

Weekly Events at Trinity

Worship Service	Sunday, 10:00 am	Worship Center
Trinity Kids	Sunday, 10:15 am	FDC**
Student Ministry	Sunday, 5:00-7:00pm	Student Bldg.
Adult Bible Fellowship	Sunday, 9:00 am	MB-307*
Sunday Prayer Team	Sunday, 9:30 am	MB-306*
Men's Bible Study	Wednesday, 7-8:30 pm	MB-304*
Silver Seekers Bible Study	Wednesday, 10-11:30 am	MB-304*

*Main Building

**Family Discipleship Center

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*In essentials, unity.
In non-essentials,
charity.
In all things, Jesus
Christ.*

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February 5, 2023



To our Guests, Welcome!

As you settle in, you can expect to experience a worship service that consists of music, giving and Biblical teaching. Please let us know how we can assist you in your spiritual journey. If you're new here, scan the QR code on the back of the bulletin to fill out the Welcome card online!

Our Mission

We exist to develop wholehearted followers of Jesus Christ.

Our Vision

We will be a family of believers equipped and engaged to share the love of Christ in a world desperately needing him.



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Announcements

Night of Worship | Tonight

Our 28 Days of Prayer and Fasting has come to an end. Please join us tonight from 5pm-6pm as we worship together, pray together, and celebrate Communion together. Nursery/childcare will be available for ages 4 and under. Come and worship!

Women's Ministry Events

Women In Pursuit (WIP) | Tuesday February 7th

Join us at 6:30pm for S'mores and a special time where we will hear the stories of a few of our Trinity Women. Please bring a camp chair, a savory treat, and a friend. Visit the Women's ministry tab on the church website for more information.

Ladies Crafting Saturday | Saturday Feb 11th

Join us between 9am-12pm in the FDC for a day of card making. For more details visit the Events Calendar on the church website.

Women's Spring Retreat | April 21-23

Early registration is \$95. After March 1st, registration will be \$125 and open until March 20th. Visit the Women's ministry tab for more information.

Discover Trinity Class | March 5, 2023

Mark your calendar for our next Discover Trinity Class on March 5th from 4pm-7pm! This class is led by our leadership, and is for anyone interested in becoming a member of Trinity, or anyone who wants to learn more about Trinity Church. Sign up in the foyer, or click "Events" on our website.

Trinity Kid's Ministry

Trinity Kids' Ministry is a great place to make friends and share the love of Jesus. Currently we need to add three nursery assistants and three preschool assistants. If you would like to bless families by being in Kid's ministry, email amy@trinityefca.com.

Save the Date for VBS! | June 12 - 15

Make sure to save the date for this summer's VBS. Get ready for a Stellar Adventure!

Trinity Missions Highlight

This week we are praying for Tim and Lindsay Lopez with SALT Ministry. Praise for them leading others to Christ, 26 baptisms. Pray for them as they prepare for the arrival of their first child due in March.

Matthew

The Gospel of the Kingdom

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The Invitation

Matthew 22:1-22

Avoid – Some reject Jesus' offer (Matt 22:1-7)

- Jesus had just put the religious leaders in their place
- He revealed that He was the chief cornerstone (Matt 21:42)
- He predicted they would soon lose their authority (Matt 21:43-44)
- The Pharisees understood Jesus, but did not have a change of heart (Matt 21:45-46)
- Now Jesus reveals the sin of the majority
- Jesus illustrates this through a parable about a wedding (Matt 22:1-3)
- This parable foreshadows Christ and the new Jerusalem (Rev 21:2)
- This is also a picture of the believer and Christ
- The parable reflects the blessings of salvation (Matt 22:4)
- The parable reflects how mankind rejects God (Matt 22:5-6)
- The rejection continues after the resurrection (Ac 7:57,58)
- Mankind, in general, refuses to honor Jesus (Jn 5:40)
- The parable foreshadows judgment (Matt 22:7)
- God is merciful and patient with mankind (2 Pet 3:9)
- Man's rejection of God is offensive to His holiness

Accept – Some accept Jesus' offer (Matt 22:8-14)

- The true church includes a great variety of people (Matt 22:8-10)
- There are requirements in order for someone to attend the wedding (Matt 22:11,12)
- The Bible speaks of being clothed in righteousness (Job 29:14; Isa 61:10)
- The invitation is accepted through faith in Christ (Ac 4:11,12; Gal 2:21; Rom 3:20-22; 2 Tim 1:9)
- The purpose of works is to demonstrate gratitude for salvation
- The Kingdom of God will include those who have accepted God's invitation

Attack - Some treat Jesus with malice (Matt 22:15-22)

- The Pharisees tried to trap Jesus (Matt 22:15-17)
- Jesus would not be tricked (Matt 22:18-22)
- The Jews, in general, rejected God (Ac 13:46)
- Mankind, in general, rejects God (Rom 1:32)
- Jesus continues to extend the invitation (Rev 22:17)

Application:

- Accept the Invitation
- Read His Invitation Every Day
- Get Connected to the other Wedding Guests

Handbook to Prayer Guide:

- Next week, February 6th-12th, pray through month 2, days 6-12
- Abide in Christ through prayer!