



TRINITY
United Methodist Church

LOVE  one
another

replacing 'othering'
with 'neighboring'



September 13, 2026

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Welcome to Trinity!

We pray that you experience the love, joy, and peace of Christ this morning. We invite you to check out our website (trinityumc.net) to learn more about Trinity and to find out how to get involved. For visitors and long-time members alike – visit our Welcome Desk just outside the Sanctuary doors to receive a visitor's gift, ask questions, learn more, and lean into life at Trinity!

Please sign the pad in the Guest Book located in each pew. Whether a visitor or member, knowing that you worshipped with us helps us care for you better.

If you are interested in becoming a member of Trinity UMC...

Please contact one of Trinity's pastors or check in at the Welcome Desk in the Welcome Center. You can also request a membership conversation with a pastor using the attendance pad in the guestbook when you sign in.

Kids in Worship

Trinity welcomes all kids in Worship. Worship bags are available in the Welcome Center to help kids engage with the service. Please return the worship bags to the Welcome Center. Nursery is available for children age 3 and under during 9 am worship and 10 am Discipleship Hour. During 11 am worship, nursery is available to children age 5 and under. During the 9 am service preschoolers and elementary aged kids (3 years through 5th grade) may attend Kids Church – please drop them off and pick them up in the Chapel.

Prayer... To submit your prayer request or to share a joy with our intercessory prayer chain, contact Rev. Judy Oguich (joguich@trinityumc.net or 288-6056 ext. 206). Over 50 people have committed to praying for our community. Trinity members and staff pray for the concerns and joys of your heart. If you have a request, fill out a Pastoral Care Card (*located in the Guest Book*) and drop it in the offering plate. If you would like to join the prayer chain to pray for others, please e-mail Judy Oguich at joguich@trinityumc.net

Known Member Prayer Concerns

Carol Crowder, Ellen Norris, Harriet Thomas, Kay Lindburg, Geoff Weekley, Deanna McCullough

Ronnie Johnson and his family following the passing of his sister, Carolyn Short

Community Prayer Concerns

Loved Ones of Trinity Members:

Miller Jenkins (grandson of Steve and Judy Werner), Erik DeVriendt (brother-in-law of Jenny Larkum), Bobby Price (brother-in-law of Jan Reynolds), Jacob Clegg (nephew of Judy Oguich), Lake Curry (grandson of Dr. William Curry), Bert Cloud (husband of Rev. Gina Anderson-Cloud)

Victims of war and violence

First responders and active service men and women

Victims of extreme weather and natural disasters

All those dealing with extra anxiety from life situations

Worship Attendance and Financial Information

For the week of September 6, 2026: In person attendance: 199
Online attendance: 744
Offerings: \$37,089.02

Technician(s)

9 am: Thomas and Martha Hall

11 am: Leo Kirkpatrick, Samuel Duenckel

Acolytes

Candlelighters: Hunter Saunders, Ashby Belding

Crucifer: Anna Estes

Next week:

September 20, 2026

Love One Another, Week Three: Abide in Love

Order of Worship | 9:00 am

16th Sunday After Pentecost

** Please stand as you are able*

Entrance

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Judy Oguich

*Passing the Peace

*Song *Not Yet I, but Through Christ in Me*

*Opening Prayer

Rev. Gina Anderson-Cloud

*Song *Do It Again*

Proclamation and Response

*Scripture John 14:8-14

Mike Larkum

Message *Show Us*

Rev. Gina Anderson-Cloud

Response to the Word

Rev. Judy Oguich

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Thanksgiving

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory *Spirit Song*

*Doxology

UMH 95

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sending Forth

*Song *Build My Life*

*Benediction

Order of Worship | 11:00 am

16th Sunday After Pentecost

** Please stand as you are able*

Entrance

Chiming the Hour

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Judy Oguich

Prelude

*Call to Worship (responsive)

Pastor: We gather with restless hearts and honest longing, echoing a prayer as old as faith itself: "Show us the Father, and it is enough."

Congregation: We have searched the heavens for a glimpse of God. We have looked for signs our eyes could hold and our hands could touch.

Pastor: Yet, God is not far off. The One we seek comes near to us, the invisible made visible, the Father's heart turned toward us in Jesus Christ.

All: Come, let us worship the God who draws near, the Father revealed in love, the One whose mercy flows through ordinary hands and ordinary lives. Amen!

*Processional Hymn *The Church's One Foundation*

UMH 545

*Opening Prayer (unison)

Faithful God, we come with restless hearts and honest longing, searching for a glimpse of you. Forgive us when we look for you in the spectacular while standing in the middle of your grace. Draw near to us now. Quiet our restlessness. Open our eyes. Turn our longing into faith, and our faith into love that goes to work in the world. We pray in your holy name. Amen!

*Passing the Peace:

May the peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Proclamation and Response

Anthem

Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled
by Ruth Elaine Schram

Trinity Choir

Sacrament of Holy Baptism (UMH 33)

Alice James Morris
Michael and Ashley Morris, parents

Hymn of Response

Child of Blessing, Child of Promise

UMH 611 v. 1

*Scripture John 14:8-14

Sarah Shutt

*Gloria Patri

UMH 71

Message

Show Us

Rev. Gina Anderson-Cloud

Response to the Word

Litany of Response and Action

Pastor: Jesus said, "Truly, I tell you: whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and greater works than these, because I am going to the Father." The promise is not for the few. It is for all who believe. This is our Wesleyan heritage: grace that goes to work, love that builds schools and hospitals, justice that speaks for the voiceless, mercy that feeds the hungry and shelters the stranger, love that does not grow weary.

People: We are never left alone, and we are meant as spectators. We are called to do God's work and promised that we will do greater things — not by our strength, but by God's Spirit, not for our glory, but for the Father's.

All: Holy God, by Your Spirit, make us faithful in the greater works of love. Show us the Father. Let Christ be enough for us each day.

Pastor: Jesus said, "Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask anything in my name, I will do it." To ask in His name is not a formula. It is a surrender. Let us pray together:

All (praying in unison): In Your name, we ask. In Your name, we believe. In Your name, we serve. In Your name, we go. You have shown us the Father, and it is enough. You have promised greater works, and we step forward. You have given us Your name and called us your own. Help us to know that we are called not to be searching for signs... for we have seen the Father in the face of Jesus. By Your Spirit, make us part of Your greater works each day: works of mercy, works of justice, works of love — too large for our hands, but not for Yours. In Your name, Lord Jesus, We ask, and we trust You to answer. We serve, and we trust You to multiply. We go, and we trust You to be with us, now and to the end of the age. Amen!

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Thanksgiving

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

The Call

Hilton Sherrard, soloist

Words by George Herbert, Music by Ralph Vaughn Williams

*Doxology

UMH 94

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sending Forth

*Closing Hymn

Where Charity and Love Prevail

UMH 549, vv. 1, 3-5

*Benediction

*Postlude

What's Going on at Trinity?

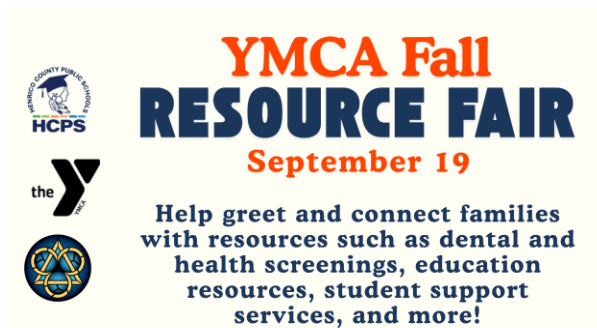


We're now down to less than two weeks until the pumpkins arrive! Around 9am on Saturday, September 19, we'll need as many hands as possible to help unload the tractor trailer and prepare the pumpkin patch to open. For all information about the pumpkin patch and all links to volunteer, visit trinityumc.net/pumpkinpatch.



Fall Festival is coming! This annual event is an outreach for our neighborhood and central Virginia community to enjoy festive fall fun, and it requires a lot hands to make it happen. The current highest needs are trunks for trunk or treat (we are not halfway to goal yet) and volunteers to oversee the inflatables (only a half-hour commitment).

Please use the QR code or link above to sign up as soon as possible! Sunday school classes & discipleship groups – this is an opportunity for you to serve as a group and host a trunk!



Volunteers are needed for the Tuckahoe YMCA Fall Resource Fair on Saturday, September 19. The Fall Resource Fair will connect guests with valuable resources and services designed to support individuals and families. Resources include dental screenings, blood pressure screenings, general health check-ups, mental health resources, adult

education resources, student support services and family resources. Learn more by visiting <https://trinityunitedmethod-3dkn.subspla.sh/gjir5m3>

Sunday: 9:00am Modern Worship Service
~~8/30 10:00am Discipleship Hour and Kids Stay, Pray, & Play~~
~~9/13 10:00am Discipleship Hour, & Kids Stay, Pray, and Play~~
 11:00am Traditional Worship Service
 4:00pm Staff Parish Relations Committee Meeting
 5:00pm Transit – 4th/5th Grade Ministry
 5:00pm Trinity Students – Youth Group
~~5:00pm Transit (4th/5th Graders)~~

Tuesday: 7:00pm Laity Onboarding for D.S. Rev. Grace Han
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Wednesday: 10:00am Clergy Onboarding for D.S. Rev. Grace Han
~~9/2 6:30pm Trinity Choir Rehearsal Music Room~~
~~7:30pm Praise Team Rehearsal Sanctuary~~

Thursday: *No Food Thursday this week due to Labor Day Weekend*
~~9/3 11:00am UWF Circle 4 Meeting~~
~~1:00pm Joy Circle~~

Sunday: 9:00am Modern Worship Service
~~9/6 10:00am Discipleship Hour and Kids Stay, Pray, and Play~~

Monday: 9:30am Monday Morning Bible Study
~~9/14 7:00pm Dillard Bible Study - Virtual~~

Tuesday: 10:00am UWF Circle 1 Gathering
~~9/15 3:30pm Cedarfield Celebration~~
 6:00pm Pickleball

Wednesday: 6:30pm Trinity Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room
~~9/16 7:30pm Trinity Praise Team Rehearsal - Sanctuary~~

Thursday: 9:00-2:00pm Food Thursday Collection
~~9/17 9:00am Trinity Stitchers~~