

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

“3rd Sunday of Easter”

April 18, 2010

MINISTERS All Members
PASTOR Rev. Eric Williams
READER OF THE DAY Betty Geer
CHOIR DIRECTOR / MUSICIAN Joyce Blackburn

“EXPECT A MIRACLE”

CALL TO WORSHIP Joyce Blackburn
CHIMES: “He's All I Need”

PREPARING OUR HEARTS Joyce Blackburn
“Gentle Shepherd”

Leader: “God is good”, People: “All the time”
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WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Betty Geer

CHORAL INTROIT “Majesty” Choir

*OPENING HYMN #98 Congregation
“To God Be the Glory”
(All verses)

*UNISON PRAYER ALL

Almighty God, through your only Son you overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life. Grant that we who celebrate our Lord's resurrection, by the renewing of your Spirit, arise from the death of sin to the life of righteousness; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SHARING MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN Rev. Eric

ANTHEM “Feed My Lambs” Choir
Rebekah Harp: flute

PRAISE AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Rev. Eric
(A quiet time of sharing with others the names of family and friends who need to be lifted to our Heavenly Father during this time of prayer.)

CALL TO PRAYER Choir
“I Will Lift My Heart In Prayer”

PASTORAL PRAYER; LORD’S PRAYER (Unison) All
“Our Father which 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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever.” AMEN.

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

PRAYER OF DEDICATION Betty Geer
OFFERTORY Joyce Blackburn

“Open the Eyes of My Heart”
*THE DOXOLOGY #95 All
“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.”

SCRIPTURE: Rev. Eric
John 21: 1-22 - Pew Bible Page #1688

MESSAGE OF THE DAY Rev. Eric
“Invitation”

HYMN OF RESPONSE #382 Congregation
“Have Thine Own Way, Lord”
(verses 1, 3 and 4 only)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Hymnal #13, 14, 15

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

***CLOSING HYMN #389**

“Freely, Freely”
(verse 1 only)

Congregation

***BENEDICTION**

Rev. Eric

***SENDING FORTH HYMN #389**

“Freely, Freely”
(verse 2 only)

Congregation

POSTLUDE

Joyce Blackburn

“Proclaim the Glory of the Lord”

(*Denotes Standing for those that care to and those who are able)

PLEASE NOTE: “AN IMPORTANT MEETING COMING UP”:

“All church members and friends of the church are invited to attend a meeting NEXT SUNDAY, April 25th immediately after church services. During this meeting we will be discussing the current church finances. Representatives from the District Office are expected to attend. Please make every effort to be at Trinity for this meeting.”

OUR SCHEDULE COMING UP:

Sunday,	Apr. 18 th ,	“3rd Sunday of Easter” Native American Ministries Sunday, Special Offering 9:15 am Sunday School 10:00 am Choir Rehearsal 10:30 am Morning Worship Ad Council meets after church
Monday,	Apr. 19 th ,	8:00 pm AA / Fellowship Hall
Wednesday,	Apr. 21 st ,	8:00 am – 4 pm / Church Office Open 8:00 pm AA / Fellowship Hall
Thursday,	Apr. 22 nd ,	8:00 am – 4 pm / Church Office Open
Saturday,	Apr. 24 th ,	7 pm – 8 pm AA / Fellowship Hall
Sunday,	Apr. 25 th ,	“4th Sunday of Easter” 9:15 am Sunday School 10:00 am Choir Rehearsal 10:30 am Morning Worship Special called congregational meeting following morning worship service.

Please note: The Administrative Council will meet TODAY, (April 18th), immediately following our morning worship.

The United Methodist Church has set aside today as one of the years Special Offering Dates. Today is Native American Ministries Sunday and if you would like to give a special gift to that ministry, please indicate on your check “For Native American Ministries.” Thank You.

“PRAYER CONCERNS”:

In your prayer time today, and during the week, please remember these loved ones and friends.

Ashley Appling, Lisa Appling, Neta Appling, The Family of Jean Arnwine, Kelli Berg, Glenda Biddle, Katharen Billow, Ruth Black, Bill Blackburn, Joyce Blackburn, Jonathan Calhoun, Wanda Carey, The Clower Family, Janice Cook, Vera Davis, The Deckers, The Family of Sam Dixon, Phillip Eddins, Pat & Melenda Edmiston:(Missionaries / Bible Translators), The Edmistons Co-Translator, “Jude” of Papua New Guinea, Barbara Frye & Family, The Fulghum Family, Betty Geer, Blayne Geer, Christen Geer, Jason Geer, Pat Geer, Richard Geer, Sheryl Geer, Janice Goldin, and Scott Gordon. Alice Hakes, Richard Hakes, Reggie Hall, Marilyn Hamilton, JoAnn Hardin, Rebekah Harp, Pat Heaton, Orin Hendrick, Bob Highland, Debbie Hill, James Aaron Hill, Jr., Mercedes Hines, Timmy, Alyssa, & Nicholas Holden, Shawna Holzer, Joyce Howard, Thomas Howell, Dana & Mike Hughes, Leslie Huntley & Daughter. Mark Jeune, Norman Jeune, Stephen Jeune, Arlene Johnston, David Johnston, Ivan Johnston, Danny Jones, Nettie Jones, Beth Joyner, John Junker, Paula Knezha, and Norma Lipps and Christopher Lopez.

Marcie's Granddaughter, Harold Maready, Nancy Masser, Jessica & Hugh Mears, Iona Mears, The Millans, Cheryl Miller, Barbara Moritz, Debbie Murphy & Family, The Naples Family, Clarke New, James Only, Our Gov. Officials and Military, and Patty Owen. Pam Pattee, Tom Phillips, Cheryl Plunkett, Ron Robinson, Linda Rouse, Carol Rumsey, The Artists at Shake Rag Artists' Collective, John & Marian Sikes , Donna Shumaker, Olive Shupe, David Smith, Opal Smith, Roger Smith, Ken Stevic, Gail Stevens, Joe Stiles, Barbara Stiles, Jeff Suggs, Glenda's Dad Ron Thomaston, “Virginia”, The Wahlstrom's, “Wanda”, The Waynes, Grady Williamson, Jamie Willis, Jean Wirth, Paige Wolle, Charlotte Woodham, Marleen Wright.

Please remember our shut-in's and friends:

Reggie Hall

Alice Hakes

Carol Rumsey

Iona Mears

PAPER GROCERY BAGS “STILL NEEDED”:

Our thanks to all who continue to bring in paper bags. “PLEASE”, keep bringing them in! We give the gift of these bags to food banks who need them in order to distribute food to hungry families. Thank You!!

APRIL BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES “COMING UP”:

Arlene Johnston	23
Sande Lavender	23
Barbara Stiles	23
Elizabeth Joyner	26
Tierra Jackson	26
Gena & Harry Faulkner	26
Evelyn Snyder	29
Laura Williams	29
Eric & Laura Williams	29

***Happy Birthday!
Happy Anniversary!!***

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR HAITIAN BROTHERS & SISTERS:

If you can make a donation, please make your check payable to Trinity UMC, for: UMCOR Advance #418325. Up-dates and breaking news can be found at <http://www.umc.org/haiti>.

“SALTY SERVICE CARDS” are located in each pew. Take a moment to read, (front and back), if you have joined Jesus as a “Salty Servant” last week, place a card, (unsigned) in the offering plate. The cards are counted each Sunday and reported monthly to the Conference. Thanks!

The “May / June” Upper Room Devotional Booklets are still available in the Narthex.