



The *Good News* from Trinity PC

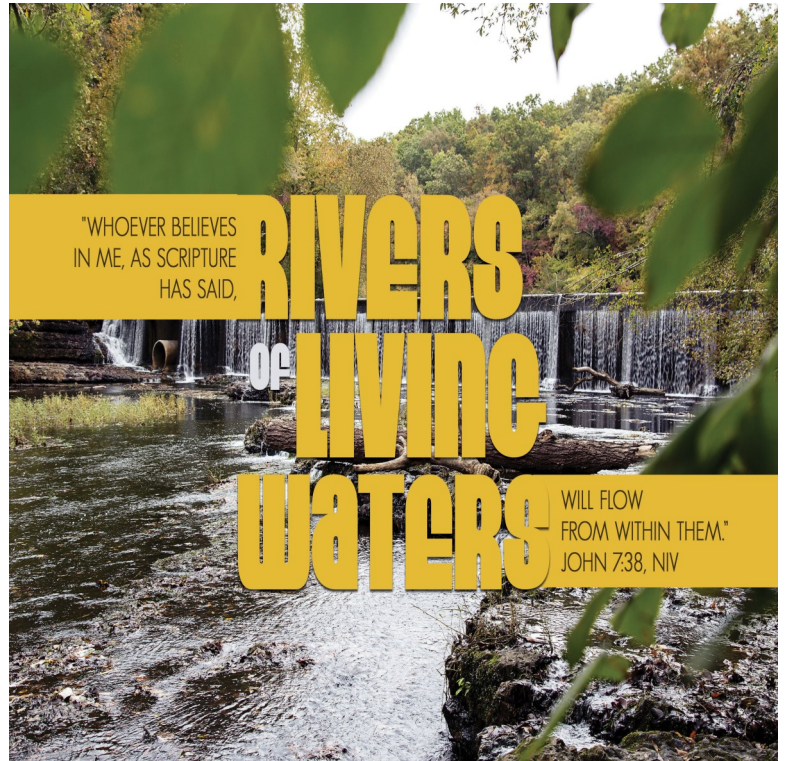
May 2, 2022

## Trinity Worship Services

Trinity worships on Sunday mornings at 10:15 AM, both onsite in the sanctuary and livestreamed on the Trinity YouTube channel.

We warmly welcome you to join us at Trinity on Sunday morning for our worship service in the sanctuary. For your convenience, hand sanitizer is provided near the entry doors. We understand that you may be more comfortable in an indoor environment while wearing a face mask, so we embrace your personal choice to do so.

The weekly Communicator, prayer request slips, offering envelopes and other event information flyers are available on the table in the center of the narthex. Hymnbooks and Bibles are located on a cart near the sanctuary entrance doors for your use during the worship service. Worship service bulletins are provided by ushers as you enter the sanctuary. Offering envelopes and completed prayer request slips are to be placed in the two baskets just inside the sanctuary or placed in the offering plates on the information table after the service concludes.



For those who choose to participate in our worship service remotely, Trinity offers the service online, livestreaming at 10:15 AM on YouTube, with Trinity announcements and other information shown as a prelude at about 10:10 AM. To watch the video live click on the link below, which will direct you to the Trinity YouTube channel, and then click on the video in the displayed list with the LIVE box illuminated. We encourage you to click the "subscribe" link on this page.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCn4Bfx9UtjiaWsrXObnly6g>

If you are not able to watch the worship service at 10:15 AM, beginning on Sunday afternoon the worship service recording is available for view on the Trinity YouTube page, as well as prior Sunday worship services. These video recordings are also available through the Trinity website at the link below:

<https://www.trinitypresbyfairfield.org/sermons/>

**In Case of a Pastoral Emergency:** Please Call: Deacons-on-Call: Ginny Kramer 513-829-4658 or Joleen Goens 513-858-9815

**Office Hours** 9:00-11:30-12:30 2:00 Monday-Thursday

When the office is closed on Fridays and the weekends, if you have a prayer request, please call Connie Williams at 513-370-7903

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[www.trinitypresbyfairfield.org](http://www.trinitypresbyfairfield.org) Email: [office@trinitypresbyfairfield.org](mailto:office@trinitypresbyfairfield.org)  
 Rev. Tom Dunlap and Rev. Kate Mauch Co-Pastors

## Prepare for Worship

4th Sunday of Easter

### Psalm 23

The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want.  
 He makes me lie down in green pastures;  
 he leads me beside still waters;  
 he restores my soul.  
 He leads me in right paths  
 for his name's sake.  
 Even though I walk through the darkest valley,  
 I fear no evil;  
 for you are with me;  
 your rod and your staff—  
 they comfort me.  
 You prepare a table before me  
 in the presence of my enemies;  
 you anoint my head with oil;  
 my cup overflows.  
 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me  
 all the days of my life,  
 and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD  
 my whole life long.<sup>1</sup>

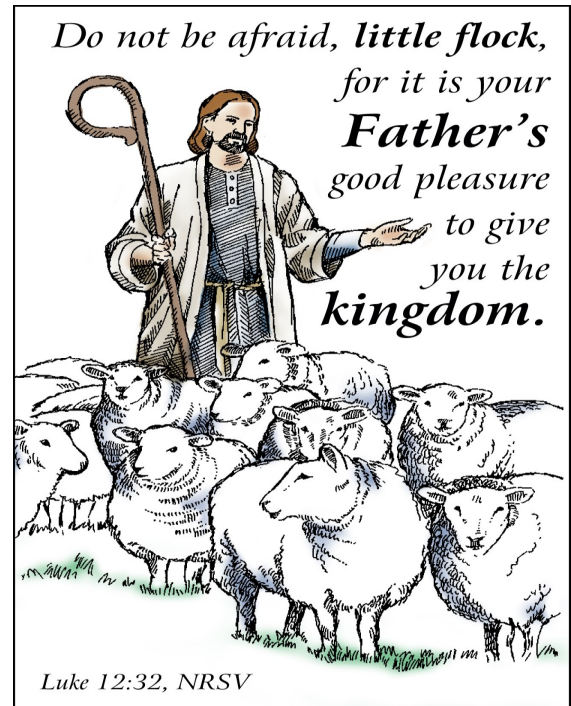
### Reflection

Psalm 23 affirms that God supplies our every need. How do our lives change when we trust this great promise of God?

### Morning Prayer

Holy God, you have called a people to be your family out of every tribe, language, and nation, to love and serve you daily in a world of beauty, complexity, and diversity. Help us to honor and respect the dignity of difference as we seek to be one with you and each other this day and always. Amen.

—adapted from *Feasting on the Word Worship Companion: Liturgies for Year C, Volume 1* © 2012 Westminster John Knox Press



### Shall Not Need

Despite the traditional wording (“The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want”), Psalm 23 declares that God provides everything we *need* — not everything we desire.

“**He makes me lie down ...**” Sometimes our busyness is useful; other times it’s how we feel in control or superior to others. God knows we need to rest and sometimes must make us do so!

“**He leads me beside still waters ...**” Although we often prefer noisy distractions, God knows we need quiet to hear him and have our souls restored.

“**You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.**” Rather than a boast (“Ha! See how God spreads a banquet in my honor while others look on!”), this is a reminder that God wants us to dine with our enemies. We might not be able to stand those people, but God pursues reconciliation.

In the process, “**goodness and mercy ... follow me all ... my life.**” That’s what we need the most.

## Week of May 2

			Contact
Monday			
Tuesday	7:00-8:30 PM	Choir Practice	Davis McKinney
Wednesday			
Thursday	9:30 AM	Sandwich Making	

## Worship Volunteers for May 8

Liturgist	Ed Dyer
Ushers	Debbie Johnson, Debi Hess, Joleen Goens

## Our Next Sandwich Making—May 5

We will be making sandwiches for *Our Daily Bread Pantry* on **Thursday, May 5**. For those making the sandwiches at Trinity, we will begin at **9:30 AM**. For those dropping off sandwiches, please deliver them at Trinity by **10:30 AM**. Your homemade sandwiches of: baloney and cheese or peanut butter and jelly should be individually wrap or put the sandwiches in individual baggies and mark or add a tag that notes the kind of sandwich inside. Please **do not add any condiments**. We appreciate your help with this Mission Outreach Project.



## Men's Breakfast

The men will be enjoying breakfast on Saturday, May 14 at 8:15 AM at First Watch on Kemper Road in Tri-County. All men are invited to join them.

## Men's Bible Study—May 17

The men's Bible study is taking a two week break and will continue at noon on Tuesday, May 17. We are studying The Sermon on the Mount and will be meeting at *Coffee Cup Overflowing* located at 6544 Winford Ave, Hamilton, OH 45011. For additional details contact George Fraley 513-967-1466.

## May Book Club Selection

The Book Club is reading *The Wish* by Nicholas Sparks in May. This is the story about Maggie, a sixteen year old sent to live with an aunt she barely knew in Ocracoke, a remote village on North Carolina's Outer Banks. She learns through another handsome teen how much there is to love about the wind-swept beach town—and she is introduced to photography, a passion that will define the rest of her life. The Book Club will discuss this novel on Monday, May 23 at their brown bag lunch meeting at noon.

## Women's Group Dinner

The Women's Group will be sampling a taste of Italy on Wednesday, May 25 at 5:00 PM. They will be visiting the Spinning Forchetta located at 4444 Hamilton Middletown Rd, (Hamilton Elks Golf Club) Hamilton, OH 45011. There is a sign-up sheet posted on the bulletin board in the narthex. If you would like to carpool, please see Connie Williams.



## Deb Schoenherr Has Moved

For those who would like to send a card, Deb Schoenherr has moved to be closer to her son. Her new address is: 72 Bunnell St., Colebrook, CT., 06021, and her phone number is: 513-476-3422. Deb will be missed and we ask God to bless her new home.



# THE GOOD NEWS

As of May 1

## Keep in your Prayers

Penny Fraley	Healing/surgery
Pat, Debbie Johnson request	Healing/her mom fell and broke her femur
Pat, D. Johnson request	Bereavement/loss of nephew
Sue Ann Morrison, F. Thomas request	Healing/cancer surgery
Ed and Laura Dyer	Bereavement/loss of family member in Colorado
Chris, Betty Liles' daughter	Healing/recovery cancer surgery
Doug Erbeck, J. Luebke request	Healing/severe back pain
Rhonda Shinkle, G. Kramer	Healing/aneurysm and brain bleed in ICU
Betty Liles	Continued Healing/caregiver for daughter, Chrissy
Family & Friends of Bill Tope	Bereavement/loss of Bill
Jake, Rev. Kate Mauch's husband	Healing/O2 low, irregular heartbeats at home
*Diane Rayer	Healing/recovery eye surgery
*Family of Billy Williams, Connie Williams' cousin	Bereavement/loss of Billy
David S. Cindie Postell request	Healing/Parkinson
Fran Thomas	Healing/recovery back surgery
Penny Fraley	Continued healing
Glenn Mojzer	Healing/recovery from stem cell transplant /MDS
Kim Whitney, K. Kessler's daughter	Continued healing/diverticulitis/other concerns
Jean Parsley	Continued healing/heart concerns
Gerald Reese, M. Reese's father	Continued healing/swallowing problems
All peoples in Russia/Ukraine area	Peace and reconciliation
All Elected Government leaders	Wisdom/support/enlightenment
Support for all our military	Strength/discernment/God's protection
For all missionaries/relief workers	Protection/blessings/fruitful mission work

*Names that have been on the Prayer List for more than 4 weeks are marked with an asterisk (\*).  
If you would like them to remain on the list, please contact the office by Tuesday.*

Please include in your prayers all the requests we receive from the community on our website.  
The link is : <https://www.trinitypresbyfairfield.org/prayer-wall/>

## Financial Information

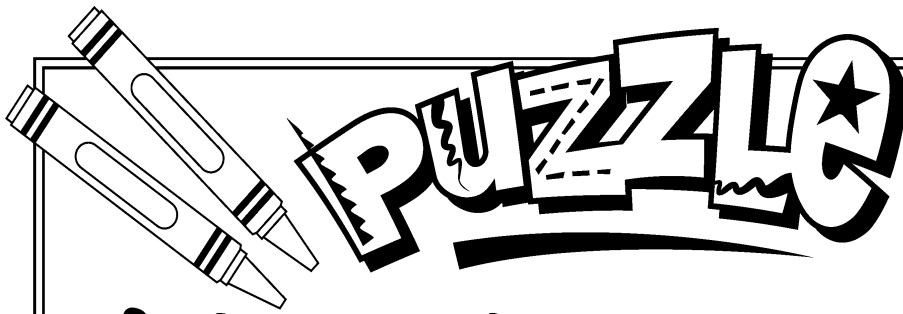
Donations Received on 5/1      \$2137  
Per Capita 2022 paid      \$730  
(22 members paid)  
Per Capita for 2022 remains at \$33

Attendance May 1      45

## Worship Schedule

May 8	Rev. Kate Mauch
May 15	Rev. Tom Dunlap
May 22	Rev. Kate Mauch
May 29	Rev. Tom Dunlap

The Presbytery of Cincinnati publishes a weekly newsletter called "The Cincinnati Sampler." To subscribe to The Sampler go to: <https://www.presbteryofcincinnati.org> and click on "Sign Up For The Sampler" at the bottom right corner of the page.

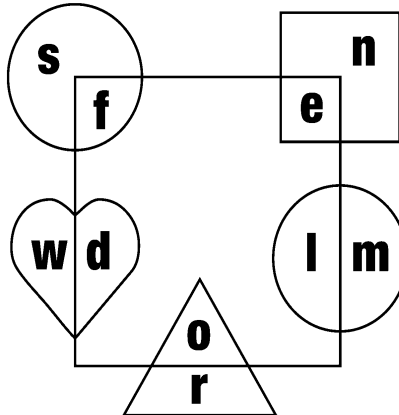


# GOD CARES FOR YOU!

Jesus tells his followers not to worry about their daily needs.  
What example does he give of God's care for his creation?

## Directions:

To complete Luke 12:27 (NIV), match the shapes under each blank with the letter shapes shown to the right.



"Consider how the wild \_\_\_\_\_  
grow. They do not labor or spin.

Yet I tell you, not even \_\_\_\_\_  
in all his splendor was \_\_\_\_\_  
like one of these." Luke 12:27, NIV

Answer: "Consider how the wild flowers grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet I tell you, not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these." Luke 12:27, NIV



Make this craft to display a bit of springtime year-round!

## What you need:

- An old shirt
- Tempura paint (brown, dark pink, light pink and white)
- Paintbrush
- Light blue or white construction paper
- A paper plate
- Q-tips
- Paper towels



## What you do:

1. Roll up one sleeve and paint your arm and the palm of your hand brown.
2. Lengthwise on the paper, carefully place your painted arm and hand, with fingers spread apart. (This is the tree trunk and branches.)
3. Place the other paint colors on the plate.
4. Using Q-tips, place dots of paint (blossoms!) all over the branches.
5. When dry, display your tree — or give it as a Mother's Day gift.

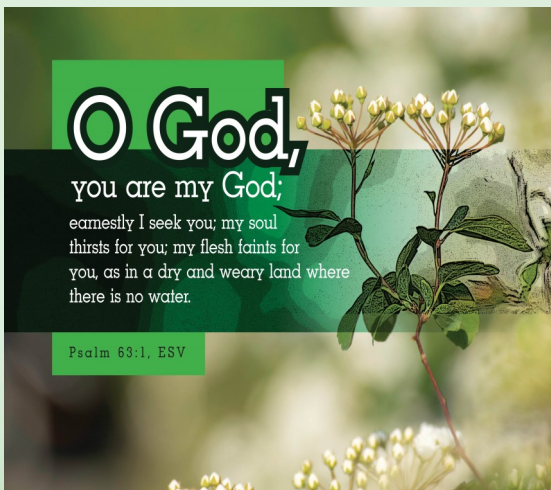
## Tributes to Mom

- “There is no way to be a perfect mother, and a million ways to be a good one.” —Jill Churchill
- “The art of mothering is to teach the art of living to children.” —Elaine Heffner
- “When your mother asks, ‘Do you want a piece of advice?’ it’s a mere formality. It doesn’t matter if you answer yes or no. You’re going to get it anyway.” —Erma Bombeck
- “The mother’s heart is the child’s schoolroom.” —Henry Ward Beecher
- “Mother love is the fuel that enables a normal human being to do the impossible.” —Marion C. Garretty
- “Being a mother is learning about strengths you didn’t know you had.” —Linda Wooten
- “Mothers write on the hearts of their children what the world’s rough hand cannot erase.”—Author unknown



## Happy Mother's Day!

Elders	Class Year—Term Expires	Deacons	Class Year
Linda North	2022	Joleen Goens	2022
George Fraley	2022	Jennifer Reese	2022
Cindie Postell	2022	Ginny Kramer	2023
Barb Pratt	2023	Valentine Nyamusa	2023
Kurt Schuler	2023	Ethel Bime	2024
Wilson Tayong	2023	Allison Schuler	2024
Emmanuel Bime	2024		
Donna Schuler	2024		



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