

Trinity Day Camp

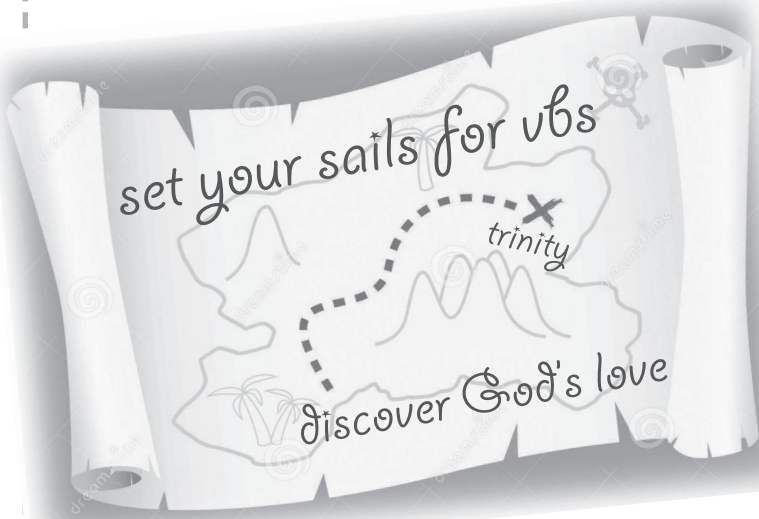
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Summer at Trinity is filled each week with different activities for kids. From art camp to day camp, there are camps scheduled from June - August. See inside on page 3 for more details on upcoming activities, there is still time to sign up!

## son treasure island

### Vacation Bible School July 21-24



Questions? Please email Carrie Carter at [carriercarter@bellsouth.net](mailto:carriercarter@bellsouth.net)

**Don't miss Trinity's VBS adventure...come to Son Treasure Island and discover God's love!**

VBS is for children who have completed 3K-2nd grade. It will be held July 21-24 from 9 AM - 12 Noon.

**Please register your children by JULY 6**  
**to be guaranteed a Son Treasure Island t-shirt!**

We look forward to spending four fun-filled days learning about God's love. To register your children and to sign up to volunteer, log on to:

[www.trinitybirmingham.com/kids/vbs-child-registration/](http://www.trinitybirmingham.com/kids/vbs-child-registration/)



**SUNDAY, JUNE 29, 2014**

8:45 & 11:00 AM • Sanctuary

*The 8:45 AM worship service is broadcast via 15-minute delay from 9-10 AM Sundays on WAPI-1070 AM.*

**SERMON**

Rev. Brian Erickson

**MUSIC**

8:45 & 11:00 AM

Sanctuary Choir,  
Trinity Orchestra - Dr. William Somerall,  
Guest Conductor

**MINISTER ON CALL**

Bobby Scales, 746-4547



8:45 & 11:00 AM

WESLEY HALL, Rev. Nathan Carden

**JUNE 22 - ATTENDANCE**

1,325 • Total Worship Attendance  
956 • Traditional | 369 • Contact  
614 • Sunday School

**PERSONAL WORD**

In a sermon entitled “How Far Can we See?” James Harnish of Tampa, Florida, tells the story of the Christians who built the Cathedral Church in Seville, Spain. Before they began construction in 1401, they wrote a resolution, and signed it, as a statement to their dream and vision in building that church. The resolution read: “Let us build a church here so great that those who come after us will think us mad to ever have dreamed it.”

It is good for us to reflect every now and then on what kind of church we are willing to build here. I am not thinking in terms of a building – but the church as the body of Christ. How far can we see? What is God’s vision for us?

We have tried to put that vision into our mission statement. Hopefully you know it by heart: To GLORIFY God; as we GATHER people to Christ; GROW people in Christ; GO to serve Christ. Each one of those words is important to what we believe the church is called to be and do. We are called to make disciples for the transformation of the world.

A few years back, we took about 35 students on the SOS mission trip to Memphis. Who would have ever dreamed that this year that number will be 150? My first summer here there were maybe 75 children in VBS; this year that number will be close to 400. A decade ago we could not pay our share of the Conference ministry – last year 26% of our total giving went to mission and ministry beyond our walls.

Over the past months, we have held funerals for several of those people who led this church for generations. In their time, they dreamed big! One of those was Katherine Duffey, who was the first woman to chair our Administrative Board. In a piece she wrote for Homecoming in 1996, Katherine said:

“For 45 years at Trinity, I have done things my way, but a few months ago I suddenly realized I will soon be 76 and now there is a three generation gap here. Friends, things are going to change at Trinity, and I will change with it so Trinity can remain the “Body of Christ,” which is being a Bible centered, evangelistic, prayerful, caring, tithing, and missionary-minded church.”

At 76, Katherine was still dreaming – and continued to do so. Last year, at 95 years of age, she wrote a check to pay for the Bibles we presented to our third graders. Her focus was always on the future.

My prayer is that we can see as far as she did!

**INFORMATION FOR GUESTS & NEW MEMBERS**

**Welcome to Trinity United Methodist Church!**

Our mission is to *Gather* people to Christ, *Grow* people in Christ, *Go* to serve Christ in the world and *Glorify* Christ.

Sunday Worship Opportunities:

- 8:45 & 11:00 AM – TRADITIONAL services in the sanctuary, offering same sermon and a variety of music.
- 8:45 & 11:00 AM – CONTACT – a relaxed, informal, service in Wesley Hall featuring music from the CONTACT Band, children are encouraged to attend.

- 10:00 AM – Sunday School – Ages 2 yrs. and up.
- Nursery is provided during all services.

**Interested in Membership?**

Please join us the first Sunday of every month in the large parlor for “Coffee with the Pastor.” This is a time to meet the pastoral staff, ask questions and learn more about the core values and mission of Trinity. We also encourage you to attend “Membership 101,” a basic orientation prior to joining Trinity. It is offered on the second Sunday of each month. Questions? Contact Karen Smith at [ksmith@trinitybirmingham.com](mailto:ksmith@trinitybirmingham.com) or 879-1737.

- Andrew Wolfe - Senior Minister
- Brian Erickson - Senior Minister Designate
- Nathan Carden - Minister of Outreach, Contact
- Suzanne Pruitt - Minister of Christian Formation
- Bobby Scales - Minister of Pastoral Care
- David Thompson - Minister of Students

- Church Office: 879-1737 / Fax: 868-9714
- Care Line: 868-9709
- Child Development Center: 879-1749

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

### New Staff Announcements

#### Jeanne Baswell, *Dir. of Preschool Ministry*



Jeanne Baswell will assume the role of Director of Preschool Ministry. She has been Trinity's Assistant Director of Children's Ministry for 6 years working with Linda Whatley who retired last month. Jeanne grew up in Southside, AL attending Southside UMC. She was involved in Camp Sumatanga, as a young

camper and as a summer camp team member. Jeanne graduated from Birmingham-Southern College in 2000. While at BSC, she worked for the youth ministry department in the North Alabama Conference office. Jeanne and her husband Eric are parents to 2 children, Baker (6) and Ellen (3).

"I am excited to welcome Eleanor Christiansen to Trinity's Children's Ministry team" Jeanne says. "Together we will have new opportunities to help grow Trinity's children into disciples of Christ."

#### Eleanor Christiansen, *Dir. of Elementary Ministry*



Eleanor Christiansen grew up in North Alabama, attending FUMC Florence, Camp Sumatanga, and Birmingham-Southern College. She attended Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, a United Methodist Seminary on Northwestern's campus, earning her Masters of Divinity in 2000. At Garrett, she met and married Tyler. In

2007, they moved to Tyler's home state of Minnesota where he took an appointment at Lake Harriet UMC. Eleanor joined this staff in 2008 as the Director of Children's and Family Ministries. She feels like this role unites her call to serve the church, teach the Bible, and explore ways of fostering faith in children (and she thinks it is a lot of fun!). Tyler and Eleanor are parents to 2 children, Greta (7) and Wes (4). Tyler will be serving as an Associate Pastor at Riverchase UMC. Eleanor will join our staff in mid-late August.

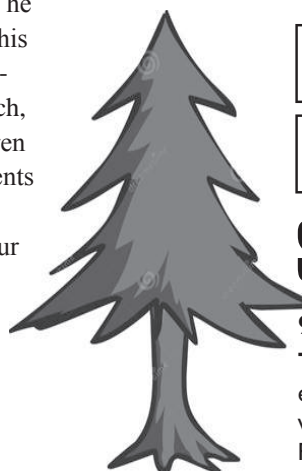
## Summer Kids Camps & Activities

Questions about camps or summer dates? Contact Children's Ministry at 879-1737 or [jbaswell@trinitybirmingham.com](mailto:jbaswell@trinitybirmingham.com).

<b>Sumatanga Sleepover:</b>	July 12-13
<b>Daddy Day Camp:</b>	July 19
<b>Vacation Bible School:</b>	July 21-24
<b>Art Camps:</b>	July 28-Aug 1 & Aug 4-8
<b>Basketball Camps:</b>	July 28-Aug 1
<b>Venture:</b>	August 4-6

To register, visit:

[www.trinitybirmingham.com/kids/summer-programs/](http://www.trinitybirmingham.com/kids/summer-programs/)



## Daddy Day Camp

### Saturday, July 19

9 AM - 5 PM (Completed 5K-3rd grade) \$35

This one day event provides Trinity kids a chance to experience Camp Sumatanga and anticipate summer camp when they are older, while having fun with Dad.

For more info, contact Jeanne Baswell at 879-1737.

An outdoor experience for young children and their dads at Camp Sumatanga!

**REGISTER NOW!** [www.trinitybirmingham.com/kids/summer-programs/](http://www.trinitybirmingham.com/kids/summer-programs/)

# GIFTS TO GLORIFY GOD & TO REMEMBER THOSE WE LOVE

## HONORARIUMS

May 19-June 19, 2014

ALDRSGATE SUNDAY  
SCHOOL CLASS  
The family of Dixon Aldridge

NORMA ALDRIDGE  
Bob & Mamie McCrary

SCOTT BROOKS  
Gwen Williams

ANN BROWNING  
Drew, Vaughan & Sam Holland

MARTHA DAVIES  
The Trinity Singers

CONNIE DORAN  
Trinity Singers

NANCY FERREN  
Anna Kramer

CHILDREN'S HANDBELLS  
Carolyn Johnson

JODI HASKINS  
Gwen Williams

COURTNEY HEATH  
Ted & Marcia Steedman

BARBARA MORGAN  
The Trinity Singers

LEEN MURAD  
Drew, Vaughan & Sam Holland

JOHN & FRANCES PETERSON  
Jim & Martha Martin

SONNY & PATTI PETERSON  
Jim & Martha Martin

ABBEY PRUTZMAN  
Anna Kramer

AVERY KIRKLAND REAMEY  
Bill & Becky Hutto

ROSE SHRESTHA  
Drew, Vaughan and Sam Holland

BARRY SMITH  
Ted & Marcia Steedman

The TRINITY CHURCH FAMILY  
The family of Dixon Aldridge

TRINITY'S JOSEPH MINISTRY  
The family of Dixon Aldridge

ANNA UNDERWOOD  
Gwen Williams

LINDA WHATLEY  
Janie Mashburn  
Jennifer Brandt  
Ginger Trawick  
Chris & Kim Yarboro  
Tim & Belinda Lacey  
Peggy Molleson

BECKY YOUNG  
Roger & Amy Jackson

## MEMORIALS May 19-June 19, 2014

DIXON ALDRIDGE  
Trinity UMC  
Ted and Donna Roose  
John L. Sims  
Larry & Suzy Johnson  
Elizabeth Davis  
Pat & Carol Westbrook  
Malcolm & Gail Youngblood  
Ken & Ann Damsgard  
Aldersgate Class  
Mike & Cammie Quinn  
Joe & Amy Lewis  
Sarah Baker  
Jim & Debbie Fly  
Mary Ross & Ross Bullwinkel  
Cynthia Barnes  
Connie Barnett  
Ginger Trawick  
Carole McIntyre  
Jo Ann Brazelton  
Buzz & Ellen Barrett  
Barbara Morgan  
Tamalyn Butcke  
Sally Montgomery  
Betty Winches  
Patrick Chappell  
Noel Faciane  
Pamela White  
Bill & Gayle Arnold  
Claire Love  
Al & Pat Berst  
Ann Neptune  
Larry & Jane Weygand  
Friendship Class  
Steve & Daphne Legg  
Paul & Kathy Spangler  
Louise Westbrook  
Bill & Becky Hutto  
Betty B. Johnson  
Trinity Singers  
Bill & Myrnie Driskill  
Betty Bell  
Chris & Mary Kramer  
The Ralph Lane Family  
Les & Carolyn Stricklin  
Jerry & Jane Smith  
Janie Mashburn  
Tim & Cel Bailey  
Duane & Terrie Shroyer  
Carolyn Johnson  
Rip & Norma Harmon  
Jim & Martha Martin  
Billy & Martha Ann Ware

Tom & Marion Wilson  
Ben & Dawn Gibson  
Tim & Belinda Lacey  
Mimi Cook  
Floyd Hendrix  
Jim & Norma Rice  
Terry & Dimerous Hatcher  
Jack & Judy Stevens  
Glynn & Annie Ford Wheeler  
Amy Broeseker  
Joe & Lynell Bolen  
Inez Honeycutt  
Tyrone Colley  
Aline Anderson  
Eleanor Berry  
Ernie & Juliana Mills  
Shirley Metz Bryce  
Mary Della Moss  
Fred & Van Moss  
Ron Moss  
Jerome & Lucy Michel  
Rich & Elizabeth Myers  
Bob & Mamie McCrary  
Bobby & Mindy Boyce  
Charles & Mary Dunham  
Tim & Nancy Barber  
Annis McCrary  
Tom & Julie Gibbings  
Nancy Walburn  
Karl & Margaret Reed  
Donnette Lurie  
Ann Morris Smith  
Brooks & Merry Lynne Johnston  
Becky Young  
Ted & Jane Hagler  
Josh & Mary Parker  
Lillian Brunson  
Lewis & Margaret Williams  
Jim & Lynn Burgess  
Martha Click  
Peggy Molleson  
Bruce & Kelly Gilliland  
Donna & Wesley Johnson  
Dan & Nancy Hill  
Ray Goodwin  
Nathan Smith  
Fred & Debby Holmes  
Floyd & Sue Hair  
Eric & Stephanie Harvill  
Trinity's UMW

JUDGE SAM BEATTY  
Trinity UMC  
Sarah Baker  
Joe & Amy Lewis  
Floyd & Sue Hair  
Ken & Ann Damsgard  
Larry & Suzy Johnson  
Trinity Singers  
Jennifer Brandt  
Carole F. McIntyre  
Jo Ann Brazelton  
Bill & Becky Hutto  
Betty B. Johnson  
Jerry & Jane Smith  
Billy & Martha Ann Ware  
Jim & Norma Rice

Glenn & Annie Ford Wheeler  
Thomas W. Christian  
Ernie & Juliana Mills  
Sharp & Louise Gilespy  
Evelyn Norris  
Peggy Molleson  
Cartwright Discussion Group

MARY BOYCE  
Tom & Donna Himes  
Floyd & Sue Hair  
Mark & Lisa Elliott  
Jennifer Brandt  
Buzz & Ellen Barrett  
Chris & Kim Yarboro  
Les & Carolyn Stricklin  
Jerry & Jane Smith  
Tim & Cel Bailey  
Jim & Norma Rice  
Mike & Bonnie Battle  
Dan & Nancy Hill  
Trinity's UMW

PAULINE CAMPBELL  
Trinity's UMW

EULETTE CARTER  
Trinity's UMW

JULIA CARTER  
Trinity UMC  
UMW - Circle 6  
Ken & Jean Deal  
Betty B. Johnson  
Ann Neptune  
Bill & Becky Hutto  
Friendship Class  
Sarah Baker

BILL CARY  
Trinity's UMW

HAROLD CHORON  
Jennifer Brandt

MARGARET DALE  
Trinity's UMW

MARTHA DAVIES  
Trinity UMC

KATHERINE DUFFEY  
Trinity UMC  
Friendship Class  
Abe & Jessie Schniper  
Connie Barnett  
Joseph Bynum  
Bill & Becky Hutto  
Ann Neptune  
Maurice Neptune  
Bruce and Kelly Gilliland  
Betty B. Johnson  
Suzanne Larson  
Katherine Hugin  
Claire Love  
UMW - Circle 7  
Frank & Kay Carter  
Sarah Baker

## CONTINUED

Jones & Kirkpatrick, PC  
Trinity's UMW  
Nancy J. Thomas  
Susan M. Sparkman  
Mary Wimberly  
Col. & Mrs. Russell J. Suther

EVELYNNE DUPUY  
Buzz & Ellen Barrett  
Sheryl Dupuy Folds

HAROLD FLETCHER  
Joe & Lynell Bolen  
Jennifer Brandt  
Tim & Cel Bailey

TOM HUNT  
Bill & Gayle Arnold

JIM LIMBAUGH  
Betty Johnson  
Floyd & Sue Hair  
Bill & Becky Hutto  
Ken & Ann Damsgard  
Tim & Cel Bailey  
The Koinonia Class

LOUIE LOVE  
Trinity's UMW

NANCY SMITH  
Gary & Dona Green  
Chris & Kim Yarboro  
Jerry & Jane Smith  
Dan & Nancy Hill  
Trinity's UMW

DAN SUMMERS  
Bill & Becky Hutto  
Nancy Flurry  
The Aldersgate Class

JACKIE THOMPSON  
Trinity's UMW

OPAL VINES  
Duane & Terrie Shroyer  
Bill & Becky Hutto  
Mark & Lisa Elliott  
Jennifer Brandt  
Gary & Dona Green  
Ken & Ann Damsgard  
John Wesley Bible Class  
Les & Carolyn Stricklin  
Tim & Cel Bailey  
Billy & Lori Higginbotham  
Dean & Donna Burgess

BUDDY WADE  
Tim & Cel Bailey

JOSEPH WESTERBURG  
Ken & Ann Damsgard  
Mitch & Leigh Moore  
Bill & Becky Hutto  
Gary & Dona Green  
John Wesley Bible Class  
Billy & Lori Higginbotham  
Dean & Donna Burgess



### Here is what is happening at Element this week:

**LUNCH CLUB** meets Tuesday from 11-2pm. At 11:15 we will load up buses and get food from local fast food places and bring the food back to Trinity for fun and fellowship. This is an easy and fun way to get your student out of the house during the summer. Students need to bring \$5-10 for lunch.

**OPEN GYM** - We will now be having "Open Gym" from 1-3 PM on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. This is a great opportunity for your student to get out of the house, have some fun and get to know our staff better. We hope your student can join us one afternoon!

**HIGH SCHOOL DISCOVERY WEEKEND** – Registration is open! High School Discovery is August 16 & 17 and will be amazing. To register and learn more about the weekend please visit our website at [www.highschooldiscovery.com](http://www.highschooldiscovery.com). We want EVERY high school student to take part in this life changing weekend.

**SOS INFORMATIONAL MEETING** – There will be an informational parent meeting for our SOS mission trip on June 25 at 5:30pm in the Haven. This will be a meeting for those that might have any questions about this mission trip. If you are not able to attend please let Robert Sturdivant know ([rsturdivant@trinitybirmingham.com](mailto:rsturdivant@trinitybirmingham.com)) and we will get the necessary information to you.

**ARM** – (ARM Middle school mission trip) There will be an informational parent meeting for this trip on June 25th at 6pm in the Haven. This is a very important meeting we want everyone to attend. If you are not able to attend please let David Hayes know ([dhayes@trinitybirmingham.com](mailto:dhayes@trinitybirmingham.com)) and we will get the necessary information to you.

As always, if there is anything that we can be doing to better support your student or family please let us know.

In Christ,  
Robert Sturdivant  
[rsturdivant@trinitybirmingham.com](mailto:rsturdivant@trinitybirmingham.com)



**TRINITY MEN  
& the Birmingham Barons...**

**Fun for the whole family!**

**Join us for these games:**

**JULY - Saturday 7/19 - 6:30 pm**

**AUGUST - Sunday 8/17 - 6:00 pm**

Email [prestonwfoy@gmail.com](mailto:prestonwfoy@gmail.com)  
Reservations required 3 days  
prior to game day.

## PACESETTERS

### WATCH FOR INFORMATION ON THE YELLOW DOT PROGRAM.

We will have materials available at the JUNE PACESETTERS program to sign up. Sheriff Mike Hale says: "In my thirty years in law enforcement I have not seen as simple and functional of a program for the citizens of Jefferson Count as the YELLOW DOT. Please understand that the time you invest in this program may help save your life when seconds count. Help the first responders help you by signing up and taking part in this great program."

### • JUNE 25 - RICKWOOD CLASSIC

The 19th Annual RICKWOOD CLASSIC will be June 25 at historic RICKWOOD field. Celebrating the "Roaring Twenties," the contest will showcase the Birmingham Barons against the Mississippi Braves. Former Cy Young award winner and Major League All-Star Dwight Gooden will be in attendance as guest of honor. Van will leave Trinity at 11:30 AM. Cost \$10 per person.

### SAVE THE DATES FOR FUTURE EVENTS:

- **JULY 10, 7 PM** - An Evening with the Gaither Vocal Band at the Wright Center at Samford. Artist Circle Tickets, \$36.50.
- **JULY 30, 11:30 AM** - Trip to the McWane Center to view the Jerusalem IMAX movie.

KITCHEN CLOSED IN JULY - NO SENIORS LUNCH ON TUESDAYS

For more information on any Senior event, contact Amy Lewis at 879-1737 or email [alewis@trinitybirmingham.com](mailto:alewis@trinitybirmingham.com).

**June 15th - July 6th  
Wesley Hall  
8:45am & 11am**



### Staff Position Available

**A part-time Educational Assistant** is needed to work with small group ministry.

Person must be highly organized, work well as a team member, enthusiastic about spiritual formation with general computer proficiency and familiarity with Microsoft office suite. Send resumes to [spruitt@trinitybirmingham.com](mailto:spruitt@trinitybirmingham.com).

### UNCLAIMED 8X10 PHOTOS

**Did you have your photo taken for the last directory?**

**LifeTouch complimentary 8X10 PHOTOS are available for pick up at the Welcome Center in the narthex on Sunday mornings.**

## HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS THIS WEEK

### Sunday - June 29

8:45 AM Traditional Worship - SANC  
 8:45 AM Contact Worship - WHALL  
 10:00 AM Sunday School - various  
 10:00 AM Short Term Studies - various  
 11:00 AM Traditional Worship - SANC  
 11:00 AM Contact Worship - WHALL  
 8:00 PM Men's Basketball - GYM

### Monday - June 30

6:30 AM Trinity Men Small Group - SDR  
 8:00 AM Senior Exercise Class - FHALL  
 8:30 AM Mouat Chapel Open for Prayer

### Tuesday - July 1

8:00 AM Senior Adult Activities - various  
 8:30 AM Mouat Chapel Open for Prayer  
 11:00 AM Youth Lunch Club - Haven  
 6:30 PM Young Adults (20's) - NAT  
 6:30 PM Young Adults (30's) - SDR

### Wednesday - July 2

8:30 AM Mouat Chapel Open for Prayer  
 9:00 AM Yoga - Rm. 315  
 6:00 PM Men's Bible Studies - various  
 6:30 PM Sanctuary Choir - MS

### Thursday - July 3

8:00 AM Senior Exercise Class - FHALL  
 8:30 AM Mouat Chapel Open for Prayer

### Friday - July 4

*Church Office Closed, Holiday*

Note: KITCHEN CLOSED IN JULY

CFT	Craft Room-143	LIB	Library-218	CHAPEL	Mouat Chapel
FSR	Fireside Room-145	NAT	Not at Trinity	MS	Music Suite-132
CONF	Conference Room-220	LP	Large Parlor	WHALL	Wesley Hall
SANC	Sanctuary	SP	Small Parlor-105	SDR	Small Dining Room
FHALL	Fellowship Hall	HAVEN	Youth Auditorium	FLC	Family Life Center

## TAKE NOTE

*Nursery Volunteers - June 29*  
**Christie Crigger & Caroline Davis**

*Nursery Volunteers - July 6*  
**Jenny Dollar, Laura Fleming & Louisa Jeffries**

To volunteer, please contact Barry Smith at 879-1737,  
 email [nurseryvolunteers@trinitybirmingham.com](mailto:nurseryvolunteers@trinitybirmingham.com).  
**Or simply sign up in the nursery on Sunday!**

## IN THE HOSPITAL

**UAB:** Kathy Anglin

**BROOKWOOD:** Susan Bethea

## IN MEMORIAM

**Martha Davies**

**June 19**

• to **Debbie and Bruce Limbaugh** on the death of her mother, Joyce Sligh, on June 17. She is also survived by her grandchildren: Grant Limbaugh; **Victoria & Chris Koogler; Amy & John Paul Strong and Matt & Noelle Limbaugh** and her great-grandchildren: **Colt Limbaugh, Maddie James Limbaugh, Lily Grace Strong and Emma Catherine Koogler.**

• to the family and friends of **Martha Davies** who died on June 19.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

*As of June 22, 2014*

### Regular reporting:

<b>GENERAL BUDGET:</b>	<b>MONTH</b>
Month to Date Revenue	\$219,193
Monthly Needs to Date	\$225,579
Balance/Shortage	(\$6,386)

Capital Debt Retirement / month	\$5,756
Capital Debt Retirement / to date	\$42,132

### Note from the Treasurer:

Questions about church finances, income or expenses? If you wonder how funds are received or expensed, the financial books of Trinity are open to any member. Contact Ann Neptune at 879-1737 or [aneptune@trinitybirmingham.com](mailto:aneptune@trinitybirmingham.com).

**PLEASE NOTE:** *Tidings* publishes each week on Tuesday (except for the week of Christmas). The deadline for submitting information to be included is on Thursday, the week prior to the publish date. Please submit info via email to Haley Smith at [hsmith@trinitybirmingham.com](mailto:hsmith@trinitybirmingham.com). *Tidings* is delivered to the printing company each Monday at Noon. It is printed and mailed on Tuesday afternoon. Should you not receive your copy in a timely manner, please contact your postal carrier. The online version of *Tidings* is available each week on Tuesday at: [www.trinitybirmingham.com/news/tidings](http://www.trinitybirmingham.com/news/tidings)



**Coffee & CAPPUCINO**  
 Did you know Trinity now has two coffee options on Sunday morning? Along with our free coffee on 3rd floor, we now offer gourmet coffee and cappuccino for just \$1 per cup in the 2nd floor commons area. Served Sundays from 8:30 - 11 AM.

### **PARKING NOTICE:** Trinity members and guests should NOT park in the All Saints' lot near Oxmoor Rd.

Also, please do not block the dumpsters or areas that are marked as NO PARKING zones. Note that the small parking lot is reserved for handicapped, elderly and families with small children on Wednesday evenings and Sunday mornings.

**Do not park in marked handicap spaces if you do not have an official handicap permit.** Thank you.



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**SUNDAYS at Trinity: Worship 8:45 & 11:00 AM • Sunday School 10:00 AM • Youth Activities 6:00 PM**

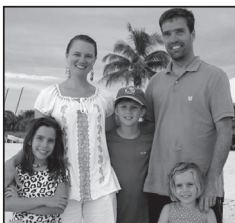
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**WELCOME NEW MEMBERS**



**Elizabeth Rogers**  
1810 Kensington Road,  
Homewood, AL 35209  
Elizabeth joined Trinity by vows from another Christian denomination. She is retired.



**Mollie Erickson**  
70 Lakeshore Drive, Homewood, AL 35209  
Mollie joined Trinity by transfer from another United Methodist Church. She is married to Rev. Brian Erickson. They have three children, Henry (10), Svea (8) and Corinne (3).

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**Interested in joining Trinity? Join us...**



**Coffee with the Pastors**  
**Sunday, July 6**  
10 AM • LARGE PARLOR

This is a casual time for guests to meet the pastoral staff. During this hour, you will learn about the mission statement of the church as well as Trinity's core values. This is also an excellent time to ask general questions and learn more about the church family. CWP is held the first Sunday of the month at 10 AM in the Parlor.

**membership 101**

**Sunday, July 13**  
10 AM • LARGE PARLOR

This class is strongly suggested for visitors who are considering membership at Trinity. During this hour, prospective members and those interested will review the membership covenant one makes when joining the Trinity Family. Ask a Greeter to direct you!