

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

An Act of Love  
Tuesday, June 7th, 6:30 p.m.

On Tuesday June 7th at 6:30 p.m., Trinity UMC (Memphis) and St. John's UMC will cohost a screening of the documentary *An Act of Love*. The film chronicles the story of UMC pastor, Frank Schaeffer, who chose to marry his gay son and partner despite the prohibitions on gay marriage in the United Methodist Church. The screening will be followed by an open discussion. Refreshments will be served.

Dinner & Concert  
Friday, June 17th, 5:30 p.m.

Trinity UMC (Memphis) will host the Youth Ministry from Trinity UMC (Rome, GA) on Friday June 17th. There will be a Fellowship Dinner at 5:30, TUMC Rome will offer a concert in the sanctuary at 7:30, and we will close the evening with an ice-cream social and movie on the big screen at 9:00.

Mark Your Calendars  
Metro District Youth Retreat  
Friday, August 21st Overnight, Location and Details TBA

Please submit all announcements and prayer requests  
by Thursday of each week to:  
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This Week At TUMC

- Sunday, June 5th**  
8:30 a.m. Centering Prayer, Sanctuary Bld. 2nd Floor  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal  
10:55 a.m. Worship Service
- Monday, June 6th**  
7:00 p.m. Trustees Meeting, in Conference Room
- Tuesday, June 7th**  
10:30 a.m. UMW, in Fellowship Hall  
6:30 p.m. *“An Act of Love”*, in the Fellowship Hall  
(See Upcoming Special Events for more information)
- Wednesday, June 8th**  
6:30 p.m. Choir Practice  
7:00 p.m. NA meeting
- Thursday, June 9th**  
7:00 p.m. Young Professionals Book Group  
7:00 p.m. NA meeting
- Friday, June 10th**  
7:00 p.m. NA meeting
- Saturday, June 11th**  
6:30 p.m. NA meeting
- Sunday, June 12th**  
8:30 a.m. Centering Prayer, Sanctuary Bld. 2nd Floor  
10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal  
10:55 a.m. Morning Worship

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† Worship On The Lord’s Day †

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

June 5th, 2016 ❖ 10:55 A.M.

Leading in Worship  
The Reverend Mike Potter  
Alicia Butler, Choir Director  
Irene Dycus, Liturgist



Sharing God’s love with every neighbor:

The people of Trinity United Methodist Church believe that all individuals are of equal and sacred worth, created in the image of God. Our congregation welcomes all people and seeks to build community with individuals who are diverse in theological viewpoint, age, physical and mental ability, economic status, immigration status, race, ethnicity, gender identity, and sexual orientation.

**Welcome to worship at Trinity UMC!**  
**Restrooms** are located on the ground floor along the hallway at the back of the church, in the hallway behind the sanctuary, and on the west (right) side of the building on the third floor. **Elevator** access is available to all three floors. It is a joyful thing to come together as a **community**; if you are visiting, we're excited that you are here with us. Please take note of the **Ministry of Friendship** pad and feel warmly invited to share your name with those around you; place attendance sheets in the offering plate. The **chimes** signal the beginning of worship. Once again, **welcome!**

(\* indicates that the congregation should rise or remain standing as able.)

❖ **Entering Into Worship** ❖

Gathering as God’s People *A time of fellowship*  
Chiming the Hour of Worship *We turn ourselves wholly to God*  
Welcome and Announcements  
Prelude  
Procession of the Light

**\*Greeting**  
Liturgist: With friends and strangers,  
with family and neighbors, we gather:  
**People: Come among us, Healing God,  
with that love which never ends.**  
Liturgist: With faith reaching out to touch,  
with hearts straining to trust, we hope:  
**People: Come among us, Friend of the broken,  
with your compassion which makes us whole.**  
Liturgist: With word and wonder,  
with silence and song, we wait:  
**People: Come among us, Dryer of our tears,  
to lift us to our feet to follow you.**  
Liturgist: Let us pray:  
  
**\*Prayer for Purity** (in unison)  
Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspira- tion of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magni- fy your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**\*Opening Hymn** This Is a Day of New Beginnings **UMH 383**

Prayers of Intercession and Thanksgiving

**Choral Anthem** At the Table of the Lord Jay Althouse  
At the table of the Lord bread is broken.  
At the table of the Lord we are fed.  
We remember now the words that Christ has spoken:  
"This is my body," he said.  
  
At the table of the Lord, in Thanksgiving,  
We have come to drink the wine which is poured.  
We remember him, who died for us, now living.  
We remember Christ, our Lord.

At the table of the Lord we are meeting.  
In communion we are many in one.  
For wherever we are gathered, there our Lord will be.  
At the table of the Lord we shall be free.

❖ **Proclaiming God’s Holy Word** ❖

**Prayer for Illumination** (in unison)  
Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit; that as the scriptures are read and the Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

A Reading from the Old Testament 1 Kings 17:8-24 (OT p. 324)

**Responsive Reading** Psalm 146 **UMH 858**  
Praise the LORD!  
Praise the LORD, my soul!  
I will praise the LORD aa long as I live;  
I will sing praises to my God while I have being.  
Do not put your trust in princes,  
in mortals, in whom there is no help.  
**Their breath departs, they return to the earth,  
on that very day their plans perish.**  
Happy are those whose help is in the God of Jacob,  
**whose hope is in the LORD, their God.**  
who made heaven and earth,  
the sea, and all that is in them—  
**Who keeps faith for ever;  
who executes justice for the oppressed;  
who gives food to the hungry.**  
The LORD sets prisoners free,  
**the LORD opens the eyes of the blind.**  
the LORD lifts up those who are bowed down,  
**the LORD loves the righteous.**  
The LORD watches over the sojourners.  
**and upholds the widow and the orphan;  
but the Lord brings the ways of the wicked to ruin.**  
The LORD reigns forever,  
your God, O Zion, from generation to generation.  
**Praise the LORD!**

**\*A Reading from the Gospels** Luke 7:11-17 (NT p. 65)

**\*Hymn of Response** Healer of Our Every Ill **TFWS 2213**

**Homily** “God Comes Among Us” Rev. Mike Potter

❖ **Responding to the Word** ❖

**\*The Affirmation of Faith** **UMH 885**

**The Sacrament of Holy Communion** **UMH pages 7-11**  
**Offertory**  
**\*Presentation of the Gifts and Doxology** **UMH 94**  
**The Lord’s Prayer** (in unison)  
Our Father, who 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; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

❖ **Going Forth** ❖

**The Prayer After Receiving**  
**Sending Forth the Light** Here I Am, Lord **UMH 593**  
**Benediction**  
**Postlude**