



The Tidings of Trinity United Methodist Church

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Tallahassee, Florida 32302

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Sunday August 5, 1973

No. 8

OLD-FASHIONED CHURCH-WIDE PICNIC

4:30-8:00

Sunday, August 12

Maclay Gardens

Wear your coat of friendship and join in an afternoon of fun and fellowship. Trinity has many new members. Plan to talk with those you don't know as well as those you do know. Let OUR church be known as the one where good fellowship enhances our religious experiences.

Mr. Vann Brackin is chairman of recreation, and he is planning activities for all ages. Mrs. Robert Short is chairman of the welcoming committee. The Youth Group under the direction of Miss Patsy Crotty is making special name tags. The church will furnish the drinks and plates. Each family is requested to bring sufficient food for their family and flatware for their own use. All food will be spread on tables in picnic fashion. It is also suggested that you may want to bring folding chairs and blankets for your convenience. Old-fashioned singing will be led by Mrs. William Foster.

There is a 25¢ per person charge to get into Maclay. For children one year old and younger there is no charge.

After dinner there will be a vesper service led by Reverend Norman.

Set aside Sunday, August 12, for fun, food and fellowship!

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 — 9:45 — 11:00

*Congregation Stands

***Worshipers May Be Seated

PRELUDE "Prelude"—Dubois

CALL TO WORSHIP Choral Introit

***HYMN NO. 38**, "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

***INVOCATION** *The Minister*

Open Hymnals at No. 830-3 and Follow Order of Holy Communion

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY *To be Offered by Minister and People*

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid; Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER *The Minister and People*

***"GLORY BE TO GOD ON HIGH"** No. 830-4 *The Choir and People*

***THE INVITATION**

THE PRAYER OF GENERAL CONFESSION, No. 830-6 *The Minister and People*

THE PRAYER FOR PARDON *The Minister*

SCRIPTURAL WORDS OF ASSURANCE

PRAYER FOR THE WHOLE STATE OF CHRIST'S CHURCH, NO. 830-7

THE RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP AND PARISH NOTICES

THE OFFERTORY "Let Thy Blood in Mercy Poured"—Rickard.....Quartet
Quartet—Mrs. Carole Dalton, Mrs. Joyce Finlayson, Dr. David Rice,
Mr. Bill Foster

***THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

THE COMMUNION MEDITATION Rev. Ed. Norman

COMMUNION HYMN NO. 324, "Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silent"

PREFACE AND SANCTUS, NO. 830-8

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION, NO. 830-9

THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS, NO. 830-9

"O LAMB OF GOD", NO. 830-10 *The Choir and People*

THE LORD'S SUPPER

THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION, NO. 830-11 *The Minister and People*

THE BENEDICTION Choral Amen

POSTLUDE "Toccata"—Pachelbel

SUNDAY EVENING CONCERT

On Sunday, August 5, "THE NEW DIRECTIONS" singing group will arrive. At 6:00 p.m. there will be a covered dish supper in the Fellowship Hall. A concert will be presented at 7:45.

COME HEAR THESE DYNAMIC SINGING YOUNG PEOPLE!

The flowers in the sanctuary are from the wedding of Patricia Kay Chandler and Donald Callahan on August 4, 1973.

MEMORIAL BOOK FOR SUNDAY

This Sunday the Memorial Book in the Church Narthex, which contains the Memorials and Gifts given to the glory of God and in honor and in memory of loved ones and friends is open to *The Brass Communion Service* and *A Silver Bud Vase*.

FURNISHINGS NEEDED

working through referral agencies and our own United Methodist Wakulla Larger Parish, our youth have discovered a desperate need for home furnishings for a mother and eight children. If you have a bed (twin or double), chairs, tables, lamps, etc. for their home, please call Rev. Brown and arrangements will be made to pick up these items. And thank you for your concern!

GLEANERS-KOINONIA CLASS

The Gleaners-Koinonia Class is on vacation until September 16 when they will resume under the leadership of Phil Maxwell as president, J.P. Love as vice-president, and Glen Cawthon as secretary-treasurer.

TALK TOPIC: WATERGATE

The Young Adult Class will have a "Discussion of Watergate" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zanelli, 921 Maplewood Avenue (Town 'N Country) on Tuesday, August 7, at 7:30 p.m. If you're interested, please feel free to come!

UNITED METHODIST BELIEFS

Beginning Monday evening, August 6, at 7:00 in the parlor of the church Rev. Brown will lead a four session series on United Methodist Beliefs, running the Monday evenings of August (6, 13, 20, 27). Members and friends of Trinity Church are invited to share in these sessions.

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES FOR YOUTH

Monday, August 6

2:00—Physical Fun

Tuesday, August 7

3:30-4:30—"100% Chance of Rain" Choir
7:30 p.m.—Bibly Study at Betty Batey's,
Senator Apts. No. 6

Wednesday, August 8

7:30 a.m.—Morning Over Breakfast, Fellowship Hall, Speaker, Father Stewart, Blessed Sacrament
3:00 p.m.—Kid's Drama
7:00 p.m.—Jr. High, Sr. High and College Crafts, \$2.00—ARK

Thursday, August 9

7:30 p.m.—Intensive Talks, Betty Batey's,
Senator Apts. No. 6

Friday, August 10

9:00-12:00 noon—Project Explore
2:00—Physical Fun
8:30 p.m.—12:00—ARK, Sr. High and College

Saturday, August 11

7:30 p.m.—10:00 p.m.—Jr. High ARK

STAFF

Ed W. Norman, *Pastor*
Walter James, *Director of Music*
Mrs. Walter James, *Organist*
and Associate Director of Music

Harold B. Brown, Jr., *Pastor*
Mrs. Harry Miley, *Financial Secretary*
Mrs. Palmer Williams, *Church Secretary*

CHURCH FAMILY

Circle of Concern

(Known to be at TMH)

Mrs. Maurice Bradford
Mr. James Taylor

Christian Baptism

Carla Christine Dalton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dalton, July 22, 1973.

Adrienne Lené Outlaw and Stephen Paul Outlaw, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard P. Outlaw, July 29, 1973.

CHILDREN'S HOME OFFERING

The offering for fifth Sunday from the Trinity congregation last week totaled \$210.05. We are always gratified by the response of our people to this worthy cause.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Received this week for budget.....\$	769.51
Needed weekly to meet budget..	3,942.00
Budget to date.....	122,202.00
Received to date for budget.....	136,073.51
Surplus to date.....	13,871.51

AT LAST—

The missing part has been received . . . The air conditioning is fixed . . . it's cool today at Trinity.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, August 5

8:30 A.M.	Early Morning Worship
9:00 A.M.	Church Broadcast (WTNT, 1270)
9:45 A.M.	Morning Worship
9:45 A.M.	Church School for All Ages
11:00 A.M.	Morning Worship
5:15 P.M.	Sr. High MYF (ARK)
5:30 P.M.	Jr. High Choir
6:00 P.M.	Covered Dish Supper
6:30 P.M.	Youth Choir
6:30 P.M.	Jr. High MYF (ARK)
7:45 P.M.	"THE NEW DIRECTIONS" in Concert

Monday, August 6

7:00 P.M. First session on United Methodist Beliefs, Parlor

Tuesday, August 7

7:30 P.M. Young Adult Class—"Watergate Discussion"—921 Maplewood Ave.

THREE THOU\$AND for my Brand New Car

Three thousand for my brand new car,
Five thousand for a piece of sod.,

Twelve thousand I paid to begin a house—

A dollar I give to God.

A tidy sum to entertain
My friends in pointless chatter;

And when the world goes crazy mad,

I ask, "Lord, what's the matter?"

Yet, there is one big question,
For the answer I still search,
With things so bad in this old world,

What's holding back my church? (Author unknown)

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No. 9

Anne Morrow Lindberg says, "we all wish to be loved alone." ("Don't sit under the apple tree with anyone else but me.")

"All the lonely people. Where do they all come from?"

What's the answer to our need to be loved by one as individuals? What's the answer to loneliness? Can we solve it all by PROXIMITY — throwing people into physical closeness? If so then a special week-after-Christmas sale at Woolco's is the place to assuage your pangs of loneliness. But of course the loneliest place in the world might be a people-packed city street.

What we need is fellowship. So the Church says, "we'll provide fellowship. We'll stick a note on the top of the Sunday bulletin that says, 'we are the friendly Church!' And then we'll provide a time in the worship service for fellowship." So at 11:22 the preacher says, "O.K. folks, we're going to have fellowship now. I want you to look at your neighbor and smile, and shake his hand." So everybody slips on his smile mask, shakes hands with his neighbor, and all the lonely people think, "what's wrong here; I'm just as lonely as ever right while I'm having fellowship." But of course that's not what fellowship is. You don't turn fellowship on with the air conditioning — nor with the smile mask that the preacher persuades you to snap on for "fellowship time".

The family was eating and talking. Suddenly the little boy stood up on his chair and shouted, "PLEASE PASS THE BUTTER!"

"You go to your room!"

"But Dad —"

"No buts about it — you go to your room!"

But mother has pulled a fast one here. She has been recording on tape the dinner conversation. She plays the tape back. You hear the adult conversation and chatter. And in the midst of it all you can hear a little voice saying, "Please pass the butter!" Moments later you hear a little voice saying, "Dad, please pass the butter!" Then moments later you hear the final: "PLEASE PASS THE BUTTER!"

One lonely little voice cries in the wilderness but no one has the ears to hear.

Jesus said, "The first commandment is to love God." Out of that sort of relationship with God comes a remarkable capacity to love your neighbor. And that's where real fellowship is born. That's the real answer to loneliness. When we begin to be a gathering of people who begin to love God we will become more than just another congregation — we'll become a fellowship.

Edward W. Norman

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost

8:30 — 9:45 — 11:00

*Congregation Stands

***Worshipers May Be Seated

PRELUDE "Pastorale"—*Guilmant*

CALL TO WORSHIP Choral Introit

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 26**, "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"

***INVOCATION** *The Minister*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: Minister and Congregation

Our heavenly Father, who by thy love hast made us, and through thy love hast kept us, and in thy love wouldst make us perfect: We humbly confess that we have not loved thee with all our heart and soul and mind and strength, and that we have not loved one another as Christ hath loved us. Thy life is within our souls, but our selfishness hath hindered thee. We have not lived by faith. We have resisted thy Spirit. We have neglected thine inspirations.

Forgive what we have been; help us to amend what we are; and in thy Spirit direct what we shall be; that thou mayest come into the full glory of thy creation, in us and in all men; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SCRIPTURAL WORDS OF ASSURANCE *The Minister*

THE LORD'S PRAYER *The Minister and People*

***THE RESPONSIVE READING, NO. 661** "The Lord God Almighty"

***GLORIA PATRI, NO. 792**

***THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, NO. 738**, "The Apostles' Creed"

ANTHEM "Oh, Brother Man"—*Harry Banks* Bill Foster, soloist

LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES John 14: 18-28
II Corinthians 13: 11-14

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP AND PARISH NOTICES

THE OFFERTORY "How Fair and How Pleasant Art Thou"—*Dupré*

***THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

HYMN NO. 463, "We Believe In One True God" (sung to tune 120 "Rock of Ages")

SERMON "THREE IN ONE: NOT ARITHMETIC BUT EXPERIENCE"
(Doctrine of The Holy Trinity)

***RECESSATIONAL HYMN NO. 210**, "If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee"

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Praeludium—*Buxtehude*

CHURCH-WIDE PICNIC—Maclay Gardens

4:30 — 8:00 P.M.

FUN—FOOD—FELLOWSHIP

VESPER MEDITATION—Matthew 18:1-4

"WHO IS THE GREATEST"Rev. Ed Norman

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are placed to the glory of God by Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Thompson in appreciation to the Members of Trinity for kindnesses and love shown to them throughout the years.

MEMORIAL BOOK FOR SUNDAY

This Sunday the Memorial Book in the Church Narthex, which contains the Memorials and Gifts given to the glory of God and in honor and in memory of loved ones and friends is open to *The Spire Cross* and *An Alter Parament* (1893 Church)

CHURCH-WIDE PICNIC

We hope to see *you* at Trinity's old-fashioned church-wide picnic! It will be today (Sunday, August 12) from 4:30-8:00 at Maclay Gardens. There is a 25¢ charge per person to get into Maclay. Please bring sufficient food and flatware for your family; drinks and plates will be provided. Food will be spread on tables in picnic fashion. There will be games, and prizes for all ages. Thanks to the generosity of several Tallahassee merchants, the prizes are really great. The United Methodist Women are coordinating the picnic, which will take the place of their July and August meetings.

Don't miss a time of recreation for all ages, great food and fellowship, old fashioned singing, and a vesper service after dinner.

BIBLE STUDY RESOURCE

The Gleaners-Koinonia Class has placed the Abingdon One Volume Commentary on the Bible in the Trinity Library in Honor of John Green, former Minister of Education at the church. Teachers and members of the church are welcome to utilize this valuable reference work now in the library.

APPRECIATION FROM TERRELL HOUSE

Sister Maureen Fenlon of the Terrell House, a home for the wives and families of prisoners, wishes to thank the Trinity members for their personal participation and financial support of the Terrell House as it has progressed to become a reality during the past six months.

REV. BROWN AT ST. TERESA

The Associate Minister is preaching this Sunday morning at the community church at St. Teresa Beach.

EDUCATION WORK AREA TO MEET FOR LUNCH

This Monday, August 13 at 12:00 noon the education work area will meet at Lucy Ho's for lunch (buffet, \$2.00 each) in the private room. We shall hope to have one representative from each adult Sunday School class. Agenda includes fall rally plans with Mrs. Ralph Mohney, consultant, with us in late September, nursery-play school expansion, promotion day, the new literature "Our Living Bible" series, and other important matters. Come a bit early if you are able!

MANY THANKS

The youth and leadership team of the church express their hearty thanks to all hosts and hostesses for the New Directions Singing Group who performed on last Sunday evening.

REMINDER: Methodist Beliefs

Rev. Brown is leading a four session study of United Methodist beliefs on the Monday nights of the month of August at 7:00 P.M. in the Parlor of the church. Any one interested is cordially invited to share in these sessions.

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No. 10

What can we know for sure? Some people would answer, "Nothing!" Some would say, "I know that I can know nothing!" But if a person can know nothing, how can he know that he knows that? "I know that I can know nothing" is a self-contradiction.

Others in dealing with the question, "What can we know for sure?" would reply, "The only things we can know that make any sense are things which can be substantiated by some sense experience." But, oddly enough, that very statement, "All we can know is what can be verified by some sense experience" cannot be verified by sense experience.

WE CAN KNOW THINGS FOR CERTAIN. We don't know anything absolutely. For after all, we know only our experiences of the world around us. We don't know the world; we know only our experiences of the world. This is true for all of us. Einstein talking about the task of the scientist said, "The object of all science is to co-ordinate our experiences and to bring them into a logical system." Notice he said that the object of science is to co-ordinate our EXPERIENCES. Another scientist named Niels Bohr said, "The task of science is both to extend the range of our experience and reduce it to order." What do we extend the range of, and reduce to order? Our EXPERIENCE.

We have to take it on faith that we are experiencing a real world that is "out there," and that the experiences we are having and our interpretations of those experiences are in harmony with what is "out there." The scientist (and the rest of us, too) ASSUMES that there is a world "out there."

When I say, "I see the tree!" I mean that certain light stimuli have excited the nerve endings in my eyes and electrical impulses have travelled along my nerves to the cells in my brain where they have been interpreted (with the help of previously remembered experiences) as "There is a tree." So, I say, "I see the tree."

All of us have "seen" things that were not there. I have "seen" mirages. Hypnotized people have "seen" snakes that were not present in the room. People under the influence of drugs "see" things that are not "there" at all. Our knowledge is knowledge of experience. And, as I have illustrated above, our experiences are far from being infallible. So, while we assume the reality of the world "out there" we cannot prove it. No reality can be proved to the satisfaction of a skeptic.

Also we have to take it on faith that there is order in the universe so that what we have observed in the past will continue to be reliable data for the future.

This is only a part of the facts which add up to the undeniable fact that ALL OF US LIVE BY FAITH. That is, we all live in a world where nothing can be proven absolutely—SO WE HAVE TO ACT UPON THE BASIS OF EVIDENCE.

This is quite a deep and involved subject for the front page of a bulletin. I know that. But I wanted to say something in answer to some folks I heard say recently, "But you see, you can't prove God or Jesus Christ!"

That's right! I can't! I live in a world where nothing can be proven. BUT I HAVE ALL THE EVIDENCE I NEED TO BELIEVE IN GOD AND IN JESUS CHRIST.

Edward Norman

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Tenth Sunday After Pentecost

8:30 — 9:45 — 11:00

*Congregation Stands

***Worshipers May Be Seated

*PRELUDE "Andante Cantabile"—*Widor*

CALL TO WORSHIP

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 1, "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

*INVOCATION

PRAYER

Have mercy upon us, O God, according to thy lovingkindness; according to the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out our transgressions. Wash us thoroughly from our iniquities, and cleanse us from our sins. For we acknowledge our transgressions, and our sin is ever before us. Create in us clean hearts, O God, and renew a right spirit within us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SCRIPTURAL WORDS OF ASSURANCE *The Minister*

THE LORD'S PRAYER *The Minister and People*

*THE RESPONSIVE READING, NO. 555, "O Lord, How Majestic Is Thy Name!"

*GLORIA PATRI, NO. 792

*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, NO. 738, "The Apostles' Creed"

LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES Genesis 1:27-31

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP AND PARISH NOTICES

THE OFFERTORY

"God is Love"—*Dubois, arr. Morse* *Bill and Cathy Foster*

*THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HYMN NO. 153, "God of Love and God of Power"

SERMON

"ANIMAL, VEGETABLE, MINERAL — OR MAN?" *Rev. Ed Norman*

*RECESSATIONAL HYMN NO. 171, "O Master Workman of the Race"

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Toccata"—*Frescobaldi*

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

Glenn James Memorial Chapel
7:45 P.M. - 8:30 P.M.

PRELUDER "Improvisation"—*Langlais*

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN NO. 256, "Be Thou My Vision"

HYMN NO. 433, "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross"

SCRIPTURE LESSON I John 3:6,9

PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC

MEDITATION

"ABIDE IN GOD AND SIN NOT?" *Rev. Harold B. Brown, Jr.*

ALTAR PRAYERS

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Toccata Quinta"—*Frescobaldi*

A Plate Is at the Door for Your Offering

MEMORIAL BOOK FOR SUNDAY

This Sunday the Memorial Book in the Church Narthex, which contains the Memorials and Gifts given to the glory of God and in honor and in memory of loved ones and friends is open to *A Brass Cross* (1893 Church) and *Baptismal Font* (1893 Church).

A NOTE OF APPRECIATION

A big "THANK YOU" goes to all of you who participated in any way to make Trinity's church-wide picnic one of the best ever! Besides those people previously mentioned, special thanks also goes to Mrs. Robert Peirce, Mrs. Bruce Harter, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Cook, the Youth Leadership Team, and the Senior High Youth. Mrs. Louis Zanelli, president of the United Methodist Women, was an outstanding coordinator of the picnic. It was truly a time of fun, food, and fellowship for all!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

The Education Work Area has agreed in its recent meeting to have Promotion Day in the Sunday School on Sunday, September 9, at the 9:45 hour. It will be held in each classroom.

Members of the work area urge you to be present in Church and Sunday School on Sunday, September 30, for Christian Education Sunday with Mrs. Ralph W. Mohney, outstanding Christian Education consultant of Chattanooga, Tennessee, to speak.

Mrs. Claire Nash (385-9880) is coordinator for a new nursery school for 3- and 4-year-olds; Mrs. Kay Brown (575-3463) will assume leadership to continue the Mother's Morning Out Nursery.

PICNIC DOOR PRIZES

We wish to thank these Tallahassee merchants for so generously donating prizes for our church picnic: The Plum Tree, Bresler's 33 Flavors Ice Cream, DuBey's Books, Hickory Farms, Montgomery Ward, World Bazaar, and Yankee Peddler.

YOUTH WEEK: AUGUST 19-23

At St. Paul's this week, Trinity will be joining five other area United Methodist Churches for a joint Youth Week. Simulation games, speakers, recreation, and food will be the program for the week. Lots of planning has gone into this time of fellowship together, so let's see Trinity well represented!

THE NEW DIRECTIONS

J. L. Williams, ministry director of The New Directions, would like to thank the members of Trinity for having The New Directions at Trinity. He writes that it was a privilege for the singing group to be at Trinity, and they trust that their presence was spiritually meaningful to those who attended the concert. They also wanted to thank the congregation for the financial contribution made to their ministry through the offering.

WOULD YOU PLEASE HELP?

One very special way in which you can be of help at Trinity is to give one hour each month in caring for some absolutely adorable children — those in our church nursery on Sundays. We still need workers for the 8:30 and 11:00 services. If you are willing to give one hour of your time each month, please fill in the form below and put it in the offering plate, send it to Trinity, P. O. Box 1086, 32302, or call the church office, 222-1120:

Name _____
Circle time preference: 8:30 11:00
Circle date preference:
1st Sunday Each Month, 2nd Sunday
3rd Sunday 4th Sunday
I would be willing to help on 5th Sundays _____

STAFF

Ed W. Norman, *Pastor*
Walter James, *Director of Music*
Mrs. Walter James, *Organist*
and Associate Director of Music

Harold B. Brown, Jr., *Pastor*
Mrs. Harry Miley, *Financial Secretary*
Mrs. Palmer Williams, *Church Secretary*

CHURCH FAMILY

Circle of Concern (Known to be at TMH)

Mrs. Collins (Ann) Taylor
Mr. William F. Canova

IN MEMORIAM

"I Am the Resurrection and the Life"

Mr. Tom I. Brown, Jr.
August 14, 1973

FINANCIAL REPORT

Received this week for budget ...\$	2,529.93
Needed weekly to meet budget ...	3,942.00
Budget to date	130,086.00
Received to date for budget	146,890.41
Surplus to date	16,804.41

CHURCH ATTENDANCE

August 12, 1973

8:30 A.M.	102
9:45 A.M.	72
11:00 A.M.	278
Total	452

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, August 19

8:30 A.M.	Early Morning Worship
9:00 A.M.	Church Broadcast (WTNT, 1270)
9:45 A.M.	Church School for All Ages
11:00 A.M.	Morning Worship

Monday, August 20

7:00 P.M. Session on United Methodist Beliefs, Parlor

THANK YOU

A special thank you goes to those people who were so kind to donate furniture for a needy family in Woodville. It is all very much appreciated.

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES FOR YOUTH

Saturday, August 18

8:30 A.M. Senior Highs—Caving (Bring Sack Lunch and Drink; Wear Old Clothes, Long Pants; cost—\$1.50)

7:30 P.M. Junior High ARK

Sunday, August 19

4:00 P.M. Senior High MYF—Special Meeting

5:00 P.M. Youth Week at St. Paul's; Meet at Trinity, and We'll Go as a Group

NO JR. HIGH MYF OR CHOIRS TONIGHT

Monday, August 20

6:30 P.M. Youth Week at St. Paul's, Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, August 21

3:00-4:00 P.M. "100% Chance of Rain" Choir

6:30 P.M. Youth Week at Calvary Tonight (No Bible Study)

Wednesday, August 22

7:30 A.M. Morning Over Breakfast Speaker: Rev. Landwehr, Lutheran Church

9:00 A.M. Physical Fun

6:30 P.M. Youth Week at St. Paul's (No Crafts Tonight)

Thursday, August 23

6:30 P.M. Youth Week at St. Paul's (No Intensive Talks)

Friday, August 24

9:00-12 Noon Project Explore—Final Outing at Myers Park

8:30 P.M. The ARK, Coffee House

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Looking through some odds and ends in a pile of my notes this week, I found these. I don't even know the origin of most of them:

A JESUS FREAK was being interviewed. "Say," says the reporter, "didn't I meet you before when you were in a think tank as a crew-cut technologist?"

"That's right!"

"And then later didn't I see you with a beard as well as long hair and dressed in dungarees?"

"Yeah. I was the guy who locked the dean in his office and burned down the building, calling the cops 'pigs'."

"Yes, I thought you were a militant. How did you change? How did you find Jesus?"

"Well, after being a militant, I took the drug trip. Then I found transcendental meditation. (I dressed in a robe and shaved my eyebrows for that one.) And then — then I got high on Jesus."

"It must be wonderful to have finally found it."

"Yeah — but sometimes I think that when I grow up, I want to be a cowboy."

Some time ago Harry Denman was preaching a series of sermons in a church up in Arkansas. One noon he and the preacher of the church went to a local cafe for lunch. When the meal was finished, the waitress came over to the table with the bill. Dr. Denman graciously stood up, and taking the waitress by the hand and as is his way he said, "You pray for me, honey, hear!" The saucy waitress, not aware of the depth of Dr. Denman's character and concern looked up at him and exclaimed, "What's the matter, big boy, you in trouble again?"

A YOUNG COUPLE adopted a beautiful baby boy. Later they noticed that their baby was having difficulty seeing. The agency from which they had adopted the baby was embarrassed. "We examine all of our babies," they said, "and we place only those in good health."

The baby was given a thorough examination by the adoption agency's physician. Sure enough the baby was not having difficulty seeing — he was totally blind.

"We will keep our agreement about putting up only healthy babies for adoption," they said. "You leave this baby here with us and we will give you another baby — a healthy one."

But the young couple refused. "When we first accepted this baby, he needed our love. He needs our love now even more than before. We will keep our baby."

HE WAS A MAN FORTY YEARS OLD. "No! I never go to church. They don't do anything over there." He joined a lodge. They gave him a sword, put a helmet on his head, called him the Most Super Grand Deluxe, and made him the keeper of the empty closet.

PAUL TILLICH said, "Christianity is not the salvation of the world; but Jesus Christ IS."

SOMEONE ELSE said, "The second mile is not 5,280 feet; it is as long as human need."

Ed Norman

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Festival of Christ the King

8:30 — 9:45 — 11:00

*Congregation Stands

***Worshipers May Be Seated

PRELUDE "Vision"—*Rheinberger*

CALL TO WORSHIP

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 10**, "Let All the World in Every Corner Sing"

***INVOCATION**

PRAYER

O God, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are afar off and to them that are nigh: Grant that all men everywhere may seek after thee and find thee. Bring the nations into thy fold, pour out thy Spirit upon all flesh, and hasten thy kingdom; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SCRIPTURAL WORDS OF ASSURANCE *The Minister*

THE LORD'S PRAYER *The Minister and People*

***THE RESPONSIVE READING, NO. 639**, "Good Tidings"

***GLORIA PATRI, NO. 792**

***THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, NO. 738**, "The Apostles' Creed"

ANTHEM

"Bow Down Thine Ear"—*Arensky* *Majel Barrett, Irma Norman,*

Gwen Roberts, Bill Foster

LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES *Acts 1:6-8*

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP AND PARISH NOTICES

THE OFFERTORY

"Antiphon IV"—*Dupré*

*THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HYMN NO. 149, "I Love to Tell the Story"

SERMON

"WITNESS" *Rev. Ed Norman*

***RECESSIONAL HYMN NO. 150**, "A Charge to Keep I Have"

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "The Heavens Declare"—*Marcello*

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

Glenn James Memorial Chapel

7:45 P.M.

"The Beatitudes Revisited: A Dialogue"

text by Barbara T. Grimes

Read Matthew 5:3-11 before coming to this contemporary experience of worship; ask yourself, "How relevant are the teachings of Jesus to my life? As far as *my* problems are concerned? Am I open to change within? Receptive? Sensitive?"

MEMORIAL BOOK FOR SUNDAY

This Sunday the Memorial Book in the Church Narthex, which contains the Memorials and Gifts given to the glory of God and in honor and in memory of loved ones and friends is open to *The Lighted Cross* (1893 Church).

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS!

We are happy to welcome the following new members into the fellowship of Trinity:

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hulet
Mr. Clayton Hulet
3713 Lifford Circle

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ingle
3409 Quick Drive

Mr. Darrell W. Smith
1420 North Meridian Road

NEW YOUTH COUNCIL

There will be an organizational meeting for a new Youth Council on Tuesday, August 28, 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mary Ann Hilaman. Representatives from the Junior High, Senior High, and College Age Groups will be elected this Sunday night at UMYF. Officers will be elected on Tuesday night. It will be an open meeting, so all youth and interested adults are urged to attend. See you there!

TRINITY NURSERY SCHOOL

This year Trinity will have a nursery school for 3- and 4-year-olds. It will be held each Wednesday and Friday, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. If you are interested, please contact the nursery school coordinator, Mrs. Claire Nash, 385-9880, for more information.

MEALS ON WHEELS

MEALS ON WHEELS delivers nutritious meals to persons aged 60 or over who are unable to shop or cook for themselves. The meals are delivered by volunteers who bring a hot lunch and a cold snack supper at noon, five days per week. The volunteers provide social contact and perform small tasks for the meal recipients. Some special diets are available.* Do you know of someone who might need MEALS ON WHEELS? If so — call 222-7850 for more information.

*MEALS ON WHEELS is not a welfare program. It serves all income levels because the problem of preparing meals may affect *all* Senior Citizens.

SAVING STAMPS FOR GIRL SCOUTS

The Girl Scouts are saving all kinds of coupons and saving stamps to help equip their new Camp-Program Center. They would welcome your help and support. Please contact Mrs. James Ball (576-1817) for more information about collection. Many thanks for your continuing support of the Girl Scouts.

STAFF

Ed W. Norman, *Pastor*
Walter James, *Director of Music*
Mrs. Walter James, *Organist*
and Associate Director of Music

Harold B. Brown, Jr., *Pastor*
Mrs. Harry Miley, *Financial Secretary*
Mrs. Palmer Williams, *Church Secretary*

CHURCH FAMILY**Circle of Concern**
(Known to be at TMH)

Mrs. Collins (Ann) Taylor
Mrs. Edd (Irene) Gentry
Dr. E. E. Wilkison

CHURCH ATTENDANCE**Sunday, August 19, 1973**

8:30 A.M.	86
9:45 A.M.	98
11:00 A.M.	263
Total	447

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK**Sunday, August 26**

8:30 A.M. Early Morning Worship
9:00 A.M. Church Broadcast
 (WTNT, 1270)
9:45 A.M. Church School for All Ages
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship

Monday, August 27

7:00 P.M. Session on United Methodist
 Beliefs, Parlor

FINANCIAL REPORT

Received this week for budget ... \$ 1,541.27
Needed weekly to meet budget ... 3,942.00
Budget to date 184,028.00
Received to date for budget 148,431.68
Surplus to date 14,403.68

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES FOR YOUTH**Saturday, August 25**

7:30 P.M. Junior High ARK

Sunday, August 26

5:15 P.M.	Senior High MYF, ARK
5:30 P.M.	Jr. High Choir
6:15 P.M.	Snack Supper, Fellowship Hall
6:30 P.M.	Jr. High MYF
6:30 P.M.	Youth Choir

Tuesday, August 28

7:30 P.M. Youth Council Meeting at
 Mary Ann Hilaman's,
 610 Piedmont

Wednesday, August 29

7:30 A.M. Morning Over Breakfast
 Speaker: Rev. Ray Tindall,
 East Hill Baptist Church
7:30 P.M. Crafts (Jr. Hi, Sr. Hi and
 College)

Friday, August 31

8:30 P.M. The ARK, Coffee House

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