

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

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

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online!



March 26, 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

Men's Breakfast | April 1, 2023

The monthly men's breakfast will be Saturday, April 1st at 8am in the FDC. Join the men for fun, fellowship, a short devotional and great food. Guests are welcome!

Easter Egg Hunt | April 2, 2023

Trinity Kids' annual Easter Egg Hunt is Sunday, April 2nd. All kids ages 10 and under are invited. The Easter Egg Hunt will be located in the playground area between the FDC and Worship Center, and will start at 11:20 am. (Parents will pick up their kids from their classrooms immediately after the Worship Service and bring them to the playground area). We hope you'll join us.

Maundy Thursday | April 6th - 6:30pm

Trinity will hold a Maundy Thursday Worship service and Communion at 6:30pm. Maundy Thursday commemorates The Last Supper, when Jesus washed His disciples' feet, and it is the fifth day of Holy Week.

Women's Spring Retreat | April 21-23

Ladies, if you are considering joining us for the retreat, its time to register! We are making final preparations and need to know if we can prepare for YOU! Sign up on the website today! Registration ends March 31st.

Baby Dedication | Mother's Day, May 14th

We are planning to celebrate baby/child dedications on Mother's Day, Sunday May 14th during the Worship Service. Please contact the church @985-893-0218 or by email to kathy@trinityefca.com if you would like to dedicate your child, or for more information.

Trinity Missions Highlight

Prayers for Yemen - Father God, we ask you to bring stability to the country of Yemen that has suffered so much conflict at the hands of Muslim extremists. Protect those believers that trust you in secret. Draw close and remind them of your love. Protect the emergency aid that is being sent for those living in poverty. Bring peace and reconciliation. Amen.

Matthew

The Gospel of the Kingdom

Presumed Innocent

Matthew 27: 1-26

Illusion – Jesus' ministry appeared to crumble (Matt 27:1-10)
The priests took counsel to put Jesus to death (Matt 27:1)
Jews could no longer carry out capital punishment
This is why they needed Pilate (Matt 27:2)
This loss of power had been prophesied (Gen 49:10)
Jesus predicted He would be handed over to the Gentiles (Lk 18:31-32)
Pontius Pilate was the Roman Governor over Israel
Judas regretted betraying Jesus (Matt 27:3)
30 pieces of silver was the price to replace a slave (Ex 21:32)
Judas was not innocent (Jn 6:70-71)
The priests were done with Judas (Matt 27:4)
Judas ended his life (Matt 27:5)
Judas was directed by Satan himself (Lk 22:2-4)
The priests were complete hypocrites (Matt 27:6-8)
The fate of the silver coins had been predicted (Matt 27:9)
This was spoken by Jeremiah but written by Zechariah (Zech 11:12-13)
Jesus' ministry appeared to be crumbling

Inexcusable – The trial of Jesus was completely unjust (Matt 27:11-23)
Jesus did not defend Himself (Matt 27:11-14)
His silence had been prophesied (Isa 53:7)
Pilate offered to release one prisoner (Matt 27:17)
The priests persuaded the crowd against Jesus (Matt 27:20-22)
Sometimes God calls us to stand against the majority

Irony – Several ironic things took place (Matt 27:24-26)
Pilate symbolically washed his hands with water (Matt 27:24)
Pilate was not innocent (Lk 23:12)
The people called down a curse upon themselves (Matt 27:25)
Jesus' death demonstrated His love for mankind (Rom 5:8)

Application:

Meditate on the sufferings of Christ
Know that your sins are offensive to God
Know that your Savior loves you

Handbook to Prayer Guide:

Next week, Mar 27th - Apr 2nd, pray thru Month 3 days 27-31 & Month 1 days 1-2
Abide in Christ through prayer!