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Because of God's love for us through Jesus Christ, we exist to worship, grow, and serve.

Jayne Mittan named Florida PA Humanitarian of the Year!

Florinda Fernandes PA-S

Public Relations Chair, Florida Academy of Physician Assistants

The Florida Academy of Physician Assistants recognized Tallahassee area Physician Assistant Jayne Mittan with the "Humanitarian Physician Assistant of the Year" award.

For many years, she has been participating in medical mission work in the western highlands of Guatemala

people. She also goes down if there is a new team, or if they need a provider. Lloyd and Melanie Monroe are the co-founders of Porch de Salomon and live in Guatemala where they coordinate building homes for the Mayans, provide feeding programs, medicine, surgeries, and other resources the people need.

"Jayne has selflessly volunteered as our Medical Liaison for some seven years now. Jayne personally serves in our free village medical clinics, in Guatemala's Western Highlands, five to six times annually. Equally important, she orients and prepares our new medical clinic teams. This is a tremendous help."

Jayne is an inspiration to us and many. When her world was rocked by the sudden, tragic death of her beloved husband, Barry, Jayne emerged from her deep grief and found solace and strength by volunteering still more. Porch de Salomon just wouldn't be the same without Jayne as a part of it. Go Jayne! - we love you and are thankful for you. Congratulations!"

Lloyd and Melanie Monroe, Founders/Directors

"Jayne is truly an angel with skin on! Not only does she have a generous heart to help those in need, but she is so patient and sweet in the process. She has helped me with various illnesses and medical questions, and she always made me feel like her top priority - which she does with each and every patient she treats. I can think of no one more deserving of this award than our dear Doctora Juana!"

Lindsey Newberry, Porch Field Coordinator

"Jayne Mittan--kind, gentle soul who quietly gets things done. She is a lover of all living things. She quickly responds to any need, whether it be big or small. Although she is tiny, her impact is gigantic!"

Nancy Digisi (Short-term team Leader)

"Jane is a valuable resource for those of us leading medical teams to serve with Porch--especially first-timers. She advises us on what supplies are needed and how we might handle certain situations. Her expertise and professionalism are surpassed only by the love and compassion she shows towards her patients."

Linda Twigg, R.N. (Short-term team leader)

"Jayne Mittan has been the lifeblood of Trinity United Methodist Church's medical mission efforts in Guatemala. Her commitment, her passion, and her love of the Guatemalan people are foremost in her life. Jayne can be counted on to do whatever is necessary to ensure the success of every team member who travels with her, whether to Boca Costa or in and around Panajachel. She is patient, kind, and generous, and is totally focused on bringing medical assistance to those who are less fortunate. I cannot imagine anyone more deserving of this award from the Physician Assistants Association. She has served unselfishly and lovingly and continues to focus her care on the lost and the least."

Frank Leonard (Short-term team leader)

She is now preparing to go to Kenya with "Medical Mission Teams," based in Tallahassee (with **Rev. Barbara Hynes**). When they arrive, they will be providing free medical care to people in remote villages. This will be Jayne's first trip to Africa. Then after that ... maybe Madagascar next year.



Trinity member, Jayne Mittan, has been honored by the Florida Academy of Physician Assistants.



Jayne is known for her gentle and loving care as she ministers to those less fortunate.

Gifts to Trinity

Trinity received the following gifts from
July 12, 2017 - August 15, 2017:



In memory of **Parker Lee McDonald** from Steve and Laura Morcom, Bill and Sandy Kappes, Carroll and Mildred Dadisman, J. Vereen Smith, Leslie and Palmer Williams, Nancy and Emily Waugh, Jimmie and Nancy Duncan, Charley and Linda Wells, Bill and Cynthia Smith, Sam and Mary Margaret Rogers.

In memory of **Bridget B. Phillips** from Linda and Kelley Phillips.

In memory of **Harry Miley** from Oberley Brown.

In memory of **Bobby Howe** from Oberley Brown.

In honor of **Donie Ann Henderson's** birthday from Bill and Cynthia Smith, John and Gwen Winn.

Financial Peace University

Rev. Jonathan Brewster
Associate Pastor

Sept. 13 - Nov. 15 - 6:15-8:00 p.m.

Join Pastor Jon and Mike McClure, a trained Financial Peace University (FPU) facilitator, for nine Wednesdays this fall for a unique class on financial management.

Through video teaching, class discussions and interactive small groups, FPU presents biblical, PRACTICAL steps to get from where you are financially to where you want to be. This plan will show you how to get out of debt, manage your money, spend and save wisely, and much more!

The cost for materials is \$100 per household. This can be split into 2 payments if necessary - \$50 with registration and \$50 on October 4. Also, in order to make this class accessible to as many as possible there are some scholarships available. See Pastor Jon to request a scholarship. Register with a brochure or online at: <https://www.tumct.org/grow/lay-academy/>.

A preview will be held on Sept. 6 to familiarize you with the course and answer any questions you might have.



Saying Goodbye to a Good and Faithful Servant

Dr. Wayne D. Wiatt
Senior Pastor

As we collected the many "Ministries" of Barbara Hynes and tried to list them, we kept having to reduce the font to squeeze them all in! From helping to initiate NETkids to birthing our Lay Academy, to supporting all Sunday School and group classes from the nursery to our Lenten studies, to organizing mission and travel teams both locally and abroad, you might say that The Reverend Barbara Hynes has just about done it all!

Below is a partial listing of Barbara's Ministry Impact at Trinity United Methodist Church from 1993 to 2017! Twenty four years of servant leadership through teaching and caring for this congregation. Barbara lived out Psalm 86:11

*Teach me your way, O LORD,
that I may walk in your truth;
give me an undivided heart,
to revere your name. (NRSV)*

- Service of Hope and Remembrance
- 4:00 Christmas Eve Vespers Service
- Advent Devotion Booklet
- Friday Flicks
- Book Group
- Supported ongoing small groups
 - Sunday Study Groups*
 - Young Adult - Tuesday evening - Susan Bower*
 - Summer Women's Group - Debbie Bass, Margie Wright*
 - Wednesday Morning Women's Group - Elaine Freni, Marsha Shalley*
 - Friday Morning Study Group*
- Lenten Study - *planned overall program, recruited and trained leaders and led small groups*
- MLK Meals on Wheels
- Lay Academy Planning
- Lay Academy teaching
- Trinity Treks - *daytime and evening local trips*
- Easter Fest
- VBS - *instituted its present format with use of Youth in leadership and Praise band and extensive decorating of church by adults*
- Child Advocacy Days
- Confirmation - *created a year long curriculum instead of 6 weeks - teach as needed*
- Prayer Shawl Ministry
- New Member classes
- Guatemala Mission
- Ministry Expo
- Disciple Classes - *taught, trained leaders and promoted to membership*
- Summer Camp
- Sunday Morning Coffee Fellowship
- Wednesday Dinners
- Curriculum - *researched, obtained and maintained*
- Assisted in Worship
- Funerals
- Weddings
- Hospital visits
- Home visits
- Prayer Partners
- District Committee on Ministry
- Mentor to Candidacy Groups (4)
- Cuba Covenant - *interest began with a Lay Academy class*
- UMYF Mission trip to Mexico
- NETkids - *Teacher dinner, Children's musicals, "On the Road" ministry*
- CROP Walk - *walked and recruited*
- Habitat Christmas Tree
- Habitat for Humanity House Build
- Retreats - *Lake Junaluska; Newell Retreat, all ages, spiritual formation; Contemplative prayer w/ Fr. Meninger; January Adventure; Epworth Spring Retreat; Family Retreat; Alpha Retreat*
- UMW Circle
- Clothing Connection
- Yoga classes for 10 years at Trinity
- Helped plan and launch the SUN Service
- Computer Lab - *began when there was not the access that there is now*
- UMW Programs
- Westminster dinners coordinated Trinity staff involvement



I Love Being Your Pastor,

Dr. Wayne

Music news for September

Mark Repasky
Music Director

Great Summer of Music

Thanks to all Trinity musicians and special guests who enlivened our worship services with glorious music during the summer months. During these quieter months, some of our musicians have more time to prepare special worship music.

Thanks for sharing your music talents with us at Trinity!

Music Groups at Trinity - Join Us!

Chancel Choir (Wednesdays, 7:30 pm in choir room) and Circle of Friends Praise



The Chancel Choir

Band (Wednesdays, 7:30 pm in Moor Hall) are up and running, but always open to new members.

NETkids choirs and instrumental group have a parent meeting on Wednesday September 6, at 6:30 p.m., in room 205. The children (kindergarten through 5th grade) gather for the first time on Wednesday, September 13, under the leadership of Allison Corrigan, Trinity's Director of Children's Ministries. We meet on the playground between 3 and 3:30 pm, then go to a variety of activities including our two choirs and for the older children, a handbell ensemble.

Trinity Ringers is in need of an additional member! We are looking for an experienced



The Trinity Ringers

ringer. We promise you will not get bored as we play challenging music. Our first rehearsal is Wednesday, September 6, at 6:15 p.m. in the handbell room.

Jubilation Handbells meets Sundays,



The Jubilation Bells

from 6:15-7:15 p.m., starting September 10, and they looking for another ringer, but you must be able to read music.

Heavenly Chimes is for older adults..... as young as 50! We resume rehearsals



The Heavenly Chimes

September 7, at our usual 1:45 p.m. The group has a great time together; a very special ministry to each other and to the congregation when we ring on Sundays.

We are also looking for an additional ringer or two.

The Youth Praise Band is led by our Youth



The Youth Choir

Director Lisa Prasse. They practice Sunday afternoons and are starting up soon. Contact Lisa for additional information.

Sacred Pans practices on Sundays 3:45-4:45 p.m. and Pans of Praise practices 5-6 p.m. They meet in the back of Moor Hall. You must be able to read music to participate. Interested? Contact me!

Trinity's new Orchestra, String Ensemble and Woodwind Ensemble are under the direction of Carol Marchant. They do not meet weekly as most other music groups. The orchestra will play Sunday, September 24 and the Woodwind Ensemble will play October 15. Rehearsals (usually 2 before each performance) are set up by Carol. Interested? Contact Carol or me for more information.

Our Cherub Choir is now under the leadership of Linzee Buck. They meet on Sundays in room 105 at 10:30 a.m. starting September 3.

Bach at Trinity

Trinity's organist, Viktor Billa presents to the congregation a solo album: "Bach at Trinity". The organ works are very powerful and dramatic; they have such deep and spiritual content. It's certainly possible to call them "the musical sermon."

This CD is a gift for the blessed Trinity family from your organist Viktor Billa. He greatly enjoys being part of this church family, and is honored to have served this amazing congregation for two years.

They will be available beginning Sept. 10 from the narthex of our sanctuary on Sundays.



The NETkids Choirs

5K Race 4 Readiness!

Stacey Duggar
Preschool Director

Please consider running the the 2017 Early Learning Coalition's Annual **Race 4 Readiness 5K** run and 1 mile walk along with the Preschool Advisory Board, staff,

and parents! The date is set for **Saturday, October 21, at Tom Brown Park**. For more details, please use the link below, however, **if you would like to sign up, please don't**

register online, but rather call me at the preschool. The group rate is \$10 per person, and includes a t-shirt. Registration is due no later than Friday, October 13, so please make arrangements before then. The direct line to the preschool is 850-224-8992 x3. Proceeds from this race help support literacy in the Big Bend region. <http://www.elcbigbend.org/>

2017-2018 Preschool staff are hard at work planning for a new school year...our 45th year to be exact! Pictured here are Ryane Egler, Emily Snowden, Brittany Crutchfield, Keyandra Raines, Stacey Duggar, Mary Katherine Chatelain, Victoria Tettey, Jennifer Hopgood, and Maggie Murphy.



We can make a difference - Become a reading mentor!

Jane Olson
Kate Sullivan liaison

Welcome to another exciting school year and welcome back to Trinity's Reading All Star Program with Kate Sullivan Elementary School! Experts will tell you that a child must have a keen reading proficiency by the third grade to ensure their success in life.

We as a church participate in a reading mentoring program for just this purpose and with over 800 students enrolled for this academic year, our help is needed!

Mentors meet once a week with their student to work on developing vocabulary and reading skills. We work primarily with kindergarten through 2nd grades but if another grade is preferred, this can easily be arranged

held at various times and dates to accommodate personal schedules. Training is offered from **10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, September 6** and **Friday, September 22** and also from **11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13** and **Tuesday, September 26** at the Leon County volunteer office location, **2757 West Pensacola Street**.

Returning mentors can begin Labor Day week or any week thereafter. Kelli Walker is our contact for information (call 487-7881 or 510-9736 or email walker7@leonschools.net).

Mentor training continues throughout the school year so you can become involved at any time!

This year, mentor training is

Together, we can make a difference!



The Kate Sullivan Planning Committee l-r, Michael Bryan, Rev. Brewster, Jane Olson, Dr. Wiatt, and Meg Guyton.

Local Missions and You

Please be on the lookout for an exciting brochure created by the **Local Missions Committee** to keep you informed of:

"WHAT WE DO
AND
WHERE THE
OPPORTUNITIES
ARE"

This brochure will be very informative and kept up to date.

Pick up your copy in the Narthex today!



Welcome Back Wednesday!

— September 6 —

Come join us for dinner and catch up with your Trinity friends - try something new!

Dinner: 5:30 reservations please

Financial Peace Preview: 6:30 (Library)

Cyber Security: 6:30 (Rm. 305) Dan Drake

NETkids Parents Meeting: 6:30 in Rm. 205

Game Night: 6:30 - 7:30 Moor Hall

Introducing ... Bootcamp!

Health Wellness Team

Hello! My name is **Elaine Freni** and I teach every Wednesday at 6:30pm during Lay Academy. We are starting a new class called **Bootcamp** on September 13. It is a combination of strength, cardio, muscle endurance and core. You get EVERYTHING you need. The workout is designed to build strength and fitness through a variety of group intervals. All fitness levels are

welcome to attend. I hope you will join us. We do a little bit of everything and will take the workout outside when the weather is nice. Feel free to email me with any questions you might have. Looking forward to seeing some new faces this fall!

Staying Strong (9:30 am. Tues/Thurs) led by **Ruth Ann High** or **Beth Curry**;

Variety Mix (11 am Tues/Thurs) led by **Amy Leach** or **Beth Curry**. Childcare is available by advance reservation;

Bootcamp (6:30 pm Wed) led by **Elaine Freni**, begins on Sept. 13.

Note: **Jaqui Griffith** will lead **Staying Strong** as a guest instructor from time to time

Remember: Drop in to any class, any time. There is a suggested donation of \$3 for every class which goes to community service or the Health Wellness Fund. Registration for Bootcamp classes may also be made through the Lay Academy brochure or online - <https://www.tumct.org/grow/lay-academy/>.

Please contact the class leader if you have any questions:

- **Beth Curry** BFCSeries@yahoo.com
- **Elaine Freni** elainefreni@gmail.com
- **Jaqui Griffith** Jaqui_Griffith@comcast.net
- **Ruth Ann High** rahigh@tumct.org
- **Amy Leach** AmyCLEach@hotmail.com

Show Love for Others

Community Garden – Shari Hubbard (TallyShari@gmail.com)

Our garden is for the enjoyment of the community and Trinity members, and we encourage you to visit the garden and both enjoy, and share, the bounty! Also, we are actively looking for gardening



enthusiasts (no previous experience necessary) to join our team. Please email Shari (tallyshari@gmail.com) or **Gloria Whitaker** (whitakgm1002@gmail.com) with questions and to volunteer.

Mats for the Homeless – Rose Glenn (BudsThorn@comcast.net)

We will begin the fall meetings on **Tuesday, Sept. 14 at 10:30-noon** in the **Conference Room**. We welcome all newcomers. We will teach you how to cut the plastic bags, roll the balls of plarn and even teach you how to crochet the mats. We also need plastic grocery bags from any store or color. Please fold the bags to make our work easier.

Hats for Friends (formerly Hats for the Homeless) – **Judy Levy** (judithtlevy@embarqmail.com)

This group creates hats and scarves for those in need. Our next meeting will be **Thursday, Sept. 19 at 10:30** in the **Conference Room**. Notify Judy if you would like to learn to make hats and scarves or learn more about the group.

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This group participates in local races (running and walking), kayak and hiking trips, and many activities for all ages. Join us for fun and fitness with Trinity friends.



• Sat., Sept. 9 @ 8:30 a.m.
Tom Brown Park. Mevet to walk at the playground near the ultimate frisbee area. Bring water and a snack.

• Sat., Sept. 23, 8:00 a.m.
kayaking. Meet at the church gravel lot to carpool. Place to be determined. Bring drinks and food. More info on the Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1080560685348664/>



Note: Look for details of all activities (upcoming and past) on our Facebook page. For more information about TUFF, contact **Marie Bradley** at MBradley1716@comcast.net or text 850-728-5383 or Facebook Messenger.

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Health Wellness Calendar

Drop in any time!

BFC Series Exercise Classes

Tuesdays and Thursdays

- 9:15 - Staying Strong
- 11:00 - Variety Mix**

*\$3 suggested donation **Nursery by reservation only

— Wednesdays —

(Bootcamp will begin in September)

Classes in
the Parlor

Upcoming Events

- **Mats for the Homeless** will meet on Sept. 14 from 10:30 - 12 noon.
- **Hats for Friends** will meet on Sept. 19 at 10:30
- **TUFF** will meet at Tom Brown Park on Sept. 9 at 8:30 to walk
- **TUFF** will kayak Sept. 23 - meet at 8 a.m. in church gravel lot to carpool

For more information about the Health Wellness ministry contact: **Jaqui Griffith** (Jaqui_Griffith@comcast.net), **Ruth Ann High** (rahigh@tumct.org) or **Amy Leach** (AmyCLEach@hotmail.com)



UMW Meeting Speaker - Christina Pacelle

Nancy Bedford
Communications Officer

The next meeting of UMW in Ministry will be Tuesday, September 5th at 11:45 in Moor Hall. The program speaker will be Christina Pacelle, the Director of Development for the Wesley Foundation.

UMW Operation Christmas

Child Pack shoeboxes,
Change lives!

The cardboard shoeboxes have arrived! Contact Rose Glenn 727-8526 or budsthorn@comcast.net to get yours and start packing! New in 2017- No toothpaste, candy or edible items! Suggested shipping donation \$9.

UMW Pecan Sales

UMW will be selling pecans again this year! They are delicious to eat as well as great for gifts and baking. Watch for order forms and pricing during September.

UMW supports the Wesley Foundation at FSU as one of our missions. Everyone is invited to attend, even if you aren't a member of UMW. Monthly meetings are an opportunity to enjoy fellowship, informative programs and a delicious

lunch! Please call Nancy Kerce at 877-6546 for reservations. Standing reservations are preferred. Hope to see you there!

*Executive committee will meet at 10:30 in the church library.

UMW Circle Meetings

Alpha Circle: Mon., Sept. 11, 10 a.m. 4475 Meandering Way, **Nell Morse**, hostess, **Cynthia Smith**, chair.

Dorcas Foster Circle: Tues. Sept. 5, 1 p.m. in the church library, **Nancy Waugh**, chair.

Mary Martha Circle: Mon., Sept. 18, 6 p.m. 2104 W. Randolph Cir., **Julie Pararo**, hostess & chair.

Sojourners Circle: Wed., Sept. 6, noon, Cafe at St. Johns, **Marti Chumbler**, chair.

Susanna Wesley Circle: Tues., Sept. 19, 10 a.m. 3930 Meandering Ln. **Liz Smith**, hostess & chair.

The Voice Circle: Tues. Sept. 12, 7 p.m. Call Patti Oakley, chair. for location 877-4898

Watch the bulletin and website, www.tumct.org/connect/ (then select UMW in Ministry & Action Teams) for details as they become available.

New members join in August

Trinity was blessed in August with several new members who have made the decision to make Trinity their home church.

Tony Bajoczky was born and grew up in Tallahassee. He went to college out of town (undergraduate studies at Duke University and then went to law school at the University of Florida). After law school, he decided to move back to Tallahassee and currently works at the Ausley McMullen law firm.



Tony Bajoczky

Tony enjoys sports and pretty much all outdoor activities. He has been visiting Trinity for a little better than three years.

Brenda Garner has been married to her husband, Pete, for almost 47 years. They have two wonderful children, both married, and two beautiful grandchildren. She is the Director of Enterprise Content and Medical Record Management at Capital Health Plan and enjoys reading, watching most any sport (not hockey or soccer), and most of all, spending time with family. The church



Brenda Garner

granddaughters, Caroline and Molly, but stayed because Trinity feels like home!

Lee and Lisa Nichols have two daughters, **Hannah** (13) and **Emilie** (10). Lee grew up in Tallahassee and works for Capital City Bank. Lisa is a teacher at Advent Preschool. They met while students at FSU and have lived in Tampa, London, and Amsterdam during their 21 years of marriage.



L-R, Lee, Emilie, Lisa, and Hannah

leadership, the tradition and the involvement in the community are just some of the reasons that she was drawn to Trinity. Brenda started coming to Trinity with her daughter-in-law, Kelley, and

Bud and DeeAnn Rich Bud, a native of Tallahassee, is semi-retired but does work in the Disaster Recovery & Debris Management business when the occasional hurricane hits the south or east coast. He is an avid hunter and fisherman and likes to hit the links. He and DeeAnn just celebrated their 34th wedding anniversary. DeeAnn was born



Bud and DeeAnn Rich

and grew up in Alabama and moved to Tallahassee in her junior year of high school. She enjoys fishing and "junking." She is the political director of Comcast. They have three children and one granddaughter, one son-in-law and one soon to be son-in-law. They are excited to join the Trinity family.

Youth Happenings in September

Lisa Prasse
Youth Director

Tanner Johnson
Youth Ministry Assistant



A Note from Lisa ...

It has been an awesome summer and I am so proud of my youth for how they challenged themselves and grew spiritually this summer. We started off the summer with our theme of #blessed! "...bless those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled." (Matthew 5:6). They not only were willing to challenge themselves personally, but they went out and told others about God, our church, and being a Christian. That's hard for anybody to do, not to mention a teenager. They also invited lots of friends to church for our Youth Week event and challenged shared with our congregation on Youth Sunday about how they were #blessed during our summer activities and how they intend to share those blessings with the world. Did you know that according to research in 2017, 96% of unchurched people are at least somewhat likely to attend if they are invited? If we don't invite them, then who will? It's up to us to



James and Paige Trafton shared their beautiful home for the "End of Summer Pool Party!"

reach out to others and invite them to a bible study, a Wednesday night dinner, a worship service, or maybe a mission project. It's up to each of us to reach out into the world and share our #blessings

with others; not just stay here at church (as great as that might be).



After the monsoon-like rains, the Youth swam in the pool and then enjoyed dinner, fellowship, and rodeo action on the Trafton's TV.

Upcoming Events!

Sept. 7-10:...Rock the Universe

Sept. 24:UMYF @ the Lake

Sept. 27:Special Speaker
Bible Study @ 6:30pm

Oct. 8:Children's Sabbath

Oct. 13-15:...Connect
(at Warren Willis)

Oct. 29:Halloween Party!

Children's Ministries News

Allison Corrigan
Director of Children's Ministries

Warren Willis Summer Camp

This year, we had 47 children, youth and adult volunteers attend camp in July. We had such an amazing time together as we grew spiritually through worship, small groups, games, team building and more!



The bus to Leesburg awaits the anxious campers!

Every child that attended has already stated that they look forward to returning.

Next summer, we plan to go the week of July 9-14, 2018, so **mark your calendars!** If you are in 3rd, 4th, or 5th grade this year, you are eligible to attend and we'd love to have you join us! It's a meaningful week you'll never forget!

Sunday School

Our curriculum this year will be **Deep Blue Learn & Serve**, which has a strong emphasis on missions and serving others. Through this study we'll have adventures,



Trinity is blessed to have teachers like Gloria Colvin!

hear exciting Bible stories, and learn how to live as disciples of Jesus through service— just like Jesus taught! We will virtually "travel" to Guatemala, Kenya, Alaska, and Armenia. This year, Sunday

school will be an around-the-world adventure full of new friends and new encounters with God. Please plan to join us! 3-4 year olds will meet on the first floor of the preschool and elementary classes will meet in the 2nd floor children's hallway.

We can't wait to begin this adventure with you! And, it's never too late too to get started. Come and get started anytime.

NETkids at Trinity

NETkids is an exciting fellowship program offered to children in Kindergarten through 5th grade. We meet on Wednesday afternoons from September-May, 3:15-5:30. During NETkids, children build their relationships with God and others through Bible stories, games, crafts, music, missions, woodworking, and more. The program kicks off on Wednesday, September 6 with a family dinner at 5:30 in Moor Hall, and a parent's meeting at 6:30 in Room 205. NETkids activities will begin the following Wednesday, September 13.

Registration forms are available in the Welcome Center, the Narthex, and the 2nd floor Children's hallway. There is a registration fee of \$25 for the year, which helps to cover the costs of materials and special events. If you have any questions about the program, or concerns about transportation to NETkids, please contact Allison Corrigan (acorrigana@tumct.org, (850)222-1120). We work hard to solve all transportation issues, so please let us know! We look forward to having you join us this year!

Kindergarten & 3rd Grade Bible Presentation

Traditionally, Trinity presents its 3rd graders with their very own Bibles each fall. This year, we will also present storybook Bibles to our Kindergarteners. If your child is entering Kindergarten or 3rd grade, please be on the lookout for paperwork for your child's Bible.



The NETkids had a blast at the end-of-year skate party!

MONTHLY
Findings
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Rev. Dr. Wayne D. Wiatt, Senior Pastor
Jonathan Brewster, Associate Pastor
Barbara Hynes, Associate Pastor of Discipleship
Rex Adams, Director of Communications



This year, Kindergarteners will receive Bibles with the third-graders.

Forms have been mailed to your homes, and will also be available on the table in the Children's Hallway.

The children will receive their Bibles on Sunday, September 10, at the 11:00 service, followed by a reception in the Parlor.

Important Upcoming Dates

Sept. 6

NETkids parent meeting
6:30, Rm. 205

Sept. 10

Kindergarten/3rd Grade Bible Presentation
11:00 service

Sept. 13

NETkids begins

Sept. 17

Acolyte Ice Cream Social — 7pm