

**Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost**  
**August 23, 2015**

Welcome and Announcements  
 Prayer  
 Prelude

*(As the Prelude begins, prayerfully prepare your hearts and minds for worship.)*

*Acolyte		
Call to Worship	“ <i>Standing in the Need of Prayer</i> ”	Choir
*Hymn	“ <i>Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus</i> ” verses 1, 3, 4	514

*(Please register your attendance on the pew pads provided)*

First Lesson	1 Kings 8:(1, 6, 10-11), 22-30, 41-43	Pages 306-308 (O.T.)
*Psalter	Psalm 84	804-805
*Affirmation of Faith	“ <i>Apostles’ Creed</i> ”	881
*Gloria Patri	“ <i>Glory Be to the Father</i> ”	70

Sharing of the Joys & Concerns of the Church  
 Prayers of Confession & Intercession  
 The Lord’s Prayer (*Unison*)

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*Hymn	“ <i>Standing on the Promises</i> ” verses 1, 4	374
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“Let the Children Come!”  
*(Those 3 years of age through 5 years of age may go to Children’s Nursery.)*

Presentation of Tithes & Offerings  
 Offertory  
 \*Doxology

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Anthem	“ <i>My Savior and My God</i> ”	Choir
Second Lesson	Ephesians 6:10–20	Page 185 (N.T.)
Today’s Message	“Are You Equipped with God’s Armor”	Rev. Donna Eidson

Invitation to Christian Discipleship  
*(You are invited to come to the altar during the singing of the hymn to signify your commitment or re-commitment to Christ, or for prayer, confession, or comfort, in response to God’s Word)*

*Hymn	“ <i>Soldiers of Christ, Arise</i> ” verses 1, 4	513
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*Acolyte		
*Dismissal With Benediction		
*Benediction Response	“ <i>Standing in the Need of Prayer</i> ”	Choir

\*Postlude

\*The Congregation May Stand

**Leading in Worship Today**

Pastor:	Donna Stone Eidson	Nursery:	Annette Watson
Pianist :	Laurie Knapp	Tellers:	Pam Turner; Bonnie Ramsey
Music Director:	Jackie McNeill	A/V Assistant :	Marie Stiles; Trey Howard
Lay Reader:	Tom Geddens	Time Together:	UMW

**VISITORS ARE WELCOME** in the service of worship! Please make use of the visitor’s tags (located in the pew backs) to help us better welcome you as a visitor to Trinity this morning. We ask that you also please fill in the pew pad as it passes to register your attendance with us. **Large print hymnals** are available from the ushers. An **INFANT AND TODDLER NURSERY** is provided during the worship hour. Parents: please ask an usher for assistance.

You may join as a member into the life and work of this congregation by Confession of Faith or by Transfer of Membership from another church. If you would be interested in becoming a member, please speak to the pastor.

**The ROSEBUDS ON THE ALTAR** are placed in honor of the birth of **Ty and Ginnie Byrd** on Friday, August 14, 2015. **Ty and Ginnie** are the son and daughter of **Ryan and Heather Byrd**, the brother and sister of **Clemson Belle**, and the grandson and granddaughter of **Donna Easterling**.

**Today’s Lovely Flowers** are given to the Glory of God in appreciation for his loving grace and in honor and celebration of their **50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary August 28th**, by **Ted and Ruth Frady**.

**“AS MEMBERS OF THIS CONGREGATION, WE WILL FAITHFULLY PARTICIPATE IN ITS MINISTRIES BY OUR PRAYERS...**

Shirley Padgett	Carol Frye	Hannah Easterling	Tommy Johnson	Jimmy Grahl
Sara Efron	Rusty Poole	George Taylor	Arnold Heiting	Latson Lewis
Carolyn Hardee	Charlie Hooker			

**Shut-Ins:** Theresa Awtrrey; Mary Brewer; Nellie Hipp; Terry Pitts; Thomas Risinger; Miriam Simpson; Claudia Sineath; Donnie Sox

**Family and Friends:** **Beth Franklin** (coworker of Julie Kamoroff); **Elaine Renew** (friend of Donna Eidson); **Beth Ann Feimster** (sister of Christopher McCroskey); **Deborah Strachan** (friend of Marie Stiles); **Lucy Lee Collins** (friend of Bonnie Ramsey); **Susan Luthern** (friend of Bonnie Ramsey); **Sherry Murphy** (niece of Shirley Padgett); **Andy Potts** (Coworker of Kathy White); **Tommy Baggott** (dad of Kathy White's coworker); **Nicole White** (daughter-in-law of Steve White); **Collins Wilder** (Friend of Kathy White); **Caleb Fisher** (grandson of Ruth Frady's friend); **Tessie & Buster Guichard** (mother & stepfather of Marty Johnson); **Rich Holmes** (cousin of Marty Johnson); **Becky Sulser** (friend of Genie Duncan); **Jan Kelleher** (friend of Genie Duncan); **Kitty Sellers** (friend of John & Patsy Zeigler); **Xavier Crane** (grandnephew of John Ballentine); **Fran Ballentine** (sister of John Ballentine); **Jon Kirby** (grandson of Nell Cooke); **Sue Harmon** (friend of Arnold & Jo Ann Heiting); **Josephine Von Glahn** (mother of Jo Ann Heiting); **Vera Von Glahn** (sister-in-law of Jo Ann Heiting); **Dan McGowan** (friend of Arnold Heiting); **Regis Stevens** (mother of Kaye Floyd & Jack Stevens); **Vickie Bright** (friend of Kaye Floyd); **Michael Hardeman** (friend of Billy Pearson); **Ralph & Garland Pearson** (brothers of Bill Pearson); **Randy Hodge** (friend of Ray Frady); **Mitch Anderson** (son of Ray Frady's friend); **Susan Jones** (wife of Stuart Jones); **Nancy Friedrich** (Shirley Butler's niece); **Michael Carter** (son of Esther Carter); **Adam Lavender** (son of Phil Lavender); **Linda Boatwright** (sister of George & Morris Taylor)

**OUR PRESENCE ...**

Attendance 8/16 Sunday School 25 Morning Worship: 63

**OUR GIFTS ...**

General Fund 8/16 \$ 6,042.00 Noisy Offering from VBS: \$ 40.51

**OUR SERVICE ...**

**OUR WITNESS."**

**Church Calendar**

8/25 Bible Study @ home of Nell Cooke, 10:30 a.m.

8/26 Prayer Group, 7 a.m.

**Serving in August/September**

**Serving On:**

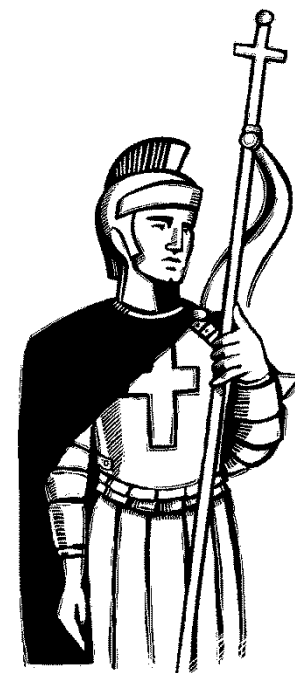
<b>Ushers:</b>	<b>August 30</b> Needed	<b>September 6</b> Visions Class
<b>Tellers:</b>	Marie Stiles; Jo Ann Heiting	Becky Derrick; Rusty Poole
<b>Flowers:</b>	George Taylor Sr. & Jr.	<b>Needed</b>
<b>Lay Reader:</b>	Tom Geddens	Not Needed
<b>Time Together:</b>	UMW	Jewel Percy; Pauline Wenner
<b>AV Assistant:</b>	Marie Stiles	John Ballentine



<b>Ministers</b>	<b>The Congregation</b>
<b>Pastor</b>	<b>Donna Stone Eidson</b>
<b>Resident Bishop</b>	<b>Jonathan Holston</b>
<b>District Superintendent</b>	<b>Rev. Catherine Jamieson-Ogg</b>

**Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.**

**Our vision is to Connect, Nurture, Inspire and Transform**



Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able... to stand.

Ephesians 6:13

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### CASUAL SUNDAY

Casual Sundays will take place through the end of August. The choir and pastor will not wear robes and you are encouraged to dress for casual comfort.



**Sunday, August 30  
9 a.m.**

Our Sunday School Breakfast is held on the last Sunday of every month. Everyone is invited to join for this time of great food and fellowship.



### BALANCE GROUP NEWS!!!!

Classes for the **'Still Movin' Balance Group** will begin after Labor Day on Wednesday, September 9, 2015 from 2:30 to 3:15 p.m. Classes will be scheduled on Monday and Wednesday afternoons from 2:30 to 3:15 p.m. for 10 weeks. With fun activities and exercises, an instructor and students from the University of South Carolina, Department of Exercise Science, will be guiding us to better balance and coordination. Please sign up in the Gathering Area if you are interested, or call Marilyn Lloyd to sign up or ask any questions.



Vital Ministries will meet on Monday, August 31, at 6 p.m.

Lunch Bunch will be held on Sunday, September 6, immediately following the service. Everyone is invited to bring a covered dish and enjoy this informal time of fellowship.

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, September 7, for Labor Day.

UMW will meet on Wednesday, September 9, at 11 a.m.

The Africa University Golf Outing will be held on Monday, September 28, at Cobblestone Golf Course in Blythewood, SC. The cost for the event is \$100.00 and includes entry into all events, 18 holes of golf, riding cart, snacks, dinner and various awards. You can pre-register by calling 803-210-6103. The funds will be used to support scholarships, provide health services at Africa University, as well as care for orphaned children and persons living with HIV/AIDS. Registration forms can be found in the Gathering Area.



Our Fall series of Wonderful Wednesdays will begin on Wednesday, September 9, and continue through Wednesday, October 28. The meals will be served at 5:30 p.m. followed by Bible Study with Pastor Donna at 6:15 p.m.

The price of the meals is \$5.00 for adults and children 12 and over. Children 6 to 12 are \$3.00 each. Children ages 2 to 5 are \$1.00. Reservation forms for each week will be included in the Sunday bulletin beginning Sunday, September 6, so that we can be sure and have another food prepared. You can also call and make a reservation through the Church Office by calling before noon on Monday each week.