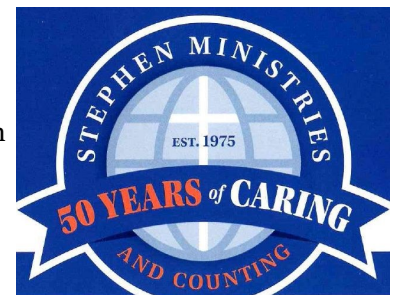
The 50th Anniversary Celebration and Learning Event will feature presentations on a wide range of topics—all filled with encouragement, fellowship, and learning.

Event costs:

Main Event — 9 a.m.-4 p.m. — \$15 per person

Lunch — noon-1 p.m. — \$12 per person for box lunch

For more information and to register visit:
stephenministries.org/celebrateIND
or call (314) 428-2600

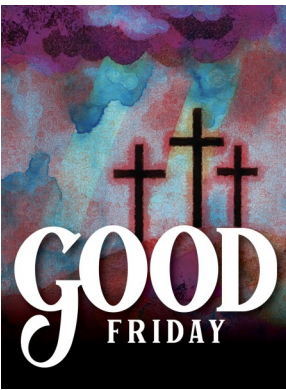
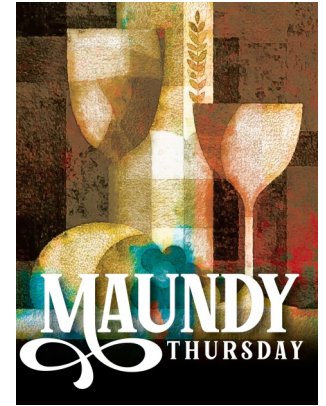


Holy Week Services

Maundy Thursday Service

Thursday, April 2, at 7:00 p.m.

A dinner featuring seder-themed foods will be served at 6:30 p.m. followed by a simple worship service around 7:15 p.m., all in Epworth Hall. During this dinner and service we will learn about the symbolism of the various foods served in the traditional Seder Meal shared by our Jewish brothers and sisters during Passover. A portion of the service will include the invitation to visit a number of different prayer stations, one of which will offer the opportunity to participate in foot washing. The service will close with a celebration of Holy Communion. Please sign up in Ball Lounge if you plan to attend the dinner.



Good Friday Service

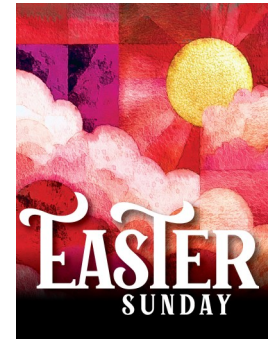
Friday, April 3 @7:00 p.m.

During this powerful Tenebrae service we will hear the Passion Narrative in its entirety as we recall the ultimate sacrifice Jesus made for us. Throughout the service the sanctuary will grow increasingly darker as we draw near that moment when Jesus gave up his spirit and breathed his last. The service will end in silence and you will be encouraged to leave in silence, remembering what Christ has done for you.

Easter Sunday Service

Sunday, April 5 @10:00 a.m.

Celebrate the Risen Christ! Our celebration of Easter will be made extra special with the baptism of Bonnie Holifield and Bo Holifield's reception as a professing member of Trinity.

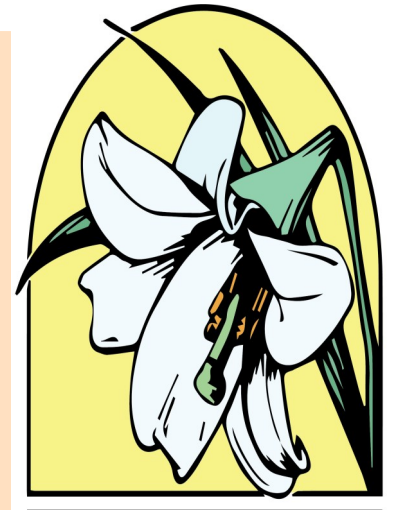


Easter Flowers

Please bring your potted Easter flowers on Sunday, April 5, to place at the foot of the cross in the Sanctuary. Bring as many as you wish.

(However, due to severe allergies, please do not bring in hyacinths.)

At the conclusion of service, you may take your potted flowers with you to enjoy at your home or give them to someone else to share the joy of Easter as we celebrate the risen Christ.



Trinity UMC Worship Arts



Greg Otis

Trinity UMC Director of
Worship Arts Ministries

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Rehearsal schedule for April

Rehearsals each Wednesday:

- 5:30 p.m. Handbell Ensemble
- 6:30 p.m. Chancel Choir
- 7:30 p.m. Praise Team



The
Evensong Concert Series
presents
an Easter Concert

Sunday, April 12, at 3 p.m.

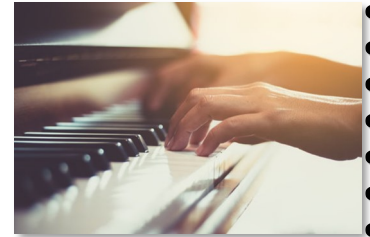
Featuring the Chancel Choir, Handbell Ensemble
and the HIM Singers

Admission is Free and Everyone is Welcome

Student Recitals

Performed by students of Greg Otis on
May 31 and June 7, at 3:00 p.m. in the
Sanctuary with a Reception following in
Ball Memorial Lounge.

*The
congregation
is welcome to
attend!*



SAVE THE DATE...

The

Evensong Concert Series

Benefitting Honor Flight

has been moved to Sunday, November 15, 2026,
at 3 p.m.



HONOR FLIGHT
NORTHEAST INDIANA

For more information on Evensong
concerts, and more about the 2026
Evensong Concert Season, visit our
Facebook page: www.facebook.com/



Music in the Air Spring Concert

April 25, 2026
4:00 PM

Trinity United Methodist Church
530 Guilford St, Huntington, IN

Featuring

Children's Choir

Treble Tones

Copper Sound

Joyful Songsters

FREE Admission

childrenschoirfhuntingtoncounty.org

The Community Choirs of Huntington County will present a "Music in the Air" Spring Concert on Saturday, April 25, at 4 p.m. in the Trinity UMC Sanctuary.

The concert will feature the Children's Choir, Treble Tones, Copper Sound and Joyful Songsters choirs. Admission is free.

The Community Choirs of Huntington County is a non-profit organization that has been providing a quality choral experience to children and adults of Huntington County in Indiana for 30 years. The Community Choirs of Huntington County is a music performance program emphasizing music skills and understanding through choral music experience. Rehearsal and performances of quality musical literature form the foundation of CCHC's instruction. The choir exists to artistically enrich the lives of the children, their families, and the community. For more information visit:

childrenschoirfhuntingtoncounty.org

TUMC Women's Circle



**Next TUMC Women's Circle Meeting:
Monday, April 13, 2026 at 1 p.m.
in Alice's Library**

We welcome any lady who wishes to be part of our missions and education to our next scheduled meeting.

Hello friends. We need to update you on a few things and ask for a little help as well. First, the Roxy Lefforge UMW had to change our name. We became the Women of Faith to try to stay aligned with the national United Methodist Women among all the church separations as they tried to encourage the women's groups from the new Methodist churches to stay engaged.

Our small but mighty group of women soon found that our pull toward missions differed from the direction of the Women of Faith as we were wanting more and more to help our neighbors, or the people a little closer to us. In other words, we were wanting to keep the money we work so hard for local as well as support our own church while remembering Alice's legacy and passion for making sure people were fed. If you knew her at all, you remember her enthusiasm for the Heifer project as well as local patriotic entities such as wreaths on veterans graves and the persons in our own church who are now living with Jesus in God's house. She also loved this church. My, how she loved this church.

With all these things in mind, we made the decision to leave the national group of Women of Faith. By leaving the national group, we get a little more say in where our money goes and what we get to do as women of God. We have absolutely NOT stopped caring about women and children living in areas that are harder to survive. But by doing this, we can opt out of our money going for political actions and national administration fees and can focus more on the people we see struggling around us. So we are now the **TUMC WOMEN'S CIRCLE**. We will still support each other in our growth as Christians. We will still work hard to earn money to fund missions. We will still send our support to the Lucille Raines house, the UMW's children's home in Lebanon IN, and the Basher's Children's home as these are almost completely solely supported by United Methodist Women's groups. We did not want our leaving to mean not supporting the groups who depend mostly on us to stay open.

We have also opted to continue Alice's work with the Heifer Project in her honor. We will also be providing what support we can to our own church and meeting those needs.

This brings us to where we need your help. You all know that when the Christmas tea became too much work for us to continue, we opted for a smaller more intimate reception after the Christmas evensong that Greg Otis so kindly arranges for the community. Well we have been asked to do this same thing for the Easter performance. How could we resist? Isn't Easter the truest holiday for Christians? As fun as Christmas is, anyone can be born. But there is only one resurrection for our Christ and our Lord. And it was this resurrection that exemplified His position as the Christ. It was His resurrection that opened the door for us to spend eternity with the one true God.

Enough preaching! What we need is the same support and help that you all provide so lovingly at Christmas. WE NEED YOUR FINGER FOODS!!!! Whatever you wish to bring in that can be eaten with a napkin and your fingers! This will happen on Sunday afternoon of April 12th. We will be using the chapel to hold the food and plate it. We would ask that you have your food at the church by no later than 1:00 pm. on that day. We gals of the TUMC WOMEN'S CIRCLE will be doing the setting up and the cleaning up so everyone can enjoy the show. Thank you now for what you will do later. It is impossible to say how grateful we are for your help in this celebration. Let's make it a celebration worth repeating.

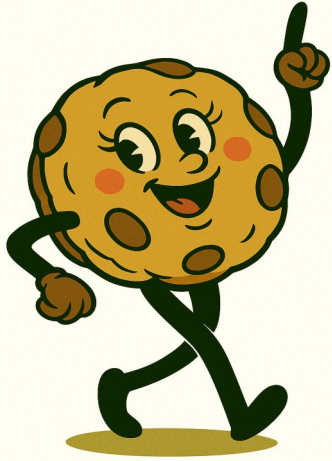


Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God.
1 John 4:7



The use of **The Gathering Place** is always busy with many bookings for graduation parties, baby showers, family reunions, ministries, and meetings. If you are interested in renting this wonderful venue, be sure and call the office for updated availability. Members \$25. All others are \$100. 260-356-0961.

Trinity Preschool welcomes a busy Spring!



The school year is passing quickly. Where has the year gone? With the month of April, we are excited to see nature start to wake up after a cold winter.

After having a great Spring Break with their families, the preschoolers will resume classes on Monday, April 6. There are many fun activities planned for April. Preschoolers will learn the letters V, W, X, and Y. Students will share a sign of spring for Spring Show & Tell on Friday, April 10. We are reaching out to the Lion's Club to complete free eye screening for the students. The date and time to be announced soon.

On Wednesday, April 22, we are very excited to have the Fort Wayne Children's Zoo Mobile come to Trinity Preschool. We are going to "Move Like the Animals". What a fun day this will be for the children. We are so blessed they can bring part of the zoo to us.

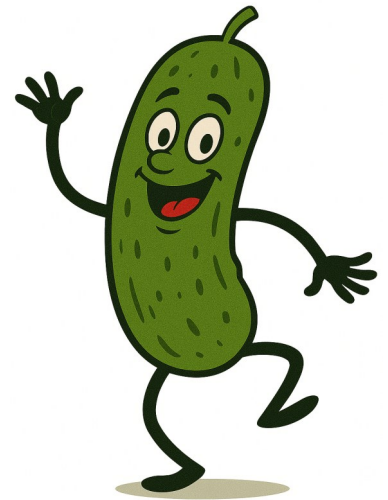
Mrs. Allen's class will be taking a pretend trip to Hawaii. The children will learn about the islands and have a fun day. Aloha!

We are still collecting pop tabs for Ronald McDonald House. If you have pop tabs that you would like to donate, you may leave them by the preschool door or in the preschool mailbox.

Mrs. Allen's class will count them in May. We continue to have a variety of pickles and salsa for sale on the table outside the preschool room. We appreciate those who continue to buy pickles throughout the year and donate pop tabs.

Thank you to everyone who purchased Otis Spunkmeyer's Cookie dough. As we look back on our year, we feel so blessed by the Trinity Congregation. Your continued support for our fundraisers, your gifts and all of the little special things you do to make our days wonderful.

We are taking registration for the 2026 – 2027 school year! This will be our 39th year that Trinity Preschool has been in session. If you or anyone you know has a preschooler interested in registering for the next school year, please contact Preschool Director, Penny Allen at 260-356-0961 ext. 3 or 260-388-3840 for a registration form or question about Trinity Preschool.



Also, if anyone from our congregation would like to display one of our new Trinity Preschool yard sign in their yard, contact Penny Allen for one. We would like them to be displayed from March through August. Thank you!

Spring blessings,

Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Fisher, Miss Nolen, Miss McLaughlin

A Church on a Mission- Around the World & Our Community

Donate to the Kroger gift card ministry

Your help is needed to help fund our gift/gas card program, part of the Pastor's Assistance Fund.

These cards are often used to help people who need rides for medical appointments, or for job

interviews. A tankfull of gasoline

can often be the difference between "making it" and "breaking it" in someone's life.



To donate to the gift card ministry, contact the Church Office.



Laundry Ministry at Trinity

Those who are blessed by our laundry ministry are thrilled and thankful, says Mona Beckner, who coordinates the ministry.

She says she gets as much out of blessing people with money to do their laundry as those who receive the roll of quarters. Thank you for your donations to a very rewarding mission.

Balance at end of March 2026 is \$62.75.



SECOND MILE GIVING FOR APRIL – UMCOR

The United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) was founded in 1940 by Bishop Herbert Welch as the Methodist Committee on Overseas Relief (MCOR).

The organization was established to provide relief to displaced and vulnerable populations following WWII.

Bishop Welch envisioned MCOR as a "voice of conscience among Methodists to act in the relief of human suffering without distinction of race, color, or creed." This mission remains central to UMCOR's work today.

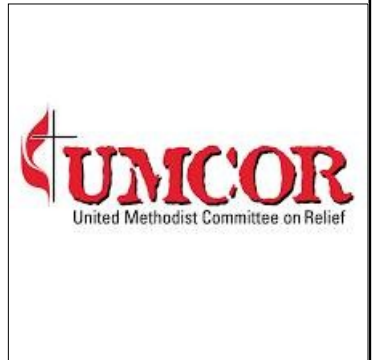
UMCOR operates under the umbrella of the General Board of Global Ministries of The United Methodist Church. It focuses on disaster response, sustainable development, and global health. UMCOR provide the aftermath of natural and human-made disasters, supports long-term recovery efforts, and works on initiatives to improve health and well-being in communities around the world. The organization is known for its commitment to serving all people, regardless of their background, and for its efforts to address the root causes of suffering and injustice.

If you would like to donate to UMCOR you may do so three different ways. Be sure to write what you desire on your envelope or check.

- ♦ UMCOR Sunday (this past March 15) is administrative expenses only.
- ♦ UMCOR US is used for disaster relief within the United States.
- ♦ UMCOR International is used for disaster relief throughout the globe.

Thank you for your consideration to support the missional work of our church!

Please write your check to TRINITY UMC and mark on the memo line: UMCOR



Happy Anniversary

- 4-3 Richard & Dawn Miller
4-14 Jeff & Denise Wertemberger



Chimes

Deadline for the
MAY edition:
Monday
April 13



GROCERY CART IN BALL LOUNGE

APRIL 12 and 26

Your donations of non-perishable food items will be given to the United with Love Food Pantry.

Happy Birthday!

- 4-4 Linda Urschel
4-8 Wilford Hahn
4-9 Gloria Wilson
4-13 Ed Beckner
4-16 Carrie Runyan
4-17 Jack Wilson
4-17 Robert Huff
4-27 Suesanna Bradford
4-27 Heather Wood
4-27 Rose Matchett

Altar Flower Schedule for April

2025:

- April 5 — Eric Duran-Brown
April 12 — Open
April 19 — Open
April 26 — Open



If you would like to sign up for Altar Flowers in 2026, the chart is on the bulletin board outside of the church office. Cost is \$35 for us to order for you or you may order them yourself. Call Becky at 260-356-0961.

Free Lunch Saturday was held March 7th. We gratefully served 58 of the community on this day!

We would like to thank Trinity United Methodist Church for their continued support of this ministry. We would also like to recognize the following volunteers who served: Kathy Shaw, Shawn Alderman, Don and Jan Mathias, Ken and Jill Brumbaugh, Margaret Hollowell, Chris Smith, Tom and Alison Matheny, Yvonne Sparks, Dawn Miller, Liz Sanders, Linda Urschel, and Barb Conwell

We appreciate everyone that volunteered throughout the season to help make the Free Lunch Saturday a successful ministry.

Our next Free Lunch Saturday will resume on October 3rd, 2026.

Blessings,

Mark and Christy Hinman

"Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality." — Romans 12:13



Join us live or online!



We appreciate all of you who join us on Sunday mornings for our worship service. But if you cannot join us LIVE on Sundays, you can still watch the service. The link is on our Facebook page. **Go to facebook.com/huntingtonumc.** You can also view videos from past services by going to Trinity's Facebook page. Look under "Posts" and scroll down to the worship service you would like to watch.

April 2026 Church Calendar

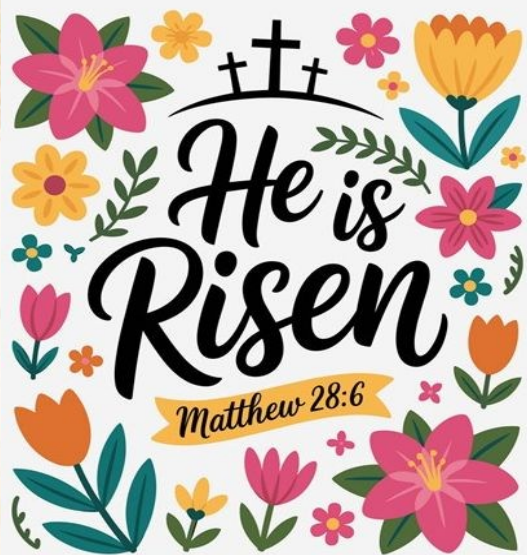
Meeting dates– Calendar subject to change even after this print. Please call.

If you are a committee chairman, please contact the office when scheduling your meetings and events so they make it into the church calendar. Please send a note or email to the church office with your dates, times, and location to see if available.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 Palm/Passion Sunday Gathering Place in Use 11:15am Carry-In Luncheon 5:30pm Prayer Group in the Chapel 6:30pm GPS Children's Program -- 2nd Floor 6:30pm Harmony Home Speaker Meeting - Sanctuary 8:00pm Harmony Home House Meeting - Epworth Hall	30 Preschool Spring Break 7:30pm NA Group - Epworth Hall 7:30pm Recovery Bible Study -- Library	31 Gathering Place in use Preschool Spring Break 1:30pm Sensible Shoes Small Cell Group - Chapel 6:00pm Brianna's Hope-The Gathering Place 6:00pm Harmony Home-Life Skills -- Epworth Hall	1 Preschool Spring Break 5:30pm Handbell Ensemble rehearsal 6:30pm Easter Concert Rehearsal 7:00pm Chancel Choir rehearsal - Choir Room 7:30pm NA Large Group- Epworth Hall 7:30pm NA Small Group -- Library 7:30pm Praise Team Rehearsal - Choir Room	2 Maundy Thursday Preschool Spring Break 5:00pm MRT Meeting -- Gathering Place 6:30pm Seder-Themed Dinner (Catered) -- Epworth Hall 7:00pm Maundy Thursday Service Begins After Meal -- Sanctuary 7:30pm AA Group Book Study- Gathering Place	3 Good Friday Office Closed Preschool Spring Break 7:00pm Good Friday Service--Sanctuary 7:30pm Alanonics Meeting - Gathering Place 	4 Gathering Place in Use 11:00am Harmony Home -- Epworth Hall
5 HE IS RISEN! Easter Sunday 10:00am Sunday Worship & Baptism 11:15am Sunday School- Epworth Hall 6:30pm Harmony Home Speaker Meeting - Sanctuary 8:00pm Harmony Home House Mtg. - Epworth Hall	6 Preschool back from Spring Break 1:00pm Women's Circle - Alice's Library 7:30pm NA Group - Epworth Hall 7:30pm Recovery Bible Study -- Library	7 Gathering Place in use 6:00pm Brianna's Hope-The Gathering Place 6:00pm Harmony Home-Life Skills -- Epworth Hall	8 5:30pm Handbell Ensemble rehearsal 6:30pm Easter Concert Rehearsal 7:00pm Chancel Choir rehearsal - Choir Room 7:30pm NA Large Group- Epworth Hall 7:30pm NA Small Group -- Library 7:30pm Praise Team Rehearsal - Choir Room	9 5:00pm MRT Meeting -- Epworth Hall 7:30pm AA Group Book Study- Epworth Hall	10 Office Closed 7:30pm Alanonics Meeting - Epworth Hall	11 Gathering Place in Use 11:00am Harmony Home -- Epworth Hall
12 Gathering Place in Use Grocery cart in Ball Lounge to collect food for United with Love 10:00am Sunday Worship 11:15am Sunday School- Epworth Hall 3:00pm Easter Concert -- Sanctuary, with Reception Following 5:30pm Prayer Group in the Chapel 6:30pm GPS Children's Program -- 2nd Floor 6:30pm Harmony Home Speaker Meeting - Sanctuary 8:00pm Harmony Home House Meeting - Epworth Hall	13 Deadline for May Chimes Newsletter 1:00pm Women's Circle - Alice's Library 7:30pm NA Group - Epworth Hall 7:30pm Recovery Bible Study -- Library	14 Gathering Place in use 6:00pm Brianna's Hope-The Gathering Place 6:00pm Harmony Home-Life Skills -- Epworth Hall	15 5:30pm Handbell Ensemble rehearsal 6:30pm Chancel Choir rehearsal - Choir Room 7:30pm NA Large Group- Epworth Hall 7:30pm NA Small Group -- Library 7:30pm Praise Team Rehearsal - Choir Room	16 Gathering Place in Use 5:00pm MRT Meeting -- Epworth Hall 7:00pm By The Book Rally -- Sanctuary 7:30pm AA Group Book Study- Epworth Hall	17 Office Closed 7:30pm Alanonics Meeting - Epworth Hall	18 Gathering Place in Use 11:00am Harmony Home -- Epworth Hall
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