

Trinity United Church of Christ

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Sunday Calendar

November 1 - WORLD COMMUNION

Worship 8 am & 10:15 am Sunday School @ 9:00 am @ Riverwalk

November 8

Worship 8 am & 10:15 am Sunday School @ 9:15 - 10 am

November 15

Worship 8 am & 10:15 am Sunday School @ 9:15 - 10 am Annual Fall Meeting

November 22 - TOTENFEST

Worship 8 am & 10:15 am Sunday School @ 9:15 - 10 am

November 29 - Community Sunday

Worship 8 am & 10:15 am Sunday School @ 9:15 - 10 am

Office Hours

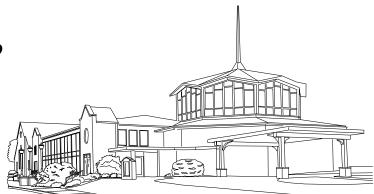
T-W-Th 8 am to 3 pm

Council Reports Due

T November 3

Newsletter Info Due

W November 11



NOVEMBER Monthly Calendar

S	1	Oct. 31 set clocks back 1 hour before going to bed. Daylight Savings Time ends at 2am Sunday morning.
М	9	Christian Ed @ 5:30 pm Church Council @ 7:00 pm
т	17	DAR @ 6:30 pm - Chapel Sunset Ext Place & Time TBD
Th	26	Happy Thanksgiving! (Office Closed) Community Room Reserved
т	31	Newsletter Assemble & Mail

NOVEMBER Weekly Calendar

Confirmation Class Rooms 201, 202 Wednesdays - 4, 11, 18 @ 5:30 pm 11/25 - No Class

Circle of Concern Fridays @ 6:45 am - 11/27 No meeting

Sunday School Class @ 9:15 - 10:00 am Preschool - 5th grade - Room 203 Confirmands - Room 201/ 202

Rooms 201, 202 & 203 are reserved solely for Confirmation and Sunday School classes.

For a safe environment for in-person worship, FACEMASKS ARE MANDATORY!

For your convenience, facemasks are available. If you cannot locate one, please ask an usher for assistance.

PJ's Ponderings...

A Testimony of Life

Though eyes grow dim, I can see the smile in your words. Though sounds grow faint, I can hear the laughter of your embrace. Though today gets muddled, I can remember the music from a wedding, a child's first step, a first date.

Though my bones are bent and sore, I can feel the tenderness of your song. Though longtime friends are fewer, God's love is strong and surer. Thanks be to God for all the days and seasons of life.

By – Larry Peacock

As we approach the season of thanksgiving, I am mindful of those saints who have left their love imprinted on our lives. This year, I am particularly aware of the grief throughout our county as we mourn the Covid19 deaths. In the midst of this grief, I seek to find joy. Time and time again, as I am in conversation with the living saints of the congregation, I find my heart blessed by their attitudes of gratitude. Even in the midst of the struggles of changing life and isolation, these saints continue to find ways to give God praise and thanks in all seasons of life. They remind me that each day of our lives can be filled with hope or be seen as rich with blessings. Our thoughts and feelings can bring blessings to our hearts and souls. The source of these feelings is found in the richness of our gratitude.

As we look at the miracles and healings of Jesus recorded in the Bible, we see that it is often gratitude that precedes the gift of life. Gratitude is our guideline for affirming what is truly good in our lives today. Only as we live a life of gratitude, are we able to say "YES" to life in the midst of death.

Throughout the coming month, I invite you to awaken each morning giving God thanks for the blessings of yesterday. Likewise, I encourage you to ask God to open your eyes to the present shower of blessings. Throughout each day, stop and ask yourself, "What am I grateful for this day?" Surely life cannot be so bad or sad that you cannot find something to give thanks for each and every day!

I ask that in the midst of your gratitude prayers, you might consider giving God thanks for the faith community at Trinity Church. Give God thanks, as I do, for all those saints who have been positive contributors to this church, allowing us to continue to extend an extravagant welcome to all God's children here in this place and throughout our community.

Yes, many of our saints have faithfully gone before us, so that all who follow might know God's unconditional love and grace. May God continue to touch our lives us we remember them in love.

Grace and Peace, Pastor Jane



Pastor's Joy Journal... (This is just a hint of the joys in my heart.)

- ♥ I give God thanks for the **beautiful fall weather** which has made it possible to have Confirmation class outside! We will continue outside for as long as we can.
- I give God thanks for our **Sunday School kids, youth and adults** who are able to gather each week.
- Thank you to Doug Bawel for leading worship on October 25, including the message. Also thank you to Pamela Catt who prepared the worship bulletin for the screens.
- Thank you to Jera Hafele and Alexander Thomas for sharing their gift of music.
- Thank you to Bret Astrike for helping create a special Time with Young Disciples for Christmas Eve.
- It is a joy to be able to help those in the community through our Outreach Assistance Program. I give thanks for the Edna Joseph Trust interest that makes this support possible.
- Let us give thanks for the work of the Property Team each month.



Please keep these folks in your prayers; consider giving them a call or sending them a note!

Jack Astrike Northwood Retirement Community, Assisted Living 400 W. Pleasant View, Apt. #1, Jasper, IN 47546 (812-634-7920)	
Norma Blackgrave	St. Charles Health Campus, Rm. #103, 3150 St. Charles Street, Jasper, IN 47546
Eloise Breidenbaugh Northwood Retirement Community, Rm. #506, 2515 Newton Street, Jasper, IN	
Mariemma Huebner Northwood Retirement Community, Assisted Living 400 W. Pleasant View, Apt. #23, Jasper, IN 47546 (812-634-7945)	
Marge Kalb Scenic Hills at the Monastery, Rm. #306-A, 710 Sunrise Drive, Ferdinand, IN 475	
Carrie Loveall 855 Missouri Street, Apt. #17, Ferdinand, IN 47532 (812-998-2010)	
Sherry Malone 660 Rumbach Ave. Apt. #322, Jasper, IN 47546 (812-582-2721)	
Violet Ruckriegel	1308 Vine Street, Apt. #118, Jasper, IN 47546 (812-827-6986)
Marge Schneider:	Life's Journey of Avon, 10241 E County Road 100 N, Indianapolis, IN 46234
Carolyn Snyder	St. Charles Health Campus, Rm. #105, 3150 St. Charles Street, Jasper, IN 47546
Jason Stockburger	The Timbers, Rm. #316-2, 2909 Howard Drive, Jasper, IN 47546



Pastoral Care update: Please call Pastor Jane with other information and updates.

- Marge K. Back at Scenic Hills following surgery.
- Hadley R. home recovering from surgery.
- Sherry M. home recovering from surgery.
- Our sympathy and prayers are extended to the family of **Rev. Raymond Schultz** who died on September 10, 2020 at the age of 97. Rev. Schultz served as Trinity's pastor in the 1950's.
- Let us pray for those who are recovering from out-patient surgery or hospitalized.
- Let us pray for those who are having tests or continue to receive treatments.
- Let us pray for **family members coping with cancer**.
- Living with cancer: Pete Rasche, Alene Frank

Why not share a Joy or Concern with Pastor Jane! Pastor can be reached on her cell phone @ 812-631-1147. Pastor Jane only knows for sure what is happening in your life if YOU tell her. She cannot ask others to pray unless she hears directly from you; grapevine information cannot be passed along.

If you would like her to announce a joy or concern during worship, please contact her.

Prayers continue to be needed!

Let us pray for those battling COVID-19; may God grant them courage and comfort. Let us pray for the heroes in the health care system; may God grant them strength. Let us pray for all those who continue to stay at a distance for the sake of their health. Let us continue to pray for our school system, as they face challenges and changes. Let us pray for all those who are struggling to find jobs, re-open businesses and pay the bills.



Let us pray for those dealing with the devastations from wind, fire and water.

Let us give thanks for all those who are reaching out to help clean-up and rebuild around our country.

Let us pray for those who lost loved ones through senseless violence and injustice.

Let us pray for the peace-makers including those in uniform. Let us pray for lasting change.



Take One Home Today! Gift of Love Booklet – My Final Wishes

A personal Guide for my Family and Loved Ones

This booklet, with its neon cover, is available via mail, email or left in the mailbox in front of the office. Call Pastor Jane, if you need a copy. The Gift of Love booklet is an opportunity for each of us to record information about our lives and give guidance to our loved ones about our wishes in death. While arrangements may be made at the funeral home, the fullness of your life may be unknown to the pastor of the church. Therefore, once you have completed the booklet, feel free to send it to the office so a copy can be made for the church files.

Yes, I know some are not interested in talking about death and dying. Yet, it is a part of the full circle of life.

I encourage you to fill out your booklet, as well as talk with loved ones about your final wishes.

As pastor, I am blessed to be able to celebrate life and the joy of everlasting life. Every celebration of life is unique, as it is shaped by the life lived. You can help your family celebrate your life, by letting them know your final wishes; it is a gift of love. ~ Pastor Jane

Sunday School ... 9:15-10:00 am (Sanctuary & Room #203) November 1st... we are meeting at Riverwalk at 9 am. We need ALL our kids and at least one parent there!



Preschool – 5th grade: Come in the alley door to the sanctuary using the side door.

- > The wearing of **masks** is required to keep everyone healthy and safe.
- > Please use the hand sanitizer dispenser outside the sanctuary door!
- > Following the time with Pastor Jane, this group will go to their classroom, (Rm. # 203) using the alley doors stairs. Offering and attendance will be taken in the classroom.
- > Parents are asked to pick up their children at 10 am from their classroom.
- > Confirmands will go directly to the classroom which is Room #201/202.

Note: Confirmands should meet as usual at the church on November 1st.

Offering goal is \$ 140! Thank you for bringing \$1 per family each week to help us reach our goal.

Worship Notes for Parents:

- The wearing of a mask and social distancing is required in order to keep us healthy and safe.
- Thank you for staying together as a family. The balcony is open for seating at the 10:15 am service.
- Everyone is encouraged to bring your own water bottles, as the drinking fountain will not be available.
- Time with Young Disciples will still be a part of worship; however, children will stay in the seats for this conversation. There are clipboards and washable markers in a basket under the wooden table in the foyer. You can write messages or answers to questions on your clipboards and hold them up to be seen.
- Communion: Please pick up your communion wafer & cup as you enter the sanctuary. There are two cups on top of one another. The bottom one has the wafer and the top one is dark wine or white grape juice. All are welcome at God's table. Note: For communion on November 29, we will be using a pre-packaged wafer and grape juice.

Totenfest- Sunday, November 22, 2020



Please join the Trinity Faith Family as we pause to remember those who have died during the last church year. A candle will be lit for each person. All members of the church will automatically be listed, as will friends of the church. **One family member for each remembered person will be invited to take home a red rose.**

Listed below are those who have passed away during this past church year. If there is anyone who has been missed – please call the church office so that we are able to include them for this Totenfest Service. We ask that you pass along the word to family members and friends, inviting them to join us for this service of remembrance.

Let us remember the following church members and friends...

Curtis Meyer	Died:	November 25, 2019
Diane Gray	Died:	November 27, 2019
Richard Brinkman	Died:	December 10, 2019
*Patricia Detzer	Died:	December 18, 2019
Carol Mundy	Died:	December 23, 2019
Nina French	Died:	January 9, 2020
Rich Meyer	Died:	January 28, 2020
Hugh Mattingly	Died:	May 14, 2020



*Denotes a friend of the church



Dedication of Memorials

Memorial funds received in memory of:

Curtis Meyer, Diane Gray, Del Sendleweck, Richard Brinkman, Carol Mundy, Pat Detzer, Nina French, Rich Meyer, Hugh Mattingly, Shirley Beumer and John Gray.

Those items (shown below) purchased with memorial monies from **December 2019 – November 2020** will be dedicated. Please let family members and friends know so that they might join us.

Totenfest floral arrangement from Church's Choice.

Adopt-a-Family in memory of Nina French.

Hand sanitizer wall & stand dispensers from Church's Choice.

Church Landscaping in front of glass windows in memory of Shirley Meyer.

Parsonage Landscaping in memory of Shirley Meyer and from Church's Choice.

Note: Upon the one year anniversary of a loved one's death, if a family does not designate memorial gifts to a particular project, gifts are placed in a "Church's Choice" fund and used for Council-approved memorial projects.

From the Pulpit...

Beginning on November 1, worship will once again include congregational responses. If you have prayer requests, please contact Pastor Jane so she can include them in the prayer time.

November 1 Communion

Bible Lesson: | Kings 17: 8-24

November 8

Bible Lesson: Jonah 3: 1-5, 10 4: 1-11

November 15

Bible Lesson: Isaiah 6: 1-8

November 22 Totenfest

Bible Lesson: Matthew 5: 1-12

"Elijah & the Widow – Always Enough!"

"Jonah and God's Mercy"

"Send Me!"

Remembering those who have Died and Dedication of Memorials "The Many Faces of Grief"



2020 Advent/Christmas Worship "Stars over Bethlehem"

November 29 Communion Bible Lessons: Luke 1: 57-80

December 6

Bible Lessons: Matthew 1: 18-25

December 13 Children's Christmas Worship Bible Lessons: Luke 1: 26-38

December 20 Communion Bible Lessons: Luke 2: 8-20 Advent Candle: Peace Focus: John the Baptist

Advent Candle: Hope Focus: Joseph

Advent Candle (pink): Joy Focus: Mary

Advent Candle: Love Focus: Angels & Shepherds

December 24 Christmas Eve Times: 4:30 PM & 9:00 PM (Both Services identical.) Special Time with Young Disciples Presentation, Pew Communion and Candlelight

Bible Lessons: Luke 2: 1-20 and Matthew 2: 1-12

Focus: "Stars over Bethlehem"

December 27, 2020 ONE service at 10:15 am

Note: Beginning with communion on November 29, we will be using a pre-package communion which has a wafer and grape juice. There is a film that is pealed back for the wafer and then you open the grape juice cup like you would a creamer cup.

Sunday School kids: We need your help on Sunday - November 1st @ 9 am

All kids are asked to meet at this earlier time at the **barn at Riverwalk** to help with a special screen presentation for both services on Christmas Eve.



Parents are asked to stay, as we do not know when we will return to the church.

Confirmation: Wednesday Nights: November 4, 11, 18 (No Class on 11/25)

Sunday Mornings: November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Social distancing will be practiced & the wearing of masks is required.

If the weather is nice, look for Pastor Jane somewhere outside.



Looking ahead to Christmas... The Christian Education Team, along with Pastor Jane, is working on something special **for the Children's Christmas Worship on December 13** and for **Christmas Eve.**

Watch your email for details on how your family can participate in both presentations.

Worship Updates . . .

Music is a gift

shared with much

love!

Worship Team Meeting Highlights – Several changes are being made for this year's Advent season. We will be holding two (2) Christmas Eve services to accommodate the need to social distance yet allow enough seating for people to worship. The services will be at 4:30 and 9:00. This year we will also be asking people to advise us of which of the services they would like to attend and the number in their group. This will allow us to ensure family members can sit together. Seating charts will be developed to ensure social distancing. All are welcome to attend but it is understandable if the pandemic or other personal issues prevent your presence. We are living in different times. Masks will continue to be required.

The decorating of the church for Advent will also be done a bit differently. Family groups will be asked to take responsibility for different parts of the decorating on their own time, rather than having a large group of people working together following a church service as done in the past. Examples include set- up/decorating of the foyer tree, putting up garland, setting up the pew candles and hanging the outside banners. Those same family units will be asked to take down such decorations and place them in a staging area between Jan 3 and Jan. 10.

Christmas poinsettias – Christmas will be here before we know it and with it comes the decorating of the sanctuary and foyer. We are hoping to have at least 25 plants for our chancel area this year. Order forms will be available in the foyer or use the poinsettias form (sent in a separate mailing) along with payment. These can be placed in collection boxes outside the sanctuary doors or in the collection box outside the church office door. Plants can be taken home following the 9:00 PM Christmas Eve service or anytime following. **Cost is \$13 per plant. The order needs to be placed by November 29.** Let's keep our sanctuary festive!

Tornado & Fire Drill – We will not be having tornado or fire drills this year due to our social distancing. As a reminder, for tornado warnings those who are able should file down to the basement and remain in the hallways. Those unable to should go to the Sacristy (next to sanctuary) or the communion prep room.

Time and Talent – Because of the pandemic, we are unable to distribute time and talent sheets for use in 2021. **We will continue to use those completed for 2020**. If you are no longer able to participate in something for which you indicated you could in 2020, ushering or Bible reader as an example, please let our church administrator know and your name will be removed. Mickie can be reached at 812 482 4090.

Pamela Catt, Worship Team

Thank you to Alexander Thomas and Jera Hafele for providing special music in October !

Sarah Sergesketter

October 12, 2020 Council Highlights

- Council Appointed Heather Goodhue to fill the position of Brian Ferrell to council. Brian resigned from council earlier this year; Heather will fill Brian's remaining term. We thank both Brian and Heather for serving.
- Council passed a protocol that we will require the wearing of facemasks until the end of January 2021 in worship and other church activities.
- Council approved that starting November 8 worship, congregates can sing softly while wearing their facemasks. It should be noted Pastor Jane has some concern with this decision.

Covid Update:

Back in March of this year we "stopped in-person worship;" we all tried to remain positive that this pandemic would be short lived and that in June we would back to normal. We are now into November with no definite end in sight. So as we plan into 2021, we must keep safety a topmost priority. Providing a safe worship experience for the folks who attend each Sunday is crucial. In consideration of current circumstances, the Council passed the following motion in regard to the use of facemasks:

Trinity UCC will require wearing face mask protection anytime two or more people (excluding members of the same household) are in the facilities, until the end of January 2021. Facemasks will be required in all worship services, with exception of the Pastor. This includes all activities, church related and non-church related. This motion will be re-addressed at the January 2021 council meeting.

The Worship Team and the Council asked Pastor Jane about how we might be able to include more participation in worship. Pastor will start planning for congregational responses starting the first Sunday in November. We also discussed the possibility of once again singing at services. Pastor does not recommend that we sing. However, the Council and Worship Team felt that we could sing softly with a facemask on. After discussion it was agreed that on November 8 we can resume singing (softly & wearing facemasks). The council passed the following motion:

Trinity UCC will allow congregates to softly sing songs during worship services while wearing a facemask (a requirement). Trinity UCC Council recognizes that Pastor Jane Hillman is strongly against the singing of songs due to the potential to spread the Covid -19 virus.

Our goal is to make sure everyone who wants to attend worship on Christmas Eve is safe. Therefore. we are continuing with the plan for **two Christmas Eve worship services—one at 4:30 PM and an identical service at 9:00 PM**. Offering these two services helps us to adhere to social distancing requirements as well as keeping you as safe as possible. Pastor Jane is already hard at work to ensure a meaningful and inspirational Christmas Eve worship.

With so many changes already implemented, we are still working on ways to provide a connection to our members who feel it's safer to worship from their homes. So each Sunday the bible readings and sermon are recorded and posted to the church's website: <u>www.trinityjasperucc.org</u> Take a few moments of your day to listen to God Words in the bible message and to be inspired by Pastor Jane's ever insightful sermon.

Blessings, Mark Blackgrave, Council President 2020

Fall Annual Meeting – November 15, 2020 – 9 AM and 11 AM

The annual fall meeting will be held after both the 8 and 10:15 am worship services. The agenda (Page 9) includes approval of the 2021 budget as well as approval of the 2021 nominations for council members, the Financial Trust Representative, Lincolnland Association Delegates (2) and Indiana Kentucky Conference Delegates (2).

Just a reminder that this first meeting is the only time where motions can be made and changes approved to the printed budget as presented. Any changes to the budget or nominees must be done at Part 1 of the meeting. So please review the budget sent with the October newsletter, along with the enclosed meeting agenda and come prepared to discuss these important items.

Trinity UCC Church Council

TRINITY TREE HOUSE NEWS . . .



Trinity Tree House continues to proceed smoothly as we navigate through classes and dealing with the Covid-19 virus.

School pictures were taken in early October and fall break is took place October 19-22.

The students and staff would like to send a special thank you to the Trinity Church Women's Guild for providing supply boxes to each student. The students are so excited to have their own supplies.

We continue to pray for everyone's health and safety.

Respectfully submitted by Kate Buchta, Director

Trinity



United Church Christ

Fall Annual Meeting – November 15, 2020 – 9 & 11 am

AGENDA

Part 1 (after the 8 am Worship Service)

Call to Order Count of Present Members Approval of the Budget Approval of 2021 Nominees Call for Recess of the Meeting

Part 2 (after the 10:15 am Worship Service)

Call to resume the Fall Congregational Count of Present Members – Call for Quorum Approval of the Budget Approval of 2021 Nominees Close of the Meeting

NOMINEES

Council Nominees for Term 2021 through 2023

David Peters - Liaison for Property Ministry Team

Susan McGovren – Finance Team

_____ - Vice President

Financial Trustee Representative for 2021

John Schnarr

Delegates for 2021

Lincolnland Associations

Indiana Kentucky Conference

Fred Robberts

Mark Blackgrave

MISSION ALIVE ... AT TRINITY UCC

NOVEMBER MISSION - CLOTHE THE CHILDREN / COVID -19

The Outreach Team has discussed ways in which to meet the unique challenges presented by the virus, and still provide warm, winter clothing for children in need. We have come up with the following guidelines - with everyone's health and safety in mind. First of all, there will be **no envelopes in the pews this year.** We hope you will place your donation in the offering if you are attending services - OR - send to the church office. Mark it for "Clothe the Children." **Our goal is \$3,000.** Thank you in advance for your generous gift. You always give so lovingly to this project.

SHOPPING DAY!!! Sunday, November 22 at Walmart 8:00 am - Meet at the hair salon.

We will still need Trinity volunteers to escort and assist each family. This, of course, is where we made the most changes. We NEED YOU! - but we NEED YOU to feel safe and comfortable while you shop.

This year:

- 1) We are allowing only **one adult shopper** from each family to attend (unfortunately, no children may participate). By doing this, we can limit contacts and speed up shopping time.
- 2) Bring your own pen and paper or calculator to keep track of spending.
- 3) The forms filled out by the family indicating sizes and needs will each be placed in a plastic sheet protector. Vinyl gloves will be worn to do this and then a clean pair used to place the sheets in a folder....where they will remain until given to you, the volunteer shopper. This will eliminate contact with a paper form that has been in several other hands.

4) A FACE COVERING IS REQUIRED BY EVERYONE!

5) Walmart is doing an excellent job of sanitizing the carts - but feel free to bring your own wipes if you are more comfortable with additional cleaning. Outreach will have some hand wipes available for you to use when you are finished shopping.

SHOPPERS are a vital part of this mission and we want you to feel safe helping us. If there are additional measures we could take to make you more comfortable, contact someone from The Outreach Team. To volunteer there will be a sign-up sheet in the church foyer....OR.... you call Jan at 812-630-7518.

Thank you!!!

UPDATE: October Mission - Neighbors In Need

To date we have received \$ 155.00. Thank you!

COMMUNITY FOOD BANK ...

Food donations have been significantly less than usual, so if you are unable to leave items at church, you can drop them off at the church office Tuesday-Thursday 8am - 3pm. Your generosity, particularly at this time, is appreciated more than words can express. **Thank you for all you do!** Jenny LaGrange



During the month of November, we will be collecting Peanut Butter & Jelly.

Adopt - A - Family

We appreciate your support of our Adopt - A - Family! You have generously given your spare change to help a family in need and they are very appreciative. Thank you for your kindness and prayers for this family.



November 1 Communion

Bible Lesson: I Kings 17: 8-24 "Elijah & the Widow - Always Enough!" Acolyte: Pastor Jane Bible Reader: Special Music: Organist: Sarah Sergesketter Time with Young Disciples: Audra Jahn Media Producer: Kurt Vonderheide Media: 8 am Kurt Vonderheide 10:15 am Brian Meyer Ushers: 8 am Mary Ann Weisheit, Connie Schmitt 10:15 am David Hubster, Judy Hubster Heather Goodhue Child Care: None Communion Preparation: Susan McGovren

November 8

Bible Lesson: Jonah 3: 1-5, 10 4: 1-11 "Jonah and God's Mercy" Acolyte: Pastor Jane Bible Readers: 8 am Bill Small 10:15 am John Kahle Special Music: Organist: Sarah Sergesketter Time with Young Disciples: Audra Jahn Media Producer: John Kahle Media: 8 am Kurt Vonderheide 10:15 am Mark Blackgrave Ushers: 8 am Linda Troxler 10:15 am Linda & John Kahle Janet & Brian Meyer Child Care: None

November 15

Bible Lesson: Isaiah 6: 1-8 "Send Me!" Acolyte: Pastor Jane Bible Readers: 8 am Mary Ann Weisheit , Kari Roth 10:15 am Kari Roth Special Music: Organist: Sarah Sergesketter Time with Young Disciples: Heather Goodhue Media Producer: Nicole Lechner Media: 8 am Adam Roth 10:15 am Brian Meyer Ushers: 8 am Ann & Jeff Berg 10:15 am Pamela Catt & Denise Schnell Child Care: None

WORHIP PARTICIPANTS

NOVEMBER 2020

November 22 Totenfest

Remembering those who have died and Dedication of Memorials Bible Lesson: Matthew 5: 1-12 "The Many Faces of Grief" Acolyte: Pastor Jane Bible Readers: 8 am Gary Frank 10:15 am Melissa Blackgrave **Special Music:** Organist: Sarah Sergesketter Time with Young Disciples: Pastor Jane Media Producer: Mark Blackgrave Media: 8 am Kurt Vonderheide 10:15 am Mark Blackgrave Ushers: 8 am Angie & Rick Hobson 10:15 am Dean Vonderheide Selina & Kurt Vonderheide Child Care: None

November 29

Bible Lesson: Luke 1: 57-80 "John the Baptist" Acolyte: Pastor Jane Bible Readers: 8 am Selena Vonderheide 10:15 am Lisa Schmidt Special Music: Organist: Sarah Sergesketter Time with Young Disciples: Pastor Jane Media Producer: Kurt Vonderheide Media: 8 am Kurt Vonderheide 10:15 am Adam Roth Ushers: 8 am Alene & Gary Frank 10:15 am Greg Schnarr & Adam Roth Child Care: None Communion Preparation: Kari Roth

November Birthdays

Juliet Adams	2
Nichole Lechner	2
David Stockburger	3
Bruce Fleck	4
Corbin Schnarr	5
Parker Jahn	10
Claire Rohleder	10
Addison Schnarr	12
Matthew Foertsch	14
Kolton Denu	16
Geoff Mauck	17
Ellen Vonderheide	17
Ella Hubster	19
Susan McGovren	20
Kynlie Wright	20
Ray Bawel	21
Doug Foertsch	22
Sandy Schnarr	23
Bret Astrike	24
Jeff Eichmiller	29
Jace Hafele	29
Jace Brinkman	30
Kari Roth	30

November Anniversaries

		<u>Years</u>
Andrea & Jason Hulsman	13	16
Dana & Greg Schnarr	13	16
Janis & John Schnarr	14	50
Selena & Kurt Vonderheide	14	28
Catherine & Chris Bressette	15	4
Inez & Dallas Knies	25	59



CHURCH & SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

October Worship Services

Date	Worship	Attendance	Total
4	<u>8:00 am</u> 10:15 am	<u>24</u> 34	58
11	<u>8:00 am</u> 10:15 am	<u>19</u> 39	58
18	<u>8:00 am</u> 10:15 am	<u>22</u> 30	52
25	<u>8:00 am</u> 10:15 am	<u>17</u> 22	39

October Sunday School

Date	Youth	Adults	Total
4	12	4	16
11	11	3	14
18	6	4	10
25	No Sunday School		



Before you go to bed on Saturday night, October 31, remember to set your clocks back one hour. Enjoy the extra hour of sleep!



Dear Trinity,

Thank you so much for the note of encouragement and gift cards! I am very blessed to be part ofsuch a caring & generous church family!Thank you, Mira Vonderheide

Dear Trinity,

Thank you so much for the Subway gift card. Now I have alternative for when the cafeteria decides to only serve a salad bar for some reason. Jack

Trinity UCC Church Family,

Thank you so much for the WalMart and Subway gift cards! It was such a nice gift in the middle of a busy, gloomy week. I appreciate the love and support from my church family. I am excited to use the gift. Thank you, Laurel Hubster

COMMUNITY EVENTS held at Trinity Church Building

Cookie Walk, sponsored by the Women's Guild is cancelled this year.

Sunset Extension - Tuesday, November 17, Time & Location To Be Determined

Please join the Trinity Faith Family in 2020

Sunday Morning at Trinity UCC - Jasper

8:00 am **Morning Worship** (1st Sunday – Communion)

- 9:15 am **Sunday School** 9:15 10:00 am
- 10:15 am Morning Worship

Music Ministry :

Until further notice, Soloists and Instrumentalists only

Children's Ministry: No activities at this time.

Jr. & Sr. High Youth Ministry:

Confirmation: Two year program of Bible study and Faith development – begins at 6th grade Sunday Morning Youth Breakfast & Conversation - **Cancelled until further notice**

Circle of Concern: Friday mornings at 6:45 am. (No meeting on Friday, November 27.)

Mission Outreach: Support of local, national, and global missions and disaster relief.

Women's Guild: No meetings until 2021.

Men's Fellowship: No meeting until 2021.

Trinity Tree House Preschool: 2-day class for 3 year olds; 3-day class for 4 year olds.

Christian Service & Fellowship at home, at church and in the community.

