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SPOTLIGHT ON TRINITY MEMORY GARDEN (AKA 'PRAYER GARDEN')

By Kathy O'Shea



View from the garden

*He speaks, and the sound of His voice
Is so sweet the birds hush their singing,
And the melody that He gave to me
Within my heart is ringing.*

Did you know that we have a beautiful garden behind the office? It has been lovingly created, improved and expanded by Marlene Colvin in memory of her mother Alice Hinkely. Now that there is a fence to exclude the deer from having breakfast there, gardening has been a lot less challenging.

It is a beautiful spot, lush with flowers, a stunning forsythia and a prolific apple tree. There are 2 benches so that you can linger comfortably. The space calls you to come in for a quiet moment, to read or meditate or even have a picnic.

We plan to embellish the fence and gate and put out a sign to invite all to visit. Please take a moment to stop by and enjoy the sunshine or shade.

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The mission of the Trinity United Methodist Church is to be a welcoming ministry to all persons equally; to nurture spiritual development, fellowship and outreach.



PASTOR'S LOG

By Pastor Tony Brown

On Tuesday, August 27th, 7 kids from our Wacky Wednesday group left for Wenatchee. In addition to me and the kids, two parents went to help chaperone. One of these parents is the pastor at the Lutheran church here in town, Rev. Sean Jensen. We arrived at 3:30 pm to check into our Airbnb in Wenatchee. The girls were amazed at the size of the house and the property so while I went to pick up breakfast, dinner items, and snacks they stayed with the other two adults and had an epic game of hide and seek. That night we hung out at the house, ate dinner, played Wheel of Fortune, and the girls filmed a short movie together.

On Wednesday after breakfast we headed for Trinity UMC in East Wenatchee. Trinity UMC closed its doors due to dwindling numbers in 2022. Rather than sell the building the conference asked 1st UMC of Wenatchee earlier this year if they would take responsibility for the building and find non-profits and other churches in the area that might want to use it. The building has sat empty for the past 2 years so it needed a thorough cleaning. The girls immediately got to work scrubbing bathrooms, baseboards, floors, classrooms, and weeding outside. After 3 hours of hard work the building smelled fresh and looked much better. The church is still planning on how exactly to use it and will be showing it off to groups in town that need meeting space. They will keep us updated on what transpires from this.

Wednesday afternoon we spent on the Columbia River at a swimming area. Usually at this time of the year Wenatchee is in the 90s, but with the recent cold spell it was only 73 degrees. That didn't stop the girls from spending 2 hours playing together in the cold water.

On Thursday we packed up to leave after a pancake breakfast and then stopped in Leavenworth for a few hours followed by a stop at a waterfall off of highway 2. We caught the Edmonds Ferry and made it back home by 5:30pm.

The girls had such a great time, in fact one of the mother's contacted me to let me know that out of the 3 trips her daughter took this summer, the Wacky Wednesday trip was her favorite. Thank you so much church for supporting our Wacky Wednesday program. It truly is making a difference in our community.

In Christ,
Pastor Tony



You can see more photos of this trip in our Trinity Life & Community pages—page 15.



TRUSTEES' UPDATE

By Kathy O'Shea, Trustee Chair

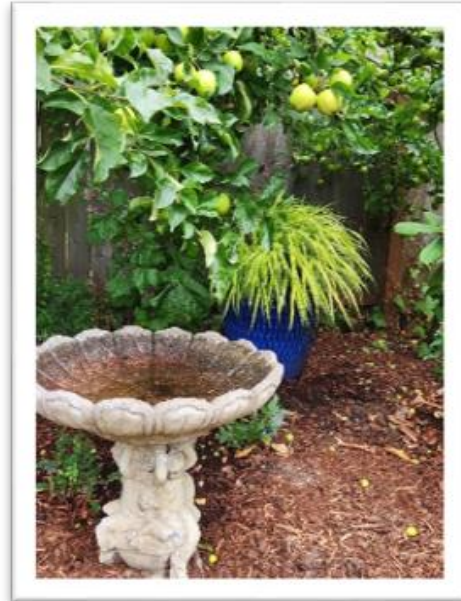
Hello Congregation, Your Trustees and MANY volunteers have been busy this summer scraping and painting the exterior of the church. You may think we have a small church until you get up close and personal with the siding. There is a lot of square footage!!

We are very pleased to have completed 3 sides as high as scaffolding would safely allow us to reach. We will be getting estimates from professional painters to complete the higher areas. If this proves to be out of our reach (no pun intended) we will consider renting a lift and finishing it ourselves. If you have any painters that you would like to recommend, we would be very happy to hear from you. There are a few remaining lower areas that will be targeted for completion as weather permits.

Thanks are due to sooo many people. First, thanks to the Handy Helpers group for organizing everything and putting in many hours. Thank you to the Dudleys for lending us their sturdy scaffolding. And thank you to ALL of the volunteers for their time and cheerful attitude in painting and in bringing food. For those who love statistics, we recorded 876 volunteer hours in 25 days!!!



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CANDLELIGHT CONCERT

Thursday, September 26, 7PM

By Beth Kissinger, John Miller, and Ron Portin

Joe Euro

An Evening of Classical/Neo-Classical/Finger-Style Guitar Playing

In-Person, Online & On the Air

Trinity United Methodist's Candlelight Concerts host Joe Euro, a "Classical/Neo-Classical Finger-Style" local guitarist, composer/recording artist who will be performing at **Trinity United Methodist Church** on **Thursday, September 26, 2024, at 7:00 PM** for one full set with no intermission.

The performance will also be streamed live at <https://trinityumcpt.org/concerts/> where you will find a link for the Candlelight Concerts Online and ways to donate. The concert will also be simulcast on KPTZ FM 91.9.

Admission to the concert is **free** (really!), with a suggested donation \$15 per person. You are most welcome to attend whether you choose to donate or not. Half of the donation proceeds from this concert will go to Euro's chosen charity, Dove House. Dove House Advocacy Services has grown in the last 45 years from a task force of women to an agency with wrap-around services for survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, and other victims of crime. Dove House continues to support survivors as it continues to fill gaps in the community it serves.

This Joe Euro Candlelight Concert performance will feature Acoustic, all Instrumental "Finger Style"/Neo-Classical Guitar, many using various "open tunings" and reach over/hammer-ons, and pull-offs highlighting

many of Mr. Euro's "Neo-Classical" original compositions and some actual Classical Guitar pieces, "plucked from the Classical Guitar Repertoire", a few of Euro's lite jazz standards arrangements and improv,, and a few of Euro's "Ambient Space Guitar" creations which utilize a digital reverb and a volume pedal, to draw down all that "Taj Mahal"-like reverb.

This is a sound he enjoyed developing and experimenting with when he moved to this area back in 1979



and would bring his guitar into the bunkers at Fort Flagler, where he and his wife, Katy lived and ran the Youth Hostel that was there then. Joe also was able to get into the "Cistern" at Fort Worden, which also inspired him to use this mesmerizing "Big Spacey Sound" which is now accessible with some of his "guitarsenal" of various guitars and "gizmology" as

he refers to the various sound enhancement tools pedals and devices he often uses. Euro's music has been featured on broadcasts around the world, including NPR and PRI as well as some film and video productions.

Euro's day-job is owner/proprietor of The "Wine Seller", a retail wine/beer/bottle shop located on Water Street in downtown Port Townsend. The Wine Seller was founded by Euro in 1982 and is one of Washington State's oldest and finest wine/bottle shops. Besides his

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passions for wine and music, Joe loves to travel. He has hosted and guided more than 20 European and one South American “Small Group Journeys” since 2004.

Euro’s 4 studio recordings can be streamed on most streaming audio sites such as Spotify, Pandora, Amazon Music, Apple Music, Tidal, Rhapsody, and probably more. His CDs are available at his shop as well. Just punch in or tell your “smart speaker” to “play Joe Euro”. That, most times will get you to his music...

but if you hear some “rap” guy...different guy...try again.

Trinity United Methodist Church is located at 609 Taylor Street, across from the Community Center, in Uptown. Attendees should plan on arriving early – doors will open at 6:30. Masks are encouraged but not mandatory for in-person attendees. And Joe is hoping to see a lot of you actually there for this LIVE concert!

For more information about Euro and his varied interests: JoeEuroMusic.com, PTWineSeller.com and JoeEuroTravel.com

Summer Concerts with Lino Rivera, Jim Nyby, & Brian Ledford





NOTES FROM THE BENCH

By Terry Reitz

We are very fortunate, as participants in worship in TUMC we share the music of two pipe organs, and a grand piano in the sanctuary, as well as a large set of hand bells and practice pianos. These instruments are not only unusual in a small church setting and of world class quality – they require our attention and care.

Please be aware that keyboard instruments are very easily damaged by water and so we all must protect them from liquids anywhere near them. The electronics in the organs are particularly vulnerable to moisture and also to jarring. The console for the large organ can be moved, but only under supervision of staff, as the pedals and data cables are prone to damage. The cabinet organ has very thin (and very old) connect-

ing rods from the pedals to the organ box and even a child standing on them could require extensive repairs.

Also, the boxes surrounding the cabinet organ, (both the wood and painted ones) contain carefully balanced blower systems – please don't move them. Our grand piano will also suffer from moisture and aggressive use of the pedals. The bell set should not be handled without cotton gloves to protect the brass. The musicians, however, may be hugged and given liquids as required.

With love and thanks to Pastor Tony and the friends of music in TUMC,
Terry

CANDLELIGHT CONCERT LINE-UP & CHARITIES

Thursday, September 26

Joe Euro
Neo-classical guitar

Thursday, October 24

Kevin Ayes
Classical piano

Nov 14, 2024 - 7:00 PM

Tom Melancon
Singer guitarist, Americana

Dec 19, 2024 - 7:00 PM

Toot Sweet
Clarinet Quintet



Our Candlelight Concerts have raised donations for these charities:

OlyCap

Food Bank

Dove House

Gatheringplace

Bayside Housing

Food Bank Growers

Habitat for Humanity

Wild Rose Chorale Scholarships

Olympic Neighbors

St Vincent de Paul

Jumping Mouse

Olympic Angels

Recovery Café

YEA Music!

JCIRA

NAMI



SUNDAY WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

Ron Portin.....Organ Tech
John MillerSound, Tech, Musician
Devon HelmanZoom Tech
Matt Harter..... Live Video Tech
Ron Portin Fold and collate bulletins
Dan Purnell..... Liturgist scheduling
Marlene ColvinSchedule, train money counters
Bess Anne Corwith Candles & paraments
Debra Olson..... Communion Steward

SEPTEMBER 1

Liturgist: Beth Kissinger
Greeter: Sheila Burrell
Money Counters: Sheila Burrell
and Marlene Colvin

SEPTEMBER 8

Liturgist: Harvey Crow
Coffee: Ron Rivas
Money Counters: Sally Helman
and Chris Walvatne

SEPTEMBER 15

Liturgist: Dan Purnell
Money Counters: Donna Purnell
and Beth Kissinger

SEPTEMBER 22

Liturgist: Sarah Heiner
Greeter: Vicki Long
Coffee: Ron Rivas
Fellowship Friends: Jennie
Williams
Money Counters: Melinda
LaPlant and Harvey Crow

SEPTEMBER 29

Liturgist: Sally Helman
Coffee: Marlene Colvin
Fellowship Friends: Jennie
Williams
Money Counters: Donna Abbott
and Marlene Colvin

HANDY HELPER REPAIR MISSION

Off to a Great Start!

Jobs done so far: replaced worn faucet, hauled yard debris, stacked wood, fence improvement

DON'T MISS OUT ON THE JOY OF SHARING WITH OTHERS

Can you assist with:

- Raking, hauling debris, stacking wood
- Small painting jobs
- Small plumbing repairs
- Simple carpentry jobs
- Changing light bulbs
- Setting up a computer or remote control
- changing smoke detector batteries



Help through this project is available to our congregation and community. Spread the word!

Contact Ted Olson (360-344-2945) or Kevin O'Shea (203-733-1840)



STRATEGIC PLANNING COMMITTEE

By David Engle

The Strategic Planning Committee met during the last half of 2023. Those meetings focused on better understanding the nature and work of our church. We spent time considering the key attributes of our church; using the parable of the blind men describing an elephant to each other. Turns out our church is many things, mostly aligned to the congregational mission of serving our community...across a spectrum of local to global. We were energized by the process and the insights that resulted from it. The purpose of this summary is to share those insights.

I should note that this summary was going to be presented to you in January 2024; but my life took a turn in January that precluded me from meeting that deadline. However, good news keeps. So, here it is.

While the strategic planning process can often result in a change in direction for an organization, our process affirmed the direction our church has set in play. As we discovered through the process, our main conclusion was to support and amplify those initiatives now underway with the congregation. We did not see a need for any major change in direction or a need for a major new project. Instead, we identified the following ongoing initiatives for support and amplification:

- We will continue building future fiscal sustainability.
- We will continue with the deepening of our musical ministry.
- We will increase our global discipleship through an international mission trip to Kenya.
- We will upgrade our kitchen to better serve our congregational and community ministries.
- We will continue to grow our youth ministry through community-based outreach.
- We will increase access to our facility for all through ADA improvements.
- We will deepen our emphasis on being a reconciling congregation in our community ministries.

- We will seek energy efficiency (such as solar panels) in response to our climate emergency.
- We will support congregational discipleship development and growth through creative worship and affiliated small group activities.
- We will explore volunteer coordination and community organizing opportunities.
- We will continue to invest in our staff.
- We will continue to support diversity, equity, and inclusion activities.

These twelve facets of our church work are not meant to be exhaustive. So much more goes on within our church! Rather, they are meant to capture key elements of our overall church mission. Our committee recommends that this review process be repeated as part of a regular cycle (annually?) or whenever conditions dictate more immediate attention.

In closing, our church is fortunate to have strong leadership from its pastor and its congregational leadership. Distributed leadership is a powerful force in moving all of the above listed initiatives and projects forward. We are blessed to have such a committed and involved group of doers!

In Christ, David Engle

The Trinity United Methodist Church Strategic Planning Committee included the following members:

Miriam Brown	Brian Hageman
Tony Brown	Dan Purnell
Jan Crow	Benni Rogge
David Engle	

Reference activities:

- Describing our church (elephant parable) activity
- SWOT analysis
- Designing a church project activity
- Identifying church priorities individually and as a group



FINANCE COMMITTEE

By Zoe Ann Dudley, Finance Chair

Your Finance Committee continues to meet monthly and all meetings are open to all membership. Our written reports are being made to you quarterly.

- Our Estimates of Giving are on track with a few exceptions. Some have seen it necessary to make changes with a potential decrease of income of approximately \$1,000.
- Our Monthly cash flow is monitored weekly paying constant attention to income and expenses. Our end of monthly average so far is \$15,000, keeping in mind that is an average. We have not been below \$13,000 so far this year.
- With our INCREDIBLE volunteer workers our monthly expenses continue to be reduced. I cannot stress enough.....we would not have the beautiful facility or the organizational capability we now have without the VOLUNTEER efforts and the countless hours of physical work provided by our membership. Together with the leadership we receive from Lynn Zephyrna and Pastor Tony Brown, we stand among the churches who are succeeding in every aspect of our ministry.

- UNEXPECTED church maintenance expenses impacted our first 6 months. We had nearly \$1,000 in plumbing repairs and the service charges for the resolution of our elevator challenges were \$18,000. Also \$3,000 in expenses covering paint and supplies for all the magnificent work done to paint and preserve our building. We had reserves to cover these expenses.
- Our Apportionment payments are at 100% for 2024. We received special recognition for our 100% payment for 2023.
- Cornerstone Mortgage payments are up to date, therefore at 100%

As always, our Church Family is an amazing force of productivity and Faith.

When we walk into our sanctuary we feel the love and support for each other which comes through the love of Jesus. It continues to be a privilege to work for and with you.

Most sincerely,
Zoe Ann Dudley



IN OUR PRAYERS

Please remember these people and their families in your prayers: **Juanita Campbell, Steve Freeman, Ray Grier, Dee Hammonds, Jim, Clayton**

LaPlant, Beth Mackey & Stan Goddard, Tom Olson, Recovery Café, Lisa Reynolds, Soren, Carolyn & Randy Stillwell, Ron Stowell, Lynne Stryker, Lisa Verschueren, Maura Walsh's Mom and Stepdad, and Pat & Clint Webb.

Please pray for healing and support for our Trinity family, friends, and family members.

Pray also for those who are lonely, grieving, in need, homeless or looking for work, and for peace in our world.

Also, remember in your prayers all those in the military, and pray for all in harm's way and their families, as well as those who have lost loved ones to war.

Please pray for those innocents who have died and those affected by war and violence throughout the world.



CHURCH COUNCIL REPORT

By Bess Anne Corwith, Church Council Chair

The following guidelines have been proposed:

When a member has an idea or proposal which does not require expenses, they should take this to the pastor first. The pastor will decide if the proposal needs to go to an existing committee, if a new committee needs to be created or other action taken. Alternatively, the written proposal can be presented to the council for consideration.

When a member or group has a written and specific proposal which requires financial expenditures in the current and/or future years, and it is a project which is not covered by the current budget, the proposal needs to be taken to the church council for discussion and approval before fund raising. If the project involves the building or other assets covered by the Trustees, the project must be approved by the Trustees before going to the church council. Once the approvals and funding are secured, the proposal needs to be taken to the finance committee.

Any fund raising outside of the congregation, e.g. a bake sale at Safeway, must be approved by the church council first.

Donna / Bess Anne: The council supports raising money for back to school donation. It should be noted that there is already about \$400 in the budget for the foster families and any money raised will be split between the two families.

Member Care – They are about who has needs and someone to contact. Tony, Donna, Shirley, Marlene. Also trying to get an emergency plan put together for the church. Paul has emergency information, Kathy and Kevin are counting who is attending church each Sunday.

Africa Trip Update from Pastor Tony. 15 people are signed up for the Africa trip in 2025. The only fund raising will be in the spring – with a dinner and silent auction. Every participant will pay their own way. The fundraiser would be to support the work being done.



RACIAL JUSTICE NEWS

By Margaret Engle

Portraits of the Chemakum

If you missed seeing the Portraits of the Chemakum by Brian Goodman, they are on exhibit at the Fort Worden State Park Commons Building through **September 28**. On **Thursday, September 12**, Rosalee Walz, Tribal Chair, will share her stories of being Chemakum “woven into the illuminating history of the Chemakum Peoples.” There is a reception in the Commons at 6pm followed by Rosalee’s talk at 7pm. All are welcome! The address of Fort Worden Commons is 200 Battery Way, Port Townsend.

Zoe Ann noted that something is needed to balance the budget. Several suggestions were made:

- Bess Anne suggested we do an evening silent auction and to keep it within the church. Ted and Donna want it to be open the community. Maggie suggested big gift baskets. And some sort of bicycle rental (?) thing. Tony – Cookies and Carols was done in early December. It could be combined with a small Silent Auction.

Kathy—Ted is new to the Trustees and will be in charge of the outside. Mary works on the gardening. Bill Brock is in charge of inside. She doesn’t have someone yet to do rentals.

Exterior painting is on-going and is an expensive process, even without labor costs. New plexiglass will be needed over the stained glass windows. A contractor will be brought in to do the bell tower and other high places.

Kitchen committee has the first four steps in their plan approved by the Trustees.

Pastor’s Viewpoint – Tony. Excited about 3rd year of wacky Wednesdays. Anita-Louise and Ross are very helpful. Rented a 9 bedroom house for their retreat. The Lutheran Pastor is going along and another chap-erone. Tony thinks the church is very healthy.



UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

By Sarah Heiner, UWF President

Trinity's United Women in Faith (UWF) group had a soft kick-off to our upcoming year with sponsoring the August fourth Sunday luncheon after the service on August 25th. Members individually provided home-made salads and desserts to complement three catering platters of sandwiches and fruit. More than forty people were served and it was apparently a success, minimal leftovers!

Our first monthly meeting of the year will be **Friday September 13th from 1130 to 130 at the Cape George Colony Clubhouse, located at the Cape George marina and beach.** Members have already received their e-invites as well as directions and a small map. A potluck lunch is, as always, planned with the use of the clubhouse's full kitchen and great room dining tables. We will have our annual election of officers, with the preceding year's slate all standing for reelection. They are Sarah Heiner, President; Debra Olson, Vice-President; Bess Anne Corwith, Secretary; and Zoe Ann Dudley Treasurer. At present the board is unopposed, but members are encouraged to consider standing for a position if they wish, up to the time of the meeting. We will have the use of the private beach and picnic area at Cape George for beach walking and general relaxing from 11 am until mid-afternoon. Attendees are welcome to bring a guest, please contact Sarah by email or phone if you are planning to attend.



BIBLE READINGS

Sunday, September 8
16th Sunday after Pentecost
Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23
Psalm 125
James 2:1-10 (11-13), 14-17
Mark 7:24-37

Sunday, September 15
17th Sunday after Pentecost

Proverbs 1:20-33
Psalm 19
James 3:1-12
Mark 8:27-38

Sunday, September 22
18th Sunday after Pentecost
Proverbs 31:10-31
Psalm 1

James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a
Mark 9:30-37

Sunday, September 29
19th Sunday after Pentecost
Esther 7:1-6, 9-10; 9:20-22
Psalm 124
James 5:13-20
Mark 9:38-50



TRINITY HIKING GROUP

By Nancy Stevens

Though it seemed like a very short summer, here we are welcoming September and all that comes with it! Our hiking group enjoyed the mild temps of summer and we were able to hike at least once per week. We also enjoyed the free Friday noon concerts on the Commons at Ft. Worden after our hikes there. We plan to continue our weekly hikes, and add a few more when the opportunity arises.

Are you interested in walking with us? Though we do not hike the same day each week - but rather choose our hiking days based on weather forecasts and other commitments - we would love to add some new faces to our group. Most of our hikes are close to Port Townsend, and when we venture further away we car-pool (normally meeting at the San Juan Taqueria). Our hikes are usually between 3-5 miles and do not involve much elevation change. If we add your name to the hiking email notification list, it will give you the chance to consider whether you want to join us for a hike or wait until a more favorable time. Being on the list does not obligate you to show up - it just gives you the opportunity to do so when you want. Anyone in the community is welcome! If you would like to receive the notifications, please send your name and email address to Nancy Stevens at nstevensnow@gmail.com.



EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SOUPER WEDNESDAY

Souper Wednesday will begin again on September 18 at 11am. Pastor Tony will send out info about our next book.

CHARGE CONFERENCE

This year's Charge Conference will be held at Trinity on Saturday, November 16. Start time is 3:30 or 4pm (*SPRC meets at 2:30 or 3pm*).

TRINITY TIMES DEADLINE

Articles and photos need to be received by the office by **Sept. 24** for our next publication. Please e-mail your items to the office at trinityumc@olympus.net.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Bess Anne Corwith - Chair
 Pastor Tony Brown
 Zoe Ann Dudley - Treasurer
 David Engle - Strategic Planning
 Sarah Heiner - Women in Faith
 Sally Helman - Staff Parish Relations
 Beth Kissinger - Candlelight Concerts
 Kathy O'Shea - Trustees
 Dan Purnell - Lay Leader

Please contact the office if you would like either of the forms below snail/e-mailed to you, whether you fill them out for the first time, or to update them:

Funeral/Memorial Service Information Form—to help your loved ones pre-plan your memorial service. We keep a copy of this in the office to have at hand for Pastor Tony.

My Safety Plan—in case of emergency. It has contact info, medications, etc.



Our own **Lydia Brown** and **Jim Nyby** were on national TV!

You can see Lydia playing at 6:35 minutes into the PBS News Hour video, and her interview just after:

<https://www.pbs.org/newshour/show/arts-center-at-former-military-fort-celebrates-half-century-of-inspiring-creativity>



THE EXTRA \$1 GIVING PROGRAM

We [Larry Chasteen & Jean Baumann] are in Port Townsend during the summer and enjoy being part of Trinity Methodist Church. We have a program at our Methodist Church in Dallas which we would like to share with you. We told Tony and Zoe Ann about this program and they asked us to describe this program to the church.

It is called the Extra \$1 Giving program where each person can contribute an extra \$1 each week as the collection plate passes by. The Extra Dollar is not connected to your annual financial support of the church. These are two separate things.

The Extra \$1 Giving program is an opportunity for everyone to participate in the mission and outreach of the church. If everyone puts in an extra dollar, it gives a small boost to the general church budget, it removes the awkwardness of what to do when the collection plate passes by especially for those that give online, and it sets an example for visitors and the children in the congregation. It also helps the ushers to smoothly pass the collection plates and not have to try to figure out who has a contribution without embarrassing someone or missing someone who has a contribution.

It may take a few weeks for the Extra Giving program to become part of your usual Sunday morning church routine. Sometimes the hardest part is remembering to have a dollar (or some cash) with you when you come to church.

We just wanted to introduce this idea to you. We will let Zoe Ann and Tony take it from here.

TRINITY LIFE AND COMMUNITY





September Celebrations!

Birthdays

- 1 Shirley Rivas
- 3 Rejeana Drewry
- 3 Eric Incoy
- 7 John Sabol
- 9 Don Edgar
- 11 Beth Mackey
- 12 Shannon Callahan
- 18 Donette Kimball
- 20 Jackie Driver
- 20 Jenny Pack
- 21 Katie Finedell
- 24 Zoe Ann Dudley

Anniversaries

- 1 Stan Goddard and Beth Mackey, 2001
- 1 Rebecca and Jeff Krida
- 12 Erik and Katie Allen, 2015
- 18 Kevin and Kathy O'Shea
- 23 Warren and Chris Walvatne



September 2024

Trinity Event Calendar

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	Communion Sunday Food Bank Sunday 10 Worship Service 11 Coffee & Fellowship	2 <i>Office closed</i> 12 Bible Study	3 9-12 Office Open 5:30 Voice Choir 7 Pub Theology (offsite)	4 9-12 Office Open 9 Work Wednesday 9:30 Clean Team & Coffee 5:30 Bell Choir	5	6	7
8	10 Worship Service 11 Coffee & Fellowship Blood Pressure Check	9 9-12 Office Open 12 Bible Study	10 9-12 Office Open 10:30 Trustee Mtg 12 Finance Mtg 5:30 Voice Choir	11 9-12 Office Open 9 Work Wednesday 9:30 Clean Team & Coffee 5:30 Bell Choir	12 11:30 UWF Lunch (offsite) <i>Cape George clubhouse - annual election of officers</i>	13 11:30 UWF Lunch (offsite) <i>Cape George clubhouse - annual election of officers</i>	14
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*Pray for Love, Peace, Justice
and Rebirth in the world.*

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