

# Trinity *Life*

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH  
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## For the Journey...

We all have a heavy heart. Prayers, presence and words are often the response to tragedy. We have all grieved with Uvalde, Texas this past week. Anyone who is a parent or grandparent begins to groan with the families and the loss of life of these precious children and teachers. After the initial shock of what took place, we begin to ask, "What can we do?" We cannot believe any individual could do such a horrendous act, but we are reminded that evil is evil.

There are no words that can be offered that help to explain or console. However, we can offer prayers. Prayers to God who hurts alongside all the grieving families and the community that will forever be changed. I do not have the words to share or encourage us except that God will work through all that has happened. God redeems all He allows and He is very near to the broken hearted. We also can be near to those in Uvalde through our prayers for them.

There are many who need our prayers. First and most definitely, those whose family members were killed. We also need to remember to pray for all of the first responders who both ended the conflict and began to offer help. Remember the hospital workers who received the injured and deceased. Pray for all of the school children who will remember these events and those who walked alongside them in the halls of their school. Lift up the faculty and administration as they mourn the loss of students, but also their peers. God help us all as we consider how to pray for those in need.

In the midst of all the chaos of the world, God is still moving forward. We should never let evil stop us or silence us. The answer to all of our

struggles is still an authentic relationship with Jesus that transforms us and our world. In the presence of all the ugly, there is hope. Our world does not have the answer. Therefore, we must continue to do our part in declaring in our brokenness that God pursues us and desires to have a relationship with us. He has made it all possible through Jesus Christ, His Son and our Savior.

There are many opportunities to share hope this summer. Find your place and plug in. Vacation Bible School and summer camps are scheduled and many children and youth have already signed up. They have signed up for an opportunity to take a first step in Jesus for salvation or a next step in Christ in discipleship. Let us be in the position for God to use us in great ways this summer and every day.

This month we will say goodbye to Larry Danks. I am forever thankful for the time Larry has served as our Minister of Worship. He and Mary Pat have faithfully served the LORD in life as well as Trinity Baptist Church. We will be hosting a Retirement Celebration for Larry on Sunday, June 26th from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. We will have a brief presentation at 3:30 for Larry and Mary Pat. Church members are encouraged to bring a card expressing their love and appreciation to the Danks for their faithful and outstanding ministry among us.

The summer will be full of opportunities to be involved both in prayer support and active engagement. Let's join together as we see God working among us to declare His goodness and purpose.

In Christ,

*Pastor John*



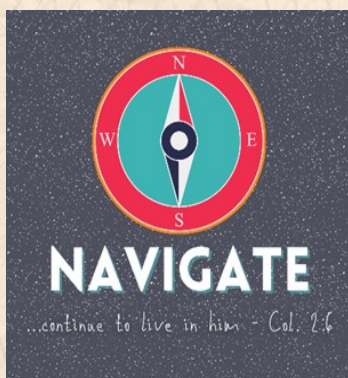
# college & trinityyoung professionals

By JD Templeton

Trinity's College and Young Professionals ministry seeks to engage young adults in a vibrant discipleship life. Navigate is the Sunday night worship and fellowship arm of this ministry.

Navigate has provided young adults with horizontal, as well as vertical connection opportunities. Horizontal – our young adults encourage each other in their day to day lives. Vertical – we sing praise to God and hear his word proclaimed. Some of our young people have committed to the worship team. What a blessing to see these young adults grow in their faith.

Pray for this group, as we seek to reach to a generation marked by biblical skepticism. For comparison, a 2018 study by Barna revealed only 4% of Gen Z (1999-2015ish) have a biblical worldview. We may gasp at this number, but in the same study Boomers came in at 10%. This is a cultural issue that was low to begin with!



Navigate meets Sunday evenings. Doors open at 6:30 pm, worship begins at 7 pm. Share this with the young people in your life!

## Welcome New Members!



Sophia Spears



Warren Moncsko



Jolie Conner

*"We, though many, are one body in Christ."*  
Romans 12:5



**BROWN BAG**  
**Wednesdays**  
**begin in**  
**June!**

**Eat & Fellowship—5:00-6:00PM**

**6:00—7:00PM**

**Adult Bible Study/Prayer**

**Worship Kids & Junior W.K. (PreK-5th)**

**TSM Circles (Youth 6th-12th)**

BLESSED IS THE FATHER  
WHO SHARES HIS HEART.  
LIVES HIS FAITH GIVES HIS TIME.  
AND LOVES HIS FAMILY.

PROVERBS 20:7 ESV



## Spotlight on a Business

Nobilitéa  
528 Jefferson St.  
Kerrville  
830-315-8322  
Hours: 7am-8pm (Mon.-Sat.)  
11am-7pm (Sunday)



Drop by and try their delicious, hand-crafted specialty teas. In-store, they can help you find your favorite loose-leaf teas. They also have a collection of over 60 different loose leaf teas, including organic options as well as wellness teas.



Chic-Fil-A  
1060 Junction Hwy.  
Kerrville  
830-257-6901  
Hours: 6:30am-9pm (M-Sat.)  
Closed Sunday

Community is important to us and it is our hope that we can enrich the lives of all of our customers. We enjoy getting to know our guests and look forward to any opportunity to give back to this community who has so graciously supported us. The next time you're in our restaurant, please introduce yourself. It would be our pleasure to meet you.

# Adopt-a-Grad

Help encourage the faith of a Trinity 2022  
High School Graduate with uplifting notes and  
care packages August - May.

**Adopt Your Grad Today!**

For more information call Gina in the church office.



**Monday**  
**June 6th**  
**11 AM - 2 PM**  
**TBC Chapel**

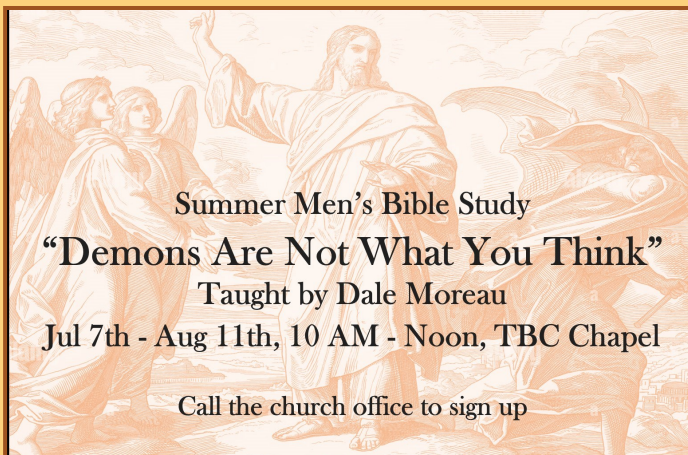
**Bring Your Favorite Game and a  
Bag Lunch**

## Summer Adult Bible Studies

Debbie Williams Presents  
Summer Women's Bible Study

### 1 PETER *A living hope*

Wednesdays, 10 AM, July 6 - 27  
Thursdays, 6:15 PM, July 7 - 28  
TBC Chapel  
Call the church office to sign up



Summer Men's Bible Study  
"Demons Are Not What You Think"  
Taught by Dale Moreau  
Jul 7th - Aug 11th, 10 AM - Noon, TBC Chapel  
Call the church office to sign up

## Stitchers for Jesus by Cheryll Overla



The stitchers have been busy this spring. In addition to our usual garments of clothing turned in (dresses and shorts sets), we now have a new division to the group - the knitters and crocheters. These ladies have been busy creating beautiful afghans for babies and children. It is exciting to see all the wonderful items come in each month and to know that children around the world will receive them. We also have a couple of ladies knitting and crocheting newborn hats that will go to a baby hospital in Guatemala. What an opportunity the Lord has brought our way to use something we love to do to serve Him!

As I am writing this, a delivery is on its way to Corpus Christi via Larry and Carol Westfall. They make several trips a year to deliver supplies, etc. to the STCH storage room. Missionaries, mission groups, etc. can choose things from this storage room to take wherever they go. The stitchers packed up and sent **100 dresses, 20 shorts sets** (both boys and girls), **15 walker tote bags** and **20 baby afghans**. We will also have items ready to send to the Dominican with the mission group from church.

Another exciting thing happened for our group recently as the Worship Kids on Wednesday night made fleece blankets and donated them. The group was happy to participate and they prayed over each blanket before the class was over. It was a great opportunity for the kids to experience being servants and the joy of giving of their time and talents. The children who helped are Bradley, Alexandria, Olivia, Aidan, Charis, Hannah, Arwen, Cami, Levi, Joseph, and Ben. A great time was had by all, even the adults!!



Do you sew, knit or crochet?  
We have just the group for you at  
Trinity.



# Vacation Bible School by Becky Watkins

"Oh won't you come to Bible School, oh won't you come along. We'll tell sweet stories and sing sweet songs, oh won't you come along....Tra-la-la!" This was me, at 5 years old, singing my heart out to our family's chocolate Labrador, Angel. Why, you may ask, was I singing the VBS song to my dog? Well, you see, Vacation Bible School was a family event in our household. We kids, of course, went to our VBS classes. My mom taught at VBS & prepared dinner each night for 200+ people and my dad was crowd control, security, and toilet unclogger. We also ran buses each night to bring the children in from the surrounding communities.

So, when VBS needed real, live lions for Daniel in the Lion's Den, and there didn't seem to be any readily available in rural Michigan, Angel, the family dog, was not exempt from volunteering! Angel was so thrilled to do her part in serving during VBS, that immediately upon finishing her lion duties, my mom had to take her straight home due to her overwhelming excitement!

In my 38 years, I have yet to miss a year of VBS. I've had the joy of serving & participating in some capacity every year of my life thus far. If you've never had the privilege of participating in VBS, there is a spot for everyone. If you are like me and have served for years, I encourage you to keep on keeping on! Don't let your opportunity to serve at VBS this year, "GO TO THE DOGS"! Although, from past experience, the dogs get pretty excited about VBS.

And if I still haven't convinced you about how much of a blessing you will miss out on, word in the church pews is that the menu for the Hospitality Room for VBS volunteers is something that you will not want to miss out on!



4:13



Wednesdays 6-7pm

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

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

**CDO  
REGISTRATION**  
Tues/Thurs  
Children's Day Out  
Program



**Vacation Bible School**  
June 13-16 ~ 9am-Noon

**Volunteers Needed ...**

**...as Family Leaders**  
(rotates w/kids)

email@kparish@tbck.org



**Register NOW!!!**  
space is limited  
classes are filling up

**PIZZA, PARENTS AND SNOWBALLS**

**JULY 7 5:30-7:30PM**

KINDER-5TH GRADE  
FOOD, FELLOWSHIP,  
CRAFTS AND KONA ICE

RSVP by 7/1 to  
pbrucker@tbck.org

CHILDCARE FOR SIBLINGS



**REGISTER NOW**  
for Fall 2022 at  
www.tbck.org

For more info,  
contact Beth Ann  
Brown  
830-895-0100  
babrown@tbck.org

**Pre-Teen Camp**

**July 25-28**

Completed 3rd-6th Grade

\$200 per Camper

\$50 Deposit

(reserves spot) Payable to TBC



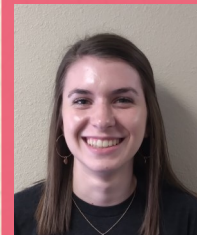
## Children's Day Out Graduation 2022



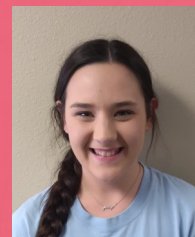
My name is Avery Abshier, and I am super excited to serve this summer as an intern! I have lived in Kerrville my whole life and have been going to Trinity for 7 years. I am thrilled to return to the student ministry as an intern to foster old and new relationships with our students. Beyond youth ministry, I am grateful for the opportunity to be involved in and learn about church ministry in the many capacities available. It is exciting to be able to lead and learn alongside our staff and students and I look forward to all God plans to do this summer!

My name is Lexi Gonzalez and I am going to be one of your summer interns. I am from all over the wonderful state of Texas, because my Dad is a youth pastor. My parents currently live in Idalou, Texas, which is about 15 miles from Lubbock. I have one younger brother who is about to be a Junior in High School. I am currently going to Howard Payne University and am studying Social Work with a minor in Cross-Cultural Ministry. I am looking forward to getting to know each of you this summer, and getting the opportunity to do ministry with this amazing church. I love getting to work with people who love Jesus and who want to help people grow in their relationship with the Lord. One thing I am looking forward to this summer is being able to walk alongside the kids and youth as they grow in their relationship with God and each other.

## Trinity's Summer Interns



Avery Abshier



Lexi Gonzalez

JOIN US FOR YOUTH NIGHT AT

# COWBOY CAMP MEETING

MONDAY, JUNE 6

LEAVE THE CHURCH AT 5:15PM




TRINITY STUDENT MINISTRY

# LUNCH HANGOUT

6TH-12TH GRADE STUDENTS

MONDAY, JUNE 13 @ 1PM

MORE INFO TO COME



THURSDAY, JUNE 2 | 6PM-9:30PM

6TH-12TH GRADE STUDENTS

# Student Ministry Cookout

FOOD, GAMES, & S'MORES

MEET AT CHURCH



# GUYS NIGHT

# GIRLS NIGHT

June 30

Registration begins June 1

6th-12th grade

TRINITY Student Ministry



# TSM SUMMER CIRCLES

WHO YOU SURROUND YOURSELF WITH MAKES THE DIFFERENCE!

WEDNESDAYS IN JUNE

5:30PM DOORS OPEN

6PM SUMMER CIRCLES

7PM GYM RATS (OPEN GYM)



# HORIZON YOUTH CAMP

Completed 6th-12th

## JULY 18-22

Cost: \$250

TBCK.ORG/STUDENTS



**Important Note**

## from Clint Brown

To ensure you are getting email communications from the church please (1) Check and make sure that your correct email address is in your Shelbnext profile, (2) Check the SPAM folder in your email account and mark it as *Not Junk*, and/or (3) list TBCK.org as a safe sending domain in your email settings.

If someone you know would like to start receiving the TrinityLife newsletter, they can go to TBCK.ORG and at the bottom of every page is "**Sign Up/Resubscribe to Email Newsletters and Publications**" where they can register to receive publications from Trinity via Constant Contact.

## Night of Praise

Sunday, June 5, 2022  
6:30pm

Childcare for 3 years  
and under

Trinity Baptist Church Worship Center  
800 Jackson Rd. Kerrville  
Livestreamed at... [tbck.org/live](http://tbck.org/live)

Join the TBC Women's Ministry for a Day at



**Saturday, June 25th**

Lunch 11 AM, Dutch Treat

Garden Craft (optional) 1 PM, \$40

Call the church office to RSVP

## TEXAS BAPTIST MEN DISASTER RELIEF MINISTRY?

### TRAINING AVAILABLE

- Yellow Cap Basic Training  
(Age 16 & Up) *This training is a prerequisite for all other trainings*
- Chainsaw Basic Training
- Specialty Training - *Classes & Details Online*

Register online at

[www.texasbaptistmen.org/Disaster-Relief](http://www.texasbaptistmen.org/Disaster-Relief)

Questions? Rick Boles 830.739.8957



Please pray for our Dominican Republic Mission Trip participants below. *"...Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful."* Col. 4:2

## DOMINICAN REPUBLIC MISSION JUNE 18-25

### PRAYER NEEDS

YOUTH E-CAMP,  
VBS,  
CONSTRUCTION,  
TRAININGS



CHRISTY BELL  
APRIL CONNER  
JAYCEE CONNER  
KENLEIGH CONNER  
BECKY DOYAL  
WES HENSON  
MICA HENSON  
ANNA HENSON  
CHARIS HENSON  
JOE RIEF  
JENNIFER RIEF  
JADEN RIEF  
JORDON RIEF  
JD TEMPLETON

## First Blessing

SAVE  
THE  
DATE



September 17

## Hill Country COWBOY CAMP MEETING



June 5 - June 12  
8 miles west of  
Ingram on Hwy 27

*Fine Preaching,  
Old Fashioned Fellowship  
& Food!*

**Monday, June 6**

5:45PM - BBQ & Covered Dish

6:45PM Bible Study: Wes Henson leads Youth  
& Barbara Jordan-Christopherson leads Women

7:30PM - John Wheat (Speaker), Larry Danks &  
the Prime-Time Choir

### Trinity Baptist Church

\*\* SEPTEMBER 9-10 \*\*



### Ways YOU can HELP!

**Registration  
Greeter  
Set-up  
Clean-up  
Hospitality**

Contact Lanie Ebelt at  
830-895-0015  
or [lanebru76@wcc.net](mailto:lanebru76@wcc.net)

**SIGN-UP will begin soon!**

please Join us for a

# Retirement Reception

**Honoring Larry & Mary Pat Danks**

Come celebrate Larry's Retirement of  
43 years of Full Time Vocational Church Ministry

**SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 2022**

**COME & GO 3PM - 5 PM**

Program at 3:30 pm

This is a "carding event" to show our appreciation

Family Life Center at Trinity Baptist Church

800 Jackson Road, Kerrville, Texas 78028

*thank you*

*for your 15+ years of service  
at Trinity!*

## Singing Men of South Texas



# Month in Review: May



**National Day of Prayer**



**Encore! Senior Adult Days!**



**Ministerial Staff Retreat**



**Office Volunteer  
Brunch**



**Crossroads Class Painted  
Churches Tour**

## UPCOMING EVENTS



July 4 CHURCH FACILITIES CLOSED  
 July 6 Women's Bible Study begins-10:00  
 July 7 Men's Bible Study begins-10:00  
 July 7 Parents/Pizza/Snowballs-5:30  
 July 7 Women's Bible Study begins-6:15  
 July 11-12 TSM Student Ldshp Trip  
 July 13 Youth Camp Parent Mtg-6:00  
 July 18-22 Horizon Youth Camp  
 July 20 PT Camp Parent Mtg-5:15  
 July 24 Fam Gath & Mem Mtg-4:00  
 July 25-28 Preteen Camp



Aug 1 PT Game Day-11:00  
 Aug 7 5th Grade Celebration-11:30  
 Aug 7 6th Graders Welcome Lunch-Noon  
 Aug 14 Promotion Sunday  
 Aug 18 Back to School Prayer Bfast-8:30  
 Aug 28 Member Meeting-4:00  
 Aug 28 Christmas Choir Preview-5:30



### 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  
 CYP Navigate 7:00

### Mondays:

Altar Flower Committee 9:00  
 GriefShare 10:00 (will resume in Fall)  
 Eagles Wings Lifegroup 6:00

### Tuesdays:

Children's Day Out 9:00  
 Kerrville West Home Group 5:30  
 8:30-Praise Team Rehearsal 6:00

### Wednesdays:

Women's Bible Study 10:00 (begins July 6)  
 Pickleball Noon  
 Handbell Rehearsal 4:30  
 Brown Bag 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  
 TSM Gym Rats 7:00

### Thursdays:

Men's Bible Study 10:00(begins July 7)  
 Women's Bible Study 6:15 (begins July 7)  
 9:45 Praise Band Rehearsal 7:00

## Calendar Events & Ongoing Activities

June 2 Student Min. Cookout- 6:00  
 June 3 PT Singers EOY Lunch-11:00  
 June 5 Women's Min Planning Mtg-1:00  
 June 5 Night of Praise-6:30  
 June 6 PT Game Day-11:00  
 June 6 PT Singers at Cowboy Camp-5pm  
 June 13 TSM Lunch Hangout- 1:00  
 June 13-16 Vacation Bible School-9:00  
 June 18-25 Dominican Rep Mission Trip  
 June 25 Women's Day @ Ridge-11:00  
 June 26 Member Meeting-2:30  
 June 26 Larry Dank's Reception-3:00-5  
 June 30 Youth Girl's Night Out-4:00  
 June 30 Youth Guy's Night Out-4:00