

Activities and Opportunities

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June 1, 2025

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.

Pastor Crowell is on vacation today.

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.



Children's Worship Activity. Accompanied by Child Protection trained adults, children are invited to leave worship after the children's sermon to go hear the scripture read in ways more appropriate for their age. Using lectionary stories heard in worship each Sunday, the children not only hear scripture, but enjoy a related activity such as a game, craft, or music. Children return to worship during the sharing of the peace and in time to participate in the celebration of Holy Communion.

Communion. In an effort to further embrace Trinity's mission of welcome, affirmation, and hospitality, both wine and grape juice are available. The addition of grape juice enables God's beloveds for whom alcohol is problematic to participate fully. The grape juice is located in the smaller section of the chalice.

Queer-Led Worship. On Thursday, June 5 worship will begin at 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary. New queer leaders are always welcome. Please email Patrick Preacher at pdpreacher@trinitylutheran.ws if interested. Absolutely all people, queer and allies alike, are welcome to worship. This service will be live-streamed. Refreshments and fellowship to follow as well as the blessing of the Pride 2025 banner on the front lawn.

Worship Bags are available in the Narthex or the Gym for children. Bags for preschoolers are tied with a white ribbon. Bags for elementary age children have no ribbon. After worship, used bags may be placed in the baskets next to the stands.

Nursery for infants and toddlers. A nursery hosted by a member of the Trinity staff, Beth Oswald, as well as a small group of rotating volunteers who have been trained in Trinity's Child Protection Policy is available each Sunday morning beginning at 9:45 am to care for infants and toddlers who would prefer enjoying play time instead of attending 10:00 am worship. The nursery is located on the first floor of the Pence Building. Please reach out to a greeter or usher if you need assistance.

Adult Faith Formation. This class continues to meet at 9:00 am in Rooms 12 and 13 on Sunday mornings and finishes the lesson and discussion in time to attend worship at 10:00 am.

Mahjong Group. A small group of Trinity members and friends gather each Friday morning at 10:00 am in the Assembly Room to spend time together and play Mahjong. It's a non-competitive group with folks willing to teach others to play the game. Questions may be directed via text to Penny Bostain at 864-630-8798 or Lani Ludian at 864-419-9574.

The Greenville Literacy Association is sponsoring the *Really Good, Really Big, Really Cheap Book Sale* and Trinity is a sponsoring organization. Book Collection will continue through the first week of July. The collection box is located in the Breezeway. Books may also be taken to the GLA location at McAlister Square. For more information, go to the GLA website at greenvilleliteracy.org.

GOAL network members are invited to gather at Fourth Presbyterian Church, 703 East Washington Street, Greenville for a Celebration Event and Investment Drive on Thursday, June 12 from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. At this event accomplishments of the past year will be celebrated and all network members will be asked to make an investment in the ministry. Financial contributions to GOAL may be made by bringing a check to this event, mailing a check to GOAL at P.O. Box 757, Greenville, South Carolina 29602, through PayPal at www.goaljustice.com, or set GOAL up as a bill through online banking. Thank you for supporting this ministry that is helping to make Greenville a more fair, just, and equitable community for all people. Contact Cathy O'Neill at cathycate51@gmail.com with questions.

The Women's Bible Study and Fellowship Group will meet on Tuesday, June 3 at 10:30 am in Rooms 12 and 13. The group is reading the book *Saving Grace* by Kirsten Powers. Discussion this month is on Chapter 6.

Fiber Arts Group. Those who enjoy (or want to learn) crochet, knitting, cross-stitch, sewing, latch hooking, or some other fiber-based craft not listed here are invited to come together for a time of crafting and community. Really, all crafts that travel well are welcome! Attendees should bring supplies to craft. The group will meet on Monday, June 2 at 6:00 pm in the Multi-purpose Room. Contact Jenn Jordan at 314-605-2605 with questions.

June Worship Schedule

Sunday, June 1

Worship at 10:00 am in the Gym

Refreshments and fellowship to follow in the back corner of the Gym

Thursday, June 5

Queer-Led Worship in the Sanctuary at 6:30 pm

Refreshments and fellowship on the front lawn
as the Pride 2025 banner is dedicated.

Pentecost Sunday, June 8

Worship at 10:00 am in the Sanctuary

Special refreshments served on the front lawn
in honor of Trinity's high school graduates

Summer Sunday Celebration in the Gym and Multipurpose Room
to include a Sandwich Bar and a Bounce House

Trinity Sunday, June 15

Worship at 10:00 am in the Gym

Refreshments and fellowship to follow in the back corner of the Gym

Sunday, June 22

Worship at 10:00 am in the Gym

Summer Sunday Celebration in the Multipurpose Room
to include lunch and Bingo (with prizes!)

Wednesday, June 25

Annual Pride Service at 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary

Refreshments and fellowship on the front lawn

Sunday, June 29

Worship at 10:00 am in the Sanctuary

SUMMER SUNDAY CELEBRATIONS

Mark your calendar to enjoy lunch, fellowship,
and a fun activity for adults, youth, and children
on the following Sundays in the Multipurpose Room after worship.
Trinity members and friends of all ages are invited and encouraged
to be a part of the fun and fellowship.

June 8

Lunch and Bounce House

A Sandwich Bar will be provided in the Multipurpose Room
that includes deli meat, cheese, chicken salad, pimento cheese, egg salad,
and peanut butter and jelly along with pasta salad, fruit salad, chips
and brownies and ice cream for dessert.

Following lunch, a Bounce House, Music, and Lara Wannemacher as DJ
will be enjoyed in the Gym

June 22

Lunch and Bingo

A lunch of chicken sandwiches, pasta salad, chips,
and a simple dessert will be served
in the Multipurpose Room following worship.
After the meal, participants will enjoy bingo – with prizes!

July 13

Lunch and Sound Bath

July 27

Lunch and making Tie-Dye T-shirts

