

# Trinity *Life*

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## For The Journey...

*"Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the LORD our God."* Psalm 20:7

God is always at work around the world. The world is paying attention to what is taking place in Ukraine as Russia aggressively has invaded. For a week we have heard from leaders and politicians and seen pictures coming over the internet. My heart goes out to the people defending their home country. So far away, I feel helpless and want to know more and do more. I have been reminded by the LORD that we are never helpless. One of the greatest things we can do at a distance and up close is to pray. I was so encouraged by those in our worship services this past Sunday who answered the call to pray together for the Ukrainian people. Thank you, Trinity Baptist Church, for responding as a church to the needs in our world.

On March 6th, we will be taking up a special offering to go toward the relief efforts through Texas Baptists Men. There are many ways individuals can send support through other organizations like Samaritans Purse and Cere International, but we have an ongoing channel to support many relief efforts through TBM. The offering given on March 6th will go directly to the international relief. I want to invite you to also join me at noon every day to pray wherever you are for this conflict and watch and see how God will use this for His glory.

We will also begin the selection process for our Minister of Worship Search Team on Sunday, March 6th. Nomination ballots will be available and each church member can make up to three nominations only. Nominations may also be submitted on March 13th. Ballots will be received in our offering boxes. From the names nominated, a final ballot of 21 church members will be voted on in a special called Member Meeting on March 27th in all three worship services. We have been blessed beyond measure with the ministry and leadership of Larry Danks. We will continue to be blessed until his retirement at the end of June. Let us be in prayer for this new search team that will be formed this month as they seek our next Minister of Worship.

I am being asked around town about our building progress. Many have told me they have been watching the work being completed. Several have commented that they noticed when the three crosses were secured to the outside wall. These are folks from our community and not church members. We are in a great position to respond to God's faithfulness in our Faith Family as God has continued to make His assignment known to us. We are truly blessed to be a blessing.

In Christ,

*Pastor John*



# Youth Ministry by Wes Henson

The last three February's we have opened up camp registration and offered a "VIP" signup window. During the first three weeks of registration, every student who is signed up for camp is counted as a "VIP" and gets perks and privileges at camp. It's a fun way to help build excitement about Youth Camp.

I asked a few of our VIP Students what they are most looking forward to about camp, and here are their answers:

Jack Bowers, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade - I'm looking forward to hanging out with friends and building relationships

Elisa Keese, 11<sup>th</sup> Grade - The connections I get to build with younger youth. All of my friends are doing different activities at different times so I kind of jump around with who I'm hanging out with. With this I get to talk to people I may have never spoken to before and I get to know their personalities and sometimes even engage in conversations about their faith. I return home with more friends than I started with.

Christian Stahl, 10<sup>th</sup> Grade - Probably learning more about God and learning how to spread his word

Anna Henson, 9<sup>th</sup> Grade - I am looking forward to building friendships and having fun at activities such as block parties and archery tag.

Carson Boles, 10<sup>th</sup> Grade - The time with friends, worship, and just the experience I know God will give me.

Ryia Neuman, 11<sup>th</sup> Grade - The worship

Cayden Brown, 10<sup>th</sup> Grade - Finding random people to hang out with at Rec and with our camp color groups

Luke Bowers, 6<sup>th</sup> Grade - Growing friendships, making new friends, and growing in my faith.

If you know a 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade student who would be interested in joining us, we would love to have them! They can sign up at [tbck.org/students](http://tbck.org/students).

*"Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, and in purity."*

1 Timothy 4:12



## 6TH GRADERS & FAMILIES

**WELCOME LUNCH**  
**SUNDAY, MARCH 6**  
**NOON IN THE FLC**





**TSM CIRCLES**  
WEDNESDAYS @ 6PM

WHO YOU SURROUND  
YOURSELF WITH MAKES  
THE DIFFERENCE!

**WEDNESDAYS IN MARCH**

- 2 - CIRCLES
- 9 - CIRCLES
- 16 - SPECIAL EDITION
- 23 - CIRCLES
- 30 - CIRCLES



# BASE CAMP

6th-12th grades  
March 13-15  
Cost: \$30  
Alto Frio Camp

**SERVE - WORSHIP - GROW**  
**SIGN UP AT [TBCK.ORG/STUDENTS](http://TBCK.ORG/STUDENTS)**



## HORIZON YOUTH CAMP

Completed 6th-12th

**JULY 18-22**

Cost: \$250

**[TBCK.ORG/STUDENTS](http://TBCK.ORG/STUDENTS)**

# Children's Ministry by Kellee Parish

Our Courageous Kids have done a great job this semester learning about several mission areas and making projects to serve those in ministry. Some of the projects that we have done this spring are encouragement baskets, notes, decorated boxes of encouragement, key chains (with Joshua 1:9) and windchimes. Courageous kids have supported Magdalene House, Alto Frio Camp, groups in our community people, and TBC homebound this semester. We have such a fun time on Sunday nights learning and serving.



CDO Ministry will be taking registration after Spring Break for those interested in our Tuesday/Thursday Mother's Day Out. For questions, prices, or other information, check out the church's website, contact Beth Ann Brown or Paula Brucker at 830-895-0100.

## Upcoming Events

6th Graders will be moving up to Youth on Sunday, March 20th during the 11am Bible Study time. We will be celebrating and praying for them as they promote into the youth group.

Easter Walk Thru - will be Saturday, April 16th at 10am on the grassy area across from the church (off Bluebell). This is a great time for Preschool thru 5th Grade to have hands on activities as they learn about the Easter Story. Be sure to invite your friends and neighbors.

VBS - June 13-16 from 9am - 12 for ages: completed Kinder thru 5th.

Pre-Teen Camp - July 25-28 at Alto Frio Baptist Camp. Ages: Completed 3rd-6th.

## Celebrating our 6th Graders

Sunday March 6th

We will be celebrating our 6th Graders during Bible Study at 11 as they will be moving into Youth!



Travel through the Easter story

Saturday, April 16th  
at 10 am

Great time for Preschool - 5th Grade to have hands on activities as they learn about the Easter Story.  
(Grassy area across from Church)

Invite your friends and neighbors!

## SAVE THE DATES

VBS - June 13-16 / 9am-Noon

Completed Kinder-5th Grade

PT Camp - July 25-28 @ Alto Frio

Completed 3rd-6th Grade

TRINITY KIDS

**COURAGEOUS  
KIDS**

MISSIONS & SERVICE

**Courageous Kids  
PART OF TRINITY U  
5-6pm  
Jan 9 - March 6**



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.

MONDAYS, 10 - 11:30 AM  
THROUGH MAY 23  
ROOM 221  
\$15 FOR MATERIALS  
CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE  
SIGN UP ONLINE:



<https://www.griefshare.org/groups/146508>

A grief support group that provides help and encouragement  
after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend

**DOMINICAN  
REPUBLIC  
MISSION  
JUNE 18-25**

TBCK SHORT TERM  
MISSION  
SCHOLARSHIPS  
AVAILABLE



CONTACT  
JD  
OR  
WES  
FOR  
INFO

**YOUTH CAMP  
VBS  
CONSTRUCTION**

**DISCOVERY  
MEETING  
3/9 5:30 OR  
3/13 NOON**

IS GOD CALLING  
YOUR FAMILY  
ON MISSION?

**\$100  
DEPOSIT  
DUE 4/1**

## WOMEN'S MINISTRY CRAFT DAY

Friday, March 4th

9AM, 1PM or 6PM

Come create beautiful crushed glass wall art  
with Amy Glass

\$55

Call the church office to sign up

**TBCK  
PRIMETIME  
GAME  
DAY**

**Monday**

**March 7th**

**11 AM - 2 PM**

**TBC Chapel**

**Bring Your  
Favorite Game  
and a  
Bag Lunch**

## Kerrville West Small Group By Clark Elliston

The New Testament emphasizes, again and again, the importance of church unity. This emphasis responds to the reality that, while we all long for meaningful connection, we also think we know best. Combine this presumption with busy schedules, tired parents, and assorted vocational and relational pressures and we can't be too surprised when we view our church lives as something "extra." Thinking this way places us in the position of perpetually weighing our commitments relative to how they benefit us. Such self-interest, however, serves neither meaningful human connection nor church unity.

With this my mindset, we joined our Trinity small group against my better judgment. I was nervous that it would be an unavoidable fixture on our already crowded schedule (it is), that people would expect more from me within it (they do), and that there would be times of awkwardness and vulnerability (there are). Since being wrong is a hallmark of my

Christian life, the poor attitude was graciously returned with regular friendship, a concern for dedicated discipleship, and reminders of how deep the gospel penetrates. It has been something deeply life-giving amid activities that are often not. In our case, it has gifted us with relationships which form not only us, but our children as well. They learn what it means to serve Christ in the world from other adults who care for them in ways different than their parents. It has given us a "place" in the world – a space where we live, learn, and love Christ together.

I began with unity because small group is where I have learned much about it. We come together weekly with imperfect people to imperfectly discuss the only perfect person. Repentance and forgiveness are both required. We are not always sympathetic to each other and certainly do not always understand one another. But at every turn we recognize in our small group fellow travelers along the Way. For this reason, small group serves as a kind of "refueling station" in the race of faith and we could not be more grateful for it.



# Pilgrims of Faith By Homer Hanna

Becoming members of Trinity Baptist Church is like having a wonderfully vital extended family. And, being a part of the Pilgrims of Faith Bible Study Class, is being further blessed as a part of a smaller, immediate family.

Led by Truman and Bitsy Martin, there is a unique fellowship of members ready to encourage one another; to study biblical truths; and to learn ways to become disciples reaching out in friendship and encouragement to follow Christ.

After Truman faithfully leads our Bible study lessons each week and encourages class members to share how the scriptures are applicable to their personal lives, Bitsy leads in a time of recognizing class concerns and closes in prayer before our class members leave to join others in the worship center.

Another part of our class fellowship is receiving online information during the week concerning upcoming class events and current prayer requests.

Outside of the classroom, the Pilgrims of Faith fellowship includes the men's monthly breakfasts at Cracker Barrel, and ladies' luncheons held at various restaurants. Other class fellowships have included fun gatherings for all of the Pilgrims of Faith class such as Christmas parties, outside suppers at members' homes, and hamburger cookouts at the Museum of Western Art!

As a reminder of our Pilgrims of Faith Bible Study Class:

"Pilgrims" are always searching for God's will and to daily live it.

"Of" is a description of "family togetherness" and how to be brothers and sisters in Christ.

"Faith" is our trust in God our Father and his son, Jesus Christ, as our Lord and Savior.



Spring Men's Bible Study Continuing the  
**Gospel of John**  
Thursdays, 10 AM - Noon, No Cost  
**YO Ranch Hotel, Boone/Crockett Room**

Through March 31

2033 Sidney Baker

**DEACON  
SPONSORED  
SERVICE  
PROJECT**

**Alto Frio  
Baptist Camp**  
All people, skill levels  
welcome

**March 13-15**  
\$40-Meals & Lodging  
\$15 daytime option

**Sign up by  
2/28**  
Call the church office  
for  
more information

Spring Women's Bible Study

**God of Freedom: Exodus 19 - 40**  
10 weeks, Books \$20

Wednesdays, Through Mar 30  
Worship Center, 10 AM - Noon  
(Wednesday childcare  
by reservation only)

Thursdays, Through Mar 31  
Chapel, 6:30 - 8 PM

**Enroll Now in Trinity U!**  
Sunday Nights, 5:00 - 6:00 PM

**Milestones:  
Discipleship for Family Life  
Stages**

3/20-3/27; No Cost; Rm 221  
led by  
**Wes Henson & JD Templeton**

# Stitchers for Jesus....

The stitchers are busy making dresses, flannel blankets, and knitted/crocheted blankets for babies and little ones that will be given to a children's home in Florida. They also recently sent 82 dresses to Kenya, Africa via the Kenyan Children's Choir that came and sang for our church. The "Stitchers" stay busy and keep an inventory of items on hand so they can meet a need when it arises.

What a blessing this ministry and those who share their gifts through this ministry are! The "Stitchers for Jesus" meet the second Monday of each month at 10:30am. Please contact Cheryl Overla at 352-254-0390 if you would like to be a part of this ministry.

Below are pictures of some of the items they have made.



Girl's dresses



Shoe bags for First Blessing



Knit & Crocheted baby blankets



Walker Tote Bags



Girl's & Boy's short sets



Time to  
Spring Ahead

**Sunday, March 13th**

**Don't forget to move  
your clocks ahead  
ONE hour!**

# Welcome New Members!

**Welcome to our Family!**



Cailin Powell



Sonny & Marsha  
Dannhaus



Bobby  
&  
Lou  
Walker



**Our March  
Spotlight  
Businesses:**

**Mary's Tacos**

**1616 Broadway / 830-895-7474**

**Donut Palace**

**833 Sidney Baker / 830-896-3737**

Give **Mary's Tacos** a call on your way and your order is usually ready when you arrive. They have some of the best breakfast tacos in Kerr County!

Some of the favorite menu items at **Donut Palace** are: Sausage, Egg & Cheese Croissants, Apple Fritters, Chocolate Sprinkled & Chocolate Cake Donuts, Kolaches, Breakfast Tacos, Croissants, and Pigs in a Blanket.



# The VICTOR!

**Our gift to the community!**

**Share.... Invite.... Pray....**

**Performances: April 8, 9, & 10  
7:00 PM**



## Victor March Rehearsals

Mar 3 Signing rehearsal 5:15  
Mar 3 Drama rehearsal 6:00  
Mar 6 Choir rehearsal 6:30  
Mar 7 Drama rehearsal 6:00  
Mar 10 Signing rehearsal 5:15  
Mar 10 Drama rehearsal 6:00  
Mar 12 Choir rehearsal 9:30-Noon  
Mar 14 Drama rehearsal 6:00  
Mar 17 Drama rehearsal 6:00  
Mar 19 Choir rehearsal 9:30-Noon  
Mar 21 Drama rehearsal 6:00  
Mar 24 Signing rehearsal 5:15  
Mar 24 Drama rehearsal 6:00  
Mar 26 Choir rehearsal 9:30-Noon  
Mar 28 Drama rehearsal 6:00  
Mar 31 Signing rehearsal 5:15  
Mar 31 Drama rehearsal 6:00



KCYR went on the air in 2003 to bring the Hill Country great Christian music 24 hours day. Not only does the station have all of the artists that you know and love, but strive to present you with worshipful music you haven't yet discovered, peppered in are Bible verses and up-lifting comments. Tune into 101.5 on your radio dial for the best music this side of Heaven.

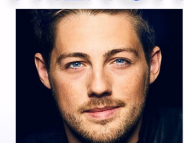
**LIVE IN CONCERT**

**7 PM • THURSDAY • MARCH 24**

**CAILLOUX THEATER • KERRVILLE**



**SPECIAL  
GUEST  
AUSTIN  
FRENCH**



**WALKING FREE TOUR**



**LIVESHOWEVENTS.NET  
OR SCAN FOR TICKETS**



# The Month In Review: February



Kenyan Children's Choir



Women's Ministry  
Kick-off Luncheon



Haven Holekamp &  
Phillip Howard



Prime Time True Stories  
& Tall Tales



Our  
amazing  
kitchen  
crew!



Prayers for Ukraine

## UPCOMING EVENTS



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 Baked Potato Fundraiser 11:00  
Apr 24 Deacon's Mtg 3:00  
Apr 24 Family Gathering/Member Mtg 4:00



May 2-4 Senior Adult Days 10:00  
May 4 Building TF Meeting 10:00  
May 4 Missions Committee Mtg 4:30  
May 9 Stitchers for Jesus 10:30  
May 15 Graduate Recog Sunday  
May 15 Church Council 4:00  
May 16 Finance Committee Mtg 5:30  
May 19 Singing Men of Texas 5:00  
May 22 Member Meeting 4:00  
May 30 Church Offices/Bldgs Closed

## Calendar Events & Ongoing Activities

### 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 -5:00  
TSM/Courageous Kids 5:00  
CYP Navigate 7:00

### Mondays:

Altar Flower Committee 9:00  
GriefShare 10:00  
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 6:15  
9:45-Praise Team 7:00

### Fridays:

Prime Time Singers 10:00



Mar 2 Bldg Task Force Cmt 10:00  
Mar 2 Missions Cmt Meeting 4:30  
Mar 2 CDO Ministry Team Mtg 5:15  
Mar 3 WM Craft Day Setup 3:00  
Mar 4 Prime Time Officers Mtg 9:30  
Mar 4 Prime Time Singers 10:00  
Mar 4 WM Craft Day-Sess 2 1:00  
Mar 4 WM Craft Day-Sess 3 6:00  
Mar 6 WM Planning Meeting 1:00  
Mar 7 Prime Time Game Day 11:00  
Mar 8 New Member Dinner 6:00  
Mar 9 Children's Min Team Mtg 5:15  
Mar 13-15 Deacon Service Project  
at Alto Frio  
Mar 20 Church Council Mtg 4:00  
Mar 21 HCBA Sing-a-long 10:00  
Mar 21 Finance Cmt Meeting 5:30  
Mar 24-25 SMOST  
Mar 27 Member Meeting 4:00