Worship	November 19	November 26
Preacher	Rev. Michael Croom	Rev. Michael Croom
Crucifer	Paul Koehler	Alejandro Teran
Lector Acolyte Video	Anna Pitman Iyana Smith Samuel Granado	Vernetta Eddleman Alessandro Teran Mike Grant
Sound Nursery Greeters	Alan Johnston Nancy Anderson Wanda Cooper Cicely Lynn	Vicki Grant Cicely Lynn Brenda Eddings-Joyne Carley Peterson
Ushers	Annette Koehler Miller McCormack Nikki McCormack	Alan Johnston Annette Koehler Paul Koehler
Guitar	Samuel Granado	
Organ	Wally Campbell Thanksgiving Lunch by	
Snacks	Youth and Young Adults	Board of Hospitality
Elder	Paul Koehler	Alejandro Teran
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- $\ \square$ I'd like a call from the pastor
- \square Email me prayer concerns
- \square Please pray for...(confidential \square)



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Sunday, November 19 - Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost Stewardship Commitment Sunday

- :00 Divine Service (and Livestream)
- 1:30 Thanksgiving Lunch by Youth and Young Adults
- 2:30 Connecting2Christ groups (all ages) 30 mins
- 1:00 Naomi Circle Meeting

Sunday, November 26 - Last Sunday of the Church Year

- 10:00 Divine Service (and Livestream)
- 11:15 Fellowship and Snacks
- 1:30 Connecting2Christ groups (all ages)
- 12:15 Children Christmas Service Practice
 (All children, youth, and parents are asked to attend)
- 12:30 Hispanic Service

Friday, December 1

7:30 Youth Group Lock-in (6th-12th grade)

Saturday, December 2

- 6:00 Trinity Serving as Spectator Spot and Cheer Station for St. Jude Marathon
- 1:00 Church Decorating for Advent and Christmas Seasons

Birthdays This Week:

11/24 - Lee Monger

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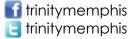


November 19, 2023

welcome to trinity-

We're so glad you're worshiping with us this morning! We pray that your time with us today is uplifting and encouraging as Jesus comes to be with us and serve us His gifts, and we seek to follow Christ together as His church.

Our ministry team and community of faith are here to help you connect both with our Savior and our faith family. If we can be of help to you in any way, please don't hesitate to let us know.



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Thanksgiving Lunch Hosted by Our Youth and Young Adults - Today, our Youth Group, with the help of our Young Adult Group, will be providing a Thanksgiving lunch at 11:30 during our Connecting2Christ group time. In addition to a great fellowship opportunity, this is a fundraiser for our Trinity Youth Group. We hope you'll come and support them! At 12:30 we will have our Connecting2Christ sunday groups for 30 minutes.

The Naomi Circle will meet today at 1:00.

Children and Youth Christmas Program Practice will be at 12:15 next Sunday. We ask everyone who plans to be a part of the program to plan to attend. The Children and Youth Christmas program will be during the 10:00 service on Sunday, December 10.

Trinity Is Serving as Spectator Spot and Cheer Station for the St. Jude Run on Saturday, December 2. We invite people to volunteer to help out with greeting people and serving hot chocolate, coffee, cookies, etc. Because of street closures, you will need to be at the church by 6:00 am. Please wear your blue Trinity t-shirts. The event ends at 11:00.

Youth Lock-in - On Friday, December 1, we will have a lock-in for our Middle and High School Youth. On Saturday, we will help out with our Community Connection Event of serving as Spectator Spot and Cheer Station for the St. Jude Run.

Church Decorating for the Advent and Christmas seasons will be on Saturday, December 2, at $1:00\ pm$

After Worship Fellowship - The Hospitality Board is asking people to sign up to bring snack-type items and drinks for our fellowship. The sign-up sheets for **November - December** is on the board in the fellowship hall.

Organist Search - If you know someone who plays the organ and would like to recommend him or her for consideration, please see or contact Doug Campbell (901-212-6028), Head of our Worship Committee.

Connecting2Christ sunday groups We have groups for all ages! We meet in the fellowship hall, and then go to our groups following an opening devotion. Please make plans to join us to experience the Lord and connect to Christ through the hearing and study of God's Word!

Our Groups and teachers:

Pre-school - K: Nancy Anderson, God Made the World and Me (Note that this class is for the children and parents and/or grandparents.)

Hispanic Pre-School - K: Samuel Granado, Caminando con Jesús.

Primary Grades: Drs. Doug & Angela Campbell, English and Spanish group with materials covering one of the Readings for the day.

Middle & High School: Cheryl Croom & Nikki McCormack, Topical study: It's a Big Deal.

Adults: Pastor Croom, According to John: The Fourth Gospel. Right now, using John as a foundation we are doing a brief study on "Millennialism the Rapture and (Christian) Zionism."

text2talk - Have you ever wanted to know more about something you heard during a sermon? Have you ever wondered what one of the readings might mean for your life? Have you ever wanted to know why we do something in particular as part of the service? We want to answer your questions! So, we want you to text at church! That's right! If you have questions about the service, message, readings, hymns, etc., you can **text** your questions to (901) 665-3665 at the end of the service, and Pastor Croom will take 5 to 10 minutes of our fellowship time after the service to **talk** about as many of the questions as possible. We ask that you wait until the end of the service to text your questions so as not to possibly distract other worshipers during the service.

Please Note: As prayer requests come in, we will keep them on the prayer list for one month, unless specifically requested otherwise.



Members

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Chris Peterson Ryan Weissinger

Connecting2Christ small groups

Upcoming Events

Naomi Circle will meet today at 1:00 pm.

The Board of Missions Food Items of the Month for November - To help supply our emergency food pantry for the needy, the Board of Missions is requesting donations from the congregation in November for the following items: peanut butter, canned vegetables, tuna. Please place them in the corner of the fellowship hall where the food pantry closet is located. If you have questions, please contact Board of Missions Director Charlotte Johnson (662-782-7251).



Lutherans For Life

Life Thought of the Week - Many around us despair because the world pressures them into the violence and fraud (Zephaniah 1:9) of viewing death as a solution to difficulty. In the sanctity of every human life, we have riches to spare (Matthew 25:15). Gospel hope and joy are not just for us to possess. Jesus brings us faith and life to proclaim and put into practice.





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