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Request Prayer • Report illness or hospitalization • Report the death of a loved one Schedule Baby Dedication • Schedule Pre-Marital Counseling To schedule a Wedding date, call 773-966-1500, Mailbox 2525.

#### - SUNDAY -

**Sunday Worship Services** 

7:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.

**Trinity Youth Hour** 9:30 a.m.

- WEDNESDAY -

11:30 a.m. - Midweek Manna Worship Service 6:00 p.m. - War Room Prayer Service 7:00 p.m. - Wednesday @ The Well

#### **CFABS Bible Study**

773-966-1507

For current schedule, visit www.trinitychicago.org

#### Radio Broadcast

WVON 1690 AM Sundays, 6:00 p.m.

#### **Church Hours**

Monday – CLOSED Tuesday – Friday 11:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Saturdays • 9:00 a.m. − 7:00 p.m. Sundays • 6:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

#### **Trinity United Church of Christ**

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**Media:** If visiting in an official media capacity, please be sure to check-in at our reception desk upon arrival.

**WiFi:** Trinity UCC offers Wifi for our members and visitors as a courtesy, so that they may participate in our worship services and ministry. User ID: trinity Password: guest

**Listening Assistance:** As we endeavor to maintain a sacred worship experience, please return listening devices following the Benediction. An Audio Technician is available in the sound room for 15 minutes following each service for the return of your device.

#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!

# **Order of Worship**

Call to Worship

Invocation

Ministry of Music

**Tithes and Offerings** 

Ministry of Music

**Bereavement Notes** 

Digital Altar Call

Sermonic Hymn

"Black-Asian Christian Solidarity"
Remarks from Dr. Gregory Lee

Invitation

Pastor's Closing Word

Benediction

# **Unison Scripture**

# John 17:20-23 (NIV)

<sup>20</sup>"My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, <sup>21</sup>that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me. <sup>22</sup>I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one — <sup>23</sup>I in them and you in me—so that they may be brought to complete unity. Then the world will know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.



# **Guest Speaker Bio**



**Gregory Lee** is Associate Professor Dr. of Theology and Urban Studies at Wheaton College, where he is also Senior Fellow for The Wheaton Center for Early Christian Studies. His work appropriates Augustine as a resource for addressing contemporary issues of church and society. A resident of the Lawndale neighborhood of Chicago, he is especially interested in urban questions of race and class. He also has a growing interest in Asian American theology. Dr. Lee teaches regularly for Wheaton in Chicago, he is theologian in residence at Lawndale Christian Community Church, and he served for several years as board chair of Manna Christian Fellowship, a campus ministry at Princeton University.

Watch the replay: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=798344307462494">https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=798344307462494</a>









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→ Mail your tithes and offerings to the church, 400 West 95th St., Chicago, IL 60628.



First Fruits/ACH: This option allows you to deduct directly from your bank account on a schedule of your choice (to sign up, call 773-962-5650 and speak to a Member and Guest Services Team member).



Access ACS/TrinityChicagoNet provides you with the ability to make one time offerings, or scheduled offerings (Go to www.trinitychicago.org, menu item: Connections).



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Text-to-Give through SecureGive – This is for targeted giving (Operation Share, Disaster Relief, etc.). Simply text to 855-781-8384 and enter the special offering (ExtraGift is active now) - ExtraGift \$\$ - you will then receive prompts to complete the transaction. Once set up, you will be able to text offerings with one step.

Beloved, I pray that all may go well with you and that you may be in good health, as it goes well with your soul. 3 John 1:2 ESV

It is has been a unique and peculiar year since we last gathered as a village. We have witnessed a pandemic, insurrection, election, and quarantine - all in the same year! We have witnessed homegoings of loved ones from our virtual perch and we now broadcast worship to protect ourselves from Covid-19. Who would have ever thought we would see all of this in one year? It has been a challenging year, yet God has seen us through. With all we have witnessed, by the grace of God, we have made to this point! We give God ALL the glory!

Monica and I miss you. We miss the fellowship, laughter, stories, and just being in your presence. We want to get back to church, but it is our responsibility to do it safely.

By now, you should have received a survey via our enewsletter. This survey is critical for our church to return to worship. We need important data from you about your practice of observing health and safety protocols. We need to find out what percentage of our population is most vulnerable to Covid-19 and what percentage has been vaccinated. The survey will not require your name, only honest answers, to give us the data to create the best plan to return to church. As your pastor, I ask you to complete the survey and encourage your family and friends to do the same. We are in the process of planning a SAFE return to in-house worship and we need your support. We want to see you in church. We want to fellowship with you. We want to give you a holy fist bump.

To complete the survey, click here: https://tinyurl.com/TrinityReopening. You may also request a physical survey by calling the church, 773-962-5650.

May God bless you during this season of transition and let us prepare for a safe return to worship.

Pastor Moss

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- Applications accepted NOW through Wednesday, May 13, 2021
- All scholarship applicants must be a member of Trinity UCC
- . To apply for a scholarship or for scholarship renewals, visit www.trinitychicago.org/scholarships
- Scholarship application DEADLINE is Wednesday, May 13, 2021
- For information and scholarship eligibility requirements, visit the Trinity UCC Scholarship page: www.trinitychicago.org/scholarships or send an email to applications@trinitychicago.org
- Members are encouraged to participate in the Graduate Recognition Ceremony even if they
  aren't applying for a scholarship. Please submit a completed Graduate Recognition Form along
  with a photograph in JPEG format to applications@trinitychicago.org
  by Wednesday May 12, 2021.



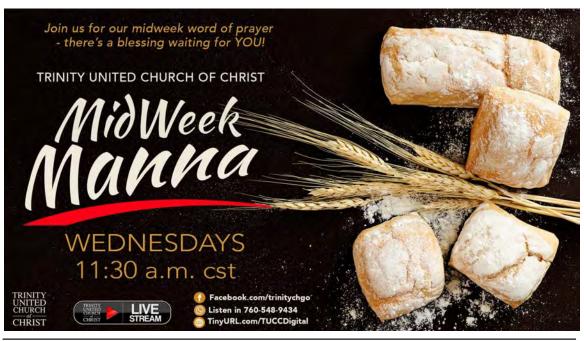


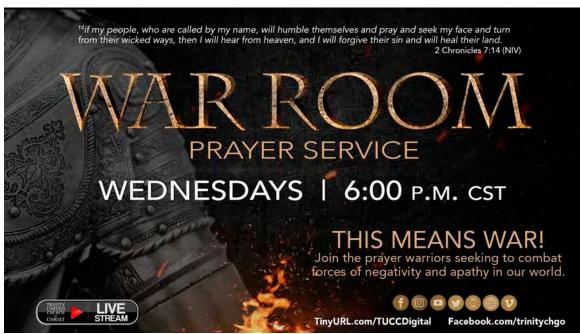
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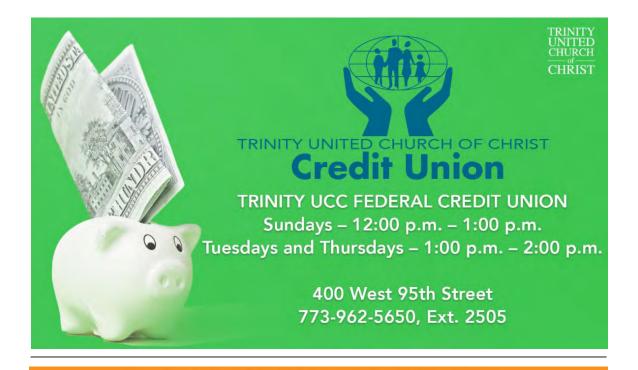


Join Pastor Moss for his monthly Divine Imagination telephone message, 11:55 a.m., **Thursday**, **May 13, 2021.** 

Dial 712-775-7031, enter passcode 634787; press the "#" key.







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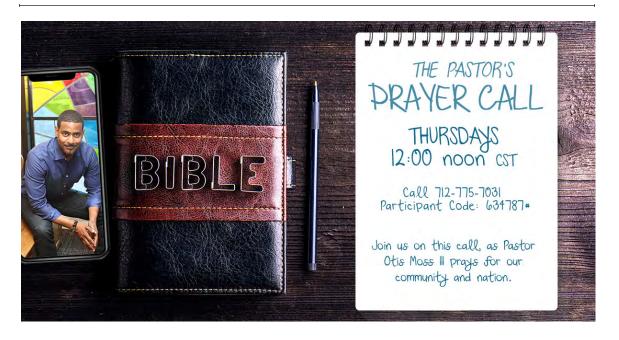
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# **Service & Support Groups**

#### Alama Ya Sali

(Sign Language Interpreters Ministry) 773-966-1500, Mailbox 2305 alamayasali@trinitychicago.org

### **Blaine DeNye Library**

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2205 TUES and THURS 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. SATURDAY 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

# Can-Cer-Vive Helpline

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2308

# Career Development Ministry

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2309 careerdevelop@trinitychicago.org

### **Counseling Ministry**

(773) 966-1500, Mailbox 2315

#### **Credit Union**

(773) 966 - 1505 (773) 723 - 8382 (fax) TUES & THURS: 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. SUNDAY After 7:30 & 11:00 a.m. Services

# Domestic Violence Ministry Confidential Helpline

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2317

### Drug & Alcohol Recovery Ministry

Tough Love / Free "N" One (773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2319

#### The Endeleo Institute

(773) 966-1508 MON – THURS 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. FRIDAY 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

# **Endowment Committee/ Planters Society**

773-966-1500, Mailbox 2379 Endowment@trinitychicago.org

# Financial Counseling Consortium

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2378

# George Washington Carver Garden

TUES-THURS-SAT 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

### **Healing Ministry**

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2325

# **HIV/AIDS Support Ministry**

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2327

### **Housing Ministry**

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2329

# Immabasi Health & Wellness Ministry

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2332

### **Immabasi Support Groups:**

Diabetes (773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2374 Family Caregivers (773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2375 Lupus Support Ministry (773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2342

# Kujichagulia Special Citizens Support Ministry

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2344

### **Legal Clinic**

773-966-1500 Mailbox 2339 legal@trinitychicago.org 1st & 3rd SATURDAYS 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Walk-ins Welcome

#### **Math Tutorial**

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2338

### **Prison Ministry**

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2354

### Trinity Computer Learning Center

(773) 966 - 1500, Mailbox 2333





#### **COMMUNITY EVENT**

YWCA Metropolitan Chicago Sexual Violence Support Services Program 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual "Stop the Stigma Virtual 5k Run/Walk/Pedal," Friday, April 23 – Friday, April 30, Information, email Colleen Zavodny, <u>colleen.zavodny@ywcachicago.org</u> or to register, visit <u>www.givesignup.org/stopthesigma</u>



#### A YEAR OF SERVICE



### **JANUARY**

Matthew 25:21

His master replied, 'Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master's happiness!'

### **FEBRUARY**

Titus 3:14 (NIV)

Our people must learn to devote themselves to doing what is good, in order to provide for urgent needs and not live unproductive lives.

### **MARCH**

Proverbs 4:7 (ESV)

The beginning of wisdom is this: Get wisdom, and whatever you get, get insight

### **APRIL**

Matthew 6:33

But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

### MAY

1 Peter 4:10

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.

### JUNE

Mark 8:36 (ESV)

For what does it profit a man to gain the whole world and forfeit his soul?

# Trinity United Church of Christ **2021 Churchwide Theme**

### JULY

Proverbs 21:5 (ESV)

The plans of the diligent lead surely to abundance, but everyone who is hasty comes only to poverty.

### **AUGUST**

Proverbs 10:4

Lazy hands make for poverty, but diligent hands bring wealth.

### Proverbs 20:4 (NIV)

Sluggards do not plow in season; so at harvest time they look but find nothing.

### **SEPTEMBER**

Proverbs 14:23 (ESV)

In all toil there is profit, but mere talk tends only to poverty.

### Proverbs 23:4 (ESV)

Do not toil to acquire wealth; be discerning enough to desist

### **OCTOBER**

Colossians 3:23-24 (ESV)

Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.

# **NOVEMBER**

Matthew 7:12 (ESV)

So whatever you wish that others would do to you, do also to them, for this is the Law and the Prophets.

# **DECEMBER**

Jeremiah 29:11-13 (NIV)

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart."



FRIDAY, MAY 14TH 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 400 W. 95<sup>TH</sup> STREET, CHICAGO

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