**MONTHLY NEWSLETTER \* TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH** 

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### For the Journey...

It was so good to be with our Church family on Sunday. Our journey to Israel was amazing, but it is good to be home. There is so much to share from our trip and over time we hope to pass along our insights and blessings. Many of you have traveled to Israel yourselves and know how life informing and even changing it can be.

I cannot express enough how thankful I am for our ministerial staff. I am fully confident that when I am away that Trinity will not miss a step as a result of our team of ministers. Thank you, JD and Wes, for filling the pulpit and the rest of our staff, Clint, Kellee, Sharron, Frank and Charlie, for helping to pastor our incredible fellowship. Keep the Barganiers in your prayers as they prepare to sell a house and start the search in Kerrville for a place to live.

We start the summer on the go. Our Dominican Republic Mission team leaves this week and Vacation Bible School will be here before we know it. This summer will be full of ministry opportunities. One of the blessings of our trip was sharing with other pilgrims on our journey about our wonderful faith family in Kerrville. I am excited for what God has placed before us as we travel together.

This summer there will be a gathering of Texas Baptists in McAllen for our annual convention. Every five years we hold it in the summer and invite all our Texas Baptist Affinities to join us. We will travel to McAllen on July 16<sup>th</sup> and return on the 18<sup>th</sup>. We are allowed 25 messengers who will vote on the business and future direction of Texas Baptists. If you would like to go, call the

church office and we will add your name to the list and officially vote on you as a messenger to represent Trinity Baptist Church. Sue Owens will then get you information regarding lodging. If you can go, it is a worthy event to see just how big our Texas Baptist family is and all that we do together.

It is easy to think about walking through time as we have in the past. Sometimes we put our travel on auto-pilot and in doing so, we miss many life-affirming moments. On the day that Melinda and I visited the southern steps into Jerusalem, we could see different formation of steps. The steps closer to the walls of Jerusalem were more uniform and were much newer than the others. The older steps were not uniform, nor were they even the same height. It would be impossible to walk up those steps habitually without considering your steps. To navigate successfully, one would need to look down at least every so often.

Let's not move through this summer in a habitual way without considering what is before us. Remember where we are going, toward the LORD. Remember, He has next steps for us. Be sure to look to the left and the right to see others traveling with us. As we arrive at the same places, God has much to both tell us and remind us. I am excited for our journey together. I am

looking forward to others we will encourage and meet along the way. God is doing a great thing among His people. Let's celebrate it together.

In Christ,

Pastor John

#### Our Newest Members!





Julie A. Robinson

Pam Epps

"We, though many, are one body in Christ."

Romans 12:5



July 16-18 in McAllen, Texas

Contact Sue in the church office if you would like to attend and to reserve a seat on the bus

Joint session of the Texas Baptists Annual Meeting and African American, Hispanic and Intercultural fellowship gatherings in one place, at one time, for His purpose.



BROWN BAG Wednesdays have begun!

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)

**Trinity Baptist Church** 



September 8 & 9, 2023

VENDORS NEEDED!

and CAR SHOW



Vendor applications are available in the church office.



Contact Lanie at 830-895-0015 or lanebru76@wcc.net



### Music Notes by Charlie Barganier

Hello Church Family!





move, there are lots of emotions and lots of moving parts, but you have already shown us a great deal of love and support as we follow God's plan. I want to also say what a privilege it is to serve this church as Minister of Worship, and I look forward to what God has in store for us all. My first few weeks here have been spent getting to know people and faces and finding out all the great things already going on here, and I am excited to see how I fit into that and see what I can offer as I join this great ministry team.

I want to thank the Minister of Worship search team for everything they did to make this process easy and clear for me and my family. I know there was no shortage of ministers who would be honored to be a part of this church and ministry team, and I am thankful that God brought us together in His perfect will and timing. There is no other way to explain why I am here now.

Please continue to pray for us as we move through this transition from Saginaw to Kerrville, selling our home, searching for a new home, getting kids settled into new schools, and all the other details that come

with a move. We know God has brought us this far and we know He has already worked all of those things out, but we want a continued sense of peace and comfort to cover all of it.

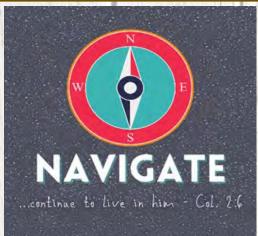
Here's to what we hope will be a long and loving relationship as we move forward.











# College and Young Professionals by J.D. Templeton

Would you invest money in a retirement account if you didn't know that money would grow and provide you with financial support in your golden years? Probably not! Spiritual investment is sometimes different than future financial planning. The result of some Kingdom investments will never be known this side of heaven.

Investments we make in young adults who are in college or testing the waters of the work force can seem risky. "They don't give to the church!" "We can't count on them being here." These are just two observations (complaints, perhaps)

about those in their 20 and 30-somethings.

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. We offer this ministry knowing that Trinity Baptist Kerrville may never reap the results that we are accustomed to from other church members. However, God has given us different evaluation standards. If we are willing to look at the big picture, we might see a 23-year-old woman today become an international missionary worship leader 10 years from now. We might notice a 27-year-old man today who will lead the greeter's ministry in a new church plant in an unchurched area of Los Angeles.

Would you pray about investing in young men and women who need someone to walk beside them and say "You've got this!"? We need 3-4 people who would consistently join us Sunday nights, build relationships with young adults, and invest in the lives that cross over the Millennials and Gen Z.

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

CDL Bus Drivers NEEDED!

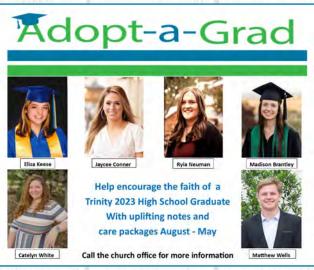


Call the church office to sign-up.

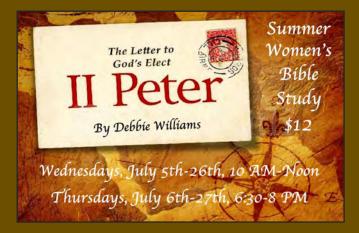


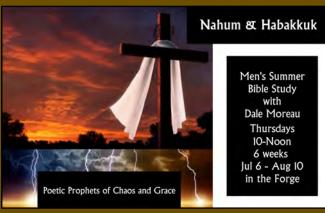






#### Adult Summer Bible Studies





# Stitchers for Jesus by Cheryll Overla

The stitching ladies are verv special I can't call them sewers anymore because in 2022 we added a new division to our group, the knitters and crocheters and now they are called "Stitchers & More". Besides making dresses, shorts sets, walker tote bags and guilted blankets, we now are making afghans and newborn baby hats (for a baby hospital in Guatemala). We have monthly meetings in which we bring in the items that have been handmade and sometimes our tables look like a children's specialty store! It is amazing to see how the Lord has blessed us with talented people who use their time and effort to serve Him by loving and caring about children in need around the world. We all love to work with our hands and we love fabrics and yarns. Isn't it just like God to give us a love for these things and a ministry to serve Him and meet some dire and very basic needs?

In addition to the clothing, we also make the shoe bags that are used for First Blessing every year. It is already time to start getting fabric sorted and cut so the ladies can work on this year's bags. Also, one of our ladies is currently cutting out head dresses for the children to wear in VBS this year. They will be Israelites in several different tribes. How very exciting!

Here is what we were able to send out in 2022: 653 dresses, 54 shorts sets, 69 quilted flannel blankets, 119 afghans, 72 baby hats and 82 walker tote bags. We are hoping to do that much or more by the end of this year, Lord willing. In August, we will have an old-fashioned sewing bee and will also work on some special projects.

There are people that greatly bless and help us keep our ministry going. We receive monetary donations and donations of fabrics, yarn and sewing notions. We could not accomplish as much without this help and we are thankful to each and every one. September is our 8-year anniversary and two special ladies are still members that have been since

the beginning: Sue Stewart and Rita McFaddin.

We are always happy to welcome new stitchers to the group. Does this sound like something you can do and may want to be a part of? Come check us out!

## Come and See Class by Jay Stimson

In the first chapter of John's gospel, Philip told Nathanael he had found the Messiah. To Nathanael's skeptical reply, Philip said, "Come and see."

It is in that same spirit that we extend an invitation for you to come and seek Jesus with us on Sunday mornings at 9:45 in Room 212. We are a new, co-ed class that welcomes all ages, and especially those new to Kerrville or Trinity Baptist.

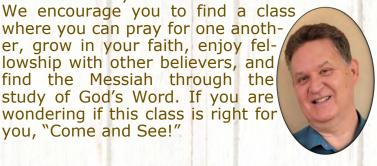
We use the Explore the Bible curriculum from Lifeway and look at scripture through its ancient cultural context to not only understand how scripture was applied when it was written, but how it applies in everyday life. The words spoken by Christ still resonate

today to seekers and His followers who are hungry to learn more about Him.

Teacher Jay Stimson and his wife Kandi moved to Kerrville from Castle Rock, Colorado in 2021, where they had been involved in SBC church planting. After settling in Kerrville, they found themselves at home in the fellowship at Trinity Baptist Church with like-minded Christ followers.

Trinity Baptist has many wonderful teachers and Bible Study classes from which to choose.

where you can pray for one another, grow in your faith, enjoy fellowship with other believers, and find the Messiah through the study of God's Word. If you are wondering if this class is right for you, "Come and See!"





**TBC Women's Ministry** SILK SCARF CRAFT EVENT

> with Candace Futch Saturday, June 24th

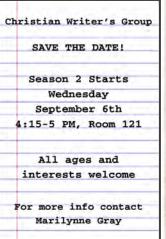
\$40 per Session

10:00-12 Noon or 2:00-4:00 in the Gym/FLC

\*\* Space is limited \*\*

Payment due with reservation in the church office



































# Meet Trinity's Summer Interns







Cailin Powell

We are thrilled to have two interns this summer: Ryia Neuman and Cailin Powell, who are both currently Trinity members! For this month, I asked Ryia to share a few words. Enjoy! Wes Henson

Hi! I'm Ryia Neuman. I am 9th generation from Kerrville, and Trinity has basically been my second home for about eleven years. Interning for Trinity has been something I've dreamed of doing for a couple of years now, and I am humbled and honored to be given the opportunity to serve as one of your summer interns this year!

I just graduated from high school and am filled with a strong sense and calling to ministry. Though the exact shape of this calling remains uncertain as of right now, I'm very interested to see what God will reveal over the next few months. I am looking forward to getting to work, as well as learn, alongside so many wonderful Jesus-loving people and getting to know my home church even better than I already do.

I am super excited to develop stronger and deeper relationships with the youth as well as the wonderful youth workers who have poured so much love and wisdom into my own life. It is an honor to walk alongside them. I am also looking forward to helping these students grow in their relationships with Christ. I am excited to watch the friendships among the students grow stronger during our time together at camp and throughout the summer. Above all, I am eager to watch and see how God works and uses this summer for His glory!

## Children's Ministry by Tres Parish

We are coming up on a fun, busy, and great summer. We start off with Vacation Bible School June 12 - 15th from 9am-noon. Come join us for an adventure in Babylon and explore Daniel's courage and captivity. Sign up at www.tbck.org and also email Kellee at kparish@tbck.org to help minister to kids.

Pre-Teen Camp is at Alto Frio July 24-27. This summer our theme is "Code Breakers". Pre-Teen Camp is for children who have completed 3rd through 5th grade. The cost is \$200 (a \$50 deposit and TBCK form reserves your spot). Jeremiah 33:3 is our theme verse for the week.

Children's Day Camp is August 4th for children who have completed 1st through 3rd grade. The theme is "Created by God" and the cost is \$25. The TBCK form and \$25 is needed to register.

Pizza, and Snowballs returns Parents, ultimate game of Parents vs Kids snowball fight on July 13 at 5:30pm. Children who have completed Kinder - 5th grade will enjoy this awesome time with their family. Childcare will be provided for the younger children. They can enjoy the pizza time before going to the children's area for their own fun time. Please let Paula know you'll be attending (RSVP) so we can have plenty of pizza.



#### Baby Dedications AND STATE



Barns Family



Parenteau Family



Reich Family

The Gore Family Not Pictured

### Disciple Kids

TRINITY Kids Ministry Wednesdays 6-7pm

Disciple Kids 3rd-5th Grade #104

Disciple Kids Jr. K - 2nd Grade # 151

Childcare - Babies-PK # 160

### PIZZA, PARENTS AND SNOWBALLS









#### God created you purpose



Adults can help by praying for us & donating Mini/Travel Size Combs, Baby Wipes, & Gallon Zip Lock Bags for VBS Missions











June 12-15 9am - Noon Completed Kinder-5th Grade Register on line www.tbck.org





Children's Day Out Tuesday/Thursday 9am-2pm

Trinity's Mothers Day Out (CDO) FALL REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

\$200 per month - One Time \$50 Supply Fee Contact Beth Ann Brown in the CDO Office 830-895-0100 babrown@tbck.org



#### a part of Trinity CDO

Our CDO Program is interviewing for teachers and substitutes for the Fall semester as we are growing.

We meet Tuesdays and Thursdays, August through May, ages 4 mos. to Pre-K.

If you would like to be a part of this wonderful ministry, please complete the employment application at www.tbck.org/employment

> Contact Kellee Parish or Beth Ann Brown at 830-895-0100 for a time to meet.

#### **Trinity Kids**



Pre Teen (3rd-5th) July 24-27 Alto Frio \$200/\$50



Children's Day Camp (1st-3rd) Alto Frio Aug 4/\$25

Deposit & TBC Form



# Month in Review-May







Genesis 1 Trip to Longhorn Caverns







# **Upcoming Events**





July 4 Church Office/Bldgs CLOSED July 5 Women's Bible Study Begins-10:00 July 6 Women's Bible Study Begins-6:30

July 6 Men's Bible Study Begins-10:00 July 6 TSM MS Leadership Trip-8:00

July 11 TSM Middle School Night-6:00

July 11 15M Middle School Night-6:00
July 13 Parents/Pizza/Snowballs-5:30

July 16-18 Texas Baptists' Family Gath.

July 16 Church Council by email

July 17-21 TSM Youth Camp

July 23 Family Gath/Member Mtg-4:00

July 24-27 Preteen Camp

Aug 4 Children's Day Camp

Aug 6 5th Grade Celebration (11:30) & Welcome Lunch (Noon)

Aug 13 Promotion Sunday (youth)

Aug 20 Church Council Mtg-4:00

Aug 23 Worship Choir starts back

Aug 27 Member Meeting-4:00

Aug 27 Christmas Music Preview Dinner-6:00

**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

CYP Navigate 7:00

Mondays:

Altar Flower Committee 9:00

Pickleball 10:00

Tuesdays:

K'ville West Home Group 5:30

Praise Team Rehearsal 6:00

Wednesdays:

Women's Bible Study 10am (Begins 7/5)

Pickleball Noon

Fellowship Meal 5:00 (Brown Bag)

Library Open 5:15

Mid-Week Bible Study 6:00

Adults-Family Life Center

(also streamed)

TSM Wednesdays-Refinery

Disciple Kids-Room 104

**Thursdays**:

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Men's Bible Study 10am (Begins 7/6) Women's Bible Study 6:30 (Begins 7/6)





June1-8 Dominican Republic Trip

June 5 Prime Time Game Day-11:00

June 5-6 Cowboy Camp Mtg

June 12-15 Vacation Bible School

June 16-17 TSM HS Girls/Boys Trip-11am

June 18 Church Council.by email

June 18 FATHER'S DAY

June 20 TSM Middle School Night-6:00

June 24 Silk Scarf Craft-8:00

June 25 Member Meeting-4:00