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Pastors Column

Dear People of Faith

Recently in the headlines, were news articles about the hate-filled words from President Trump. I have not said much from the pulpit or written much about political things, however in this time and moment I feel that I must say something not so much about the President himself but rather about the words that were spoken. I truly believe that words have power and feel that what we speak and how we speak gives a glimpse of our hearts. I am sad. Sad because some people out there will think that this is their permission to act out their hatred and to say whatever they want to people that are not Caucasian. There is power and influence when persons in leadership speak.

I truly feel that we are better than this. We need to use our words of grace, compassion and love. We need to always reach out to those in need. We are called by God through Jesus Christ to do the best we can for each other, no matter where we come from, no matter what our background is, no matter what lies in our past. We are called to love one another especially when that person is so hard to love and when that person just frustrates the heck out of us. God created us out of God's own image. We are valued, loved and redeemed.

Bishop Bickerton says, "There is power and influence when persons in leadership speak. When those words are filled with grace and compassion, hearts are touched. When those words are filled with insensitivity and disregard for others, they cause harm. We are a people of grace. A people of hope. A people of justice. A people of the Gospel. These beliefs have impacted people to change the world. It is time for those beliefs to find their way to the front page of human history once again".

Folks we belong to the Almighty God who has saved us by giving us Jesus Christ our Savior. By being a people of faith, we show the world who we belong to and we are to speak the powerful words of grace, compassion and love. We need to speak out against the hate-filled words, we need to speak out against the words that bring harm and destruction. We need to speak out against words that cause others to be demeaned and devalued. We need to speak out whenever and wherever we are, in the park, in the restaurants, in the offices, in the schools, in the streets and even in our church.

There must be a way for us to work together here at Trinity. I have heard that we are a friendly church, now let us be a church for justice, God's justice. We will be the people of faith informed by the example of Jesus Christ and inspired by the presence of the Holy Spirit, that rises-up and settles for absolutely nothing less than that which is good, and right, and holy in the midst of the actions that are evil and wrong and misguided.

Come, let us rise-up together, speaking words of grace, love, compassion and hope. May the Holy Spirit touch our souls and fill our hearts with the love of Christ so we may impact the world and make a change.

In Jesus Name. Amen.

Rev. Tweedy Sombbrero Navarrete

Blood Pressure Checks
Fourth Sunday of each month
Morris Hall



Our January Birthdays

8.....	AJ Mosqueda	18	Carol Ellenberger
8.....	Joe Reddick	21.....	Miley Rosanes
10	Derrick Billiard	23	Anna Marie Sollars
12.....	Robert Hawk	24	Patricia Cotton
13.....	Shirley Minton	25	Doug Bobbitt
16	Joni Godbey	28	Sandy Walker

Join us on Sunday, January 28th for Birthday Cake following the service!

Constance Stone Circle

Happy Valentine! The Constance Stone Circle will meet in the Muriel Freeman Library at 10:00 AM on Valentines Day. All ladies are invited to attend. We will review Chapters 22 & 23 in our study book. Please join us for study, devotion and fellowship. We will also be sending Valentine Cards. Hope to see you there.

Carmen Hawk, Circle Coordinator

Trinity Men's Ministry

Trinity Men's Ministry will host the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper on Tuesday, February 13th from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM. We will accept a freewill donation. Come and enjoy delicious pancakes before we begin our Lenten journey.

Dick Lueck, President



February 13, 2018

Shrove Tuesday is the day before Lent starts. The name Shrove comes from the old middle English word 'Shriven' meaning to go to confession to say sorry for the wrong things you've done. Lent always starts on a Wednesday, so people went to confessions on the day before. This became known as Shriven Tuesday and then Shrove Tuesday. The other name for this day, Pancake Day, comes from the old English custom of using up all the fattening ingredients in the house before Lent, so that people were ready to fast during Lent. The fattening ingredients that most people had in their houses in those days were eggs and milk. A very simple recipe to use up these ingredients was to combine them with some flour and make pancakes!

<https://www.wheaster.com/customs/shrovetuesday.shtml>

Lent Begins on February 14th



Ash Wednesday February 14th

Open Chapel

(located on the Trinity campus – facing Oak Street)

6:30 AM – 8:00 AM

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM

4:00 PM – 5:30 PM

Imposition of ashes will be available in this space of quiet prayer and meditation.

Ash Wednesday Worship Service

6:00 PM

Trinity Sanctuary

Lent



February 14 – March 31, 2018

Lent is a season of forty days, not counting Sundays, which begins on Ash Wednesday and ends on Holy Saturday. Lent comes from the Anglo Saxon word *lencten*, which means "spring)." The forty days represents the time Jesus spent in the wilderness, enduring the temptation of Satan and preparing to begin his ministry. Lent is a time of repentance, fasting and preparation for the coming of Easter. It is a time of self-examination and reflection. In the early church, Lent was a time to prepare new converts for baptism. Today, Christians focus on their relationship with God, often choosing to give up something or to volunteer and give of themselves for others. Sundays in Lent are not counted in the forty days because each Sunday represents a "mini-Easter" and the reverent spirit of Lent is tempered with joyful anticipation of the Resurrection.

<http://www.umc.org/what-we-believe/what-is-lent-and-why-does-it-last-forty-days>

Fasting: One of the more common practices is to give something up for Lent. Some abstain from chocolate, social media, shopping, or something else through the season. This is a religious practice known as fasting. We fast to reorient ourselves away from the distraction of those things, and back toward God. Another way to reorient your life toward God, is to focus on devotional practices like Bible study and prayer during the season.

Bible reading: Many do not know where to begin when reading the Bible. The Upper Room Daily Devotional Guide and Alive Now will help guide you in this pursuit. Each day they provide a scripture passage and wonderfully thought-provoking and spirit-enriching material to read and think about.

Prayer: In the busyness of our everyday lives, prayer can sometimes get squeezed out. Lent is a wonderful time to intentionally work toward finding more time in your life for prayer. You can experiment with different ways to pray during the season, or really delve into a new-to-you way of praying. Enriching your prayer life is a great way to spend Lent. A Lenten Prayer Calendar is enclosed in this Newsletter to assist you with ideas for daily prayer and focus.

Service: Another way to observe a holy Lent is to take on a new way of serving. Throughout the forty days of the season you can adopt a new habit of volunteering in the community &/or here at Trinity, making special

financial gifts to service organizations, singing in the choir, or participating in a small group.

Rest: An important practice with which many of us struggle is the spiritual discipline of rest or Sabbath. We don't have to rest on Saturday, the traditional Sabbath day, or even Sunday. You can instead find moments during an ordinary day to be still in God's presence. You might choose to spend a few minutes during lunch with a desktop meditation, listen to sermons on your commute, or read a poem that feeds your spirit. Each can be a great way of enriching your Lent.

<http://www.umc.org/what-we-believe/40-days-of-lent-find-your-own-spiritual-path>



"The Life of Christ in Film"

Starts February 18, 2018

Sundays in Lent at 11:15 AM

Freeman Library

Over the last several decades, filmmakers have given us a myriad of views of the life of Christ. Each offers a different perspective on the nature of Jesus, his immediate impact on those around him, and particularly what the days of Holy Week might have been like. This Lenten season, join friends at Trinity as we watch some of these films and discuss together how they resonate with us or challenge us and the insights they bring on how Hollywood or the secular world may view Jesus. We will look at films in three categories:

The "Classic" - *The Greatest Story Ever Told*
Jesus of Nazareth

The "Hip" - *Godspell, Jesus Christ Superstar*

The "Controversial" - *The Last Temptation of Christ*
The Passion of the Christ

The first week, February 18, class facilitator Katie Fuchs will provide lunch to the group, and we will decide from there how we wish to proceed regarding lunch and Sunday meeting time. To RSVP or ask questions, please call the church office or talk to Katie Fuchs.

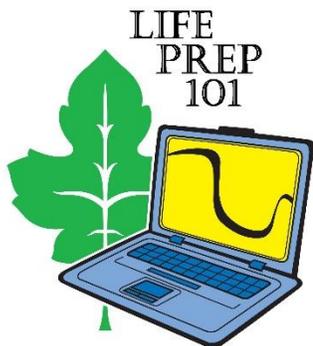
**COFFEE
FELLOWSHIP**



Thanks to members of the **Leadership Council** who hosted our Fellowship Time in January.

The **Trustee Team** will be our hosts for the month of February. The Staff/Parish Team will take over in March, and the Nominations and Leadership Development Team will host in April.

LIFE PREP 101 – I THOUGHT YOU KNEW!



I thought you knew!

If something should happen to you are your affairs and records in order, are they easily available to those who may need to help you? We will be holding six sessions to help you get organized. Life Prep sessions will begin on Thursday, February 15 at 4 to 5 PM in the Freeman

Library. We will be covering legal matters; document organization; financial planning and documents; final wishes; social security and Medicare. Life happens to all of us. We can't say, "wait because I am not prepared." Accidents, illnesses and death do not care about our time tables or plans.

February 15

Legal Issues

Speaker: Pamela Walsma, Attorney.

Session subjects: What is a will and do I need one? Do I need to probate a will? What is the difference in a will and a trust? Which one do I need? What kinds of trust are there? What is a letter of instruction? Do I need a durable power of attorney? How should title to bank accounts, securities, real and personal properties be held?

February 22

Getting Organized

Speaker: John Williams, Hospice of Yuma.

Session subjects: Gathering and storing important documents and information. Where should documents be securely stored? How to locate or obtain documents or copies. Starting a document and information checklist. What is an advance directive, living will and a durable power of attorney for health (health proxy).

March 1

Financial Planning

Speaker: Jeff Byrd, 1st Bank of Yuma

Session subjects: Bank accounts and safe deposit boxes, how they are held. What documents does a bank need if you become incapacitated or in the event of a death?

March 8

Final Wishes

Speaker: Dennis Han, Desert Valley Mortuary

Session subjects: Documenting your final wishes. What happens if a death is attended or unattended. Types of services offered by funeral home or church. This will be a stress-free time to ask questions.

March 15

Social Security and Medicare

Speaker: Randall Adams, WACOG

Session subjects: Social security and Medicare benefits. Federal, state and local social services available.

March 22

Open Session

This session is open group discussion of topics covered or if another topic speaker is requested.

Joy Bradshaw, facilitator



LAY SERVANT MINISTRIES TRAINING – YUMA

Begins - February 23 @ 5:00 pm

Concludes - February 24 @ 5:00 pm

Have you heard the call from God to develop your teaching and leadership skills in your local church? Lay Servant Ministries courses may be a way for you to prepare yourself for the many missions and ministries that you may be called to, or improve your teaching and leadership skills, address your devotional life, help you discern your own spiritual gifts, or hone your Christian based skills to lead small groups. In addition, certain Lay Servant Ministries courses can be used to provide the necessary requirements to qualify as a Certified Lay Speaker.

Courses Offered

Leading Bible Study – this course opens a new world for many lay servants who have not had professional training in biblical interpretation. It reminds us as United Methodists that Bible study and biblical interpretation are a core part of our spiritual journey.

Life Together in the United Methodist Connection (Polity) – explore the special gifts of theology, witness, and organization that The United Methodist Church brings to the church universal, how we got where we are today, and how our distinctive emphases are still needed in the 21st-century church.

The class will be held at Gila Mountain United Methodist Church, 12716 N. Frontage Rd. in Yuma. You can get more information and register by going to <https://dscumc.org/event/lay-servant-ministries-training-02-23-2018-yuma/>. Cost is \$30 per participant. Participants are responsible for purchasing and reading the text in advance of the course.



Worship is the face of Trinity and what it takes to put Worship together is more than just the

Pastor giving a sermon. Listed below are some of the parts of Worship:

- The Altar set up
- Communion set up
- Hymns
- Music – Choir, bells, keyboard, specials
- Greeters
- Ushers
- Acolytes
- Liturgists
- Banners
- Church decorations

These areas work together to make Sunday Morning Worship. We need help in all the areas. If someone comes up to you and asks you to be a greeter, or help with communion, or share your talent with music, please pray and think about it before you answer.

Some areas of particular need:

- We are looking for folks who are interested in running the SAMM. The SAMM is the Audio/Visual part of the worship.
- We are always looking for folks who would like to sing in the choir. Singing is a great stress reliever! Practices on Wednesday from 6:30-8:00 PM.

Please see Karen if you are interested in being a part of the Worship experience.

Karen Conde, Worship Team Co-Leader



Once again the Trinity congregation has gone above and beyond for setting **TWO** ARKS afloat. You and Heifer International have made a big dent in world hunger. All of us worked hard and generously to accomplish this. If any of you still want to learn more about the work of

Heifer International - what you have done for alleviating world hunger, or want to introduce others to Heifer, some great DVD's and other materials are available. Ask in the office.

Habitat for Humanity Yuma was also part of the Alternative Gift Market, and more than \$1000 was donated. A house is under construction in Wellton.

Some also may not know about Casitas de Cristo in San Luis, Mexico, where some members of our congregation are presently helping to build a house. All homes are built by volunteers and by the family whose home it will become.

Jean Rivers, Serving Ministry Team Leader



Team Trinity is 27% toward our goal of \$15,000 for the 2018 Relay Year. So, here are some reminders:

- Keep collecting dimes in those water bottles!
- The Murder Mystery on Feb. 24 at 7pm!
- Luminaries will start going on sale in February.
- Join the team!
- Let me know if you are a survivor.

Karen Conde, Team Trinity Captain



PIANO PIANO PIANO

Trinity has three pianos which are no longer in use and haven't been for some time. There are two uprights and one spinet. If you might be interested in taking one of them, please see me on a Sunday after church. They are yours for the taking and do not have a price tag on them and come with no guarantee. Of course, a donation will be accepted. One caveat – you take it – you haul it.

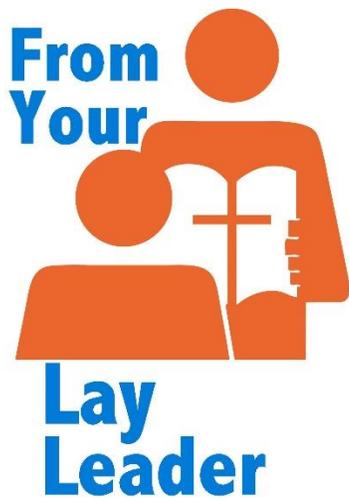
Marilyn Young



FROGs *Friends Relying on God* and Youth Gather

FROGs and Youth gather on the fourth Sunday in February at 11:15 AM for a time of food, fellowship and study. We look forward to seeing all those in 3rd grade through high school in Morris Hall on Sunday, February 25th at 11:15 AM – 1:15 PM

Sarah Akins



[The following information was presented during the worship service on January 21st, and we wanted to share it with all.]

I am here before you today as your Lay Leader to give a message. This is not a message that I want to give and I'm guessing you probably don't

want to hear it, but it is about Trinity's finances. We don't want to talk or hear about church finances. Churches shouldn't have to talk about such things; Churches are built on faith and should be run as such. But whether we like it or not, churches are a political body and they have bills to pay just like everyone else. APS does not give us a break. Salaries must be paid. And we have programs to fulfill. As one of my Bible Studies said, *Churches are messy just like everything else.*

One of the most incredible things about Trinity, is how giving we are. You donated enough money to build TWO Arks for the Heifer Project. You have donated so much to Relay for Life that Team Trinity is continually number 1 or 2 in the county. We said we needed new chairs, we got new chairs. Angel Tree took care of 40 plus families this year. Our Christmas Offering went to UMCOR to help with hurricanes and fires. We support Across the Street Ministries with Palmcroft and the Fire Station. We are so loving and giving.

But Trinity itself is in crisis. Bills are not being paid and that is not acceptable. I don't know about you, but I won't sit in this sanctuary in July without A/C. So how bad is it? In 2016, the church had a \$23,000 shortfall. Yes, \$23,000!

Obviously, one of our discussions involved the fact that we are such a giving church and when we have those special offerings, Trinity's Sunday offering is less.

Our giving has gone down considerably over the last few years. When we were having this discussion we jokingly said, "No one else can die!" As sad as that is, that is one of the issues. We are a declining in age church. Over the last 5 years, many of the folks that have been the financial backbone of this church are no longer with us.

I am struggling with what to say and what to do, how to inspire you/us/me to come up with an answer. We know we must be more transparent with all of you and

let you know the financial issues and not keep them behind closed doors.

How do we solve this problem? First and most importantly we pray. We ask the Lord for guidance and then we sit down as a family and fix it. So even though we don't like to talk about finance, we have to. You will hear and see more about Trinity's financial standing; in the bulletins, in the newsletters, and from the pulpit.

Someone reminded me about what one of our past Pastor's said, Fred Overby, the Bible says, "The Lord loves a cheerful giver, but we will take offerings from grouchy folks too!"

I love this church. This church has been a big part of my life since 1965. I have seen many ups and downs at Trinity and with God's help and our faith, we will take on this challenge and solve our financial problems.

Karen Conde, Lay Leader

[In response to the Lay Leader's remarks in Church, the following additional information is offered.]



First – Thank you Karen for getting up there and delivering this message!! Hopefully your knees have stopped shaking and your heart pounding is back to normal 😊! "Churches are

messy" and Trinity is no exception – and we always struggle with giving these types of messages in front of guests!!! BUT... we do need to communicate these issues and realize now we need to communicate them throughout the year not just in December and January!!!

There were several questions and concerns raised – in the parking lot! In the Narthex! Via text message! Via phone call! After speaking with Karen, Bob, and Johnna I will attempt to respond to some of those.

January!!! It's January!!! How can we be in the hole in JANUARY!!!? Trinity is not currently \$23,000 dollars in the hole!! HOWEVER, our Reserve Fund is approximately \$23,000 leaner as we had to transfer funds to meet our 2017 obligations. And, even with this transfer, we were short over \$6,600 in meeting our obligation to the connectional church. The Reserve Fund is there for emergencies – the air conditioner dies, the roof blows off, etc. In the past we have dipped into the Reserve Fund to get us through the summer having faith we would make it up when our winter family rejoins us.

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This year we dipped earlier and deeper and we were not able to make it up even when giving increased during the winter.

As we move forward we will continue to meet our monthly obligations and repay the Reserve Fund. We will be communicating monthly when we have met all those obligations or if we are running a little short. YOU need to know this so hopefully you will be watching for this information in the bulletin and/or Transformer. Look for it!!! Pray about it!! And if you have specific questions please contact Pastor Tweedy, Johnna Dupstadt, and/or Bob Klein. I can try and answer your questions but know it has taken Bob years to help me understand what I am trying to convey here.

Nancy Graf use to say she could always tell when a special offering envelop was mailed out and/or included in the bulletin as the plate offering went down proportionally. There is a difference between designated funds, General Operating funds, and special offerings as designated by special offering envelops (i.e. Easter, Thanksgiving and Christmas offerings that are set by the Trinity Finance Team and U M Student Day, World Communion Sunday, etc. The UMC sets aside six Sundays a year for special offerings).

Designated funds such as the Arks, Relay for Life, building fund, etc. go directly – and just like UMCOR, 100% of the funds designated go to the designated fund!! Special offerings go directly to the identified project and/or organization and/or program noted. Anything earmarked for a particular project and/or organization and/or program goes there. Our designated giving for 2017 totaled over \$83,000 which were funds given for specific projects/programs.

The plate offering and electronic giving, unless otherwise designated, goes for the general operating fund. The General Operating fund pays salaries, benefits, office supplies, postage, utilities, and yes, Trinity's share of apportionments.

You are **ALWAYS** welcome to attend **any** meeting (with the exception of Staff-Parish). Meetings are listed each week in the bulletin and monthly in the Transformer, including meeting rooms!!! If we need to move to larger areas to accommodate everyone Hallelujah!!!! Come on!!!!

If there are issues that continue to be as clear as mud please feel free to contact Pastor Tweedy, Johnna Dupstadt, and/or Bob Klein with specific questions and/or concerns.

*Respectfully, Your Leadership Council Chair
(and admitted financial idiot!) AnnaMarie Sollars*

West District Day of Learning

Saturday, February 17, 2018

9:30 AM – 3:00 PM

Dove of the Desert UMC
7201 W Beardsley, Glendale

The Day of Learning topics offered are diverse and interesting, from Centering Prayer, Lay Servant and Certified Lay Ministry, to a look into the ongoing Israeli/Palestinian Conflict.

The information you hear, receive, and take away with you, can and will be a useful tool within your local church family. As laity, we are challenged every day with situations that need prayer and reconciling. Why not take the opportunity to be together, learn together and learn from each other?

We are truly blessed that talented and knowledgeable facilitators are willing to spend their day teaching us how to be stronger in our role as laity leaders.

Registration

\$15.00 on/before February 9

\$20.00 after February 9

Morning Workshops

- Behind the Wall: A Firsthand Glimpse into the Israeli/Palestinian Conflict
- Caring for Your Congregation and Community
- Centering Prayer
- Church Leadership the Disney Way
- Generational Challenges in Collaborative Ministry
- It's All About the Soul

Afternoon Workshops

- Behind the Wall: A Firsthand Glimpse into the Israeli/Palestinian Conflict
- Centering Prayer
- Generational Challenges in Collaborative Ministry
- Introduction to Lay Servant Ministry and Certified Lay Minister Programs
- It's All About the Soul
- O For a Thousand Tongues

We are planning to carpool so that any who are interested may attend. Please contact the church office (email: Bob@trinityyuma.oor or call 928.344.3013) and to register and indicated that you are planning to attend.





...to provide a Prayer Space for all who have need . . .

Begun in 2012, Prayer Space is a gathering of Christians from within the greater Yuma area who come together to bring prayer into the Yuma community. Prayer Space carries no denominational signature and it truly “non-denominational”. Those who are a part of Prayer Space are dedicated Christians who choose to share prayer in a public environment so that all might know that Christ is alive and about in all places. Prayers Space is typically present at about 5 activities a year.

Prayer Space has come to a point where they believe that Christ is challenging them to do more than what they have been doing. Not being sure exactly what this means they are holding a 24-hour Prayer Vigil, **“Praying Ahead – What’s Up God?”**

You are invited to share in this vigil and you need not be interested in a continuing relationship with Prayer Space. You are asked to be a “Prayer Warrior” who is open to hearing God’s call for this very special ministry.

The Prayer Vigil will begin on Thursday, February 8th at 6:00 AM and will conclude the following morning at 6:00AM. The vigil will be held in the Jeannie Barnes Memorial Chapel here at Trinity. The Chapel is located on the south side of the church campus facing Oak Street.

Please contact Bob in the church office if you are interested in participating.



There are different kinds of gifts but the same Spirit. There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord.
(1 Cor. 12:4-5 - NCV)

Just as each one of you has received a special gift [a spiritual talent, an ability graciously given by God], employ it in serving one another as [is appropriate for] good stewards of God’s multi-faceted grace [faithfully using the diverse, varied gifts and abilities granted to Christians by God’s unmerited favor].

God's grace in its various forms.
(1 Peter. 4:10 – Amplified Bible)

This is why I remind you to keep using the gift God gave you ... Now let it grow, as a small flame grows into a fire.

(2 Timothy 1:6 – NCV)

Although opinions differ on the actual number of spiritual gifts, God's Word clearly indicates a variety of gifts. You will find twenty different Greek words used for the gifts listed in the key passages on spiritual gifting.

Romans 12: exhortation, giving, leadership, mercy, prophecy, service, teaching.

1 Corinthians 12: administration, apostle, discernment, faith, healings, helps, knowledge, miracles, prophecy, teaching, tongues, tongues interpretation, wisdom.

Ephesians 4: apostle, evangelism, pastor, prophecy, teaching.

Additional gifts such as celibacy, hospitality, martyrdom, missionary, and voluntary poverty are found in other passages.



As part of your Commitment Card during the recent Stewardship campaign you were asked to identify the Trinity ministries you

were interested in serving or continuing to serve. I think sometimes we struggle (I know I have) to identify those Spiritual Gifts we have been given and how to best use them.

A Spiritual Gifts survey is enclosed - what better time of year to look at the heart-felt gift God has given you!? Additionally, there is a scoring sheet (if you need more please contact the Church Office) so that you and members of your family, yes, even the youth and children, as well as some of your closest friends can start your journey to identify your God-given gifts.

Over the next several newsletters we will look at some of those gifts in more depth as well as the various Trinity Ministry Teams. If you have questions about YOUR gifts and how best to use them contact Pastor Tweedy and/or members of the Leadership Development Team.

(Can't remember what you marked on the Commitment card? Didn't look on the back? Wasn't sure what to mark? There are extra copies in the Narthex for your convenience. Also, there are brochures for the Caring, Serving, and Worshiping ministries in the brochure rack in the Narthex.)



At the 2017 All Church Conference Ministry Teams were reorganized taking the place of the previous model of committees. No one really likes being on committees – or at least that’s what folks have said. No one really likes going to meetings – particularly meetings that don’t seem to accomplish much, go over the same issues month after month, and last for... well last way too long. In response to those

concerns and others, Trinity has chosen a passion ministry model. For the next several Transformers we will be reviewing each of those ministry teams, identifying team leaders as voted on by the Church Conference, etc. If you have questions, please see Pastor Tweedy. Additionally, there are brochures on several of the ministries in the Narthex – feel free to take one. If you see a ministry team that particularly strikes your fancy, please contact the Team Leader and/or the person identified as the contact person.

“...I was sick, and you visited Me [with help and ministering care]” (Matthew 25:36 (Amplified)).

Caring Ministry Team (formally known as Nurture)

Congregational Focus

Marlene Evans, Team Leader

Home-bound – Marlene Evans	Birthday Sunday - Sandy Greifenstein	Hospital Visitation -
Card Team – Carmen Hawk	Phone Calls -	Diaper Showers – Dick Lueck
Pew Shepherds – AnnaMarie Sollars	Weddings -	Funerals – Sandy Greifenstein
Prayer Group -	Coffee Fellowship – Teams as assigned	Cookie Fellowship – sign-up list
Parish Nurse Team – Sharon Felty	Pastor Support Team -	Staff Support Team -

Trinity has numerous opportunities to **CARE**

As per our Mission Statement – **“We will...nurture an active, growing, membership with faith-based ministries”**. Please note there are a few positions that are blank and need a team leader. These are just waiting for **YOU** to answer the call!! One of the REALLY nice things about Caring Ministries – you can sign up for one event / one Sunday / or for on-going activities that move you and touch other’s hearts during the whole year.

Please contact Pastor Tweedy, Marlene Evans, Team Leader, and/or the Church Office – 928-344-3013 for additional information regarding Caring Ministries or any other Ministries here at Trinity.

The Yuma Community Theatre Presents
“Murder Me Always”

February 24, 2018 - 7pm

Trinity United Methodist Church
 3030 8th Ave.
 344-3013

Free to the public with donations going to Relay For Life

Reception following the performance

Trinity United Methodist Church
3030 South 8th Avenue
Yuma, Arizona 85364
Phone: 928/344-3013

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Office Hours

Monday through Thursday
8:00 AM – 12:00 Noon
1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Rev. Tweedy Sombrero Navarrete, Pastor

e-mail: TrinityPastor@roadrunner.com

Bob Klein, Church Administrator

e-mail: Bob@TrinityYuma.org

Return Service Requested

www.trinityyuma.org

Church School for all ages – Sunday at 9:00 AM

Worship – Sunday at 10:00 AM

Take Note

Board of Trustees will meet on Monday, February 5th at 6:00 PM in Room 107.

Team Trinity will meet on Tuesday, February 6th at 5:00 PM in the Music Room.

Caring Ministry Team will meet on Monday, February 12th at 1:30 PM in Room 106.

Learning Ministry Team will meet on Tuesday, February 20th at 7:00 PM in Room 106.

Worshipping Ministry Team will meet on Wednesday, February 28th at 5:00 PM in Room 106.

Deadline for the March 2018 Trinity Transformer Newsletter is Wednesday, February 21st!

Please email your information to Bob@TrinityYuma.org.

The Church Office will be Closed
on Monday, February 19th
in Observance of President's Day.

**FEED THE
HUNGRY**

**Food Bank Sunday is the
first Sunday of each month!**
Please bring non-perishable food to support
The Yuma Community Food Bank

