

Trinity United Methodist Church

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8:30 SERVICE
ORDER OF WORSHIP

January 13, 2019
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WELCOME! We are glad you are here this Epiphany morning.
Help us get to know you by completing a lavender attendance card found in the pew back. The back of the card also has space for your prayer requests.

Hymn Sing *Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness* FWS 2120
Wade in the Water FWS 2107
We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding FWS 2103

Gathering

Welcome, Announcements & Connection Rev. Eileen Gilmer
Prelude *Sonata in G (Agnesi)*
✠ Call to Worship Gilmer
Leader: All creation proclaims the greatness and love of God.
People: God's love permeates even the deepest darkness.
Leader: The light of God shines on us with new hope.
People: We are called to be people of compassion and justice.
Leader: Open our hearts, O Lord, to see your light and live in your hope.
People: Prepare us for service to all your people and to this world. Amen.
✠ Gathering Hymn *I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry* yellow sheet / CH 75

Invitation

Pastoral Prayer Sprouse
Lord's Prayer CH 775

Response

Offering Rev. Keith Lee
Offertory

Message

Scripture Acts 8:14-17 p. 4, Sprouse
Message *Baptism: Part Deux* Rev. James C. Sprouse
✠ Meditation Hymn *Loving Spirit* yellow sheet / CH 244

Lord's Supper

Communion Sprouse
Communion Music *At the River (Lowry)* Joey Wilson

Sending Forth

✠ Sending Forth Hymn
Father, I adore you, lay my life before you; how I love you.
Jesus, I adore you, lay my life before you; how I love you.
Spirit, I adore you, lay my life before you; how I love you.
✠ Benediction Lee
Bring God's healing love to all whom you meet. Help with ministries, which promote justice and compassion. In Jesus' Name, go in peace. Amen.
Closing Music *Little Prelude and Fugue in C Major* (attrib. Bach)

✠ Please stand as you are able

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Gathering

Ringing of the Langley Bell and Welcome		Rev. Eileen Gilmer
Prelude	<i>Sonata in G (Agnesi)</i>	
Introit	<i>Come, Let Us Gather</i>	Chancel Choir
✠ Call to Worship		Rev. Keith Lee
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✠ Hymn of Praise	<i>Christ Is the World's Light</i>	UMH 188

Proclamation

Children's Message	<i>G.R.O.W.</i>	Keith Lee
(Children ages 3 - 6th grade are invited to Children's Education following the Children's Message.)		
Anthem	<i>At the River (Lowry)</i>	Chancel Choir

Response

Offering		Gilmer
Offertory	<i>Capriccio in G, K. 63 (Scarlatti)</i>	
✠ Doxology		UMH 95

Message

Scripture	Acts 8:14-17	p. 4, Sprouse
Sermon	<i>Baptism: Part Deux</i>	Rev. James C. Sprouse

Invitation

✠ Hymn of Reflection	<i>Holy Spirit, Come, Confirm Us</i>	UMH 331
Prayers of the People		Sprouse
Lord's Prayer		UMH 895

Sending Forth

✠ Hymn	Father, I adore you, lay my life before you; how I love you. Jesus, I adore you, lay my life before you; how I love you. Spirit, I adore you, lay my life before you; how I love you.	
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Postlude	<i>Little Prelude and Fugue in C Major (attrib. Bach)</i>	

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Welcome to Worship

Worship Times:

- 8:30 Sunday (weekly communion)
- 10:30 Sunday (communion on 1st Sundays)
- Wednesday Noon (weekly communion)
- Celtic (**Jan. 27**) at **5 p.m.**
- **Greeter:** Connie Jeremiah (8:30). **Acolyte:** Emery Stover (10:30). **Crucifer:** Audrey Stover (10:30)
- You are invited to stay after each service to help make sandwiches and trail mix baggies for the hungry served by **Martha's Table** in Washington, D.C.
- The flowers on the altar are given by Crafts for a Cause in memory of Peggy Trapp.
- We **rejoice** with John & Margie Meak for the Jan. 7 of their sixth grandchild, Ava Mary O'Shea, daughter of Courtney & Brendan O'Shea.

THIS WEEK

Pastor's Jim's class resumes today with **Gnosticism: From Nag Hammadi to the Gospel of Judas**. They meet in the Library for a brief video and lively discussion. Each class session is offered three times a week so you won't miss it. Sundays at 9:30 a.m., Mondays at 10 a.m. and Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. **This week:** Mary Magdalene as an Apostle of Gnōsis.

How Conversation Works, a six-week study with Pastor Eileen will begin today in Room 302, on the lower level of the Fellowship Building. Class meets Sundays at 9:30 a.m. The upcoming topics are:

- ⇒ How the conversational floor works
- ⇒ How and when to be direct and indirect
- ⇒ How to navigate face-threatening acts
- ⇒ How to negotiate professional relationships
- ⇒ How to maintain relationships with talk

Everyone is welcome to participate in these classes with the pastors.

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Sunday 1/13
8:30 a.m. Worship (Chapel)
9:30 a.m. Martha's Table Sandwich Making
 (Fellowship Lobby)
9:30 a.m. Gnosticism (Library)
9:30 a.m. How Conversation Works (302)
10:30 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)
10:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School (301-403)
11:30 a.m. Martha's Table Sandwich Making
 (Fellowship Lobby)
11:30 a.m. Executive Council (Library)
11:40 a.m. Youth Group

Monday 1/14
10 a.m. Gnosticism (Library)
7 p.m. Engage Bible Study (Chapel, 301, 302, 402)
7:30 p.m. Boy Scouts (Langley Hall)

Tuesday 1/15
7 p.m. Langley Residential Support Services
 (Langley Hall)

Wednesday 1/16
Noon Worship (Chapel)
Noon Overeaters Anonymous (302)
6 p.m. Trinity Trebles (Langley Hall, 115)
6:30 p.m. Gnosticism (Library)
7 p.m. Potomac School & High Mountain Inst. (302)
8:30 p.m. AA (Langley Hall)

Thursday 1/17
6:30 p.m. Trinity Ringers (115)
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir (115)

Friday 1/18
7 p.m. Boy Scouts (Fellowship Building)
8:30 p.m. AA (Langley Hall)

Saturday 1/19
8 a.m. Tai Chi (Langley Hall)
10 a.m. Christ House

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan. 9 - Feb. 5 Honduras Mission trip
Jan. 20 Celebration of Life: John Sadler, 2 p.m.
Feb. 24 3rd Grade Bible Presentation
March 5 Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

Birthdays this week: Sawyer Berg, Curt Burner, Ann Case, Caroline Christy, William Decker, Brad Flickinger, Ruth Godding, Mary Lou Griggs, Cornell Hooton, Evan Huie, Ava Mayne, Kyle Rose, Jolie Smith, Judy Smith, Daniel Souza, Bill Trapp, Rod Weir, Brad Wise, Pamela Wykle

Anniversary last week: John & Courtney English

Anniversary this week: Dale & De Ann Wise

Bridging God's Word to Everyday Life

Get Involved

PRAYERS

Our Prayer List

Abby, Aidan, Amy, Andrea, Andrew, Ann, Annie, Ashley, Barb, Barbara, Barry, Bill, Bob, Bobbie, Brenda, Buddy, Burl, Campbell family, Carl, Carla, Carol Ann, Carol, Cathy, Charlie, Cherie, Chris, Chuck Joanne, Courtney, Dale, Daniel, Darlene, David, David & Dorothy, Dean, Debbie, Del, Diana, Duhamel family, Ed, Ella, Erin, Eunice, Flo, Florian, Frank, Fred & Marlene, Freda, Gary, George, Gloria, Herb, Holly, Jane, Janet, Jean, Jeff, Jerry, Jim, Jim & Sharon, Joan, Joe, John, Josh, Joyce, JR, Judy, Julie, June, Jurgen, Katherine, Kay, Ken, King family, Layne, Len, Lenny, Lilly, Lincoln, Linda, Lindie, Lisa, Lorraine, Maddy, Marge, Martha, Mary, Mary Lou, Matt, McCullough family, Megan, Merlin, Michelle, Mike, Mike & Bev, Molly, Montenegro family, Nancy, Nell, Olivia, Paul & Jeanette, Paul, Paula, Pauline, Peg, Ray, Raymond, Richard, Robert & Diane, Robert, Rosa, Rosie & Tao, Russell, Sadler family, Sally, Sandy, Sarkees, Scott & Cathy, Scott, Sherry, Steve, Sue, Sullivan family, Susan, Susan & Dudley, Suzanne, Tess, Thomas, Tim, Tom, Tony, Torry, Trapp family, Vanna, Virginia, Vivian, Yancey, and federal workers, congressional leaders and an end to the shutdown, the people of Heart to Heart Children's Village, the Carolinas, the Florida panhandle and California, victims of natural disasters, victims of war, migrants, and those who are grieving.

Pray with Us Each Weekday

Eileen Gilmer prays on Facebook each weekday at **7 a.m.** Tune in to begin your day with your church family. The video is also posted to her profile and the church's Facebook page (Trinity UMC, McLean).

Giving

Altar Flowers Sign-Up: sign-up to sponsor Sunday altar flowers (\$45/week) at umtrinity.org/worship/altar-flowers.

Amazon Smile: You can designate Trinity to receive a percentage of your purchases at no cost to you. Simply, **visit bit.ly/tumcsmile** and login with your Amazon account. Each time you shop at Amazon, log in through smile.amazon.com and Trinity will receive the benefit.

Online Giving: Fast. Easy. Convenient. **GIVE ONLINE:** umtrinity.org/give or **TEXT trinityva to 77977** and follow the secure link that is sent back. Thanks for your continued support!

Mission Trips

Dan & Chris Moore have returned to The Leadership Center in Honduras. They will be there until Feb. 5 and you're invited to join them for any part of their stay there. Interested persons are welcome to join them for all or part of either trip. For more, please visit: <https://wp.me/p3DkoW-gd>

Outreach

Collection Drive for DC Scholars at Stanton

This month's Collection
disinfectant wipes
hand-sanitizing gel
boxes of tissues

Donations will go to DC Scholars at Stanton (Stanton Elementary School). Any sizes or quantities are appreciated. Please place donations in the bins outside the Sanctuary and in the Fellowship Building.

Crafts for a Cause

Crafts for a Cause has closed out the year of 2018 with some awesome statistics: 250 neck pillows, 83 dresses, 20 blankets, 118 heart pillows, 212 adult hats, 79 surgery dolls, and an astonishing 1,200 kitted and crocheted baby caps. That's a rough estimate of all the comfort items Crafts delivered to Fair Oaks Hospital, Christ House, area shelters and ministries to needy girls around the world during the past year. Several weeks ago, we dropped off 52 Christmas stockings and 86 knitted Santa hats that will be given to holiday newborns at Fair Oaks Hospital. Our group also donated a big shipment of medicine and health supplies to Art for Humanity, bought wish list items for the Fairfax animal shelter, and supported Trinity's missions to The Leadership Center and Heart to Heart orphanage. We paid for all our supplies and donations solely through sales from the annual Holiday Bazaar. So thanks to everyone who supports us by shopping! Meanwhile, our work continues on alternating Monday nights, when we make all those comfort items. Our next session will be **Jan. 21, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in Room 124**. If you can't make the meetings, we have homework. We also have a Loom Hat project for those interested in making adult hats for Christ House and baby caps for Fair Oaks Hospital. For more information, contact Molly Sprouse at mollysprouse@gmail.com.

Shepherd's Center Needs Volunteers

Drivers needed to take seniors to and from medical appointments, the pharmacy and grocery store. No specific time commitment is needed. Please call to hear how easy it is to help the Shepherd's Center, at 703-506-2199 or visit the website at www.scmafc.org.



2019 Offering envelopes are available for pick up in the Narthex. Stop by the table and take yours home today!

Attention 3rd Graders

Bibles will be presented on Sunday, February 24 during the 10:30 a.m. service. If you will be present, please ask your parent to send your name to hlatta@umtrinity.org.

Children

Acolytes & Crucifers Sign-Up: visit bit.ly/trinityacb.

Children's Sunday School includes classes for all children pre-K through 6th grade in Room 402. Children are dismissed from 10:30 worship following the Children's Message to join their teachers in the Fellowship Building classroom. Parents may pick up their children at the end of worship.

Teachers are invited to volunteer for 2018-19 Sunday School year. Please contact Keith, klee@umtrinity.org.

Trinity Trebles, our children's choir for ages 4 - 11, meets on **Wednesdays, from 6 - 7 p.m.** in Langley Hall. Join us for Wednesday Night Dinner and for singing! Questions? Contact Jerry Rich, jrich@potomacschool.org.

Youth

Acolytes & Crucifers Sign-Up: visit bit.ly/trinityacb.

Youth Group, for grades 7-12, has a wonderful schedule to engage teens in their faith journey. Please join us! If you would like more information, please talk to Pastor Keith, klee@umtrinity.org.

Jan. 13 11:40 a.m. Youth Group with Confirmation class: Let's Talk About Music

Jan. 20 Ski Trip



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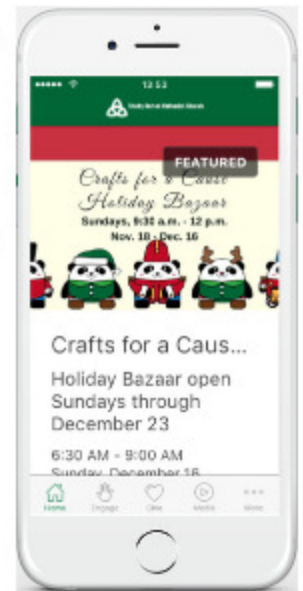
Sermon Scripture: Acts 8:14-17

Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had received the word of God, they sent to them Peter and John, who came down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit; for it had not yet fallen on any of them, but they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. Then they laid their hands on them and they received the Holy Spirit.



Check out the Trinity App

Visit your phone's Apple App Store or Google Play Store and search for **Trinity McLean** or text **trinityva app** to 77977 for a direct link to the app in your phone's store.



Music Notes

The 1767 **Prelude** is by the Italian-born *rococo* composer Maria Teresa Agnesi, known for her operas produced at the courts of Vienna and Dresden. The **Anthem** was composed in 1864 by Baptist minister Robert Lowry; when Lowry's Brooklyn congregation became worried about a typhus epidemic affecting nearby Manhattan, he wrote this hymn to console them with the promise of eternal life: "Yes, we'll gather at the river that flows from the throne of God." The engaging **Offertory** was published in 1742 by Domenico Scarlatti. The **Postlude** is one of eight "little" teaching pieces attributed to Johann Sebastian Bach but probably written by one of his talented pupils.