

ANNOUNCEMENTS



The flowers on the altar this morning are given to the glory of God and in memory of David L. Evans, Jr. on his birthday (1941) given by his widow, Anne Walker & daughter, Melissa Evans.

IN MEMORIAM
Ruth Hill Sprott
October 5, 2018



SINCERE CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY
of the pastors, staff, and congregation is extended to Christy Lewis and family on the death of her father, Billy Wise.



Join us on Sunday, October 28th for our Fall Festival from 5-6:30pm in the back parking lot! Wear your costume and bring a friend to enjoy fun, fellowship and our chili cook off!

Today at 4:00pm, Annette Matthews and former Trinity music director, Rev. Eddie Huss, will present a concert of piano duet masterpieces. We have rented an extra grand piano for this event and you won't want to miss it! Concert is free and will take place in our Sanctuary.

Beyond Sunday: Our Wednesday Night Ministry
Dinner menu: Beef stew over rice, coleslaw, steamed broccoli & lemon cake. Please make your reservations by calling the church office before noon on Tuesday.

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Our Presence
October 7, 2018

Sunday School:	105
8:45 am Service:	48
11:00 am Service:	168
Total:	216

Our Service

Preacher: Rev. Joseph James
Liturgist: Rev. Angela H. Marshall
Acolytes: Davis & Lawson Whitaker
Crucifer: Wesley Castleberry
Media Team Volunteers: Ed Snyder, Bob Rearden, Susan Ward, Charlie Poag, & Geoff Roberts
Greeters:
Parking Lot: Paul & Gloria Riggs
Council Street:
Nursery:
Sunday School:
Baby: Carley Griffin
Toddler: Fran Castleberry
11:00 Worship:
Baby: Carley Griffin
Toddler: Mary Beth Mims
Children's Church:
Justin & Christine Kohl, Stephen & Martha Jo Johnson, Rylee Bath
October Ushers:
Captain: Ronny Lowder, Arland Compton, Wayne Gamble, John Pate, Jr., Jack James & David Sanders
October Trustee:
Cam McAdams

Your Church Staff

Clergy
Senior Pastor: Rev. Joseph James, Jr.
Associate Pastor of Discipleship:
Rev. Angela H. Marshall
Pastor Emeritus: Rev. Regi Thackston
Music Ministries
Director: Charles Haraway
Organist: Beth Lewallen
Artist in Residence: Worth Lewallen
Senior Adult Ministries
Director of Visitation: Kristi Downer
Trinity Day School
Director: Kristi Downer
Ministry Support
Business Manager: Gwen McElveen
Church Secretary: Christina Kinley
Discipleship Ministry Assistant: Samantha Avant
TDS Business Manager: Phyllis Haskins
Church Custodian: Sherri Coulter
Church Maintenance: Earl Coulter

Church Calendar

Sunday, October 14
8:45 am Bluegrass Service
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Service
2:30 pm Small Group Leaders Mtg.
3:30 pm KiCK & KICK Jr.
5:00 pm Encounter
Tuesday, October 16
6:30 am Iron Men Bible Study in WBC
5:30 pm SPRC Mtg.
Wednesday, October 17
5:00 pm Bible Study with Rev. Joseph James
5:30 pm Asbury Ringers, Cherub Bells & Wesley Singers
6:00 pm Dinner
6:25 pm Hymn Sing
6:30 pm Cherub Choir, Wesley Ringers, & Asbury Singers
6:40 pm Group Study
7:00 pm Chancel Choir
Thursday, October 4
8:00 am Shepherd Center
6:30 pm Women's Bible Study in MC



OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Thursday:
9:00am - 5:00pm
Office Contact Information
office@trinityumcsunter.org
Church Office: 803-773-9393
Television Broadcast
ETC Now Channel 26
Sundays at 4pm
Wednesdays at 5pm
Sunday Radio Broadcast
Boyle Bible Class 10am
WDXY-1240AM & 105.9FM
11am Worship Service
WIBZ - 95.5FM
Nursery Available
8:30 am—12:00 pm
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October 14, 2018

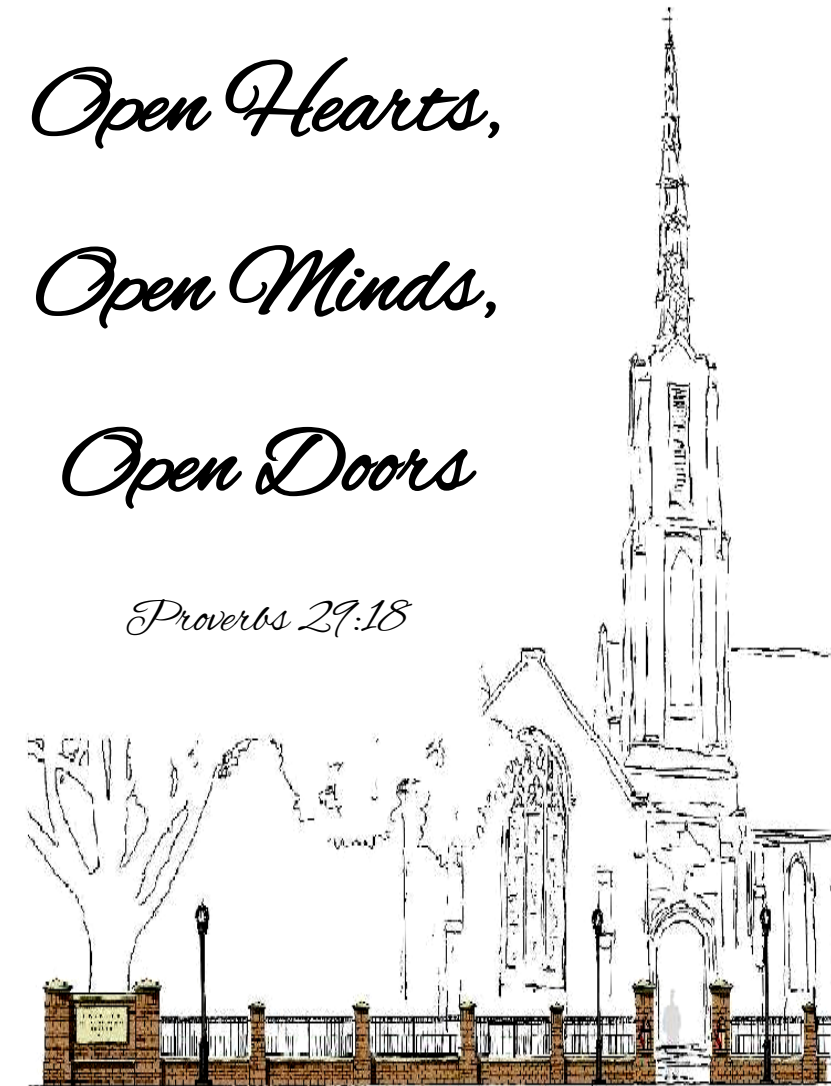
Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost

Open Hearts,

Open Minds,

Open Doors

Proverbs 29:18



226 West Liberty Street, Sumter, SC 29150

11:00 am Worship Service

GATHERING

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: Today is a day we remember how much Jesus loves children.

People: Thank you for the way children bring love to our lives.

Pastor: Thank you God for the children of our church and community.

People: Thank you for the life and hope children bring to our church family.

Pastor: Thank you that children teach of your love.

People: May we be open to their example and teaching.

Pastor: Thank you God that all of us, young and old are your children.

People: Thank you God for being our loving and caring Parent.

Pastor: Today is a day we remember how much Jesus loves children.

People: Help us to love all children as you love us. Amen

INTROIT

Jesus Loves Me
Cherub Bells

Bradbury

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

***PROCESSIONAL**

All Things Bright and Beautiful

UMH #147

***OPENING PRAYER**

Loving God, we come to worship today because we love you, and we want to love you more. We come to worship needing love in our lives: love for family, friends, strangers, and those who are difficult to love. In our time of worship, touch our hearts, fill our hearts, and open our hearts. Remind us of your love which passes all understanding. Yes, we love you God. Amen.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

***PSALTER**

Psalm 100

UMH #821

***GLORIA PATRI**

UMH #71

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Florence Louise Kelly

UMH #39

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rev. Angela H. Marshall

Following Children's Message, children ages 4—2nd Grade are invited to attend Children's Worship

ANTHEM

How Do You Say, "Love"?
Wesley Singers & Cherub Choir

Farrar

***GOSPEL HYMN**

Tell Me the Stories of Jesus (v. 1)

UMH #277

***GOSPEL LESSON**

Mark 10:13-16

NT, p. 821

***GOSPEL HYMN**

Tell Me the Stories of Jesus (v. 2)

UMH #277

SERMON

Rev. Joseph James

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

We believe in God who loves us and wants us to love each other.

This is our God, our Creator and Heavenly Parent.

We believe in Jesus who cared about children and held them in his arms. We believe in Jesus who prayed for a world where everyone could live together in peace.

This is Jesus Christ, our Savior and Redeemer.

We believe in the Holy Spirit who comforts us in difficult times and continues working with us until everything is good and true.

This is the Holy Spirit, our Helper and Guide.

We are called to be the Church: to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to be a light in the darkness, and provide hope to the hopeless.

This we believe. Amen.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

THE MORNING PRAYER

***MINISTRY MOMENT: Compassion International**

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

I've Got Peace Like a River

***DOXOLOGY**

UMH #94

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & LORD'S PRAYER**

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, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

***RECESSIONAL**

O How I Love Jesus

UMH #170

***DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

***CHORAL RESPONSE**

Kum Ba Yah

trad. Spiritual, arr. Young

POSTLUDE



Welcome



There are no visitors in God's house, only family members we have not yet met. If this is your first time worshipping with us, welcome home! We are always glad to meet new members of God's family! Please fill out the friendship roster at the end of the pew so we will have a record of your visit.



Our Prayers

Mary Elizabeth	Cathy Hanzlik	Christy Rivers
Ariail	Laurelle Hartin	Louise Segars
Hugh Betchman	Frances LaRoche	Ruth Sprott
Louise Chandler	Jim Magee	Ernie Stroman
Dicks Cone	Benjamin McNeese	Don Tindall
Mary Cunningham	Bill Nelson	Lisa & Andy
Dick Edmunds	Ellie Riggs	Wilson

If you have a prayer request, call the church. Your request is posted for 4 weeks. If you would like it to remain longer, please call the church.