



Summer Happenings

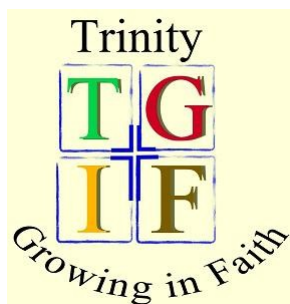
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Our Mission

We are here to:
Worship God,
Walk with Jesus,
Change lives,
and Serve the
community, through the
power of the Holy Spirit.



Welcome to Trinity



We welcome all visitors and new comers who have come to join us as we pray and give thanks, praise and worship, and learn about the word of God here at Trinity.

Feel free to meet us after the service for lemonade on the hill.



GALATIANS PREACHING SERIES

Paul's object in Galatians covers seven points:

1. Man is accepted by God, not because he is good, but because of Christ's sacrifice for us.
2. Christ alone is all we need - we need no additional means for salvation, not other cults, not good deeds.
3. Paul's teaching (and ours) is validated by God's Holy Spirit, and by God's call to us.
4. The authority in religious practice is not human beings, tradition, or practice, but Christ's word, read, received, and empowered in us.
5. Freedom in Christ does not mean we can do anything we want - instead it means slavery (doulos) to Christ and to each other.
6. The unity of the Church is the desire of Christ (see John 17:11) and that unity is spiritual, not human, not political.
7. The Gospel is intended for the whole world - we are sent to proclaim in the power of the spirit. We should not be deterred in speaking the Gospel to non-Christians - not cowed by political correctness or secularism or liberalism.

See also the article "All Are Equal in the Eyes of God" by Canon Don Beatty in the July Anglican Journal (reprints available at the back).

Father A.

VACATION BIBLE CAMP (VBC)

July 5 to 9

It is with joy and gratitude to both the Lord and to all the members of our VBC team that we say, "What a marvelous week!" The children were wonderful, the team patient, kind, and energetic. Thank you to everyone! To all our parishioners who chose to support the program with their prayers and/or with their finances, thank you so much. This is a church ministry. We pray that the children will remember the things they learned at VBC that will encourage them throughout their lives that **God's Word is TRUE, COMFORTING, SURPRISING, LIFE-CHANGING, and is for EVERYONE!**

It has been our pleasure to have been part of this program.

Judy Thompson & Gay Welsman



Calendar Events this Week / Parish Info & Updates

SUNDAY - July 11 "Pentecost 7"

8:00 a.m. - Quiet Communion
10:00 a.m. - Family Communion
Nursery in Undercroft (ages 0 – 4 yr.)

WEDNESDAY

7:30 a.m. - Men's Breakfast at Candyland Café
10:30 a.m. - Holy Communion Service

SUNDAY - July 18 "Pentecost 8"

8:00 a.m. - Quiet Communion
10:00 a.m. - Family Communion
Nursery in Undercroft (ages 0 – 4 yr.)

***Meals on Wheels:** Over the Summer the Red Cross will need more volunteers to assist with the deliveries. If you might have some time available to volunteer an extra day, please call Margaret at the Red Cross, at 721-3313, Ext. 254 to Volunteer. Thank You.

-From Jan Bowser, Red Cross, Barrie.

*** "Daily Bread":** Scripture Guide is available in the Narthex for those who have subscribed. Also one extra copy is available for anyone who wishes to pick it up. (The Rev. Ray Carder)

Wardens' Update

The books of Chronicles were written after Judah and Israel were captured by kings from other countries. Eventually some of the people were allowed to go home. These books reminded them that they were still God's people.

Similarly, it is good to be so reminded. As The Book of Common Prayer says in the Offertory blessing, "All things come of thee, and of thine own have we given thee." (1Chron 29:14) This statement is as true for us at Trinity today as it was in King David's time in Chronicles.

Financially, then, from January to June total income is at 96% of budget. The difference, in dollars, in total offering income is \$4900., in total other income is \$1400., and in interest and dividend income is \$823. Expenses continue to be tightly controlled. Operating expenses are 101% of budget, payroll is 97% and program expenses are 101%. However, the result is \$8000.. behind budgeted net income. Our overall goal as a non-profit organization is to have neither a negative nor positive net income.

The fund raising target for 'Pipe Up The Organ' has been reached. Thanks be to God. "Well done!", to all donors and committee members. Remaining enhancement purchases and installations will be taking place in the near future under the direction of Classic Organbuilders.

The stained glass window near the Sacristy is repaired, protectively covered and re-installed. "Well done!", to Property Committee guidance and to donor funding.

Supplies for scraping and painting the auditorium windows have been purchased. We continue to count on your volunteering – it saves us much.

Overall, very much to be thankful for; very much to still strive for. Together we can choose to make the prayer based on Chronicles the expression of our thankful and humble hearts.

In Christ,
Walter Marshall, Beth Heale, Michael Tweedle, Pauline Miller
Trinity Wardens



***If anyone has some special good news, please let us know so that we can mention it in Happenings!**

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