

*Trinity Church*  
*June 3, 2018*  
*Family Worship 10:30 a.m.*

# Welcome to Trinity Church!

## Today's Greeters:

**Scott & Any Summerlin, Rich & Carol Geney**

### Announcements:

Church Life		Marc Putnam
Prelude	"Dance" by C.A. Peloquin	Mengfei Xu
Invocation		Mimi Joyce
*Opening Praise & Worship	"And Can It Be" pg. 203, vs 1-4	
Morning Prayer		Marc Putnam
Welcome		Liz Doeblor
	<i>If you are seated on or near an aisle, please take out the red attendance register, sign it, and pass it on. Children 3yr. – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade leave for KidZone &amp; children 4<sup>th</sup> grade and up leave for LIT Squad.</i>	
Offertory	"I Will Follow" by Chris Tomlin	LIT Squad
*Doxology		
Scripture Lesson	John 12:20-36	
Sermon	"God is Love"	Marc Putnam
Communion		
Anthem	"Christ Comes to Us" arr. by Stan Pethel	Chancel Choir
*Closing Worship	"Arise, My Soul, Arise" pg. 199, vs 1,3,5	
*Benediction		
*Postlude	"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" arr. by Don Hustad	Mengfei Xu
	<b>*Congregation stands</b>	

The "Share the Change" fundraising drive for the Greensboro Pregnancy Care Center has begun. Bottles are still available for sign out in the Narthex and Atrium. Bottles are due back to the office by Father's Day, June 17<sup>th</sup>. Fill your bottles with change, cash or check made out to GPCC. Thank you for supporting LIFE and the ministries of the GPCC.

You are invited to a "Grand Slam" celebration next **Saturday, June 9, 2018** to celebrate **Pete Kivett's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday!** Join us in the CLC from 11:30 am- 1:30 pm for lunch and fellowship.

**The Family Focus Class** is starting a new series "The Art of Marriage." Dennis and Barbara Rainey host this video series and Doug Snyder and Mary Grace Thomas are facilitating the class. Whether you are planning marriage or have been married for years this series will encourage and challenge.

There will be a quarterly meeting of the **Elder Board, Ministry Teams, and Ministry Team Leaders on Tuesday, June 19 at 6:30 P.M.** Don't miss this important gathering to celebrate God's past blessings and to look forward to ministry opportunities as we move into the second half of 2018.

Save the date for our **July Picnic in the Park! Sunday, July 15, 3-7pm at Country Park Shelter #9** - which is near the playground. Hot dog and hamburger dinner will be served at 5:30. Please bring side-items and desserts. Available activities you and your family can enjoy are the playground, paddle boats, walking around the lake, biking for all ages. Bring your Frisbees! Please sign up for dinner, so we can be sure and have enough food. Sign-up sheets in narthex and atrium.

Regular Sunday night youth fellowship will end on June 10<sup>th</sup> for the summer. Beginning **Wednesday evening, June 20<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm**, all middle school and high school youth are invited to an 8-week conversation entitled "**God Talk**". Please plan to join us!

Greensboro News and Record columnist Harry Thetford has written a new book entitled "Keep their Stories Alive: World War II History: They Wrote the Book." This book contains the personal reflection and memories of the men and women who fought in the war. Harry has generously donated a copy of the book to the Trinity library. Check it out. Literally.

Our nursery is growing! But our nursery volunteer list is shrinking! **Please join our nursery team** and make it easier on all our volunteers, because the more dedicated people we have, the more smoothly our rotation will work. Remember that now you can access the worship service online when you get home, so you'll never miss a sermon when you volunteer!

**8:30 A.M. Worship** - be sure and join us early one Sunday! Prayer, hymns and choruses, sharing, and Bible study in the RCP Library.

Parents, now you can keep your children's hands busy as they sit in church awaiting dismissal for KidZone. At the narthex and atrium doors we have a "**Children's Bulletin**" and small pack of crayons for them to use for the activities on the pages. These activities review the Bible lessons they are learning at Sunday School and KidZone. Please remember to return your crayons to the basket each week! Thanks!

**Don't miss a service!** There are now two ways to watch a recent service at any time - we now live stream on YouTube and Facebook! For YouTube, simply go to the Home page of our website, **trinitychurchgso.org** and click on the link directed to our YouTube and subscribe. Or, login to Facebook and "like" us at Trinity Evangelical Covenant Church - you will see our service posted each Sunday!

**Are you receiving our Text messages?** If you haven't but want to be on the list to receive a text about important events or reminders at Trinity, please let the church office know! Call 336-299-9402 or Email Dana at [dana@trinitychurchgso.org](mailto:dana@trinitychurchgso.org) in the church office with your contact information. Thank you!

**NEW VBS Layout this year - it's going to be GREAT! Preschoolers thru rising kindergarteners, join us for our VBS Babylon July 23-26, 10am-12pm! Kids ages 5 years - 5<sup>th</sup> grade join us for "Summer Fun in the SON". every Wednesday starting June 20<sup>th</sup>. For details, information and to sign up online - go to the home page of our website, [trinitychurchgso.org](http://trinitychurchgso.org)**

*The flowers on the altar today are in honor and celebration of Harold Estep's 85<sup>th</sup> birthday from his family.*

*If you are visiting with us today, please pick up a Visitors Packet at the back of the sanctuary. Thank you for being a part of our service! Please join us again.*

# What's Happening

## Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>

8:30 a.m. Early Worship in Library  
9:15 a.m. Bible Reading Class  
9:15 a.m. Sonshine/Fellowship Class  
9:15 a.m. Good Medicine Class  
9:30 a.m. Family Focus Class  
10:30 a.m. Family Worship  
1:00 p.m. Slavic Church  
5:00 p.m. Youth Group

## Wednesday, June 6<sup>th</sup>

7:30 a.m. Men's Morning Fellowship  
9:30 a.m. "Just Open the Door" Ladies Bible Study  
6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting

## Thursday, June 7<sup>th</sup>

6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts Pack 106  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts Troop 104  
7:30 p.m. Choir Practice

## Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup>

11:30am-1:30pm Pete Kivett 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party in CLC

## Sunday, June 10<sup>th</sup>

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### Lectionary Reading:

**June 3<sup>rd</sup>** - 1 Samuel 3:1-10; Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18;  
2 Corinthians 4:5-12; Mark 2:23-3:6

**June 10<sup>th</sup>** - 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13; Job 38:1-11; Ezekiel 17:22-24;  
Psalm 20; 2 Cor. 5:6-17; Mark 4:26-34

## ■ Mission Moment

### What We Believe

Members at Trinity Church come from a variety of church backgrounds and sometimes no church background. We are united by a common experience of salvation in Jesus Christ. Our church is also united and guided by the affirmations of the denomination to which we belong, the Evangelical Covenant Church. Six central tenants express the unity of our common faith.

- The centrality of the Word of God
- The necessity of the new birth
- A commitment to the whole mission of the Church (meeting both spiritual and physical need.)
- The Church as a fellowship of believers
- A conscious dependence on the Holy Spirit
- The reality of freedom in Christ (unity in essentials regarding salvation, charity in non-essentials.)

Trinity's theology and doctrine have also been influenced by the historic Methodist Church and the theological heritage of John and Charles Wesley. Our sermon series June 3-17 will consider three Biblical themes that were a part of John Wesley's preaching, Charles Wesley's hymns, and inspiration for the revivals of the 18<sup>th</sup> century in America and Europe.

- God is love
- Jesus Christ died for all people
- Personal and social transformation through the Holy Spirit

Join us as we celebrate the goodness of God! What we believe determines how we behave. These Biblical truths are more than dogma and doctrine; they are an invitation to a life changing reality.

**Nursery Workers today: Elaine Putnam, Mary Grace Thomas**  
**Nursery June 10<sup>th</sup>: Carmen Cox, Emily Boles**

**Website: TrinityChurchgso.org**  
**Facebook: Trinity Evangelical Covenant Church**

