

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

August 30, 2020

13TH Sunday after Pentecost

The Mission of Trinity United Methodist Church is to become growing followers of Jesus Christ and to reach out to others in unconditional love because God first loved us.

* This mark invites those who are able to please stand.

Please silence or quiet your cell phone so we can worship and celebrate God together.

>>>> **REMINDER:** Please social distance for everyone's safety. Thank you.

>>>> **SPECIAL REQUEST:** For all hymns, please either hum along or sing silently to yourself. We ask that no one sing out loud, as this is part of our "Reopening Guidelines" to keep everyone safe. Thank you.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* HYMN *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* 89



*Baptism, I baptize you in the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit*

CELEBRATION OF HOLY BAPTISM OF

Declan Aaron Bee

Born November 6, 2018

Parents Ryan Bee

Jaleesa (Storer) Bee

INTRODUCTION:

Brothers and sisters in Christ:

Through the Sacrament of Baptism, we are initiated into Christ's holy church. We are initiated into Christ's mighty acts of salvation and given new birth through water and the Spirit. All this is God's gift, offered to us without price.

TO THE PARENTS:

Ryan and Jaleesa Bee,

whom do you present for baptism today?

We present Declan Aaron Bee.

Then on behalf of the whole church, I ask you:

Do you renounce the spiritual forces of wickedness, reject the evil powers of this world, and repent of your sin?

I do.

Do you accept the freedom and power God gives you to resist evil, injustice, and oppression in whatever forms they present themselves?

I do.

Do you confess Jesus Christ as your Savior, put your whole trust in His grace, and promise to serve Him as your Lord, in union with the church which Christ has opened to all people of all ages, nations, and races?

I do.

Will you nurture Declan, in Christ's holy church, that by your teaching and example, that Declan may be guided to accept God's grace for himself, to profess his faith openly, and to lead a Christian life?

I do.

TO THE CONGREGATION:

Do you, as Christ's body, the church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ?

We do.

Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include Declan now before you in your care?

Congregation: With God's help, we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround Declan with a community of love and forgiveness; that he may grow in his service to others. We will pray for him, that he may be a true disciple of Jesus Christ who would walk in the way that leads to life.

CONFIRMATION OF FAITH – CONGREGATION:

Do you believe in God the Father?

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Declan Aaron Bee, you are baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:

Pastor: Members of the household of God, I commend
Declar to your love and care. Will you seek to live
in a manner that will help Declar to grow in the
knowledge and love of God, through our Savior Jesus
Christ?

Congregation: With God’s help, we will live our lives
after the example of Christ. That Declar,
surrounded by our unwavering love, may be
established in the faith, and strengthened in the
way that leads to life eternal. Amen.

COMMENDATION:

The God of all grace, who has called us to eternal
glory in Christ, establish you and strengthen you by
the power of the Holy Spirit that you may live in
grace and peace.



OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

* PRESENTATION HYMN 95
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise
Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above,
ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy
Ghost. Amen.

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

* HYMN *I Surrender All* 354

WORSHIP IN PRAYER

Silent, Individual Prayers

Pastor’s Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer (All)

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy
name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on
earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us
our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass
against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us
from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, and the
power and the glory forever. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING Romans 11: 1-18

SERMON " Family Tree of Salvation"

* HYMN *When Jesus Came to Jordon* 252

* BENEDICTION

* POSTLUDE

Those serving in worship today:

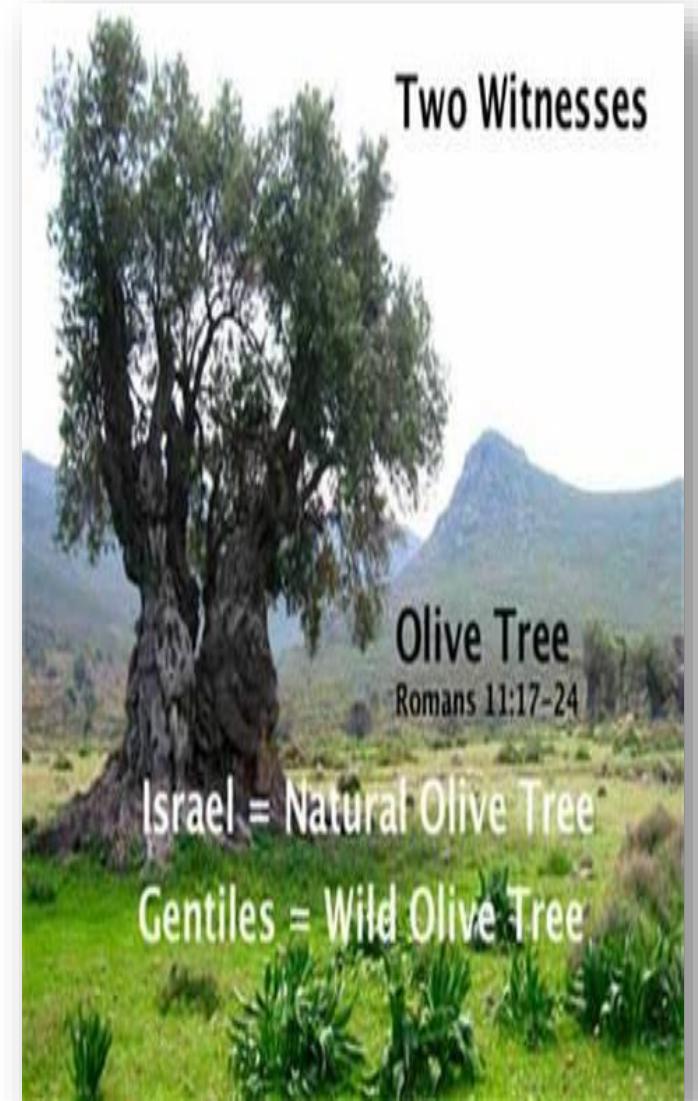
Pianist: Jennifer Hall

Reader: Jerry Bower

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Today's Scripture Reading:

Romans 11:1-18

Israel's Rejection Is Not Final

1 I ask, then, has God rejected his people? By no means! I myself am an Israelite, a descendant of Abraham, a member of the tribe of Benjamin. ² God has not rejected his people whom he foreknew. Do you not know what the scripture says of Elijah, how he pleads with God against Israel? ³ "Lord, they have killed your prophets, they have demolished your altars; I alone am left, and they are seeking my life." ⁴ But what is the divine reply to him? "I have kept for myself seven thousand who have not bowed the knee to Baal." ⁵ So too at the present time there is a remnant, chosen by grace. ⁶ But if it is by grace, it is no longer on the basis of works, otherwise grace would no longer be grace.

⁷ What then? Israel failed to obtain what it was seeking. The elect obtained it, but the rest were hardened, ⁸ as it is written, "God gave them a sluggish spirit, eyes that would not see and ears that would not hear, down to this very day."

⁹ And David says, "Let their table become a snare and a trap, a stumbling block and are tribulation for them; ¹⁰ let their eyes be darkened so that they cannot see, and keep their backs forever bent."

The Salvation of the Gentiles

¹¹ So I ask, have they stumbled so as to fall? By no means! But through their stumbling

salvation has come to the Gentiles, so as to make Israel jealous. ¹² Now if their stumbling means riches for the world, and if their defeat means riches for Gentiles, how much more will their full inclusion mean!

¹³ Now I am speaking to you Gentiles. Inasmuch then as I am an apostle to the Gentiles, I glorify my ministry ¹⁴ in order to

make my own people jealous, and thus save some of them. ¹⁵ For if their rejection is the reconciliation of the world, what will their acceptance be but life from the dead! ¹⁶ If the part of the dough offered as first fruits is holy, then the whole batch is holy; and if the root is holy, then the branches also are holy.

¹⁷ But if some of the branches were broken off, and you, a wild olive shoot, were grafted in their place to share the rich root^[f] of the olive tree, ¹⁸ do not boast over the branches. If you do boast, remember that it is not you that support the root, but the root that supports you.

Today's Selected Hymns:

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (89)

1. Joyful, joyful, we adore thee,
God of glory, Lord of love;
hearts unfold like flowers before thee, opening to
the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;
drive the dark of doubt away.
Giver of immortal gladness,
fill us with the light of day!
2. All thy works with joy surround thee, earth and
heaven reflect thy

rays, stars and angels sing around thee, center of
unbroken praise.

Field and forest, vale and mountain,
flowery meadow, flashing sea,
chanting bird and flowing fountain,
call us to rejoice in thee.

3. Thou art giving and forgiving,
ever blessing, ever blest,
well-spring of the joy of living,
ocean depth of happy rest!
Thou our Father, Christ our brother,

all who live in love are thine;
teach us how to love each other,
lift us to the joy divine.

4. Mortals, join the mighty chorus
which the morning stars began;
love divine is reigning o'er us,
binding all within its span.
Ever singing, march we onward,
victors in the midst of strife;
joyful music leads us sunward,
in the triumph song of life.

I Surrender All (354)

1. All to Jesus I surrender;
all to him I freely give;
I will ever love and trust him,
in his presence daily live.
Refrain:
I surrender all, I surrender all,
all to thee, my blessed Savior,
I surrender all.

2. All to Jesus I surrender;
humbly at his feet I bow,
worldly pleasures all forsaken;

take me, Jesus, take me now.
(Refrain)

3. All to Jesus I surrender;
make me, Savior, wholly thine;
fill me with thy love and power;
truly know that thou art mine.
(Refrain)

4. All to Jesus I surrender;
Lord, I give myself to thee;
fill me with thy love and power;
let thy blessing fall on me.

(Refrain)

5. All to Jesus I surrender;
now I feel the sacred flame.
O the joy of full salvation!
Glory, glory, to his name!
(Refrain)

When Jesus Came to Jordan (252)

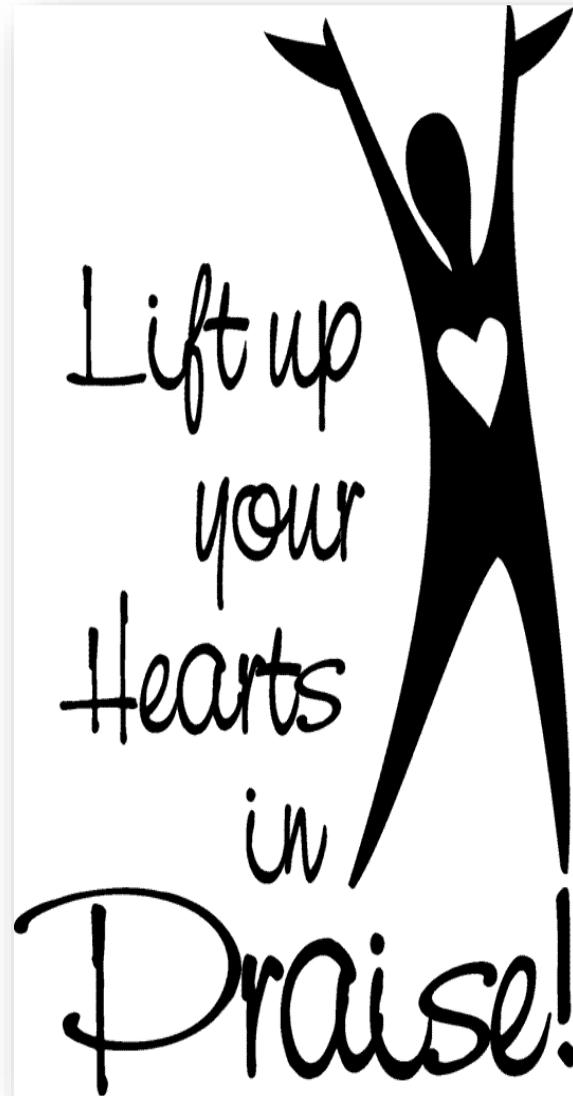
1 When Jesus came to Jordan
to be baptized by John,
he did not come for pardon
but as the sinless one.
He came to share repentance
with all who mourn their sins,
to speak the vital sentence
with which good news begins.

2 He came to share temptation,
our utmost woe and loss,
for us and our salvation
to die upon the cross.
So when the dove descended
on him, the Son of Man,
the hidden years had ended,
the age of grace began.

3 Come, Holy Spirit, aid us
to keep the vows we make;
this very day invade us,
and every bondage break.
Come, give our lives direction,
the gift we covet most:
to share the resurrection
that leads to Pentecost.

**Today's Selected
Hymns & Scriptures**

Sunday, August 30th



TRINITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

August 30, 2020



Prayer: God of Moses, thank you for being who you are. I thank you that you are unchanging in all your ways. Praise your name! Amen

This Week's Events:

Sunday 30 **13th Sunday After Pentecost**
Tuesday 1 Tuesday Morning Grp 10:00 AM
@ Peace UMC

Upcoming Events:

Sunday 6 **“Weekend Of Unity” 10 AM at
the Starlite Drive-in Theatre**
Tuesday 8 Tuesday Morning Grp 10:00 AM
@ Peace UMC



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Leonard McNamer 8/31

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Scott Turgasen 9/9
Nancy McCauley 9/17
Rick Orsburn 9/19
Jaleesa Storer 9/21
Elaine Coy 9/30

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

Brian & Stephanie (Shannon) Perkins 9/4
Fuzz & Lila Spangler 9/17
Mark & Sally (Hodge) McCollum 9/22
Shirley & Gene Wanless 9/24

AUGUST 2020 MISSION FOCUS – The August Mission focus will be the **Trinity “Wish List” Fund**. Special offering envelopes for this cause will appear in selected monthly bulletins and are in the narthex area. Please write checks to Trinity United Methodist Church and note on your check, and on a regular giving envelope, **“Wish List Fund”** to assist our counters to credit properly your giving account. Please see your August CHIMES for a complete explanation of this important internal missions’ campaign.

INVITATION TO JOIN PEACE BIBLE STUDY GROUP – every Wednesday night at 7PM in the sanctuary. Study focus will be Galatians 3. Mask wearing and social distancing will be in place.

WEEKEND OF UNITY! - This year the Labor Day service will be very different from last year's *Worship In The Park* due to Covid. The RCMA be starting this event on Saturday the 5th at 8am with a 24-hour public reading of the entire New Testament and Psalms. The readings will take place on the courthouse lawn beginning at 8am until 8am on Sunday the 6th. Then starting at 10am the "***Weekend of Unity***" worship will be held at the Drive-in Theater on Hwy 14 East. We will stay in our vehicles and the service will be played on the large screen for all to see. We will keep you posted, so look for more details coming soon! Everyone is encouraged to participate. If you would like to volunteer to be a reader (approx.. 20 minutes per person) please contact the office at 647-3203.

Trinity United Methodist Church

Sunday Worship: 9:30 a.m.

Pastor: Rey Diaz

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Pastor's email: zoolaar@live.com

Pastor's Office Hours: Wednesday and Thursday 9-12 PM

and by appointment M - F

Saturday: Pastor's day off

Trinity Church Office

Hours: Monday – Friday, 9 - noon

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