



# Trinity Times

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

1809 North Main Street

Anderson, South Carolina

## Ramblings from Rev. Roy

You may have heard..... Anderson County has implemented a 90-day moratorium on new housing developments - a “pause” to address infrastructure concerns. Growth is occurring too fast to keep up. The Post and Courier reported, “If recent trends continue, Anderson County expects to add 7,500 more houses by the end of the decade, according to the county.”

Now, perhaps more than ever, we must keep the scriptural mandate of the Great Commission and the mission of The United Methodist Church front and center.

**Matthew 28: 19** - *Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.*

The “Missional Priorities Jeremiah Team”, as the Conference named it, believes that the first word in Matthew 28:19 is too often overlooked ... and I agree with them. **Go!** That is the word. It is an action word, an imperative. It is the first step that we have sometimes forgotten.

Can you imagine Peter and Paul thinking that they would just continue to teach from the synagogue? Or from their own homes? Can you imagine Paul not traveling to Corinth, or Rome, or Thessalonica? Can you imagine John and Charles Wesley not going out into the fields, the prisons, or across the pond to America?

**Go therefore** ....is intentional. It is a step in action, a step in faith. Trinity’s campus is in a prime location and highly visible, which is fantastic. But we cannot forget the fact that The Great Commission tells us to GO. Go therefore into the new subdivisions and housing developments. Go into the new restaurants and coffee shops. Go into the new and old places where people gather and share the good news of Jesus Christ that God loves them, and is for them. And invite them to come experience that loving community of Christ right here at Trinity UMC.

Grace and peace...now go!

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**Church  
Office Hours**

**Monday-Thursday  
8:30 am—2:30 pm**

**Friday—Closed**

## **WORSHIP AT TRINITY UMC - 2025**

### **October 5 - "Both/And" Series**

Clear-cut categories are helpful. They make life easier to understand. But real people don't fit neatly into boxes. We are full of tensions and paradoxes that—when embraced—can bring immense depth and beauty to life. Through this series, we will explore how faith in Christ calls us away from an "either/or" experience of the world and into the wonderful truth of "both/and." (Breakthrough Worship Resources)

#### **October 5 - Saint & Sinner - Rev. Roy Mitchell**

- Scriptures: Psalm 51:1-12 and 1 Timothy 1:12-17

### **October 12 - October 26**

Jesus said, "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God," (Matt. 5:9).

#### **October 12 - Overcoming Obstacles to Peace #1 - Rev. Roy Mitchell**

- Scriptures: Amos 21-24 and Matthew 20:1-16

#### **October 19 - Trinity Youth and Children Sunday - Rev. Kathryn Bariou**

#### **October 26 - Overcoming Obstacles to Peace #2 - Rev. Roy Mitchell**

- Scriptures: Micah 4:1-5 and Ephesians 2:14-16

### **November 2 - November 23 - "Counterculture: A Stewardship and Generosity Series"**

This stewardship series focuses on the countercultural, often radical way that Jesus calls his followers to relate to their resources, financial and otherwise. This way of relating stems from a relationship with Christ, shaping values and an identity that come alive in daily action to transform our relationships with others and the world. (Breakthrough Worship Resources)

#### **November 2 - (All Saints Sunday) - "Who Are You?" - Rev. Roy Mitchell**

Scriptures: 2 Thessalonians 1: 1-4, 11-12 and Romans 12: 1-2

#### **November 9 - "Who Are You Wearing Today?" - Rev. Kathryn Bariou**

Scriptures: 2 Thessalonians 2: 13-17 and Colossians 3: 12-17

#### **November 16 - "Love in Action" - Rev. Roy Mitchell**

Scriptures: John 15: 9-14 and 1 John 3: 16-18

#### **November 23 - (Harvest Sunday) - "Authentic Loving, Authentic Giving"**

- Rev. Roy Mitchell

Scriptures: Deuteronomy 15: 4-10 and Matthew 22: 15-22, 34-40



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**The Oasis Service @ 9:00am in our Fellowship Hall** - our version of a modern, laid-back service with a praise band, family tables, community prayer, holy communion, and message.

**The Traditions Service @ 11am in our sanctuary** - Traditions have a place here: choirs, handbells, hymns, liturgy, and sermon.

**Both services are live streamed so you can join us online from anywhere ...when you can't be here!**

## Red Shoe Reflections with Rev. Kathryn

I have moss balls in a fishbowl in my office. They are not exactly exciting things. These Marimo balls are technically balls of algae that originate in shallow cool water in areas of Japan and Iceland. They form into balls because they just roll along with the current in the water. But they are low maintenance and are pretty alongside the glass fish in the bowl.



Moss balls also don't grow very fast, adding to the low amount of maintenance required, they don't outgrow their space. They make for great pets in that I don't feed them, they don't make noise and they don't grow. Change the water every so often and they are happy. They make me smile but really they don't do anything.

As I was cleaning their bowl the other day, I thought about how low maintenance is great but the result is lack of growth. It's the same with our walk with Christ. We can get away with the bare minimum and our relationship with Christ remains. If we want to see growth and have something exciting happen, we have to move past something that is low maintenance.

Our cats are not low maintenance, we feed them (way more than we should) we brush them, let them in and out, take them to the vet for check-ups and so on. We invest in them and in response we get cuddles and purrs and entertainment. We invest more and so we get more. Again, just like our walk with Christ. We get what we put in, the more we put into the relationship the more we get out, we see growth in our lives and in our connection.

You may have forgotten about our Discipleship Path, but I haven't. 😊 Sometimes we need to go low maintenance, when life seems overwhelming but most of the time we need to grow. Where are you on that path? What areas do you need to grow? Where can I help? I give you permission to be like a moss ball on occasion but not for long. See what you need to move to the next level and see where Christ is leading you.

	Searching	Committing	Growing	Maturing
<b>Love</b>	Searching for deeper meaning, purpose, satisfaction, and love in my life  Experiencing the love of Christ	Accepting God's love.  Recognizing God's love for all people	Growing to experience worship as an act of love, both praising God and experiencing God's love  Growing in compassion for others	Sharing the love of Christ daily with all people Expressing profound love for, and valuing all people
<b>Learn</b>	Curious about how God could work in and impact my life	Learning the basics of faith in Christ Exploring the spiritual disciplines	Applying the knowledge of my faith to my life Practicing spiritual disciplines	Seeking a deeper relationship with God each day Mentoring others in faith
<b>Live</b>	Becoming aware that God is at work in the world and my life	Accepting that God has a role for me in His plan for the world	Discovering my role in God's plan for the world Serving God by serving others	Fully submitting my life to Christ Living faith in the world. Living out my calling in life.
<b>Love, Learn, Live</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sunday School</li> <li>• Bible Studies</li> <li>• Attending Worship</li> <li>• Tutoring at Fortson</li> <li>• Serving in Pumpkin Patch</li> <li>• United Women in Faith</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prayer group</li> <li>• Volunteering in Worship</li> <li>• Confirmation (youth)</li> <li>• New Member class (Adults)</li> <li>• Retreats</li> <li>• Card Ministry</li> <li>• Giving to the church</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Leading a class</li> <li>• Assist with youth or children's ministries</li> <li>• Prayer Team</li> <li>• Life Groups/Class Meeting</li> <li>• Visitation (Homebound)</li> <li>• Giving more financially, including tithing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Walk to Emmaus</li> <li>• Lay Speaker School</li> <li>• Stephen Ministry</li> <li>• Band Meeting</li> <li>• Potentially even a call into ministry</li> </ul>

*Kathryn*



## Interested in Joining Trinity United Methodist Church?

You may join by baptism and profession of faith, or by transfer from another United Methodist Church or another denomination if previously baptized. If you would like to learn more or discuss with a pastor, please contact Rev. Roy or Rev. Kathryn at the church office.

As members of this congregation (Trinity United Methodist Church - Anderson), we vow to faithfully participate in its ministries by our **prayers**, our **presence**, our **gifts**, our **service** and our **witness**

## **Trinity Financial Update**

The General Fund is our non-designated fund from which our operational expenses are paid.

<u>General Fund (Budget)</u>	<u>August</u>
Beginning Balance	\$ 3,275.32
Income	\$ 51,025.04
Transfers	\$ 357.77
Expenses	
Personnel	\$ 38,319.75
Administration, Building, Maintenance	\$ 6,868.99
Programs/Ministries	\$ 1,090.17
Ending Balance	\$ 8,379.22
Monthly Mission - August	\$ 900.00
2025 Apportionments Due	\$ 69,589.00
Apportionments Received to Date	\$ 3,650.00

## **Monthly Mission News** **October**

Our monthly mission for October is UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief). This committee receives and distributes every penny to people and areas hit by disasters in our country and around the world. They are often first-responders when it comes to those hit by natural disasters and they may be the last ones to leave, continuing to serve as long as there is a need. They also supply flood buckets, hygiene kits, school kits, and kits of other kinds to persons in need.



## **Sympathy**

The Trinity Congregation expresses Christian love and sympathy to

- The family of Pat Penninger

## **Thank You for Your Gifts!**

### **Ways to Give:**

Sunday offering—place in designated offering boxes

In Person—drop off at the church office

Online—[trinityanderson.org/giving-2/](https://trinityanderson.org/giving-2/)  
Choose the fund to which you wish to give  
(please include 3% fee)

Mail—

Trinity United  
Methodist Church  
1809 N. Main Street  
Anderson, SC 29621



## **Gifts**

### **Chancel Choir Fund**

In memory of Dena Wagner by  
Ken Meier

### **Endowment Fund**

In memory of Gordon Laing by  
William & Glenda Browning

### **General Fund**

In memory of Robert W. & Mildred Smith by  
Mildred Smith Sutton

Become ERT certified.



## **Emergency Response Training**

The SC Annual Conference is offering ERT - Emergency Response Training - October 25 in Boiling Springs, SC. This training will train and connect participants to the Emergency Response teams here in SC. If you are interested, you can register at - <https://www.umcsc.org/ertregistration/> or by scanning the code provided.



## Wednesday Night Dinner

- To sign up call the church office at 864-224-2531 or watch for the link in Trending @ Trinity
- If you wish to be on a standing list, contact Dava House at 803-917-0599.
- Our guide for payment to cover our costs is: \$7 for adults, \$5 for ages 8-17, and \$3 for children age 8 & under. (family of 4 - \$20; family of 5 - \$25)
- Place cash or check in basket on dining tables or pay online through our website at [www.trinityanderson.org](http://www.trinityanderson.org).

**Menus for October** are (and will include beverage and dessert):

- 1 — Breakfast casserole, fruit and yogurt bar or pizza
- 8 — Soup, salad, cornbread or chicken nuggets
- 15 — Baked potato bar, broccoli, bread, salad or pizza
- 22 — Taco bar, Mexican coleslaw, black beans or chicken nuggets
- 29 — Beef or chicken stew, salad, bread or pizza

### ONLINE VIRTUAL SESSION | OCTOBER 18, 2025

#### 2025 SPECIAL CALLED SESSION OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA UNITED METHODIST ANNUAL CONFERENCE

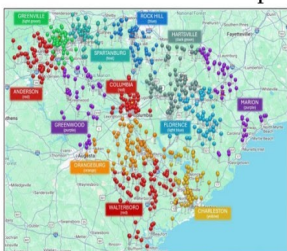
See The Possibilities of a Seed: "Plant gardens and eat what they produce." Jeremiah 29:5-7

#### SEE THE POSSIBILITIES, LIVE THE PROMISES!

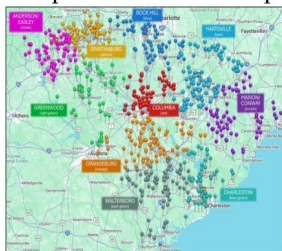
A special session of the Annual Conference has been called by Bishop Leonard E. Fairley (¶603.2) for Saturday, October 18, beginning at 9 a.m. Members will act upon recommendations from the Jeremiah Teams related to redistricting, reorganization of conference staff and missional priorities. The Annual Conference approved holding this called session virtually during the 2025 regular session.

#### Jeremiah Teams recommend UMCSC move to 10 Districts, eliminate Cabinet posts

Current 12-District Map



Proposed 10-District Map



## IT'S PICKLEBALL TIME AGAIN

On Saturday, October 4, Pickleball will be starting up again! We will play each Saturday morning at 10:00 (unless there is a conflict). You will be notified each week about the status of play. Just sign up for the GroupMe text.

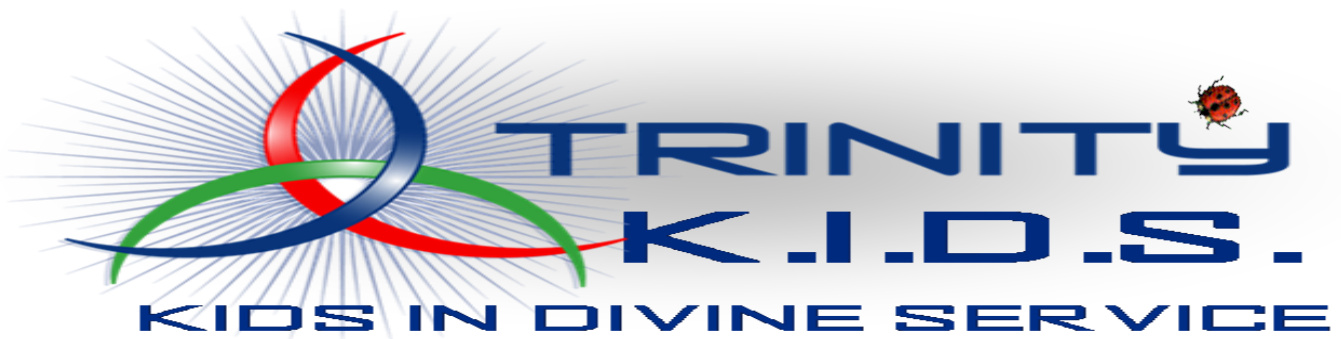
The pumpkins will also be arriving the morning of October 4<sup>th</sup>, so help unload pumpkins and then come play Pickleball in the gym.

For more information, please contact Sherryl Laing, 864-934-1251 or Ken Ramsey, 864-376-6324.



## Sharing Messages of Gratitude and Love

Thanksgiving cards will be delivered to Trinity's love persons (homebound members) in early November. The list of names will be available by October 18 at the family card box and in the church office. Please leave your cards at the family card box or in the church office by Sunday, November 9. Thank you for remembering and praying for all our love persons.



# TRINITY K.I.D.S. KIDS IN DIVINE SERVICE



October Edition

## What's Happening in a Glance



Hello, friends. This month, our KIDS ministry will be looking at the story of Paul and Barnabas. Paul was not always loved and respected by Christ's followers. He was first, a man hunting and capturing Christians because he did not believe yet that Jesus was who He said He was. Once Paul (who was originally named Saul) was blinded on the road to Damascus and met Jesus personally, he became a different person. Many people did not believe that Paul had changed for real. They were still afraid of him and worried that he was just pretending. A man named Barnabas saw Paul and recognized that his change of heart was genuine. He traveled with Paul and used his own reputation to help Paul earn the people's trust and preach about Jesus together. It is never easy to rebuild a broken reputation. Once people see someone as dishonest or untrustworthy, it is very difficult to build back trust. It is such a precious thing to be respected and seen as a good person. It was remarkable that Paul could rebuild his reputation. It is even more remarkable that Barnabas was willing to risk his own reputation in order to help a friend in need. He knew how important the message of Jesus was to the world and I think Barnabas knew that Paul's story would help others find Jesus, too. We do not know who God will use to show His love in this world. There is



someone right now needing someone to turn their mess into a message of hope in struggle and light over darkness. Like our Twix candy, two are better than one.

(See info about Youth and Children Sunday Worship Service on Page 7)



## Words to Ponder:

Alone we can do so little;  
together we can do so much.

- Helen Keller

## Lessons for October

Sunday School

10:00 AM - 10:55 AM

Twix/Paul and Barnabas  
Acts 9:26, 11:25-26, 13:1-3,  
13:42-43

Week One - Story

Week Two - Science

Week Three - Craft

Week Four - Snack

## \*JAM Session\*

3rd - 5th Grade JAMS

Oct. 17th 4:00—5:00 PM

(McDs @ 1651 Greenville St.)

Bring your Bible and  
\$\$ for a drink or snack.

## Key Passage:

"Two are better than one,  
because they have a good return  
for their labor:

If either of them falls down,  
one can help the other up.

But pity anyone who falls  
and has no one to help them up."  
Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

**Midweek Wednesday Night Meals Return August 13th:** 1st - 5th Graders meet on all Wednesdays that coincide with our Wednesday night meals. They eat supper with their families at 5:30 PM (donation requested to cover cost, as able). Then, at 6:30 PM they head upstairs for lessons and activities until 7:15 PM. They can get picked up from the children's wing classrooms at 7:15 PM or hang out with their friends until 7:30 PM in the gym for dismissal directly to parents' cars at the gym door. **Please use caution; this is a one way drive.**



# The Well Youth Ministry

10/1 - 5:30 – 7:30 PM - Midweek Meal/Well  
10/4 - @ 9 am Pumpkins Arrive - Please come help, if able.  
10/5 - 5:30 – 7:30 PM - The Well  
10/8 - 5:30 – 7:30 PM - Midweek Meal/Pumpkins and Praises  
10/11 - Chicken BBQ in the Patch  
10/12 - 5:30 – 7:30 PM - The Well  
10/15 - 5:30 – 7:30 PM - Midweek Meal/Practice for Youth and Children Sunday  
10/18 - Pumpkins are coming!  
10/19 - Youth and Children Sunday 9 AM and 11 AM Services.  
No Sunday School  
5:30 – 7:30 PM - The Well  
10/22 - 5:30 – 7:30 PM - Midweek Meal/Midweek Well  
10/24 - 6:30 PM Movie Night in the Patch—Hotel Transylvania  
10/26 - 4:00 - 5:30 PM Trunk or Treat (No Well)  
10/28 - 7:00 PM Zoom for Youth Counselors (Immerse)  
10/29 - Youth Helping in the Patch

## Service Opportunities:

- **Sunday Morning KIDS Ministry** - Youth are welcome to join us in the KIDS' wing from 9:55 - 10:55 AM to assist in science, craft, snack or story lessons. This can be a once a month, once a quarter or weekly way to serve. Contact Dawn McLin if you want to hear more.

- **Fortson Tutoring** - During the school year, Fortson offers tutoring and snacks with our friends on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:00 PM – 5:15 PM. If you are able and would like to plug in to serve, even if just once a month, please contact Dawn McLin, Michelle Lynch or Kathryn Bariou.

- **Trunk or Treat So Others Can Eat!** AIM asks for help stocking the pantry with canned food, meats or monetary donations to prepare for the holiday season. Our Anderson community relies on help when they are in a tough season and we are able to "feed the sheep" as Jesus commanded when we partner with our mission partners to feed our friends we may not have met yet. Please consider bringing food items or donating a check to AIM.

## Youth and Children Sunday Worship Service

I am excited to announce that the Youth and Children will be leading the service on **October 19th**. We have been practicing and planning for the past two months. Please mark the date on your calendar and plan to attend to support our youth and children. It is not easy to stand up in front of the church and speak or sing or pray. There may be a few flubs but it will definitely be a service of love. We are **ONE** body and we are the **CHURCH**. **We will not live stream this one for privacy and copyright concerns, so please plan to attend this very special time of worship in person.**

Our regular weekly youth group (The Well) meets on Sunday from 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm and Wednesday Night from 5:30 - 7:30 PM with a meal served both nights. A donation is requested for Wednesday meals but cost should never be a reason a youth does not plug in. Check out our Instagram, Facebook and website for details. We also have our youth Sunday school class from 10:00 am - 10:55 am in our youth room above the gym. If you are a youth or have a youth interested in plugging in, email [thewell.tumc@gmail.com](mailto:thewell.tumc@gmail.com) or contact Dawn McLin to be added to our email list for weekly information.



## The Discipleship Path

Did you forget about our Discipleship Path, because I didn't. If you did, this is your reminder that we are all on this path, regardless of our age, place in life or how long we have been on the path. Below you will find three logos, reminding you of the three parts of the Discipleship path, Loving God and All People, Learning God's Will and Ways, and Living for Christ in the World. You will also see these logos throughout the newsletter alerting you to what Trinity is doing and how it fits into our Discipleship Path.


As always, if you have questions, I would love to help answer them. Rev. Kathryn




**Casting Purls**  
1-3pm  
Thursday  
October 2, 16, 23



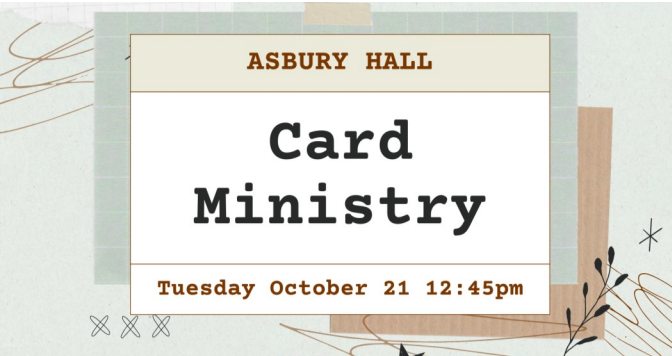

**YAH GAME DAY**  
October 2 & 16 @ 1pm  
in the Family Room



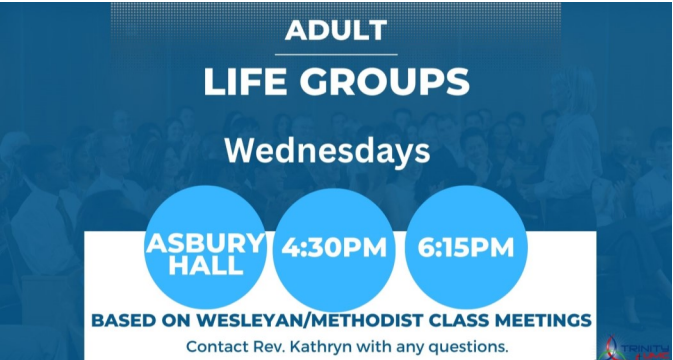
*Working Hands of Christ*  
**Women's Group**  
Monday, October 13  
11am-noon  
Asbury Hall



**YAH LUNCH GATHERING**  
**Papa's & Beer (Mexican)**  
Thursday, Oct. 9  
11:30 am  
Meets every second Thursday of each month.  
Please let Carolyn know by noon the day before if you plan to attend.



**ASBURY HALL**  
**Card Ministry**  
Tuesday October 21 12:45pm



**ADULT LIFE GROUPS**  
Wednesdays  
**ASBURY HALL 4:30PM 6:15PM**  
BASED ON WESLEYAN/METHODIST CLASS MEETINGS  
Contact Rev. Kathryn with any questions.



## **Trinity UMC Annual Charge Conference**

### **Wednesday, November 5, at 6:30pm beginning in the Sanctuary**

We will be the host church for a cluster of 5 charges.

#### **What is a charge?**

A charge refers to the appointment of a pastor to a church or ministry setting. The term has historical roots in the early Methodist movement, when local societies met in homes or shared spaces rather than dedicated church buildings. John Wesley appointed preachers to take “charge” of these societies—a term that endures today. A charge now refers to any church or entity to which a United Methodist pastor is appointed.

#### **Is a charge the same as a church?**

Sometimes, but not always. A charge may consist of a single congregation, but it can also include multiple congregations served by the same pastor. In these multi-church charges, congregations retain their individual identities while sharing pastoral leadership.

#### **What is a charge conference?**

A charge conference is an annual meeting of the leadership of a pastoral charge, held to make key decisions on behalf of the congregation(s). The meeting is presided over by the district superintendent. Voting members of the charge conference include all clergy appointed to the charge and members of the church council(s). Retired clergy and retired diaconal ministers who hold membership in any of the congregations are also members of the conference.

#### **What are the duties of the charge conference?**

The conference’s responsibilities include the following:

- Reviewing and evaluating the overall mission and ministries of the charge
- Approving new lay leadership appointments and positions for the upcoming year
- Adopting a budget for all congregations within the charge
- Recommending candidates for ordained, lay or other forms of ministry
- Setting salaries and compensation for pastors and staff appointed by the bishop
- Supporting the formation of satellite congregations with the district superintendent’s approval
- Reviewing annual membership records for each congregation

#### **Why are charge conferences important?**

Charge conferences provide a vital connection between local churches and their district superintendent. They reflect the connectional nature of The United Methodist Church, where decisions are made cooperatively by clergy, laity, congregations and connectional leadership. These conferences help ensure alignment in mission, accountability in leadership and continuity in ministry across the denomination. [adapted from resourceumc.org]

## **The Blessing of Stephen Ministry at Trinity UMC**

Stephen Ministry multiplies blessings throughout the church and community.

- Our congregation is carrying out Christ’s commandment to “*Love one another as I have loved you*” (**John 15:12 RSV**) in a powerful and practical way.
- Our pastors have a team of gifted, trained, and committed lay caregivers ready to minister to hurting people.
- Our laypeople nurture and use their gifts in meaningful ministry, growing spiritually as we serve others.

People who are hurting have a caring Christian presence to provide emotional and spiritual support.

Our Stephen Ministry helps carry out the mission of our church.

If you need a Stephen Minister, please contact, Reverend Kathryn Bariou, Trinity’s staff Stephen Leader, at [Kmbariou@umcsc.org](mailto:Kmbariou@umcsc.org) or Reverend Roy Mitchell at [rmitchell@umcsc.org](mailto:rmitchell@umcsc.org). They will assist you with the next steps of connecting with a Stephen Minister.



SAMPLE PHOTO



## **Coming Soon!**

We are excited to announce the purchase of a new Monument LED Front Lawn Display Sign. Our custom order sign is designed to offer mobile advertising options, Cloud – Based Portal, Display Readiness, Traffic Friendly Display in cooperation with the recent Anderson City Sign Ordinance.

Once installed we will have the ability to quickly display our multiple daily and weekly events and highlight special programs to the community. We hope to finish installation and have it operational before Christmas.

This purchase was made possible by a most generous donation from an anonymous Trinity UMC family member.

David Ford – Business & Facilities Manager

## **Trinity UMC 75th Anniversary Celebration is next year** **1951-2026**

Come help us think and plan for our 75<sup>th</sup> birthday celebration.  
Our next meeting will be **Monday, October 6 at 1 pm in the fellowship hall.**

*“So then, with endurance, let’s also run the race that is laid out in front of us, since we have such a great cloud of witnesses surrounding us.” - Hebrews 12:1a*

## **Campus/Business Report for October 2025**

After experiencing ideal spring and summer weather this year, let’s now welcome October’s ultimate gift of beautiful vibrant color from leaf change as the result of the natural seasonal process. Cooler weather, fall foliage, pumpkin patches, apple picking, hoodies & sweatshirt weather along with Halloween festivals ushers the season of Autumn and our desire to comfortably enjoy outdoor activities.

Please remember to bring a light jacket or sweater to our facilities over these next couple of months if you question the warmth in our buildings. Our preschool classrooms heat up daily with playful little one’s busy activities that require air conditioning for overall comfort. We usually make the official changeover to heat only in late October – early December after colder weather settles in for winter.

Our Church Work Day in September was focused on dressing up our flower beds with fresh mulch. A small crew of volunteers braved a very warm Saturday morning making our grounds look much better by spreading over five dump truck loads of mulch in a few short hours. Hopefully you can join us next spring for fellowship and service on our 2026 Church Workday project.

Our aging facilities require constant maintenance, adjustments and service in order to operate at a level of comfort desired for normal ministry use. Your financial support allows us to provide comfortable worship facilities as we broaden our Christian fellowship. Together, we can grow our church.

Peace,

David Ford – Business & Facilities Manager

October Sunday Safety Team Schedule 10:15 – noon

Oct. 5<sup>th</sup>  
David Ford

Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>  
David Miller

Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>  
Marvin McLin

Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>  
Steve Compton

## Praise in the Patch October 8, 6:30-7:00 pm



**PUMPKIN PATCH  
BBQ TICKETS**  
Chicken BBQ  
Saturday, October 11  
11am-3pm

**\$12  
PLATES**  




Tickets are available after worship services and in the church office through Monday, October 6.

# Trinity's 23rd Annual PUMPKIN PATCH



**October 4 -31**  
**Monday—Friday: 4pm-8pm**  
**Saturdays: 10am-8pm**  
**Sundays: 2pm-8pm**  
**Oct. 31: 2pm-5pm**



When you purchase at the Pumpkin Patch in 2025, you are supporting:

- **First Light:** aiding victims of sexual abuse and trauma
- **AIM:** providing basic needs with the food pantry and Summer Food for Kids
- **Frontline:** impacting the military community by nurturing Christ-like leaders
- **Haven of Rest Women's Ministry:** a Christian discipleship program for women struggling with life-dominating addictions
- **Rebuild Upstate:** repairing homes to improve livability for owners with the help of staff and volunteers
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