



Trinity Tidings

Faith, Family, Friendship
October, 2026 Newsletter



Worship at 10:30AM

We now offer three options for worship on Sundays:

- 1. Worship at church in the sanctuary.
- 2. Worship at church using the drive-in option(100.1)
- 3. Worship at home.



If you live in a climate where the leaves are turning, you know how beautiful the season of autumn can be. Lush green landscapes transform into brilliant layers of red, orange, yellow, and gold. Breezes carry the whisper of impending change as those leaves hang on, summer’s swan song, portraying God’s beautiful creation with colorful splendor.

Yes, creation has a way of preaching beautiful truths about our Creator God. “The heavens declare the glory of God” (Psalm 19:1). The autumn leaves can prompt us to think about our Creator God who is also our *Savior* God. Those lovely leaves are about to let go and fall to the ground, their work complete. And that’s a beautiful picture of what Jesus did for us.

The whole story—the words those lovely leaves cannot speak—is found on the pages of Scripture. In God’s Word we learn that true loveliness is more than meets the eye. “This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us” (1 John 3:16). When Jesus’ work was fully complete, he let go of his life. His brilliant, perfect season on earth inspired and amazed many people, and it had to come to an end in order to usher in a new season—one in which the world’s sins are paid in full.

Fallen leaves have no life in them. They wither and are trampled and buried. Likewise, our sinful selves died with Christ. That old version was crucified and buried with him, as the apostle Paul describes in Romans 6. But God did not leave us to blow in the wind or wither on the ground. Paul continues: “Now if we died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him” (Romans 6:8). That’s a promise of eternal life, and it’s also a promise for this life: Each day we repentant sinners are empowered to lead more love-filled and lovely lives because we are alive in Christ.

The falling leaves serve as a reminder to repent regularly—to let go of the previous season and confidently arise to a new and glorious season in Christ. “If anyone is in Christ... The old has gone, the new is here!” (2 Corinthians 5:17).

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Church Happenings

The Year 2026 Highlights:

October 30 (Friday) Habitat for Humanity will be passing out bags with our church

November 14th Madison & Anhui Wedding in Georgia

November 22 Pie Social

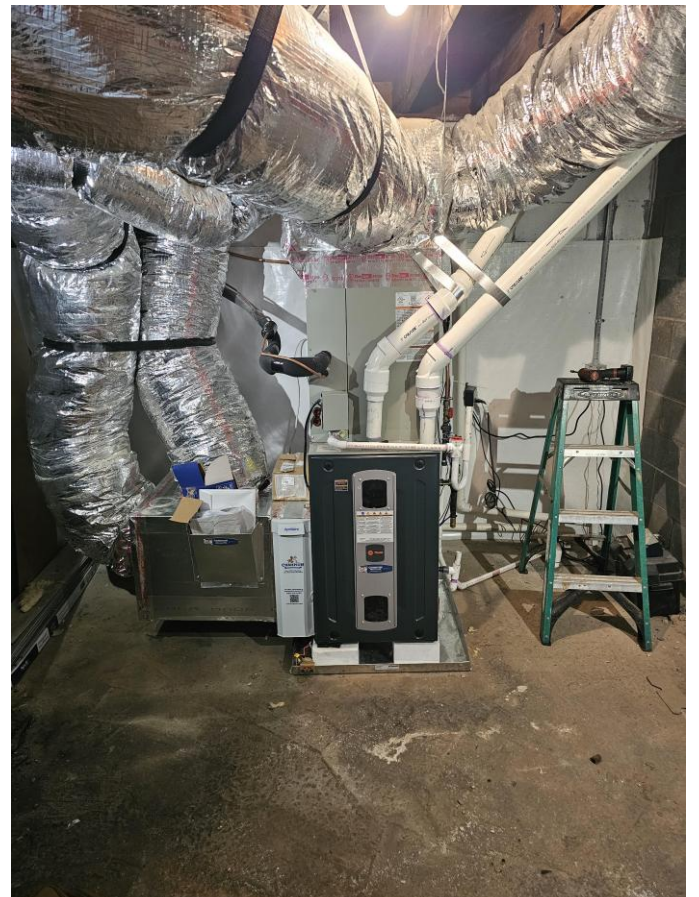
December: Church Christmas Lunch date TBA

October Mission:

Fidgets Mats that were blessed in September.



New Furnace for our Church Building!



Tore's Home

Please remember the residents of Tore's Home during this with a card or note. We are making a difference in their lives!

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Dorothy Greenauer
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Next Council Meeting:
**Sunday, January 11:30
AM**

I said a prayer for you today....



Resident at Tore's Home, Tommy, Cathy,, Evelyn, Steve
Bailey, Jerry, Wayne, Taina,Tom

Our Call Committee
Police Officers
First Responders

Health Care Professionals
Military Personnel
Fire & Rescue Workers

Lord of Grace, we pray for all those who are sick in body, mind, or spirit. We pray especially for those on the prayer list of our Congregation, and for all those we name before you now. In your loving kindness meet their needs, we pray. HEAR US, O LORD...

Prayer Warrior Team



Who Can You Call On For HELP?

Trinity has a team of Prayer

Warriors that will intercede on your behalf to lift physical or spiritual needs to God. When things seem the darkest or most urgent, we are here to help. "We can do all things through Christ who strengthens us." (Philippians 4:13)





We have a convenient option for online giving on our church's website. It is an easy way to make financial contributions to Trinity Lutheran Church. If you would like to use this new option to donate to church, please go to the church website at <https://www.trinitylutherannc.org/donate>. There is no cost to you or the church for using this service. Donations can also be mailed to the church at P.O. Box 497, East Flat Rock, NC 28726. Tithes & Offerings.

Birthdays and Anniversaries:

October Birthday's: Rose & Helen Arthur (7), Michele Snyder (9), Don Arthur (15)
October Anniversaries: None

