First Sunday after the Epiphany January 10, 2016

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer

Prelude Christopher A. McCroskey

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

*Acolyte

Call to Worship "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" Choir *Hymn "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" vs. 1, 4, 5

(Please register your attendance on the pew pads provided)

First Lesson	Isaiah 43:1-7	Page 638 (O.T.)
*Psalter	Psalm 29	761
*Affirmation of Faith	"Apostles" Creed"	881
*Gloria Patri	"Glory Be to the Father"	70

Sharing of the Joys & Concerns of the Church

Prayers of Confession & Intercession

The Lord's Prayer (*Unison*) 895

*Hymn "Spirit Song" 347

"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 "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" 95

Solo Dan Greshel

Second Lesson Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 Page 60 (N.T.)
Today's Message "Baptism of our Lord Jesus" Donna Stone 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 "The Lily of the Valley" vs. 1, 3 TFWS 2062

*Acolyte

*Dismissal With Benediction

*Benediction Response "Twofold Amen" Choir
*Postlude Christopher A. McCroskey

*The Congregation May Stand

Leading in Worship Today

Pastor: Rev. Donna Stone Eidson Tellers: Mary Kamoroff; Jo Ann Heiting

Nursery: Annette Watson Lay Reader: Tom Geddens
Music Director: Jackie McNeill AV Assistant: Marie Stiles
Choir Director/ Christopher A. McCroskey Time Together: Ruth Frady

Church Musician Ushers: Mike Bailey; George Taylor

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.

TODAY'S LOVELY FLOWERS are given to the Glory of God.

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

John Ballentine	Tommy Johnson	Ted Frady	Mary Alice Duncan	Patsy Shuler
Shirley Padgett	Carolyn Sox	Arnold Heiting	Sara Efron	Charlie Hooker
Rusty Poole	Genie Duncan	George Taylor	Latson Lewis	Mary Sue Lewis
Andy Jones				

Shut-Ins: Theresa Awtrey; Mary Brewer; Terry Pitts; Thomas Risinger; Miriam Simpson; Claudia Sineath; Donnie Sox

Family and Friends: Becky Ward (friend of Christopher McCroskey); Robert E. Holladay (brother of Carolyn Hardee); Marjorie Eidson (mother-in-law of Donna Eidson); Ben Strickland (son of Bob & Libby Strickland); Ray Culbreth's Group House; Amelia Zinski (great-niece of Linda Maloch); Wayne Blair (son of Dot Johnson); Betty Webber & family (friends of Donna Eidson); Elaine Renew (friend of Donna Eidson); Deborah Strachan (friend of Marie Stiles); Randy Suarez (friend of Bonnie Ramsey); Sherry Murphy (niece of Shirley Padgett); Gwen Skipper (grandmother of Matthew Skipper); Tommy Baggott (dad of Kathy White's coworker); Nicole White (daughter-in-law of Steve White); Caleb Fisher (grandson of Ruth Frady's friend); George & Mary Ann Rentz (father & stepmother of Marty Johnson); Rich Holmes (cousin of Marty Johnson); 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); Josephine Von Glahn (mother of Jo Ann Heiting); Vera Von Glahn (sister-in-law of Jo Ann Heiting); Regis Stevens (mother of Kaye Floyd & Jack Stevens); Vickie Bright (friend of Kaye Floyd); Ralph & Garland Pearson (brothers of Bill Pearson); Mitch Anderson (son of Ray Frady's friend); Susan Jones (wife of Stuart Jones); Roz Glaze (sister of Shirley Butler); Michael Carter (son of Esther Carter); Adam Lavender (son of Phil Lavender); Linda Boatwright (sister of George & Morris Taylor)

If you have a friend or family member on the Prayer List, we ask you to please keep us updated. If no word is received, we will trust that our prayers have been answered and remove the name. To update us, please call the office or e-mail us at trinityumcwc@sc.rr.com.

OUR PRESENCE ...

Attendance 01/03 Sunday School 20 Morning Worship: 48

OUR GIFTS ...

General Fund 01/03 \$ 6.167.00

OUR SERVICE ...
OUR WITNESS."

Church Calendar

01/10 Birthday Celebration

01/13 Prayer Group, 7 a.m.

UMW, 11 a.m.

01/14 Trustees, 6 p.m.

01/16 Kick Off for Christ, 8:30 a.m. @ Trinity

January

Serving On:January 17January 24Ushers:NeededNeeded

Tellers: Ted Frady; Patsy Boggs Pam Turner; Bonnie Ramsey

Flowers: Needed Needed
Lay Reader: Becky Derrick Needed
Time Together: Mary Louise Robinson UMW

A V Assistant: Marie Stiles Marie Stiles; Trey Howard



Ministers Pastor Resident Bishop

District Superintendent

Donna Stone Eidson Jonathan Holston Rev. Catherine Jamieson-Ogg

The Congregation

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

Our vision is to Connect, Nurture, Inspire and Transform



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KICK OFF FOR CHRIST! ALL MEMBERS OF TRINITY UMC ARE INVITED! Trinity UMC Fellowship Hall

Mark your calendars for this Saturday, January 16. A light breakfast will be provided at 8:30 a.m. and we will begin at 9 a.m. Lunch will be provided and we will close with a Communion Service around 3 p.m. Help us continue our mission! Bring your ideas and enthusiasm as we plan for 2016. A sign-up sheet is located in the Gathering Area.

STILL MOVIN' BALANCE GROUP For Women and Men!

Trinity United Methodist Women are coordinating with the University of South Carolina's Health and Exercise Department for a ten week Balance Class to begin during the next semester of classes beginning later in January. They will probably be on Monday and Wednesday again from 2 – 2:45 p.m. Our instructor and students will provide exercises and information to keep us movin' in a healthy way. Please sign up in the Gathering Area or call Jackie Eitel in the office. A fee of \$25.00 is required before attending. If writing a check, make it out to Trinity UMW. (Marilyn will be happy to collect the money for the University.)



God's Helping Hands - Volunteer Opportunity

The Outreach/Witness committee has volunteered for the client delivery for God's Helping Hands in **February 2016.** We will need 5 or 6 cars to meet at God's Helping Hands on Saturday, February 20, 2016 to pick up the client baskets and then to deliver them to the elderly clients.

Trinity has not volunteered for this in several years and we feel it is our time to volunteer and to physically support God's Helping Hands. If you have any questions please call Patsy Boggs at 606-3488.

Week of Prayer of Christian Unity January 18-25, 2016

Schedule of Worship Services 6:00 – 6:30 p.m.

Monday	January 18th	Mt. Tabor Lutheran
Tuesday	January 19th	All Saints Episcopal
Wednesday	January 20th	Faith Lutheran
Thursday	January 21st	Providence Presbyterian
Friday	January 22nd	Trinity United Methodist
Saturday	January 23rd	Turner AME
Sunday	January 24th	Transfiguration Lutheran
Monday	January 25th	Our Savior Lutheran

Special Events and Service Opportunities

A Time for Service to the Community Monday, January 18, 2016

Litter patrol to clean Frink St. or Julius Felder St. at 9:00 am (meet at Cayce UMC)

Making Quilts at Mt. Tabor Lutheran at 10:00 am

If you would like to volunteer in either of these activities please fill out this form and place in the offering plate or return to your church's office.

Name	Service Project I want to participate in on Jan.18
	Litter Patrol
Phone Number	Making Quilts
	Other Project I will do on that day
Church	_

Special collection for the Good Samaritan Clinic

(Please bring items to the church and then the church will please bring all items to Providence Presbyterian on the Thursday night of Unity Week)

GOOD SAMARITAN CLINIC

The Good Samaritan Clinic is a free medical clinic providing primary care for the uninsured with a special focus at two of our clinics on the Latino community. We operate four clinics; Northeast Columbia, West Columbia, Chapin, and Edisto Island. We have been serving the uninsured in the Columbia area since 2001. We also offer a Women's Clinic, providing obstetric and gynecological care, and a Dental Clinic at the West Columbia location. We are funded through grants and gifts, both corporate and individual.

LIST OF NEEDS

Office Supplies: Copy paper, tape, pens, pencils, letter opener, staplers, staples and removers, Post-It notes, hanging files (legal size), hand sanitizer, liquid hand soap, liquid paper (white-out), labels, tape dispenser, 3 tab file folders (letter size), ½ inch prong fastener bases, hole puncher, bottles water, paper towel holder, hand soap refill, etc.

<u>Cleaning Supplies</u>: Towel and toilet paper tissue, hand soap, multipurpose cleaner, disinfectant (long lasting fragrance), trash bags for 8 gallon and 13 gallon receptacles, Lysol disinfectant spray, Clorox or Lysol disinfecting wipes, toilet bowl cleaner, glass cleaner

Medical Supplies: Gauze 2x2 inches, sterile non-adherent pad (gauze pad), gloves (S, M, L), alcohol prep pads small plastic cups (3 to 8 oz), masks, multivitamins and over the counter medicines, table examination paper rolls, Unitstik lancets, cotton balls, band aids, sterile tongue depressor, disposable gowns and drape sheets, wrist braces, K-Y lubricant, sharp containers, electrodes (for ECG), etc.

A Special Time for Community Building

On Sunday, January 24, 2016, from 4:00 - 5:30 pm, as part of "Unity Week", the West Metro Parish Social Work Initiative will present "Race and Grace". This is a panel discussion on race relations and diversity topics in South Carolina and our Society. The panel will consist of several members that briefly discuss their experiences with diversity as it pertains to Scripture.

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