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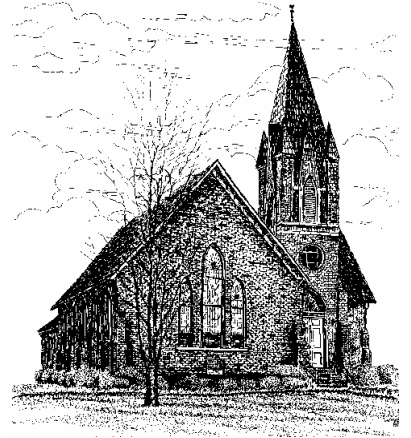
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Church School: 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship: 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8:30am – 1:30pm (Closed Fridays)



June 16, 2009

From the Pastor

This Sunday will be another busy one in the life of the Church. Here at Trinity we will be celebrating Father's Day and we will be gathering again for NewSong, our contemporary worship experience. We will be celebrating God's love through families and we will be celebrating through worship. NewSong was a blessing to those of us who attended last month, and we are praying that it will bless even more people this month. If you know people who are not really active in church, or people who enjoy a less traditional style of worship than we offer at our morning services, please invite them. Bring them if you have to! We want to offer the good news of God's love through Jesus Christ to folks whose lives have yet to be changed or touched. Like last month, the message will be a different one from the one that we will hear at the 9 and 11 O'clock services so if you feel led to join us for morning and evening worship you will be touched by different music and a different message.

In other places in South Carolina United Methodism, Sunday will be a day of leave-taking. Next Wednesday, June 24, is moving day for United Methodist pastors. On Sunday, some congregations and pastors will be saying their goodbyes and remembering the ministry that they have shared together. In our immediate area there are only a few changes—Philadelphia and Sharon churches, which have been yoked together for over 30 years, are going to be separated. Rev. Josh McClendon will serve Bethel UMC in Rock Hill as well as Philadelphia. Rev. Ray Reavis will add Sharon UMC to New Zion and Shady Grove and serve the new Western York Charge. Our prayers will be with Rev. John Williams and his family as they move to the North-Limestone Charge in the Orangeburg District. There are other changes in the Rock Hill District, but these are the ones closest to us. Neither of the former pastors of Trinity who are still in the active ministry, Rev. Jim Correll and Rev. Larry Rodeffer, are moving this year. Jim is remaining in Easley and Larry is staying in Bluffton. As I wrote a few weeks ago, Anna and Travis and I are delighted to be returning to Trinity for another year of ministry together. God has blessed us by sending us here and we are glad to be returning to work together.

I think that it is fitting that we end the "appointment year" on a busy note, with the NewSong service and with Father's Day. We will have all sorts of special things happening in our worship services, and it will be a time for sensing God's presence and guidance and reaching out to God and each other. This is what we have been doing since this time last year, isn't it? We have been worshipping God. We have been reaching out into our community and our world, and we have been blessed by God's grace and strength among us. I would rather be busy with the kinds of ministry that we are sharing than almost anything I can imagine. This summer will be a time where we at Trinity will be involved in a number of special projects. The Summer Activities booklet has lined out a number of them. Others will come up and be enjoyed as time unfolds. Next week we will be celebrating the second "Sing! Sing! Sing" Celebration. We will also be meeting for a few moments after worship on the 28th to formalize our plan for the generous gift that Vida Lee Stewart left to Trinity. What an exciting time to be in ministry in the York area! What an exciting summer to learn about God's love and to grow closer to God and to each other.

God bless us all as we minister and grow together. In Jesus' name. Gene Feagin, Pastor

Sunday, June 21st, 2009
Scriptures: II Corinthians 6:1-13; Mark 4:35-41
Sermon: "The Wind and Sea Obey"

SUNDAY, June 21 – Father’s Day

Worship Service 9:00 a.m.
Fellowship Time 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Contemporary Worship Service in the Trinity Center 6:00 p.m.
Flower Ministry: Carnations
Lay Reader: Alice Smith
Nursery Infants: Kristen & Jamie Patterson
Toddler Church: Staci & Chip Rampey
Children’s Church: Alicia & David Breakfield
Acolyte: Sarah Grace Garner

MONDAY 22

Ages 3-11/EDventure Museum Meet at the church 9:00 a.m.

TUESDAY 23

Dulcimer Class 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY 24

Adults/Flat Rock Playhouse Meet at the church 9:00 a.m.

Chancel Choir 7:30 p.m.

SUNDAY – June 28

UMMen & The Bibletones 7:30 a.m.

Worship Service 9:00 a.m.

Fellowship Time 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Charge Conference in the Conference Room 12:00 noon

USHERS FOR JUNE: *Kenny Cloniger, Kevin Smiley, Lee Alford, Basil Childers, Johnny Eite, Kelly Pursley, Bud Jones.

TRUSTEES/JUNE: Steve Boyd & Keith McSwain

ALTAR GUILD/JUNE: Ellen Jones & April Smith

WELCOME VISITORS/JUNE: FRIENDS Class

VISITOR CARDS/JUNE: Eric Johnston

Sunday School Attendance June 14: 99
Worship Attendance (9:00 am) June 14: 49
Worship Attendance (11:00 am) June 14: 120
Operating Fund received on June 14 \$5,059.21
Operating Fund received up to June 14 \$137,525.06
Budget goal up to June 14 (\$6,500 x 24) \$156,000.00

MEMORIALS

To the Operating Fund in memory of:

Voight Hipp by Bill & Harriet Wilkins; Irene Putnam, The Mark Helton Family; Steve & Helen Boyd; Ronnie & Liz Cowart; John & Amelia Ollis; Edith Gregg; WGPM Inc; Lib Brice; Dr. & Mrs. Bill Sandifer; Burton R. Schools; Mr. & Mrs. Frank Easterby.

DeAnna Greiner by John & Frances Howe; Jack Benfield Class.

To the Sudan Fund/Tractor in memory of Voight Hipp by the Morning Circle.

To the Sudan Fund in memory of DeAnna Greiner by Bud & Suzanne Jones.

To the Mississippi/Katrina Fund in memory of DeAnna Greiner by Kenny & Ellen Jones.

HONORARIA in honor of Nettie Mae Bolin’s 90th birthday:

To the Operating Fund by John & Frances Howe; Curtis & Peggy Sigmon.

To the Sudan Fund by Bud & Suzanne Jones.

To the Mississippi/Katrina Fund by the Morning Circle.

VISITORS ON SUNDAY, JUNE 14

The Gallions, 8 Park Drive, York.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Our prayers are with Lydia Smiley, Nancy Ligon, Havern & Helen Brindle, John Smith, John Deyton, Lois Crolley, Ernie Ulbricht, Louise Smith, Bob Johnsey, Clark Warren, Bebe

Benfield, Marion Fischer; and Betty Smith recovering following surgery.

Also, we remember Harold Dellinger, father of Susan Jordan; Howard Steele, father of Sandy Pursley; Emily Brown, mother of Kathy Brown; Angie Moss, daughter of Helen Pridmore; Gene Farris, father of Bubba Farris; Rick Glenn, friend of John Eite; Agnes Love, mother-in-law of Matt Feemster; Dot Caldwell, Anne Hipp’s sister; Karen Duncan, one of the members of our Mississippi/Katrina Team; Kinsley James, daughter of Skip James, a friend of Evelyn Johnsey; Essie Thompson, grandmother of April Smith; Roy Wilkerson, father of Denise Mitchell; Lacey Robinson, friend of Ann Bailes; and Mackenzie Decuir.

Our sympathy is with Bill Huffstetler and his family, following the death of his granddaughter, DeAnna Greiner.

The Mississippi/Katrina Team would like to thank each person who helped make our First Wednesday night supper a success. We appreciated all of the help and especially everyone who came out to eat. The proceeds will be used to help defray costs in November when we go back on our Mission Trip.

SUMMER SNACKS AT PATH: Please remember our PATH clients when grocery shopping – popcorn, pudding packs, crackers, trail mix, etc!!

The PATH Team

"Breakfast with The Bibletones" - On Sunday, June 28, The United Methodist Men are inviting EVERYONE to breakfast at 7:30am. The Bibletones will perform a musical program at 8:00am. Come with a friend and an appetite to enjoy some good food and wonderful music.

There will be a special Charge Conference on June 28th at 12:00 for the purpose of accepting and dealing with the bequest to Trinity UMC from the estate of Vida Lee Stewart. This will be the only business of the Charge Conference at this time

ALICE’S CORNER

• Please **TURN IN** your Summer Activities Registration Form **right away**. It is helpful to know how many persons are coming to the events. The church bus is **now full** for most activities.

I have purchased 10 more tickets for CPCC – Willy Wonka. I now have **3** remaining but could order more if necessary.

• All adults are welcome to join our group for Open Kitchen restaurant this Thursday night at 5:30 pm.

• This Friday, June 19, everyone at Trinity and friends are invited to see the Charlotte Knights play Buffalo. Game time is 7:15. It’s Family Fun Night. For just \$10.00 you get two general admission tickets, two hot dogs, and two Blue Bunny cones. Just print your coupon at www.charlotteknights.com/friday. Check out the activities booklet for more details.

• Next Monday, June 22 is our trip to EDventure (ages 3-11). Cost is \$6.50 per person. Meet at the church at 9:00 am. Bring money for lunch (probably at Wendy’s) and snack for when we arrive in Columbia.

• All Adults attending Man of La Mancha at Flatrock Playhouse (Wednesday, June 24) will meet at the church at 9:00 am. Bring lunch money and \$2.50 for gas money.

• “Under Construction – Habitat for Humanity” Vacation Bible School will be held July 13-17. A fun week for ages 2-6th grade. Please get your registration form in as soon as possible plus those of friends who will be attending.

Get your BBQ Tickets NOW !

Tickets for the BBQ supper on July 11th, will be on sale this Sunday and we HOPE you will plan to attend this event sponsored by the Sudan Team. Our guests for the evening will be Anita Henderlight of Knoxville, TN and Diane Birungi of Yei, Sudan. They will make a brief presentation following supper. The BBQ will be served as a buffet with all the trimmings and dessert. It begins at 6:30 PM. Any proceeds will go to support the NESEI School and Sudan projects. What an excellent opportunity to come out and meet members of the staff of the NESEI School and learn about how **your** gifts have helped them with the school program!! A nursery will be provided for children after the meal. **Thank you in advance for your support during this busy time of the year.**