

For The Journey...

"Praise the LORD, my soul, and forget not all His benefits - who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagles." Psalm 103:2-5

No matter what time in any year, we should exclaim with David our praise for all the benefits of God. We were blessed in 2021 with the faithfulness of God because we were in the position to receive His blessing. God is always faithful. We anticipate God's continued faithfulness in 2022, hopefully remaining in the position to receive it. Today is the day to take the first step in faith or the next step in faith.

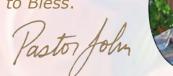
We are moving in a direction of getting ready for what the LORD is sending our way. At Midweek we are looking at the ways Jesus did discipleship. If we take to heart Jesus' message, method, model and mission, then we too may see discipleship take on a new dimension for us. We hope to see many taking a first step in faith while many more take their next step of discipleship.

Every year brings change. Some we long for In Christ, and others we simply receive. One change that is taking place as you read these words

is the transition in the Pastor's office. Mary Pat Danks has been my ministry assistant for over nine years. She has been such a blessing and will be missed. God blessed me with her assistance and has blessed the church as well, through all she has done to help put Trinity Baptist Church in the best place. By now you should have heard that Larry Danks will be retiring at the end of June. We have been blessed for over 15 years with Larry's ministry and leadership and there is still much more to say in the months to come. For now, Sue Owens will be taking over as the Pastor's Ministry Assistant. She and her husband, Tommy, have been members of Trinity Baptist Church for more than four years. She and Tommy have both been very involved and engaged in the ministries and mission of our church. We continue to be blessed by the LORD giving us a good team.

Good things are coming. God is faithful. Yes, God has blessed us with an incredible team and will continue to place His team here as

we listen to His direction and follow. To God be the glory, great things He, has done, is doing, and will do. We are always *Blessed to Bless*.



Youth Ministry By Wes Henson

February may be one of my favorite months of ministry at Trinity for one simple reason: Camp VIP Signups open up!

Now, that may seem extreme, but allow me a second to explain myself. So much of what happens at Trinity Student Ministry is helping students explore what it means to grow in their relationship with God. One of the best ways to jumpstart faith is to do so in community—through relationships with like minded peers who are also striving to grow closer to God.

One of the best things TSM offers to help with that is camp. At camp friendships are formed, relationships are deepened, memories are made, and inside jokes take root. And that's not even taking into account the incredible worship and intentional time studying God's word together! Talk about life change!

So, why does this make February one of my favorite months? Because now is when we start building excitement and anticipation for what God is going to do in, around, and through us this summer. It helps us find something to look forward to and to spur each other on towards.

Last year at camp I saw memories being made, friendships taking shape, and lives being changed and challenged. And I cannot wait for God to do even more this summer!

Best of all: if you sign up for camp during our VIP registration period, you get perks! Keep your eyes open for more details on perks as they're announced this week.



Welcome New Members!



David & Shirley Robertson



Dana Masters
Taylor McCrory



Haven Holekamp



Janice Mays





STUDENT MINISTRY COOKOUT

Super Bowl Party

February 13 5:30pm - 8:30pm Cost - free Satact the Take (830) 895-0100





The Victor Rehearsals have begun









Contact Worship Ministry: 830.895.0100, ldanks@tbck.org or coverby@tbck.org to get involved. Music, drama, and behind the scene opportunities.

Mexico Mission Trip By Michael Derry

On Sunday, December 19, 2021 six members of Trinity Baptist Church (Bob & Patty Davis, Michael & Kerri Derry, and Boyd & Julie Robinson) left on a five-day mission trip to the area of San Miquel De Allene, Mexico. The group assisted full time missionaries Ben and Susie Argil (BrillaLife Ministries) for three days.

While most of the first and last days were spent traveling, the middle three days in Mexico, were very impactful and filled with God's blessings.

Twenty-one couples attended a marriage conference at the BrillaLife Center and five participants gave their lives to Christ! Several others expressed their desire to know more about God. We praise God for working in the lives of families and drawing fathers and mothers to Himself!

Groceries were provided for a family in need. The family had experienced a tragic loss the week prior to our arrival. Two of their young adult sons were in a car accident. One was killed instantly, the other, Juan, was badly injured. We visited their home in the village of Alonso Yanez and gathered in a small room while Ben held Juan's hand and prayed for the family. His wife, 3-year-old son, and mother were also present.

A Christmas party was held in Alonzo Yanez on Wednesday evening! The children broke piñatas filled with candy and trinkets, received toys and bags filled with treats. Everyone feasted on pozole, tamales, buñuelos, and hot Christmas punch. Many new families attended and heard the Christmas story retold through the eyes of a shepherd. The Robinsons shared their musical talent and sang several Christmas songs for the whole group. All six of the missionaries helped each of the attendees create a beaded necklace while telling the story of salvation.

It is always such a blessing to share the word of God and make new connections with fellow Christians. Even though we may not speak the same

language, the common love of God always finds a way through verbal communication barriers.

Prayers were appreciated and felt as the group ministered!

Bless Every Home By JD Templeton

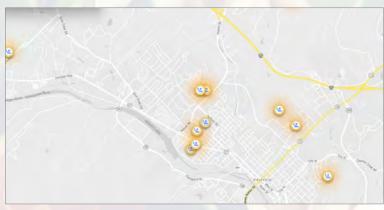
"We don't choose what we will do for God; He invites us to join Him where He wants to involve us." Henry Blackaby

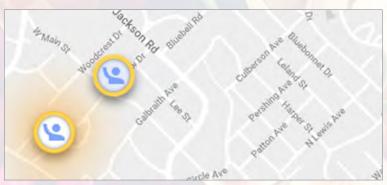
"What the Church needs to-day is not more machinery or better, not new organizations or more and novel methods, but men whom the Holy Ghost can use -- men of prayer, men mighty in prayer. The Holy Ghost does not flow through methods, but through men. He does not come on machinery, but on men. He does not anoint plans, but men -- men of prayer." E.M. Bounds

Can God work randomly in his kingdom? Absolutely, but that does not mean he won't use organization or strategy. Remember Joshua marching around Jericho? Or Gideon paring down his fighting force? Strategy is merely a framework God uses to arrange men and women in his kingdom's work.

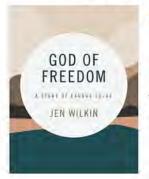
The graphics included here represent a prayer strategy Trinity uses to reach our county for Christ. The icons represent current praying households. **Bless Every Home** provides structure to pray for our neighbors by name. However, without people to pray, that struc-

ture is powerless. Will you join us in praying specifically and daily for our neighbors? Will you accept God's invitation to join him where he is working? Find more details www.blesseveryhome.com/light/?cust=11778. You can also call JD to discover how to connect with this prayer movement of God.





Spring Women's Bible Study



God of Freedom: Exodus 19 - 40

10 weeks, Books \$20

Wednesdays, Jan 19 - Mar 30 Worship Center, 10 AM - Noon

(Wednesday childcare by reservation only) Thursdays, Jan 20 - Mar 31 Chapel, 6:15 - 8 PM

Spring Men's Bible Study Continuing the Gospel of John Thursdays, 10 AM - Noon YO Ranch Hotel, Boone/Crockett Room January 20 - March 31 (11 Weeks), No Cost Sign up at www.tbck.org/mbs

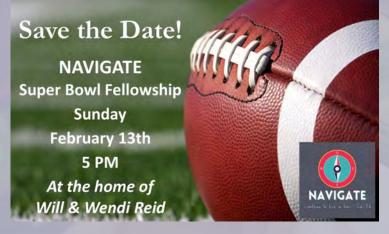
Enroll Now in Trinity U!

Sunday Nights, 5:00 - 6:00 PM

. MasterLife: The Disciple's Cross \$11 led by Royce & Cynthia Itschner

. *Crisis 101: The Red Sea Rules \$15* led by Roger & Barbara McCormick

. Milestones: (3/20-3/27) No Cost led by Wes Henson & JD Templeton **Call the church office to sign up**



Agape Fellowship Class By Mike Mullens

Agape Fellowship is a coed class for ages 60's through 90's, providing prayer and fellowship. We focus on discussing topics for everyday application. We use the Bible as our only text in a line-by-line reading of God's Word which includes a class discussion of the text. Our class offers members time to focus on God's Word.

The best way to describe the Agape Fellowship Bible study is to state what we seek to accomplish. Christianity is meant to be relational and small group Bible studies such as Agape Fellowship help us move from being just spectators in our church to active participants.

We want the Agape Bible study to be a place to celebrate our victories and overcome our failures. We seek prayer support from each other so that we are encouraged in tough times. Relationships just don't happen. Through the application of God's word, we can mission stories with others especially become more accountable to each other. This accountability helps move God's word from our the Lord through foreign missions.

heads to our hearts which changes our lives. After all, God's word teaches us to reach out and love one another.

God designed us to need Him and each other. We all need like-minded friends to help weather the storms of life. Friends require an investment of time and a level of vulnerability and trust. Hebrews 10:24-25 says we should "consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another."

As Agape Fellowship encounters God's Word together, we share our different perspectives and insights and are strengthened through this interaction.

Please consider joining with us in the Agape Fellowship Bible study group!

Before retiring and moving to Kerrville Mike went on numerous short term foreign missions trips to India, Kenya, Croatia and Jamaica. He loves sharing those who have also been able to serve



JOIN US FOR A WOMEN'S MINISTRY CRAFT DAY



Friday, March 4th 9AM, 1PM, or 6 PM Come create beautiful crushed glass wall art with Amy Glass

\$45-\$65

Call the church office to sign up

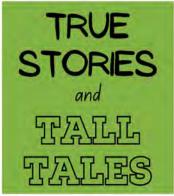




Prime Time Presents

Senior Adult Pot Luck Dinner Thursday February 10th 4:30 - 6 PM FLC/Gym

*Call the church office for tickets



Main dish provided, You bring the sides!

CHAIR EXERCISE

Build physical stamina and spiritual well-being with CHAIR EXERCISE!

Led by Judy Harder

Mondays through May 1:30 in the gym - FREE!

Children's Ministry By Kellee Parish

What an amazing church we get to serve. I am so grateful for the teachers, workers, ministry teams and lead teams that serve in our Children's Ministry. We are so blessed to have wonderful adults who spend time investing in the lives of preschoolers, children and their families. I am truly grateful to get to work with such talented, giving and loving men and women.

We are growing and will need additional teachers and workers. If you are interested in joining one of our teams, please let me know and we can talk about where our needs are in Children's Ministry and where you could possibly fit.

Mark your calendars for Saturday, April 16th at 10am for our "Walk Thru the Easter Story" for Preschool through 5th Grade. This is a great time to invite your friends and neighbors to come enjoy fellowship with other families and for kids to get to experience the Easter Story through hands on activities. No sign up is required, just show up. We'd love to see you!

Children's Day Out

Space is available! For registration information please contact Beth Ann Brown at (830)895-0100



Monday February 7th 11 AM - 2 PM TBC Chapel **Bring Your Favorite Game** and a **Bag Lunch**

Trinity Baptist Church presents...



April 8, 9 & 10

7:00pm

800 Jackson Rd Kerrville * 830-895-0100 * www.tbck.org

Children's Worship Bags





Kinder & Below / Grades 1-6

Don't forget to pick up your Worship Bag on Sunday!



Wednesdays 6-7pm

2nd-6th Grade - Room #121 Pre K - 1st Grade - Room # 151

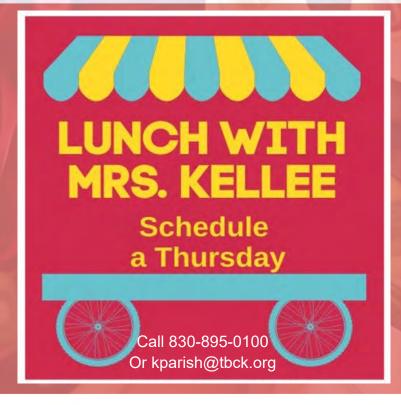
Childcare provided for Babies through 3 Years old for Parents who are attending Bible Study.

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Sundays 5-6pm 1/9-3/6



Displaying your Creativity By Carrie Overby

Each of the ministries in our church share the arriving in my office! I began to be blown responsibility of filling or decorating the large away as I listened to the stories of inspiration display window near the gym. The Worship behind the beautiful items. A few themes Ministry has taken the months of December, began to emerge from the stories I heard. January and February. This year as Larry and First of all, I heard people talk about the I began to make plans for the window I real- friendships that have been forged as they ized we would not be advertising or doing the learned a new craft but more importantly January Family Gathering.

Reflecting back on our memorable Family Gatherings made me remember that in 2019 we held an Artistic Showcase that revealed some awesome talent at Trinity! Immediately, I began to imagine our large display window filled with all kinds of photos, crafts, sewing, and poems from our talented folks. Larry's blessing we began to spread the word about bringing in things that were made by hand.

Thank goodness some awesome people answered our call... and wonderful items started

about their concern for others. Many of the items made are for others in need. It has been inspiring to see our people giving of their time and talents so freely. Finally, most of the items were made as a gift for someone else! Each one carefully thought out and prayerfully made. This makes me so proud to be a part of the Trinity family. Please go by

and see what God is doing in the lives of His people.

Carrie loves to spend time with her four special grandchildren every chance she gets!!



we love because He first loved us. 1 John 4:19

It has been my great pleasure to serve as your Pastor's Assistant for the past 9 1/2 years. Thank you, Trinity Family, for the opportunity to work at a place and among folks that I love.

The memories and relationships built during this time are a blessing to me and I pray they will continue for many years to come.

I look forward to retirement and spending more time with family and friends but I will certainly miss the daily contact I have had with my church family.

> See ya Sunday! Mary Pat Danks

The Month In Review: January





Family Gathering was held 1/23 with a soup contest and cornhole tournament.

And the soup winners: **Barb Bowers** Melissa Marcum Mica Henson and Sharron Hawk



Men's Bible Study meets each Thursday at YO Ranch Hotel



Women's Bible Study began 1/19

UPCOMING EVENTS



Mar 2 Building TF Meeting 10:00

Mar 2 Missions Committee Mtg 4:30

Mar 4 Women's Craft Day

9:00/1:00/6:00

Mar 6 Victor Choir Rehearsal 6:30

Mar 7 Victor Stage Installation

Mar 7 Prime Time Game Day 11:00

Mar 10-12 Prime Time Singers-

Everlasting Conference

Mar 13 Victor Choir Rehearsal 6:30

Mar 14 Stitchers for Jesus 10:30

Mar 19 Victor Choir Rehearsal 9:30

Mar 20 Church Council Mtg 4:00

Mar 21 Finance Committee Mtg 5:30

Mar 26 Victor Choir Rehearsal 9:30

Mar 27 Member Meeting 4:00



Apr 2 Victor Rehearsal 9:30

Apr 3 Victor Rehearsal 6:30

Apr 4 Prime Time Game Day 11:00

Apr 4 Victor Choir Rehearsal 6:30

Apr 5 Victor Rehearsal 6:30

Apr 6 Building TF Meeting 10:00

Apr 6 Missions Committee Mtg 4:30

Apr 6 Victor Dress Rehearsal 7:00

Apr 8 Victor Performance 7:00

Apr 9 Victor Performance 7:00

Apr 10 Victor Performance 7:00

Apr 11 Stitchers for Jesus 10:30

Apr 16 Walk Thru Easter Story 10:00

Apr 17 Church Council 4:00

Apr 18 Finance Committee Mtg 5:30

Apr 24 Family Gathering/Member Mtg 4:00

Sundays:

Worship 8:30, 9:45, 11:00

(All services streamed) Bible Study-Adults 9:45

Adults/Youth/Children 11:00

Library Open 12:00

Trinity University

TSM/Worship Kids 5:00

CYP Navigate 7:00

Mondays:

Altar Flower Committee 9:00

Chair Exercise 1:15

Eagles Wings Lifegroup 6:00

Tuesdays:

Children's Day Out 9:00

Kerrville West Home Group 5:30

Guitar Group 5:30

8:30-Praise Team Rehearsal 6:00

Wednesdays:

Women's Bible Study 10:00

Pickleball Noon

Handbell Rehearsal 4:30

Mid-Week Meal 5:00

Library Open 5:15

Mid-Week Bible Study 6:00

Adults-Family Life Center

(also streamed)

TSM Circles-Chapel Worship Kids-Room 121

Worship Choir 7:00

Thursdays:

Children's Day Out 9:00

Men's Bible Study 10:00

Women's Bible Study 6:30

9:45-Praise Team 7:00

Fridays:

Prime Time Singers 10:00

Feb 2 Building TF Meeting 10:00

Feb 2 Missions Cmte Mtg 4:30

Feb 5 Victor Choir Rehearsal 9:30

Feb 6 Women's Min Kickoff Mtg Noon

Feb 7 Prime Time Game Day 11:00

Feb 14 Stitchers for Jesus 10:30

Feb 20 Church Council Mtg 4:00

Feb 20 Victor Rehearsal 6:30

Feb 21 Finance Cmte Mtg 5:30

Feb 26 Victor Choir Rehearsal 9:30

Feb 27 Member Meeting 4:00

