

## Activities and Opportunities

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**Hospital Patient** 

Javi Hager - Levine Children's Hospital, Charlotte, NC

Welcome to worship at Trinity, a place of love, grace, and belonging where all, without exception, are loved, honored, valued, affirmed, welcomed, and celebrated. If you are new to Trinity, we are thrilled to have you here. If you would like to know more about this congregation and our ministry please share your contact information with us by filling out a Connection Card which can be obtained from the pew racks or baskets. Thank you for your presence among us.

**Contributions.** Trinity is grateful for all the prayers, contributions, and displays of support from members, friends, and guests. Financial contributions can be placed in the offering plates during worship, mailed to the church, or given electronically by going to our website trinitylutheran.ws by scanning the QR code, or texting TLCGIVE to 73256.



**Worship Bags** are available in the Narthex or Gym for children to use and enjoy during the Service. After worship, used bags may be placed in the baskets next to the stands.

**Children's Worship Opportunity.** Accompanied by Child Protection trained adults, all children are invited to leave the worship space after the children's sermon to go to either the Assembly Room (located underneath the Sanctuary) or to the Multipurpose Room (located in the Activities Building) depending on the location of worship to enjoy a story related to the scripture texts, games, interactive activities, and a craft before returning to the worship space during the Sharing of the Peace and in time to participate in the congregation's celebration of Holy Communion.

**Trinity is recognizing the 2024 high school graduates** today during worship. A reception in their honor will be held immediately following worship. Please join the Trinity family in congratulating the following seniors: Carlie Balck, Emma Grace Haines, Nate Hybl, Ben McCormack, Peyton Roth, Abby Sease, and Adyson Woodward.

**The Welcome Table.** May's meal will take place on Wednesday, May 15 at 11:30 am in the Multipurpose Room. There will be a hot dog lunch followed by Bingo. An RSVP is not required to attend. All are welcome and encouraged to come for lunch! If you would specifically like to volunteer, please reach out to Patrick Preacher via text at 864-483-2590.

**Love Wins** will meet on Thursday, May 16, at the home of Jaime and Karen Fivecoat, 11 Andy Court, Taylors at 6:30. The group will discuss the podcast, *Out and Free and Still Christian*, with Jonathan Merritt. Participants are asked to bring an appetizer and beverage of their choice. All are invited and welcome! For more information, contact Angie McCormack at <u>ahmccormack@trinitylutheran.ws</u>.

All pre-school children (infant to K4) and their siblings and families are invited to a play day and picnic next Sunday, May 19 following worship in the children's classroom on the first floor of the Pence Building. Children will enjoy a story and song as well as time on the playground as the weather allows. A simple meal of uncrustables, chips, fruit, cookies, and juice boxes will be provided for children, siblings, and adults. To register for this time together, please reach out to Patrick Preacher at pdpreacher@trinitylutheran.ws or Pastor Crowell at sjcrowell@trinitylutheran.ws.

**Trinity Youth** will meet today in the Youth Room from 5:30 - 7:00 pm for the monthly event to prepare for the ELCA Youth Gathering in July. All youth are invited to attend. These monthly events are center around the Youth Gathering theme, *Created to Be*, and will provide the opportunity for all youth to build relationships and grow in their faith. The event will include dinner, lessons, and activities.

**Out to Lunch Bunch** is open to all Trinity adults who want to enjoy fellowship and eat lunch together after worship once a month. The group will meet next Sunday, May 19 at *Kannika's Thai Kitchen*, 430 Haywood Road, Suite B, Greenville 29607. Reach out to Deacon Amy Brown to reserve a spot.

**Trinity Lutheran Church History Reading Group** will meet next Sunday, May 19 at 3:00 pm in Rooms 12 and 13. All are welcome. The group will discuss *Our Beloved Kin* by Lisa Brooks. Carl Brune will lead the discussion. Contact David Hill at <u>jdhillnc50@gmail.com</u> or (704) 307-0520 or Don Todd at <u>dktodd47@gmail.com</u> or (803) 517-8129 for more information. Participation via Zoom will be available.





# Pack the City Council!

We find ourselves at a pivotal moment in our ongoing efforts to address our city's pressing housing crisis. Despite their public commitments, our city officials were absent from our recent Nehemiah Action event, a gathering crucial for voicing the needs and struggles of our community. We must ensure that our voices are not just heard, but that they resonate where they have the greatest potential to effect change. Join us in attending the next two city council meetings.

### May 13 and May 20

#### 5:30 pm Greenville City Hall: Council Chambers **Wear green!**



Ride on the Trinity Bus for the May 13 meeting! Departing from the Red Canopy Door at 4:45 pm.



Please contact Angie McCormack to sign up for the bus, with any questions, or to confirm your attendance independent of the bus. ahmccormack@trinitylutheran.ws