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Happy
Mother's Day



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Call the Church Office, 773-966-1500, Mailbox 2535 to:

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.

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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!

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Order of Worship

Opening Song

Call to Worship

Invocation

Ministry of Music

Tithes and Offerings

Ministry of Music

Bereavement Notes

Digital Altar Call

Sermonic Hymn

Sermon: *“God’s About to Make You Laugh”*

Invitation

Pastor’s Closing Word

Benediction

Genesis 18:9-15 (NIV)

⁹“Where is your wife Sarah?” they asked him.

“There, in the tent,” he said.

¹⁰Then one of them said, “I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah your wife will have a son.”

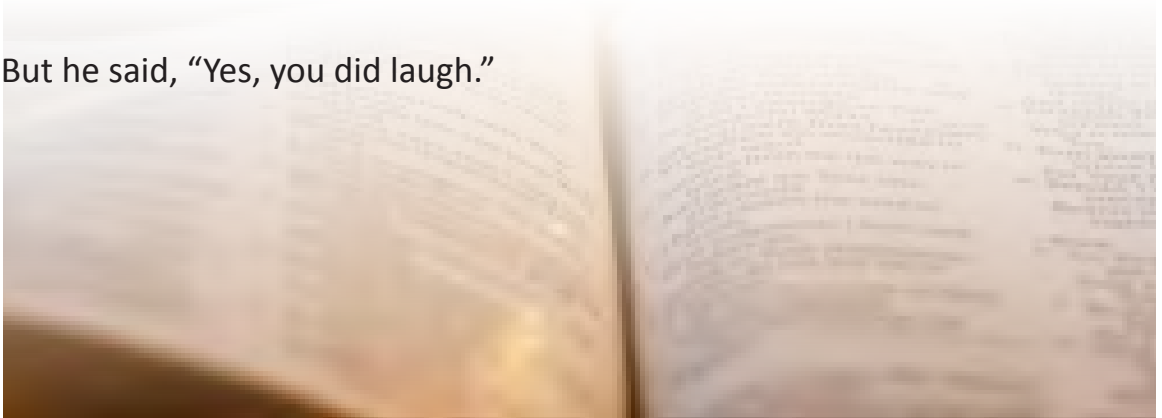
Now Sarah was listening at the entrance to the tent, which was behind him.

¹¹Abraham and Sarah were already very old, and Sarah was past the age of childbearing. ¹²So Sarah laughed to herself as she thought, “After I am worn out and my lord is old, will I now have this pleasure?”

¹³Then the Lord said to Abraham, “Why did Sarah laugh and say, ‘Will I really have a child, now that I am old?’ ¹⁴Is anything too hard for the Lord? I will return to you at the appointed time next year, and Sarah will have a son.”

¹⁵Sarah was afraid, so she lied and said, “I did not laugh.”

But he said, “Yes, you did laugh.”



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TRINITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

TRINITY YOUTH HOUR

SUNDAYS • 9:30 A.M. CST

JOIN US FOR AN EXCITING VIRTUAL WORSHIP SERVICE CREATED TO TEACH YOUTH OF ALL AGES VIA SERMONS, MUSIC, PUPPETS, BOOK READINGS, ETC., TO GROW IN THEIR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD AND SERVE CHRIST.

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→ Cash App (New) Download the Cash App mobile app from the Apple App Store or Google Play and follow the instructions to set up giving directly from your bank account. Our Cash App ID is \$trinityucc



→ Drop off your tithes/offerings to the church on Tuesdays and Thursdays between the hours of 12:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m.



→ 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).



→ SecureGive provides mobile giving access from within the Trinity UCC Mobile App. Download the mobile app from the Apple App Store or Google Play.



→ 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.

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THE GREATER CHICAGO FOOD DEPOSITORY
in partnership with
Trinity United Church of Christ
and The Food Justice Coalition

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FOOD JUSTICE
COALITION

**FOOD POP UP
DEPOSITORY**

Food distribution is issued
FIRST COME-FIRST SERVED

FRIDAY, MAY 14TH
9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.
(Food Distribution, 2ND Fridays, 9am - Noon, through September)

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
400 W. 95TH STREET, CHICAGO

PLEASE NOTE: Walk-ups, please bring your own cart/wagon to carry your food.
Remember to wear your masks and practice social distancing for your health and
safety. For more information, call Trinity UCC at (773) 962-5650.

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CENTER FOR AFRICAN BIBLICAL STUDIES PRESENTS

SPRING & SUMMER *Bible Study*

By your words I can see where I'm going; they throw a beam of light on my dark path.

Psalm 119:105 MSG

WHAT MATTERS MOST

Tuesdays, 6pm – 7pm (May 4 – 25), Rev. Jasmin Taylor

THE TRUTH ABOUT THE CHURCH

(Wednesday@TheWell) 7pm (May 5 – June 9), Rev. Dr. Otis Moss III

THIS JOY I HAVE

Thursdays, 7pm (May 13 – 27), Rev. Tyrone McGowan

BIBLICAL OUTREACH FOR A COMMUNITY IN CRISIS: PART ONE

Thursdays, 7pm (June 10 – 24; July 1), Rev. Dr. Mark Barclay

PRAYING WITH THE PSALMS

Thursdays, 1pm – 2pm (June 3 – 17), Rev. Michael D. Jacobs

UNDERSTANDING & NAVIGATING THE BOOK OF REVELATION: HOW TO LIVE, SURVIVE, AND THRIVE DURING APOCALYPTIC TIMES

Tuesdays, 6pm, (June 1 – 29), Rev. Calvin Jones

HEALTH & WELLNESS: 40 DAYS OF DEEPER PRAISE & INTENTIONAL LIVING

Tuesdays, 6pm – 7pm (July 6 – 27; August 3 – 10), Rev. Regena Glenn-Caldwell

TOO BLESSED TO BE STRESSED?

Tuesdays, 11:30am – 12:30pm (July 6 – 27), Rev. Rochelle Michael

REGISTER: <https://tinyurl.com/TUCC2021SpringSummerBibleClass>

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TRINITY UCC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED!

- Applications accepted **NOW** through **Wednesday, May 12, 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 12, 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**.

**SCHOLARSHIP
SUNDAY** *is*
JUNE 13, 2021

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**AFRICA
DAY
2021**

**SINCE 1963 AFRICANS COMMEMORATE AFRICA DAY!
ON THE CONTINENT AND IN DIASPORA
2021 THEME: ARTS, CULTURE, AND HERITAGE:
LEVERS FOR BUILDING THE AFRICA WE WANT**

**PanAfricanism: people of African descent around the globe united
in our common interest and struggle for
justice and freedom.**

**PLAN TO CELEBRATE AFRICA DAY WITH THE AFRICA MINISTRY
SUNDAY, MAY 23, 2021 2:30PM CDT**

JUNETEENTH 2021 IS COMING

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Join us for our midweek word of prayer
- there's a blessing waiting for YOU!

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MidWeek Manna

WEDNESDAYS
11:30 a.m. cst

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TinyURL.com/TUCCDigital



¹⁴if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.
2 Chronicles 7:14 (NIV)

WAR ROOM PRAYER SERVICE

WEDNESDAYS | 6:00 P.M. CST

THIS MEANS WAR!

Join the prayer warriors seeking to combat
forces of negativity and apathy in our world.



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Credit Union

TRINITY UCC FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

Sundays – 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Tuesdays and Thursdays – 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

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It's that time again. The days are growing longer and gun violence continues to be a challenge throughout Chicago. Please join us, as we continue to partner with our community and stand up for our children.

For more information, contact Rev. Dr. Mark Barclay,
773-966-1564 or msbarclay@trinitychicago.org.





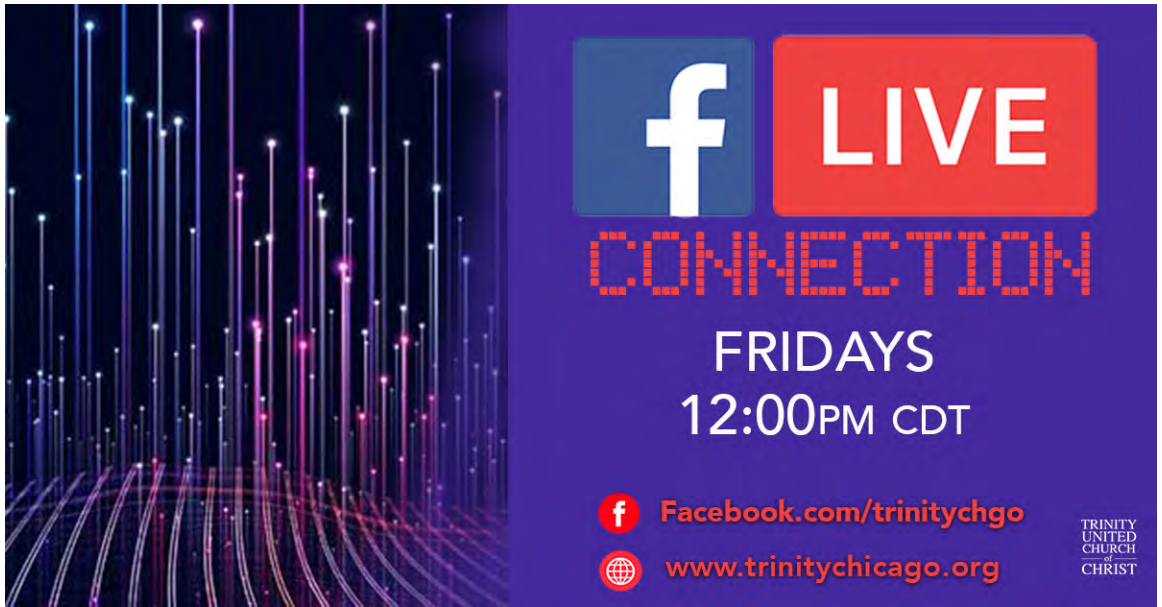
**Free N One Drug and
Alcohol Recovery Ministry
FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE Zoom Meeting
Every Friday | 7pm - 8:30pm**

If you are in Recovery from any
mind altering Drugs or Alcohol
Please Join Us!

Register at:
tinyurl.com/TUCCFreeNOne

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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 Endealeo 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

**Members and Friends
can now make gifts to
Trinity UCC using**



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Community Announcements



Howard Brown Health and Meridian Health

Covid Vaccines for ages 18 and over

Saturday, May 15, 2021

8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Salvation Army Red Shield Center

945 W. 69th Street, Chicago, IL

Appointments preferred, walk-ins welcome before 3:00 p.m.,

Information and appointment, visit

<https://hbm-covid-vaccine.as.me/MeridianHealth>





DIAL 1-760-548-9434 TO HEAR WORSHIP SERVICE

If you can't join worship by live stream, we now have another option! You can also join and hear our worship services by dialing 1-760-548-9434.

**Hear the GOOD NEWS on the
Trinity UCC Worship Line!**



DIVINE IMAGINATION CALL



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.

A YEAR OF SERVICE



THE GODLY GRIND

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."

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THE TRUTH ABOUT THE CHURCH

BIBLE STUDY CLASS

WEDNESDAYS, MAY 5 – JUNE 9, 2021 | 7PM

Explore of the "Truth About the Church" as Pastor Moss utilizes the book of Acts to draw us to Jesus' calling on our lives.

Learn how we, as a faithful people, can prepare ourselves in "the fight against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age . . ." (Ephesians 6:12 NRSV)

Discover what it means to be a church and the role faith plays in our lives. You are more than a member, you are a movement!"

TO REGISTER: <https://tinyurl.com/TruthAboutTheChurchBibleClass>



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Wednesday
The Well
Experience The Outpouring